

	Audio	Images/Video
1	We live in a plastic world. Seriously. Since World War II, enough plastic has been produced to totally wrap the Earth. Which is a planet . Which is a lot of plastic.	Image of Earth, then show another image of Earth covered with plastic bag.
2	The plastic problem is caused mainly by “single use plastic.” These are single containers that we use for something then throw away.	Video of drinking something and throwing it in trash
3	Throwing away is the problem. See this bottle of ketchup. Drop it on the floor. No big deal. The bottle flops around a bit. We thank the Great Plastic God for P . . . E . . . T . . . Polypropylene—a petroleum product that makes plastic almost indestructible.	Video of ketchup bottle being dropped and landing on floor. Then letters PET come on top of it
4	Unfortunately, P . . . E . . . T . . . could also end up killing the human race. Not as quickly as a hydrogen bomb from North Korea, but, hey, dead is dead.	Video clip of hydrogen bomb exploding. Letters PET on top
5	Here’s why. Plastic is not organic. It doesn’t decompose in our lifetime. That plastic bottle of ketchup takes 450 years to decompose.	Bottle of ketchup with 450 years appearing on top
6	The plastic grocery bag it came in---1000 years to decompose.	Plastic grocery bag with 1000 years on top
7	Why? Because all the plastic ever made is still here—and will be for centuries. The plastic in our lives has become like the air we breathe. It’s so everywhere we don’t notice it.	Image of beautiful Earth blue sky, clear air
8	Thirsty? Open the fridge. Ta-Da! Plastic bottles of water. What’s the big deal about a bottle of water?	Video—fridge door opens to rows of Fiji water bottles
9	Well, to start, Americans drink 29 billion bottles of it per year.	Video freezes. Number 29,000,000,000 appears
10	29 billion bottles a year. Each bottle takes 450 years to decompose.	Fiji bottle in trash. 450 years on top

11	Let's add another layer of plastic around the Earth.	Image of Earth gets another layer of plastic
13	Who's to blame? Everyone. Here's my plastic morning. I wake up. Turn off the phone alarm and sound conditioner. Both 90% plastic.	Video w/ sound—alarm is sounding, hand turn it and sound conditioner off. 90% appears.
14	In the kitchen I grab breakfast. First I pour juice from a plastic jug.	Hand pours from container of Juicy Juice
15	Hmmm, those fruit chews in a plastic zip lock bag look good. Each wrapped in plastic. A plastic bag that takes 1000 years to decompose for 10 little gummy bears.	Video of hand going into bag of fruit chews and pulling two out and putting on tray. Video freeze frame. 1000 years appears on screen.
17	Got to have a protein bar—wrapped in plastic of course.	Hand goes into box and pulls out bar and puts it on tray.
18	My vegetable juice is in a plastic container with a plastic straw. I put it on my breakfast tray—made of plastic.	Hand unwraps straw.
19	Can't forget the vitamins. Hmmm. Calcium--in a plastic bottle. Zinc—in a plastic bottle. Iron—in a plastic bottle. Vitamin C—in a plastic bottle. The stuff that's supposed to make me healthy is killing the environment.	Video of hand pulling up each vitamin bottle as it is mentioned.
20	This is making my stomach upset. I need a Tums . . . AWWWWW! PLASTIC!!!!	Video-camera on Tums bottle, hands reaches in, stops suddenly and quickly disappears.
21	To calm down, I'll eat a little breakfast, catch a little YouTube on my iPad—made mainly of plastic.	Video and audio—iPad propped up, hand turns it on. Goes to YouTube.
22	After breakfast, I squeeze some toothpaste from a plastic tube onto the plastic bristles of a plastic toothbrush.	Video of squeezing toothpaste on toothbrush.
23	I comb my hair enough to please my mom—with a plastic hair brush.	Video of top of head being brushed.
24	I trim my goatee with an electric razor encased in plastic	Video/sound close up of goatee being trimmed

26	Now I'm starting to feel paranoid. Everywhere there's plastic.	Markiplier scream. Ken Burns effect.
27	The casing for my computer—plastic!	Top view of Asics
28	DVD player. My new eight terabyte external back-up drive!	Side view
29	My new Nintendo Switch! Plastic!	OTS. Hands drop Switch as if on fire.
30	All those hangers in the closet. Indestructible plastic!	Pan plastic hangers in laundry room.
31	Isn't there something we can do?	Black screen. Silence.
32	Yes, it's called recycling. And we do it in our family. Everyday, we take our single-use plastic containers and put them in bins in the garage. I do it.	"Recycling" appears on screen. Video--Davey coming out back door and putting arm full of plastic bottles in bin.
33	My mom does it.	Same as above.
34	Even my pops does it.	Arm sticks out back door and tosses bottle into bin.
35	We fill up one of these bins (plastic, of course) about every three days.	Stop motion animation of bin filling up.
36	When a bin gets full, we put it in the back of the car	Video—Davey slide bin into van.
37	We drive 3 miles to the recycling station.	Video--Davey driving green van, shot from inside car. Jump cut to van pulling into recycling center.
38	Then we dump the plastic into big recycling containers.	Video—Davey pulling bin from back, cut to opening recycle bin and dumping in plastic.
39	But there's a problem with recycling thing in America. It's voluntary. Only 27% of bottles are recycled and 13% of plastic packaging. The rest goes into landfills and, unfortunately, the ocean.	Image of massive amounts of plastic in landfills and on ocean shore. Numbers appear: Bottles—37% All other—27%

40	More than 8 million tons of plastic are dumped in oceans every year.	Image of plastic polluted beach
41	Plastics kill 1,000,000 sea creatures every year.	Images of sea creatures sick and dead because of plastic
42	By 2050, there will be more plastic than fish in the ocean.	Photoshopped image
43	What must be done?	Black screen with words: What must be done?
44	The Pacific nation of Vanuatu has banned the use of all plastic bags and bottles. They are tired of their beaches looking like this	Image of Vanuatu polluted beach with plastics
45	Costa Rica plans to become the world's first country to completely eliminate single-use plastics by 2021.	Video of beautiful pristine waves lapping a beach in Costa Rica
46	And the best news of all—there's a new biodegradable plastic being made!	PSA video
47	What do these successful efforts have in common?	On screen: What do these successful efforts have in common?
48	Awareness ... and ... Commitment. Get some.	Close up of wide eyes. Then pan down arm to raised thumb above Atlantic recycling logo.
49		Fade to black.