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**Main Idea** 5 ES 3.a  
Oceans cover most of Earth's surface.

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海洋覆蓋了地球表面的大部份面積。



Almost three-fourths of Earth's surface is covered by water. Most of the water on Earth is **salt water**. (pp. 180-181)

地球表面幾乎有四分之三都被水覆蓋。地球上大部份的水都是鹹水。(第 180-181 頁)



**Flowing water**, waves pounding on shores, and volcanos under the ocean add salt to the ocean. (pp. 182-183)

**流水**、拍打海岸的海浪以及海底的火山，都會增加海洋的鹽分。(第 182-183 頁)



Most of the **fresh water** on Earth is **frozen** in ice sheets. (p. 184)

地球上大部份的淡水都凍結在冰層中。(第 184 頁)