



SUSTAINABILITY WATER

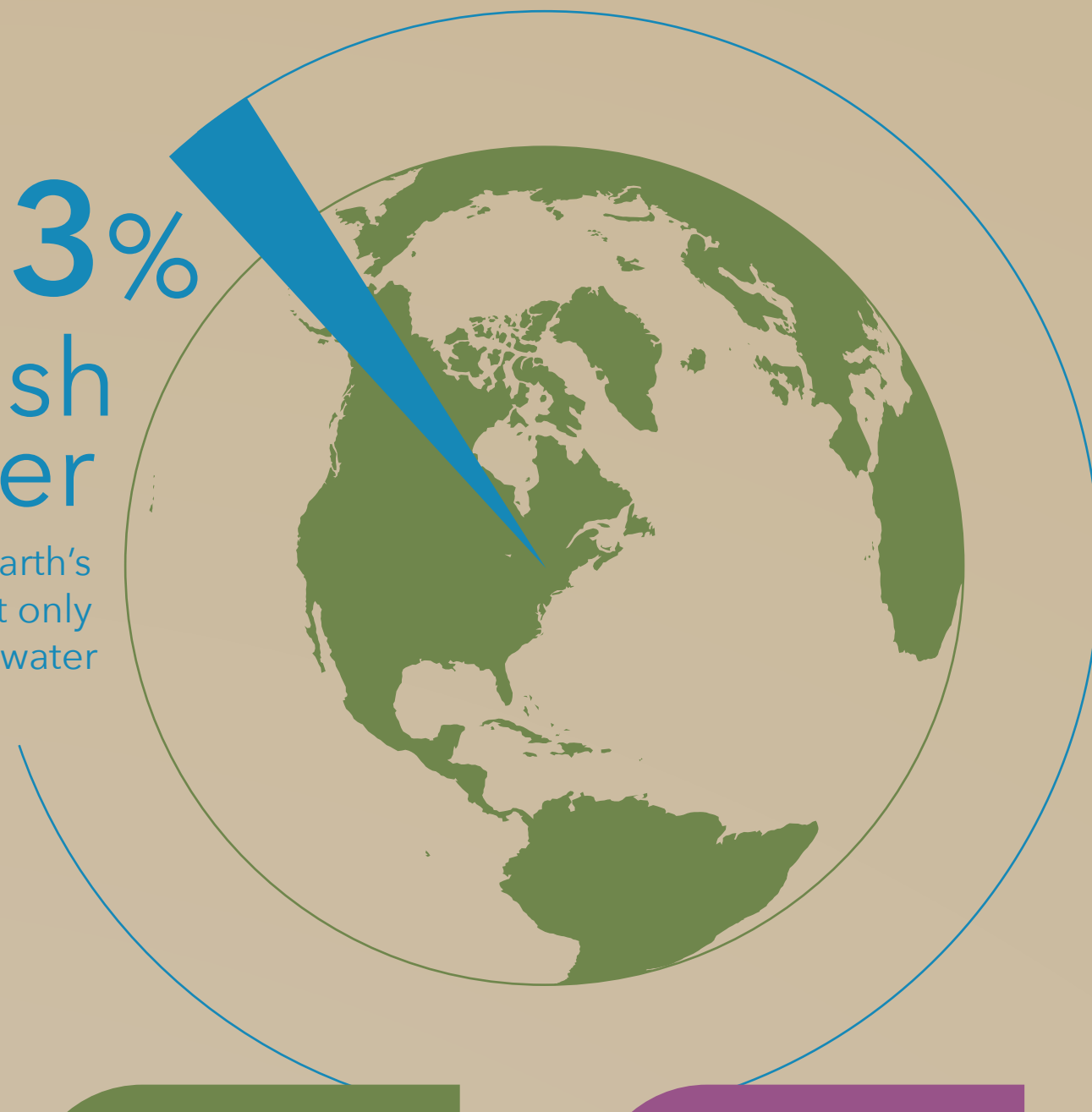
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Legend

UC Santa Barbara Hydration Stations

Interactive Campus Map
<http://map.geog.ucsb.edu>



1%
of all water on Earth is considered suitable for human consumption

40%
of rivers, lakes, and estuaries are too polluted for fishing or swimming

16x
more storm-water runoff is produced by a parking lot than an equivalent meadow

Action today for tomorrow

Everyone lives in a watershed.
A watershed is any lake, river, stream, wetland, etc. Stormwater runoff is the #1 pollutant of watersheds.

