

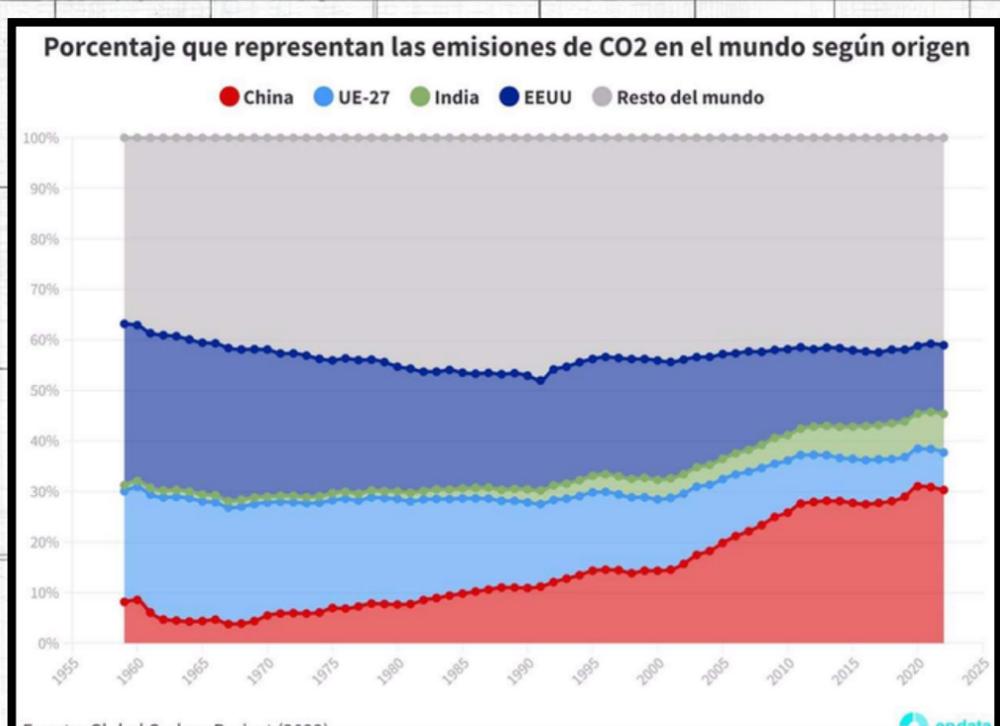
# CAN THE ECONOMY GROW FOREVER?

## WHAT IS ECONOMIC GROWTH?

Economic growth is the increase in income or value of final goods and services produced by an economy in a given period.

## HOW CAN WE MEASURE THAT?

It is measured by indicators such as GDP (is the value of the production of goods and services of a society) or the unemployment rate



This graph shows global CO2 emissions of all the countries. With by far the largest consumption coming from the United States of America.



We have put up a graph showing plastic consumption over the years. The plastic consumption has been escalating over the years due to overproduction.

### WHAT DO THE ECONOMIST THINKS?

Some economists think that new ideas will fix the problems of resource scarcity, etc

Others think that the solution to the problems is to redesign economies and reduce consumption.