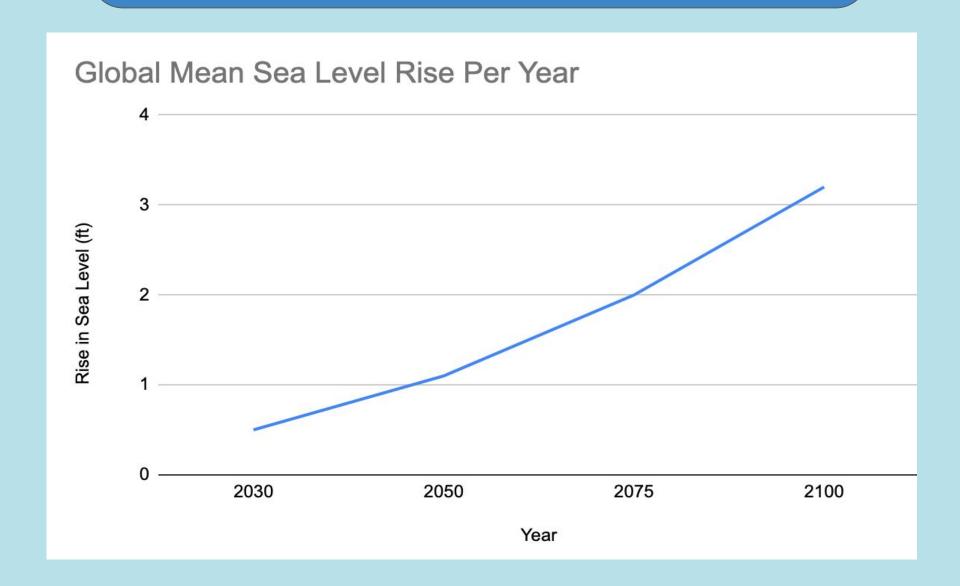
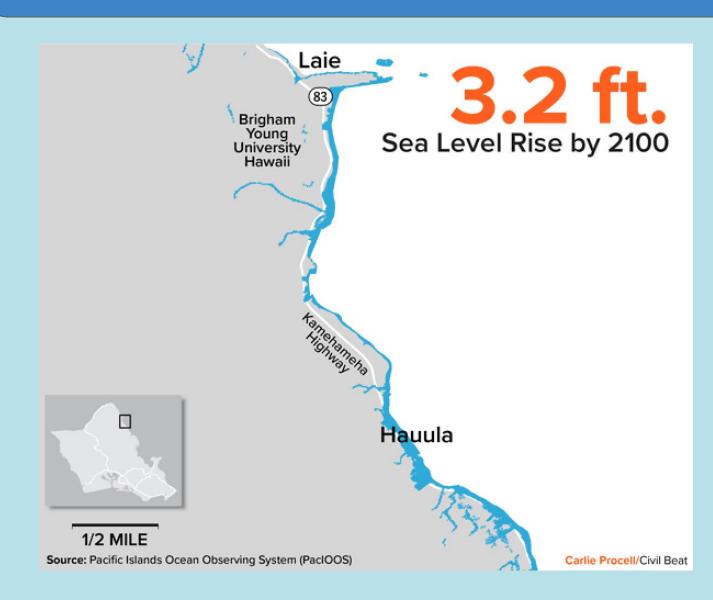
Sea Level Rise is a Coast's Demise

Sea level rise is the increase in the level of the world's oceans. This rise is expected to reach 3.2 ft by 2100.



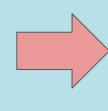
This rise is caused by **climate change**, which has led to ice cap and glacial melting.



The rising sea levels and monster tides have caused erosion in coastal communities.



Coastal communities
build sea walls to
protect their property



The process of coastal erosion is sped up as the waves hit the seawalls and pull the sediment back with more force



Oahu has lost 25% of it's beaches and over 70% of other beaches have been affected by coastal erosion

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