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## The Great Pacific Garbage Patch

**Directions:** Answer the following questions based on your knowledge of the powerpoint presentation.

1. Where is the Pacific Ocean located?

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2. How come the area in the Pacific Ocean that is known as an *oceanic desert* does not experience much movement?

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3. How big is the Pacific Ocean Garbage Patch estimated to be?

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4. Why is the Pacific Garbage Patch so bad?

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5. What makes plastic so harmful?

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6. How are plastics specifically hurting the *albatross*?

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7. How are plastics specifically hurting *Hawaii*?

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8. What are **two** ways we can prevent problems like the Great Pacific Garbage Patch from developing?

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9. What will **YOU** do to prevent future environmental problems like the Great Pacific Garbage Patch?

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