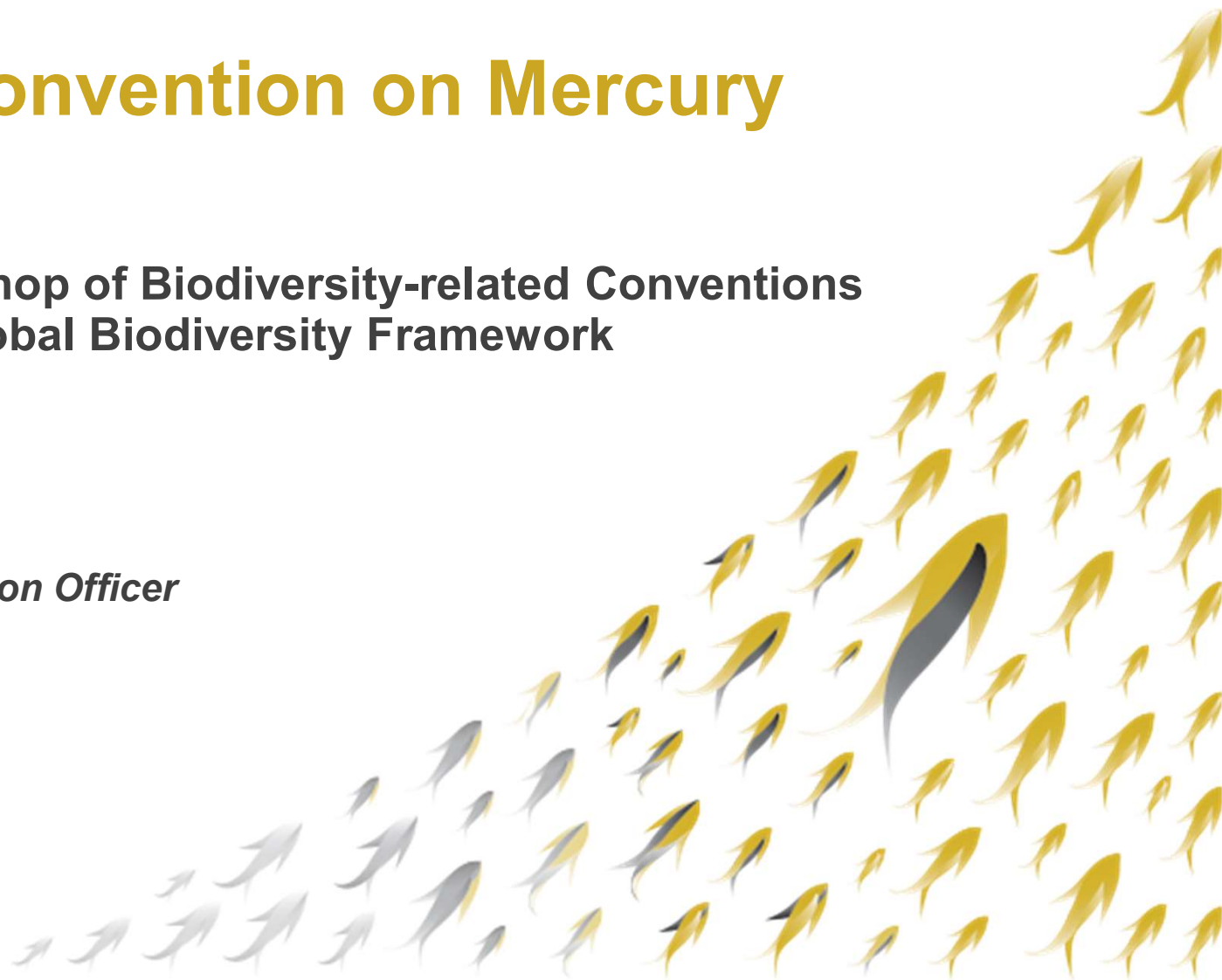


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