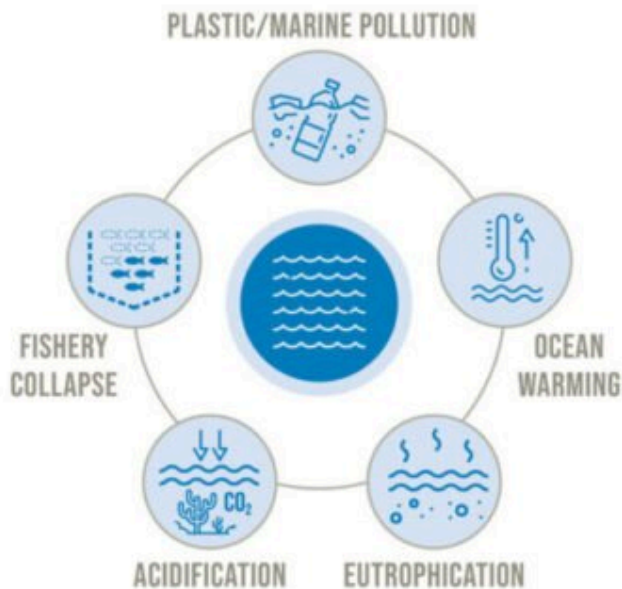




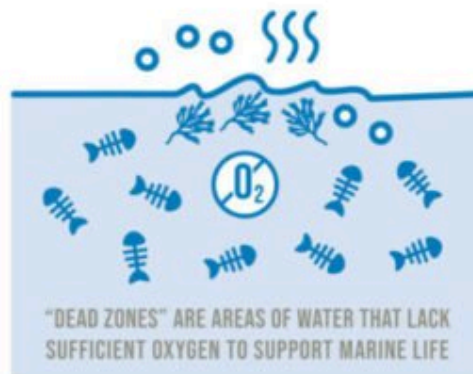
# CONSERVE AND SUSTAINABLY USE THE OCEANS, SEA AND MARINE RESOURCES FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

## THE SUSTAINABILITY OF OUR OCEANS IS UNDER SEVERE THREAT

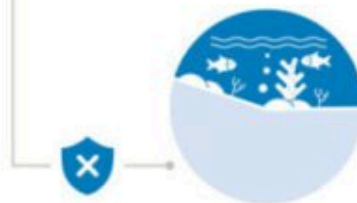


OVER 3 BILLION PEOPLE RELY ON OCEANS FOR THEIR LIVELIHOODS

DEAD ZONES ARE RISING AT AN ALARMING RATE, FROM 400 IN 2008 TO 700 IN 2019



OVER HALF OF MARINE KEY BIODIVERSITY AREAS ARE NOT PROTECTED



ABOUT HALF OF COUNTRIES WORLDWIDE HAVE ADOPTED SPECIFIC INITIATIVES TO SUPPORT SMALL-SCALE FISHERS



ON AVERAGE, ONLY 1.2% OF NATIONAL RESEARCH BUDGETS ARE ALLOCATED FOR OCEAN SCIENCE

