

### **Outline**

- Climate Change is ...
- Causes and Consequences of Climate change
- Causes behind Global Warming
- Conclusion



## What is *Climate Change*?

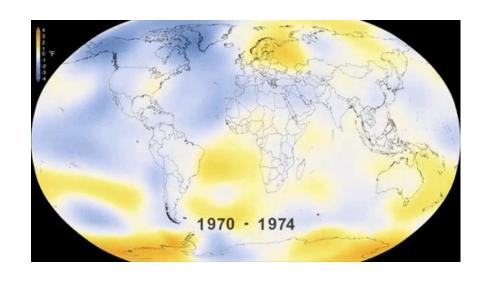
a global challenge that has no borders and to combat it requires coordinated work by all countries.



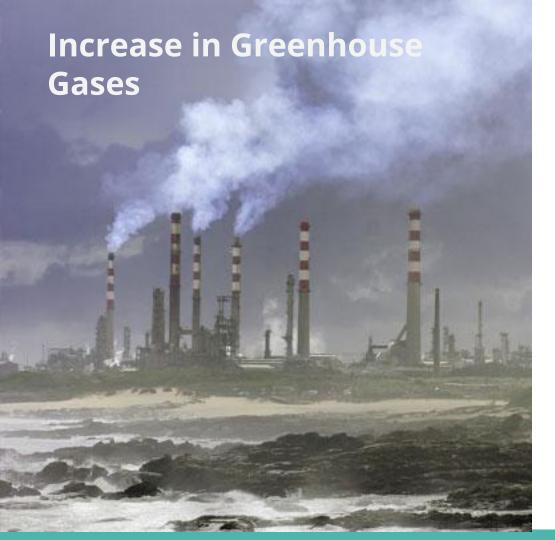


### GLOBAL WARMING

- caused by the greenhouse effect
- daily human activities maximize the greenhouse effect, causing the planet's temperature to increase even more

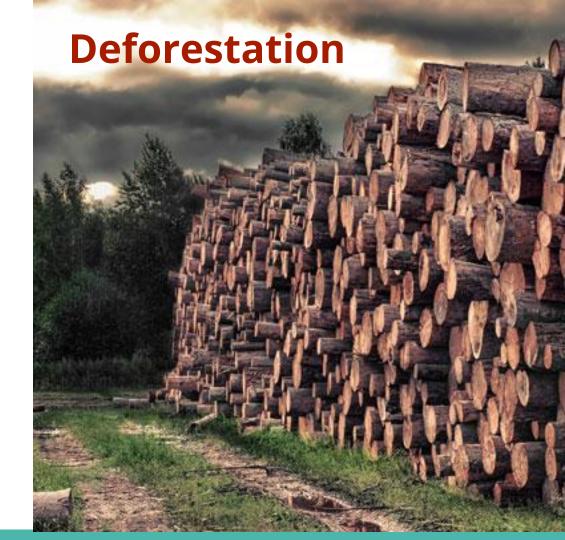


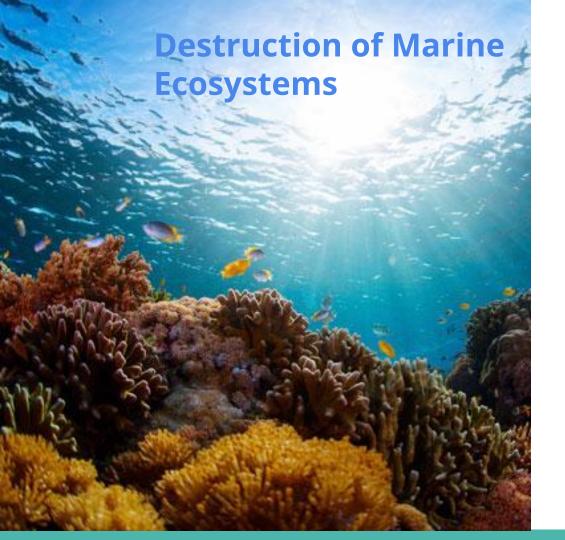
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- Carbon dioxide
- Methane
- Nitrogen oxide
- HCFCs gas of anthropogenic origin (result of human activities). Harmless to the ozone layer, but increases the greenhouse effect.

Forests are natural carbon sinks, absorbing CO2 through photosynthesis and returning oxygen to the atmosphere.





The oceans are also carbon sinks, absorbing up to 50 % of CO2.

The problem is that, when they reach their limit, the ocean acidifies and causes death and disease among marine flora and fauna. Population needs more and more resources, which speeds up the increase in greenhouse gas emissions from all production processes.





cattle and sheep produce large amounts of methane when digesting their food, while fertilizers produce nitrous oxide emissions.

- → overexploitation of natural resources
- → emissions from international freight transport, which both contributes to global warming



# WE WILL NOT STAY QUIET ON THE CLIMATE CRISIS

Responsible consumption and recycling

Renewable energies

Energy and Water efficiency

Sustainable Agriculture and Forest management

Sustainable transport

Sustainable infrastructure

## **THANK YOU FOR YOUR**



#### Resources

- 1. <a href="https://www.acciona.com/climate-change/">https://www.acciona.com/climate-change/</a>
- 2. <a href="https://climate.nasa.gov/effects/">https://climate.nasa.gov/effects/</a>
- 3. <a href="https://solarimpulse.com/global-warming-solutions">https://solarimpulse.com/global-warming-solutions</a>