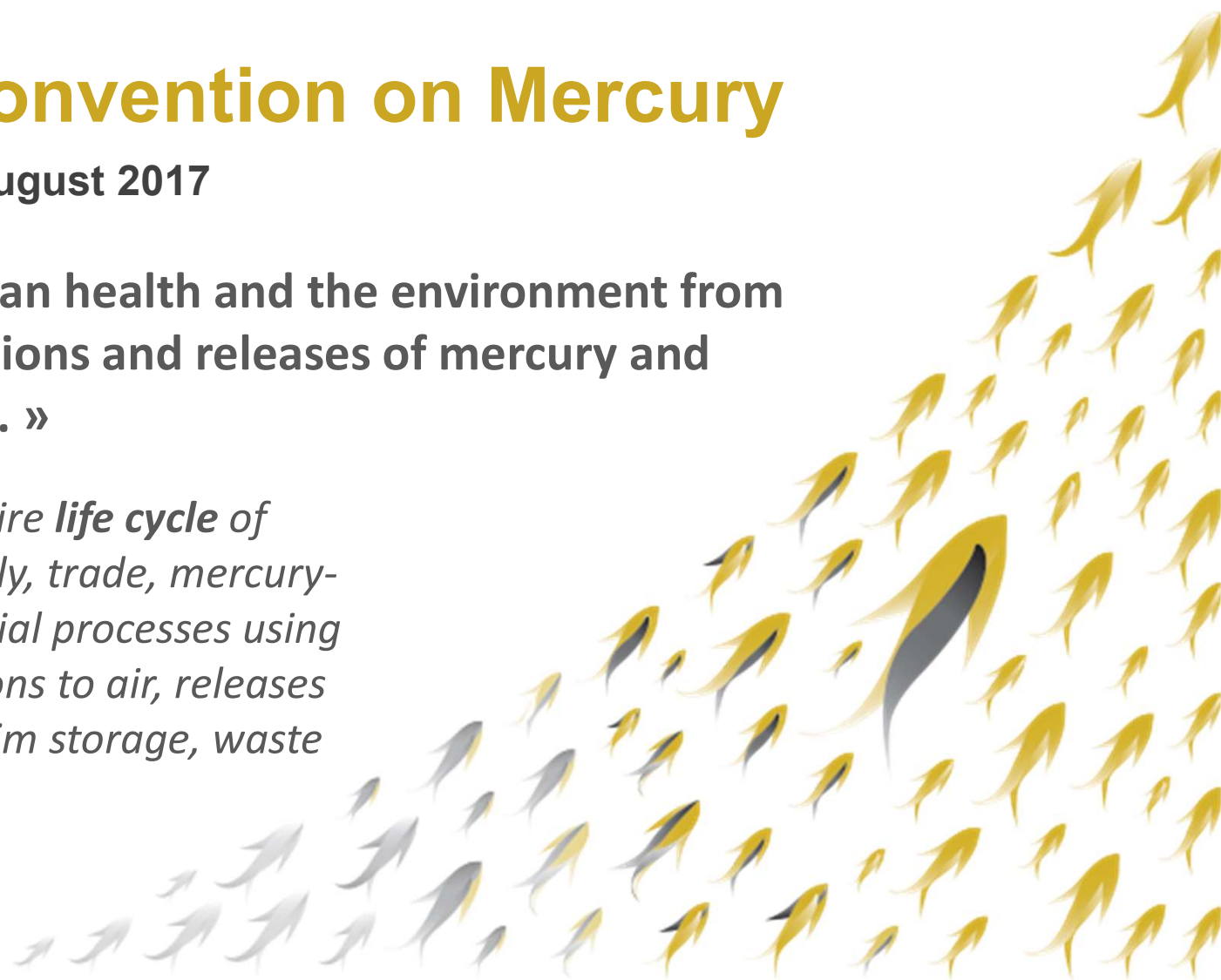


