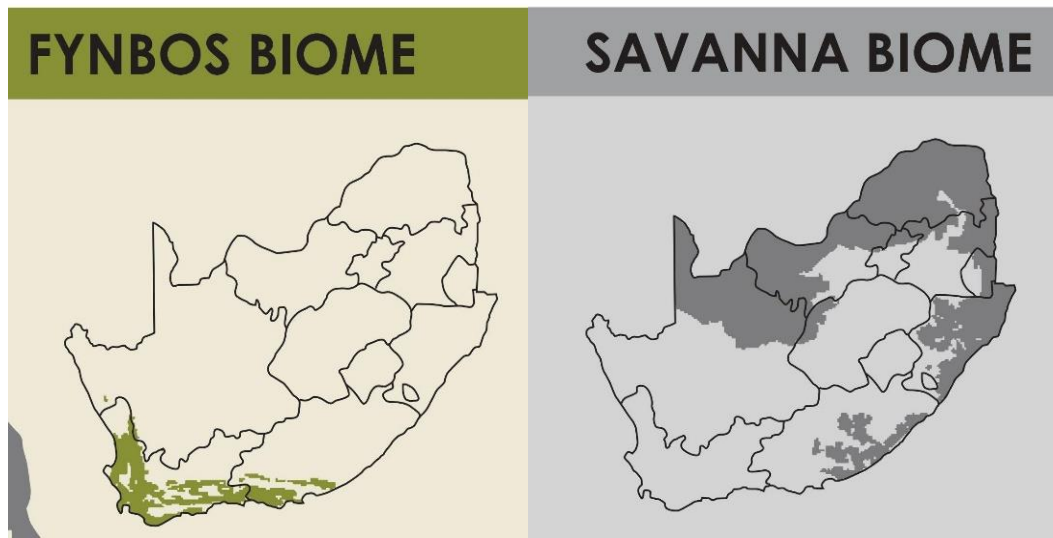




**Characteristics of the leopard in the Western Cape**

2. Indicate on the following map of South Africa where is the savanna biome and where is the fynbos biome?



3. Complete the following table

	Savanna biome	Fynbos biome
Leopard size (big or small)	<b>BIG</b>	<b>SMALL</b>
Leopard density (high or low)	<b>HIGH</b>	<b>LOW</b>
Home range size (big or small)	<b>SMALL</b>	<b>BIG</b>

4. Explain in your own words why the home range and density of the leopard in fynbos biome differ from that in the savanna biome? (3)

**Prey in the fynbos biome is smaller and sparsely distributed over rugged and extreme terrain, the leopards, therefore, need a larger area to hunt to ensure that they have access to enough food.**

Bonus question: If you were a leopard, would you prefer to live in the savanna biome or the fynbos biome and why?

**Creative thinking activity and marks should be awarded accordingly.**