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However, modelling efforts attempting to reproduce the CO<sub>2</sub> decline from land use change (LUC) have so far been inconclusive, some showing an impact (Kaplan et al., 2011), while others do not (Pongratz et al., 2011). An alternative approach, using a forcing-fingerprint analysis, rules out internal variability of the Earth System, changes in the total solar irradiance (TSI), and volcanic forcing ... The earliest life on Earth might have been just as purple as it is green today, a scientist claims. Ancient microbes might have used a molecule other than chlorophyll to harness the Sun's rays ... VIRGINIA STANDARDS OF LEARNING ASSESSMENTS Spring 2001 Released Test END OF COURSE EARTH SCIENCE SESSION: 40 PAGE: 1 11/15/101 10:38 LOGIN IS-pam PATH: @sun1/xydisk2 ... Earth is the third planet from the Sun and the only astronomical object known to harbor life. According to radiometric dating and other sources of evidence, Earth formed over 4.5 billion years ago. Earth's gravity interacts with other objects in space, especially the Sun and the Moon, Earth's only natural satellite. Earth revolves around the Sun in 365.26 days, a period known as an Earth year.