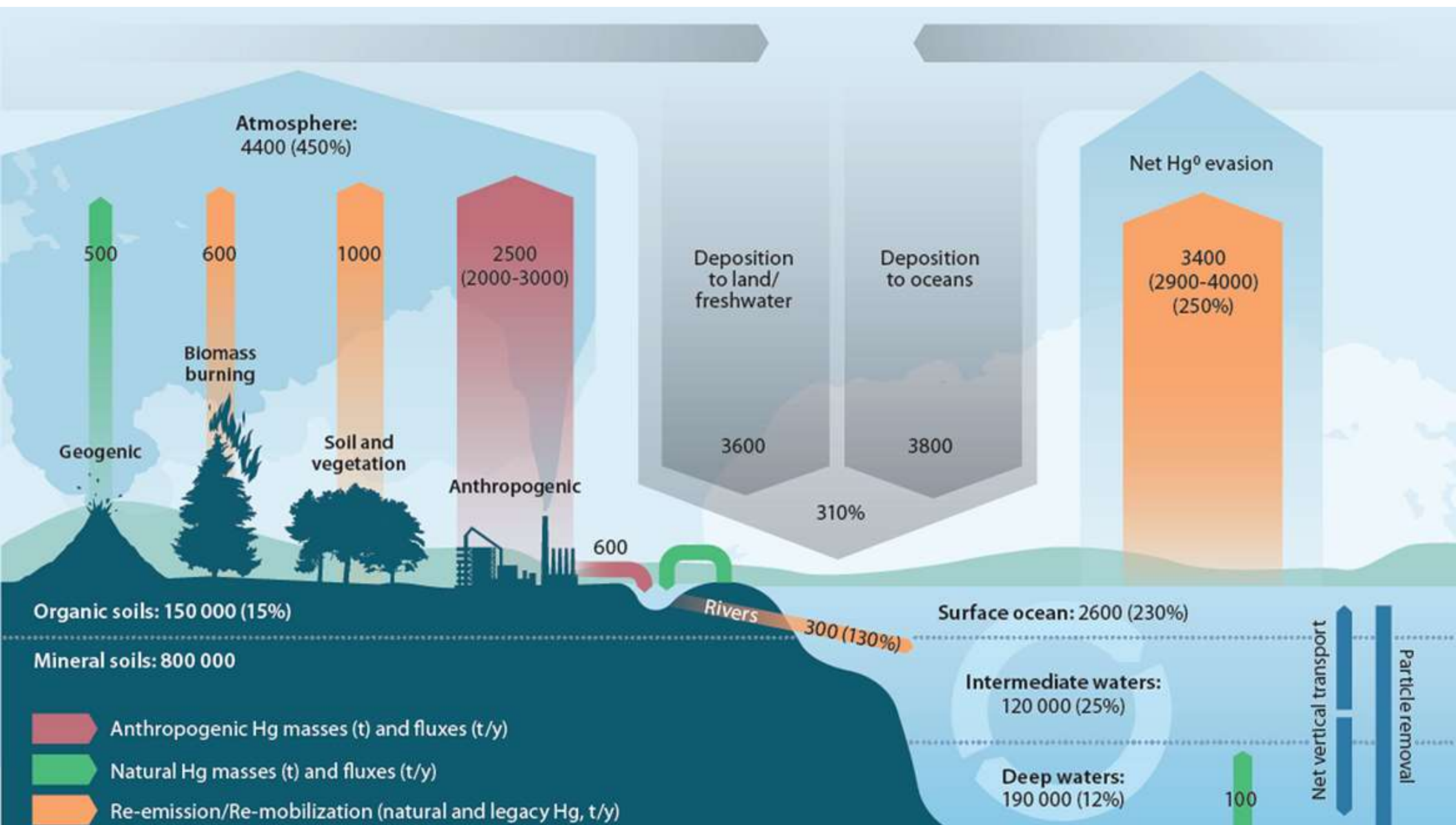
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Entry into Force: 16 August 2017

