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AIR POLLUTION & CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE

Air pollution is the **world's largest single environmental health risk**



According to the World Health Organization, **air pollution** is responsible for



25%
OF ALL DEATHS FROM
HEART DISEASE

24%
OF ALL DEATHS FROM
STROKE



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Environmental Racism



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Human Impact on Environment



Clearcutting a Forest

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IBERDROLA

THE IMPACT OF WATER POLLUTION

This type of pollution affects both **wealthy and poor countries**

BIOLOGICAL DEMAND FOR OXYGEN

Contaminated water **harms the economy of countries and regions.**

When the biological demand for oxygen increases, **the GDP of the affected regions is reduced by a third.**

NITROGEN OXIDATION

Exposure to nitrates at an early age **affects development and can even be lethal.**

Fertilisers are responsible for increasing cases of **stunted growth in children** by as much as 19%.

Every year salt water **spoils enough food** to supply **170 million people.**

Agricultural yields decrease as the salinity of the water increases.

SALINITY

Source: The World Bank.

SALVAGE LOGGING...



HARMS FISH AND WILDLIFE



POLLUTES DRINKING WATER



INCREASES FIRE INTENSITY



REDUCES BIODIVERSITY

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What Animals do in Wildfires



Water Pollution