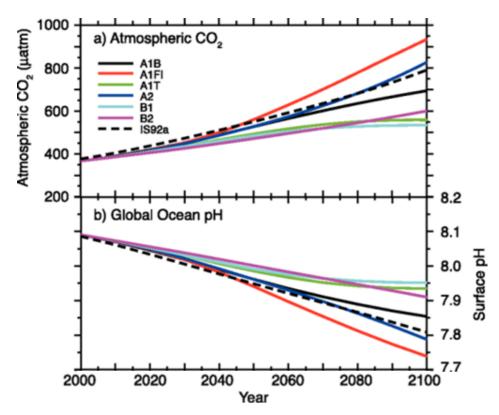
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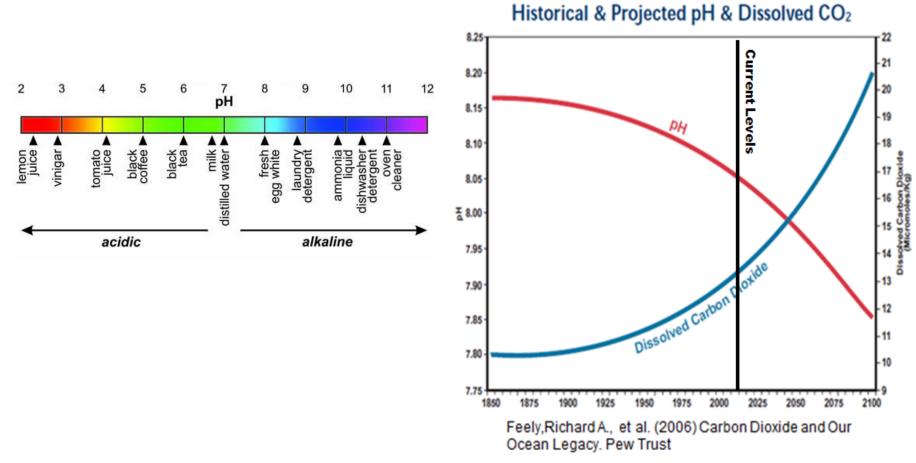
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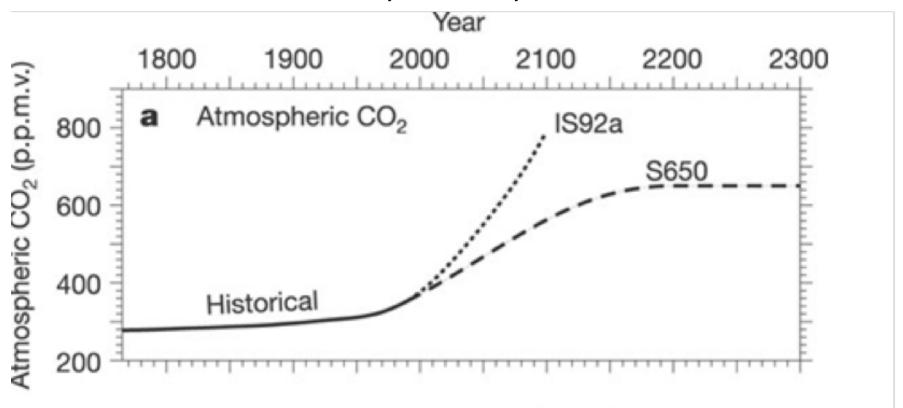
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Atmospheric CO₂ Over Time – The graph shows atmospheric carbon dioxide levels from the 1800s to predicted levels in 2300. Two different Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) models are used in this figure. IS92a uses carbon dioxide emissions that continue at today's rate. S650 uses carbon dioxide emissions that decrease and eventually become steady.



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