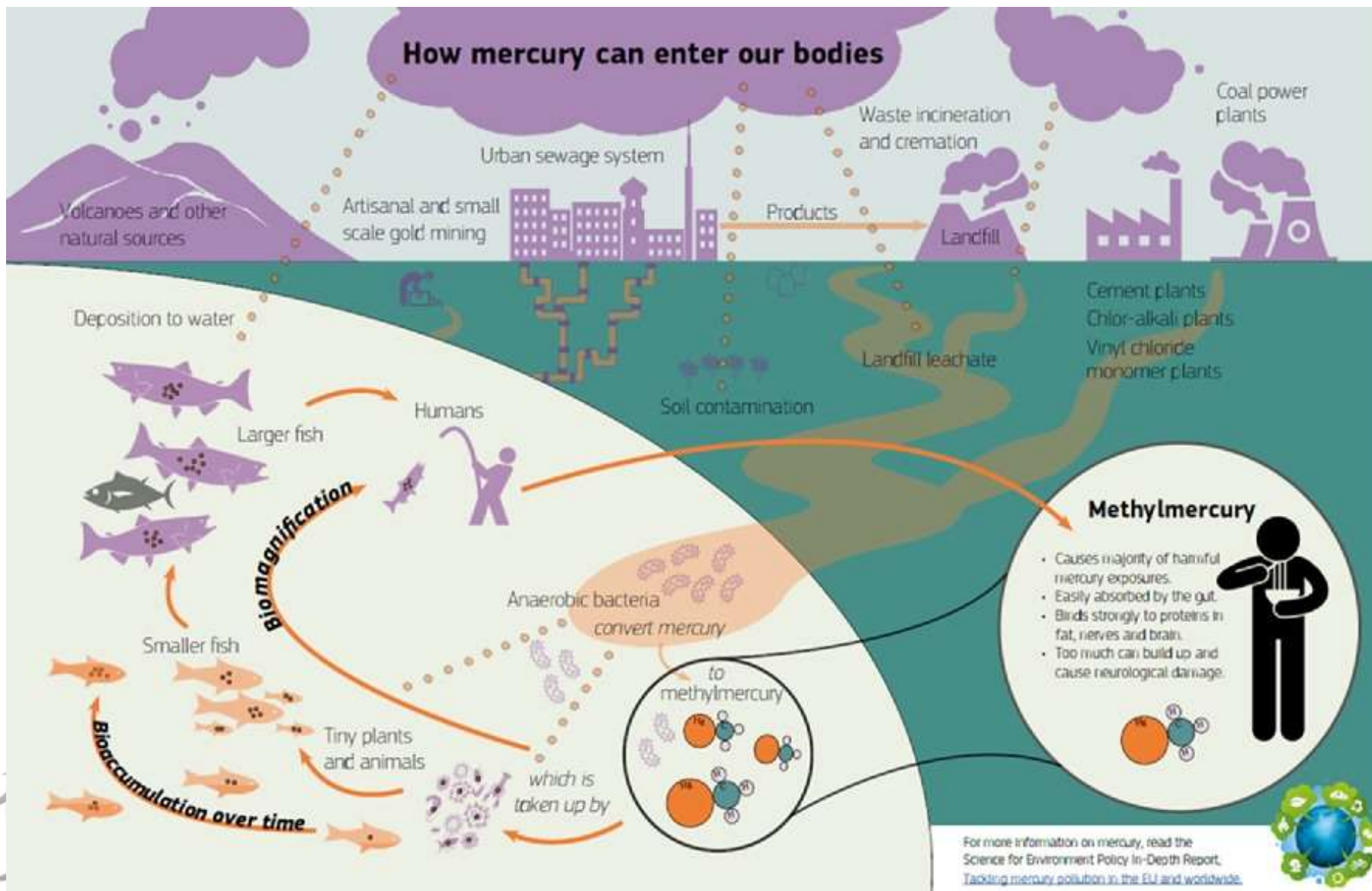
« (...) to protect human health and the environment from anthropogenic emissions and releases of mercury and mercury compounds. »

*Provisions cover the entire **life cycle** of mercury, including supply, trade, mercury-added products, industrial processes using mercury, ASGM, emissions to air, releases to land and water, interim storage, waste and contaminated sites.*



