

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



CO<sub>2</sub>


OCEAN ACIDITY HAS INCREASED BY

CO<sub>2</sub>

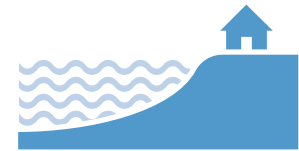
26%

SINCE PRE-INDUSTRIAL TIMES

IT IS EXPECTED TO RAPIDLY INCREASE BY 100–150% BY 2100



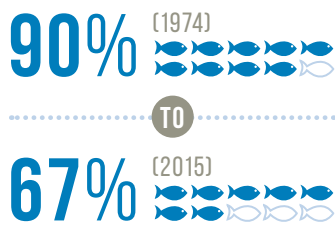
THE INCREASE IN OCEAN ACIDITY IS A NEGATIVE PHENOMENON. IT IMPACTS THE ABILITY OF THE OCEAN TO ABSORB CO<sub>2</sub> AND ENDANGERS MARINE LIFE.



104 OUT OF 220

COASTAL REGIONS IMPROVED THEIR COASTAL WATER QUALITY (2012–2018)


THE PROPORTION OF FISH STOCKS WITHIN BIOLOGICALLY SUSTAINABLE LEVELS DECLINED FROM



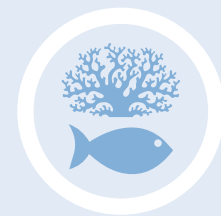
87 COUNTRIES

SIGNED THE AGREEMENT ON PORT STATE MEASURES, THE FIRST BINDING INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT ON ILLEGAL, UNREPORTED AND UNREGULATED FISHING



17% 

OF WATERS UNDER NATIONAL JURISDICTION ARE COVERED BY PROTECTED AREAS



MORE THAN DOUBLE

THE 2010 COVERAGE LEVEL