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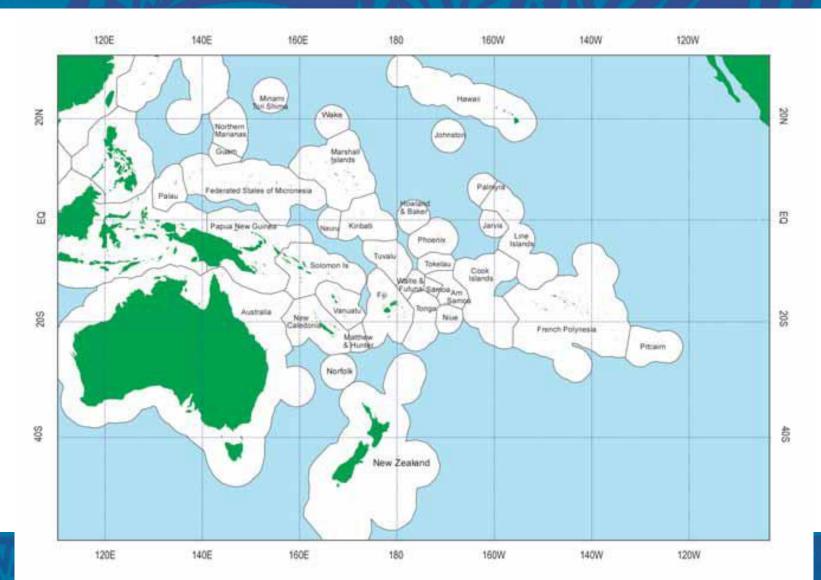
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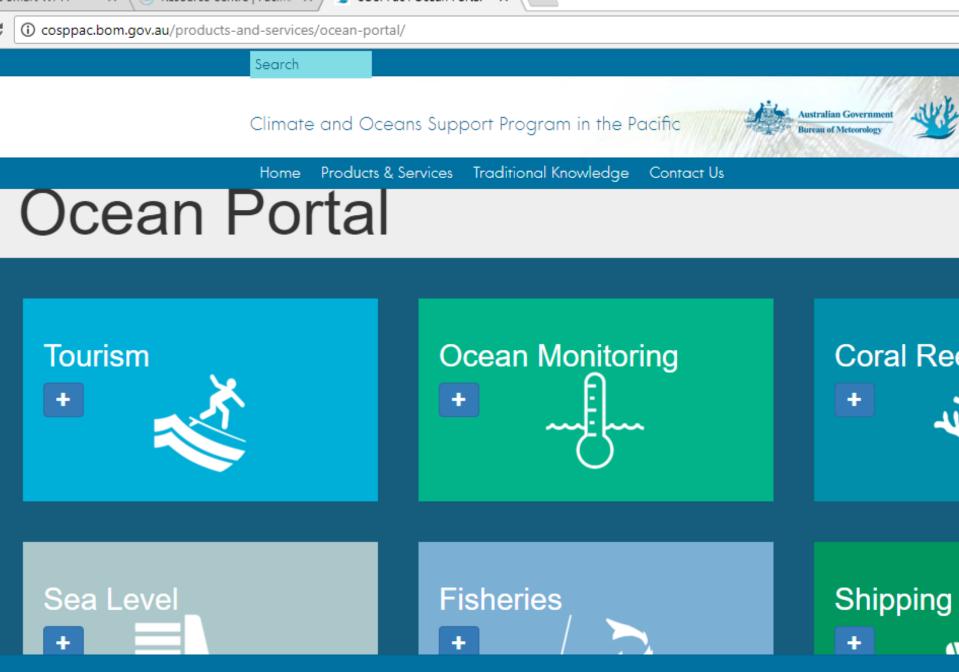






The Pacific Region

- Observations are undertaken at:
- Community level
- National level
- Regional level
 - Council of Regional Organisations in the Pacific (CROP) agencies - facilitate and progress human development of the Pacific islands.
 - CROP seeks to ensure that, through coordinated and cooperative action, the best results are achieved in the interests of the people of the region



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Regional Fisheries Surveillance Picture

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Pacific Challenges

- Identification
- Coordination
- Communication
- Access
- Focussing resources on priorities



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