### **Climate Policy Platform**

## **Overview**

The Ocean Health Tracker provides real-time monitoring of critical ocean health indicators across Pacific island nations. This dashboard integrates multiple data sources to present a comprehensive view of ocean conditions, supporting evidence-based decision making for marine conservation and sustainable resource management.

## How to Use This Dashboard

- 1. Filter by Region: Use the region selector to focus on specific Pacific areas
- 2. Adjust Time Range: View historical trends or focus on recent changes
- 3. Export Data: Click the export button to download underlying datasets
- 4. Share Insights: Use the share function to distribute specific views

# Key Insights

### **Temperature Trends**

Ocean temperatures in the Pacific have risen by an average of 0.8°C over the past decade, with some regions experiencing even higher anomalies. This warming trend has significant implications for:

- Coral bleaching events
- Fish migration patterns
- Storm intensity

#### **Coral Reef Status**

Current coral coverage stands at 47% of historical baseline, with a 5.2% decline over the past year. However, some protected areas show signs of recovery, demonstrating the effectiveness of conservation measures.

#### Fisheries Health

Fish stock assessments indicate overall health score of 73/100, with improvements in managed fisheries but continued pressure in unregulated areas.

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- Temperature data updated daily from satellite observations
- Coral health assessments conducted quarterly
- Fish stock data based on scientific surveys and catch reports
- All data undergo quality control before dashboard integration

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