An average of 0.75 microplastics can be found within one gram of shrimp.

Average number of microplastics found in each fish consumed is between 1 and 7.

Single-use plastic bags look remarkably (and unfortunately) similar to jellyfish; a food source for sea turtles. The University of Queensland discovered that 50% of sea turtles have plastic in their stomachs.

Microplastics may contain an average of 4% additives, or toxins, such as phthalates, bisphenol A, polybrominated diphenyl ethers, polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs), and polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs) that can dissolve into an organism’s body.

Plastic trash is currently found in 90% of seabirds. The rate is growing steadily as global production of plastics increases. Plastic found inside birds includes bags, bottle caps, synthetic fibers, nurdles, microplastics, etc.

Feb. 27, 2018 - A young Sperm Whale that was found dead off the coast of Spain had **64 pounds** (29 kilograms) of plastic waste and debris in its digestive system.