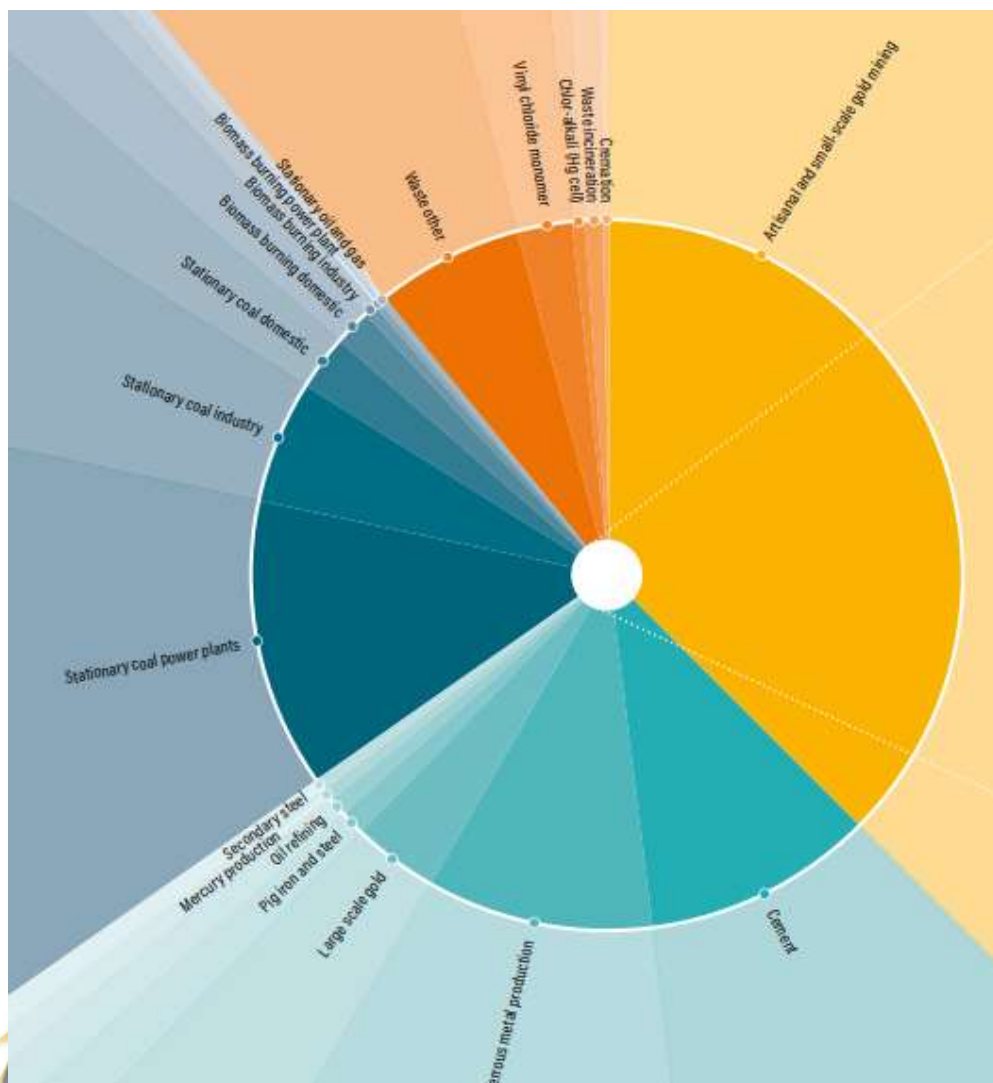


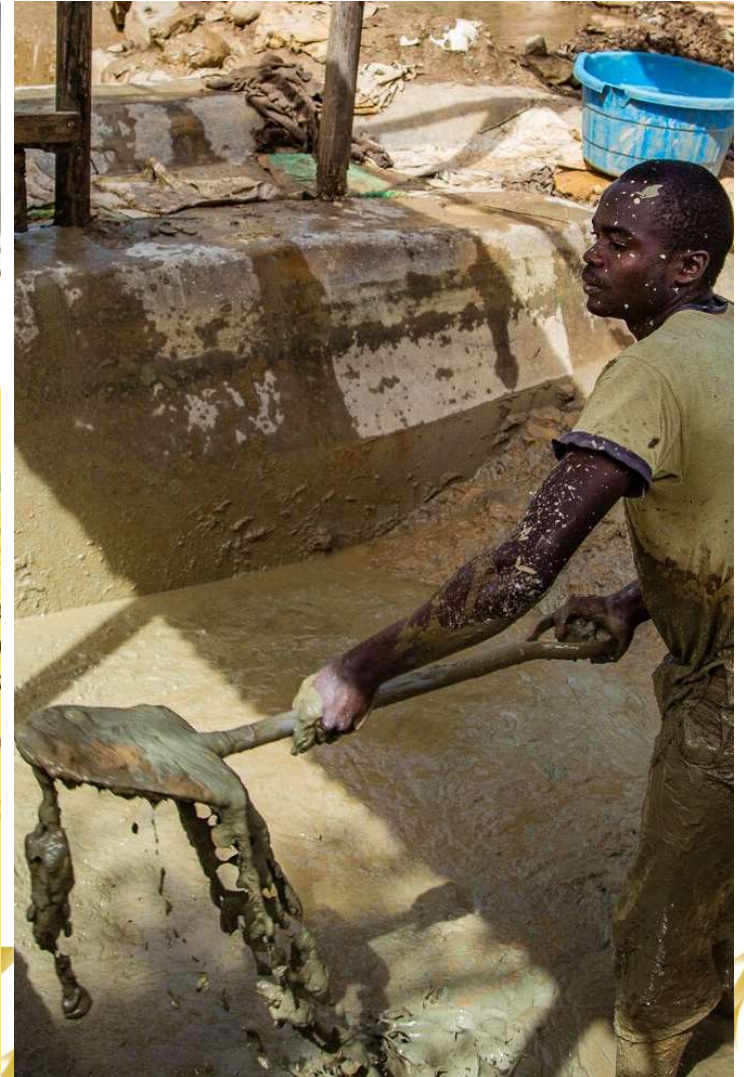
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