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| Unit Hando | out . | Lesson 4: Ecosystems | |
| Purpose: | To learn the difference be | etween an ecosystem, hab | itat, and niche. |

Instructions: Read pages 60-63. Then, complete the table below by providing definitions and examples of each of the terms.

| | Definition | Example |
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| Ecosystem | | |
| Habitat | | |
| Community | | |
| Niche | | |

In general, why must we consider non-living factors when thinking about ecosystems?