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What is the greenhouse effect?

If global warming continues at its current rate, the world will be on track to warm between at least 3°C and 4°C by the end of the century, with devastating impacts on the people and places we love. Coupled with other factors, such as continued land-clearing, this could mean the extinction of species at a rate even greater than when the dinosaurs disappeared around 65 million years ago. Many scientists believe we are in an interglacial period, when warmer temperatures have caused the ice caps to recede.

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Greenhouse effect

Trees absorb carbon dioxide, so cutting down forests for timber or development contributes to the greenhouse effect. This will result in a faster increase in atmospheric carbon dioxide and more rapid global warming. See and to learn more about the ocean heat and global warming.

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Their presence under the ocean or on land also tells scientists that glaciers were once present in these areas. It is possible that as the climate changes and as species are eliminated from an area we will see a change in some ecosystem functions; this could mean more land degradation, changes in agricultural productivity and a reduction in the quality of water delivered to human populations.

Global Warming

Ocean acidification poses yet another challenge for corals because it makes it harder for corals to build their skeletons. About half the carbon dioxide emitted into the air from burning fossil fuels dissolves in the ocean.

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Temperatures across the globe dipped for two to three years.

Greenhouse effect

During this time, average global temperatures were one to 1. Notice how the red area dips down close to the ground in some locations.

Observed changes in our climate system

This means that plants need more water to keep growing throughout the season or they will dry out, increasing the risk of failed crops and wildfires. Because of these complications, it is not clear how much additional carbon dioxide plants can take out of the atmosphere and how long they could continue to do so.

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