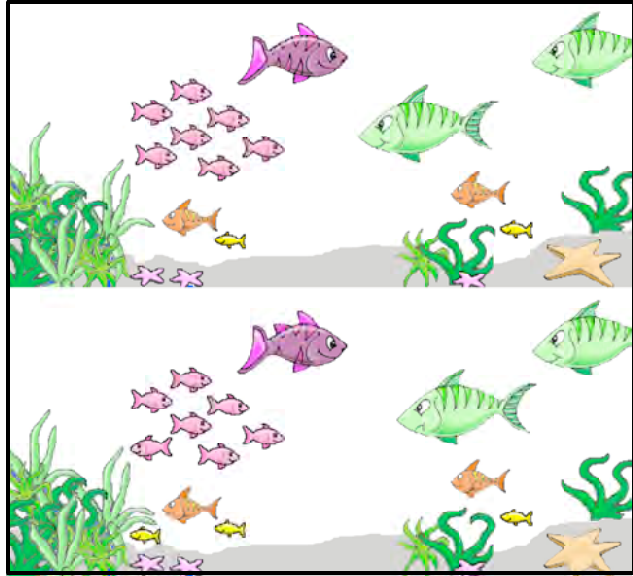


OUR OCEAN Activity Sheet

SPOT THE DIFFERENCE!

Find the 11 differences between pictures....



OCTOFinder

Find the words below.....

TIP: Some words appear in reverse (eg: esrever)

Z N K O T Y V S M L K E W R D
 W D O I R N J W W A C K E K G
 F O P T N C E C R A B U A L F
 D L A A K A A R S U P O T C O
 Q P U T U N N T R C A E U X G
 S H K P D A A C I U H Q D A K
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 R S E I W G Q E O T H M L P B
 H H R A S K P R S G Z A P M J
 H P E N A E C O S O J W R Q Z
 O S Z P N Z T G X Z Q G D F C

COD
 CRAB
 CRAYFISH
 CURRENT
 DOLPHIN
 EEL
 HAPUKU
 KELP
 KINA
 OCEAN



OCTOPUS
 ORCA
 PAUA
 PLANKTON
 SEAL
 SEAWEED
 SHARK
 TIDE
 WHARF

OctoPuzzle

Test your knowledge of Our Ocean!

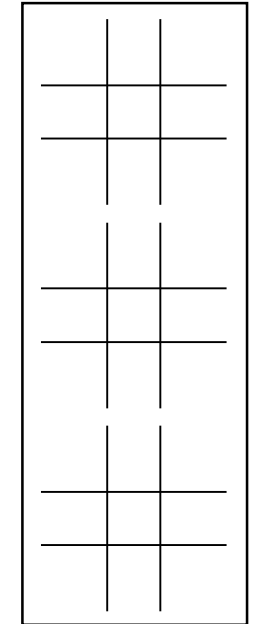
Across

- Invasive asian seaweed found on our coast.
- A marine species with eight legs.
- Stocky inquisitive greenish blue fish.
- Plant used in japanese food.
- Waste discharged into the environment.
- Seabird that flies underwater.
- NZ sea urchin.
- A long slender fish, slippery to touch.
- NZ's rarest dolphin.
- Whale with the longest gestation period.
- Lower mid fin on a shark.
- Shell coveted by artists.
- Spiny wanderer of the ocean floor.
- A large plant in the sea.
- What tentacled creature is the food of whales?
- Covers 70% of the earths surface.
- Water moving continuously in a certain direction.
- The proper place to put rubbish.
- What spider like creature is found under rocks and in crevices?
- Small rowboat.
- A flying fish with a long tail.
- Something you ride in across the water.
- Season.
- Shark like fish with a sharp spine on its back.
- What reef is the largest living structure on Earth and can be seen from space? (2)
- What do you catch a fish with?

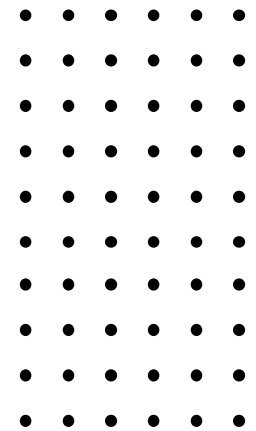
Down

- Something else you travel over the ocean on.
- What waste floats throughout the ocean and can take 1000's of year to break down?
- Slender silvery fish with a nasty set of teeth.
- Term used for species or ecosystem that is threatened with or on the verge of extinction.
- Largest known animal.
- Extremely fast fish.
- Source of pollution in urban run-off.
- A shy fish with no stomach or teeth, clings to seaweed with its tail.
- NZ freshwater crayfish.
- A marine mammal.
- A south coast beach, popular with Wellington surfies. (2)
- The rise and fall of the ocean.
- What frigate was scuttled as an artificial reef in the Cook Strait recently?
- Pelagic organisms that float through the water column.
- What harmless shark is found NZ wide?
- Has tentacles, can sting!
- Aotearoa's mythical guardian of the sea.
- A large fish with lots of sharp teeth.
- A naturally occurring group of plants and animals that live within a certain environment.
- What strait separates the north and south island?

O's & X's
 get three in a row...challenge your travelling buddie!



Join the dots below with a line, one at a time - be the one to connect the last two dots.



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Ocean's Maze

Start here

Help Octopus find his way to his friend the Crayfish!

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