HOW TO HELP YOUR WATERSHED

- Compost your food waste
- Plant native species
- Use a carwash, not a driveway
- Sweep, don't hose down

43%
dining commons, residence halls, and campus-owned student apartments account for 43% of potable water use on campus.

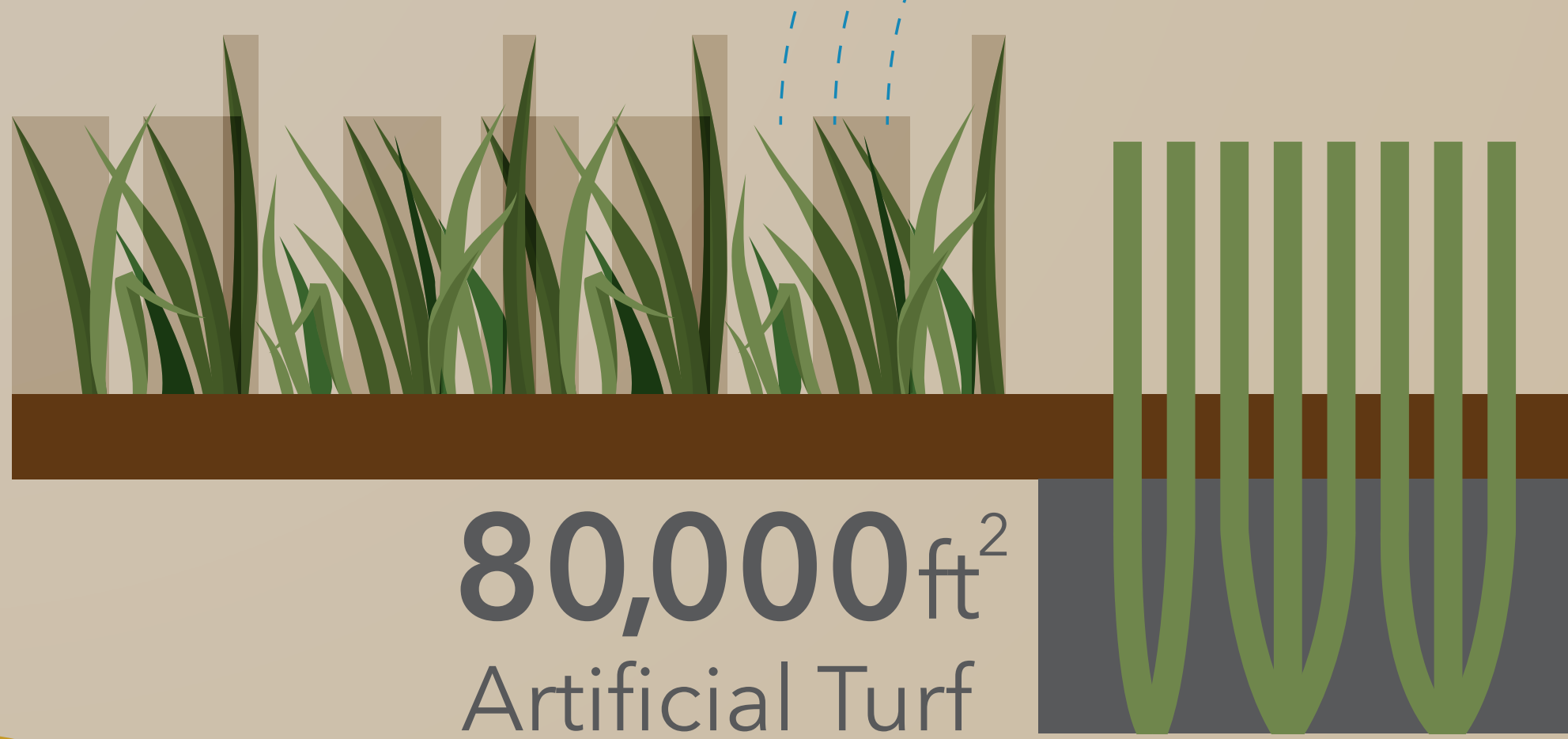
26%
dining commons have seen a 26% reduction in water usage since "tray-less dining" was implemented in 2009.

35%
35% of all urinals on campus are waterless. Each waterless urinal saves about 40,000 gallons of water each year.

20%
20% of toilets in on-campus academic buildings have dual-flush valves. These toilets use half the water per flush.

90%
Recycled Water

UCSB irrigates more than 90% of the main campus with recycled water. Using recycled water conserves more fresh water for our local ecosystems.



REDUCTION

25%

UCSB has achieved a 25% potable water reduction over the last 10 years

GOAL
ACHIEVE ANOTHER **25% REDUCTION** BY THE YEAR **2028**