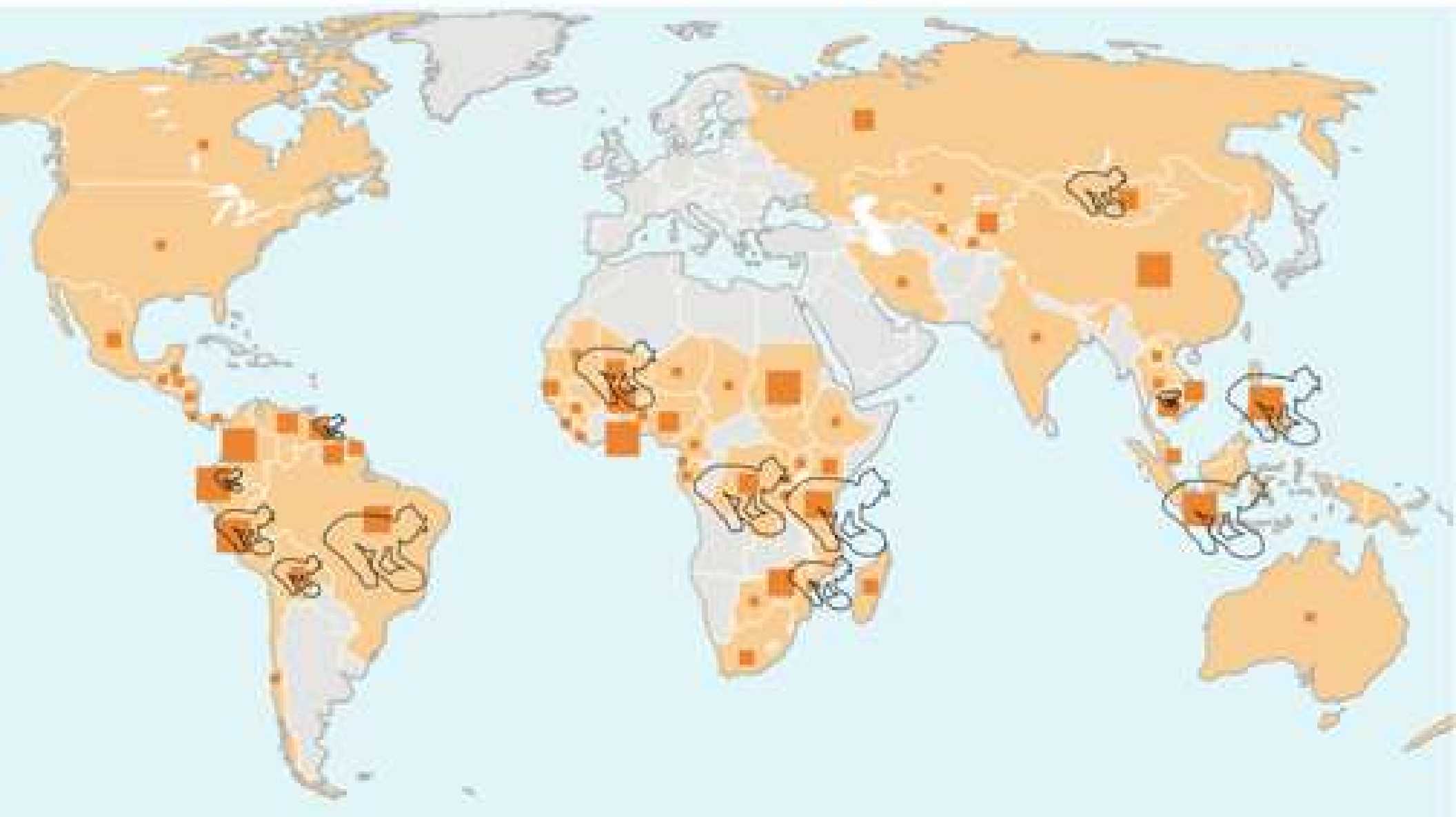


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# Related Sustainable Development Goals



**Goal 1**  
No Poverty



**Goal 2**  
Zero Hunger



**Goal 3**  
Good Health and  
Well-Being



**Goal 6**  
Clean Water and  
Sanitation



**Goal 7**  
Affordable and  
Clean Energy



**Goal 8**  
Decent Work and  
Economic Growth



**Goal 11**  
Sustainable Cities  
and Communities



**Goal 12**  
Sustainable  
Consumption and  
Production

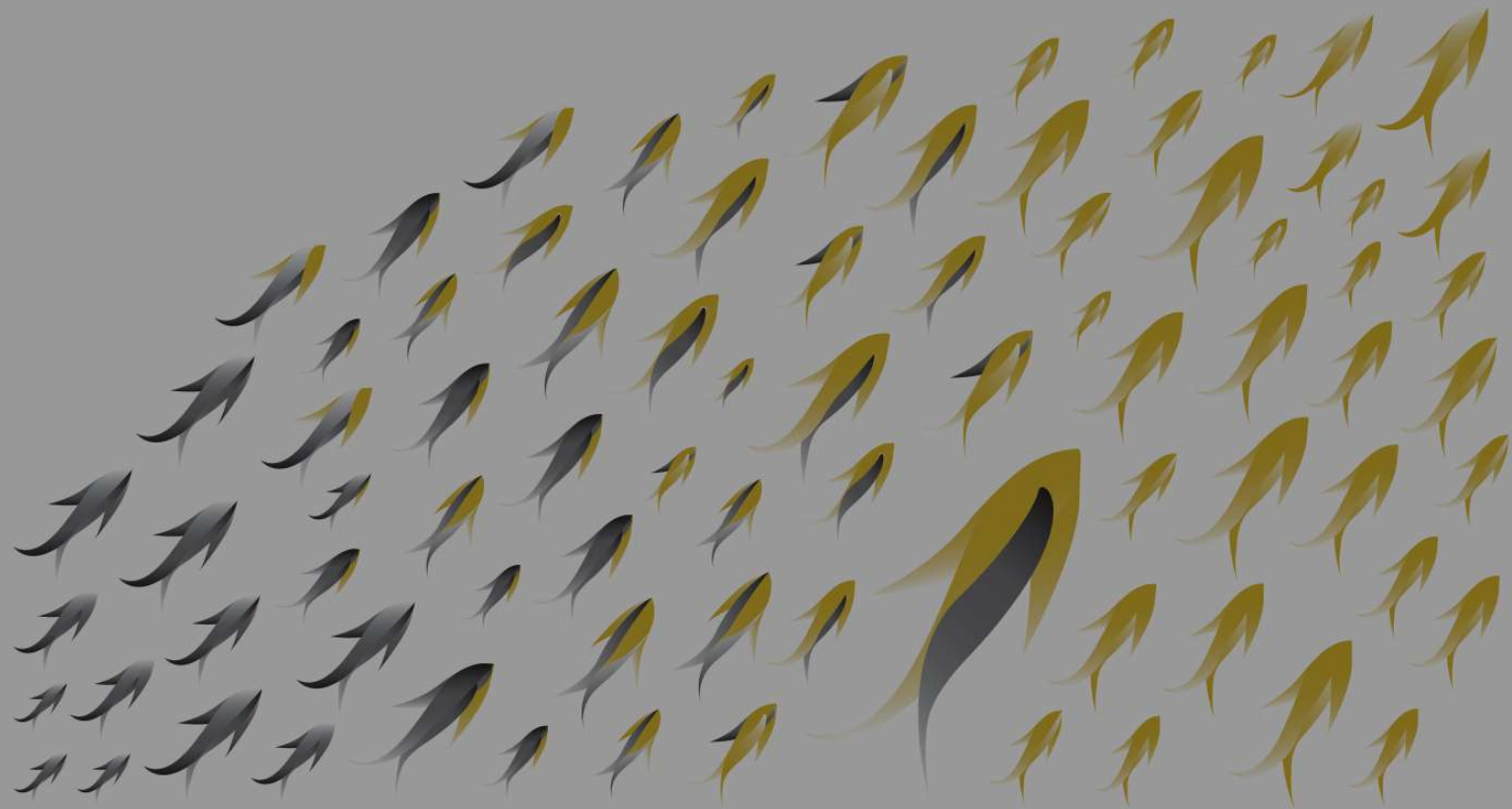


**Goal 14**  
Life Below Water



**Goal 15**  
Life on Land





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