

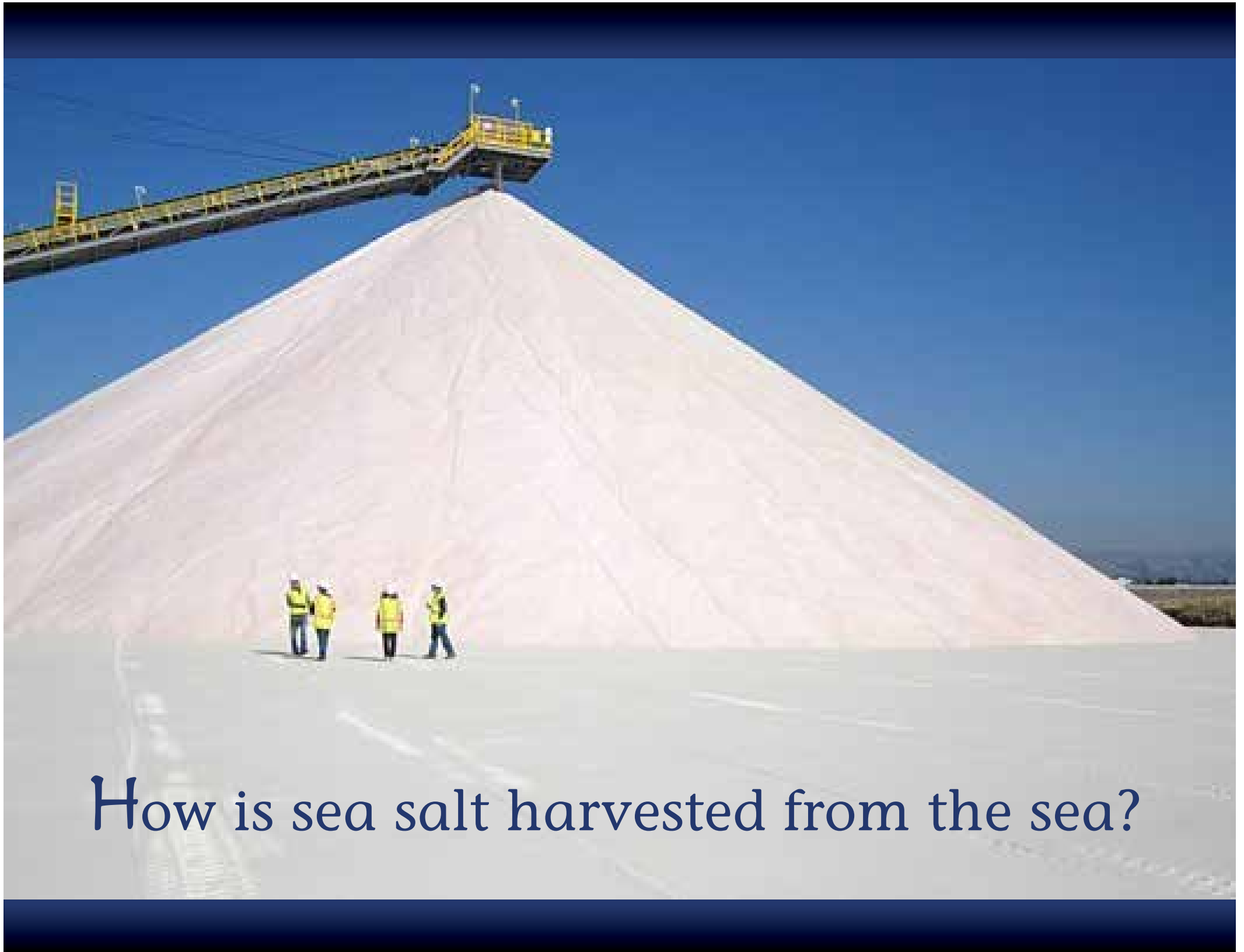
The story of

SALT

from the

SEA





How is sea salt harvested from the sea?



Salt water flows into the
salt marshes from the ocean.

Harvesters create shallow
basins or salt ponds in the marsh.

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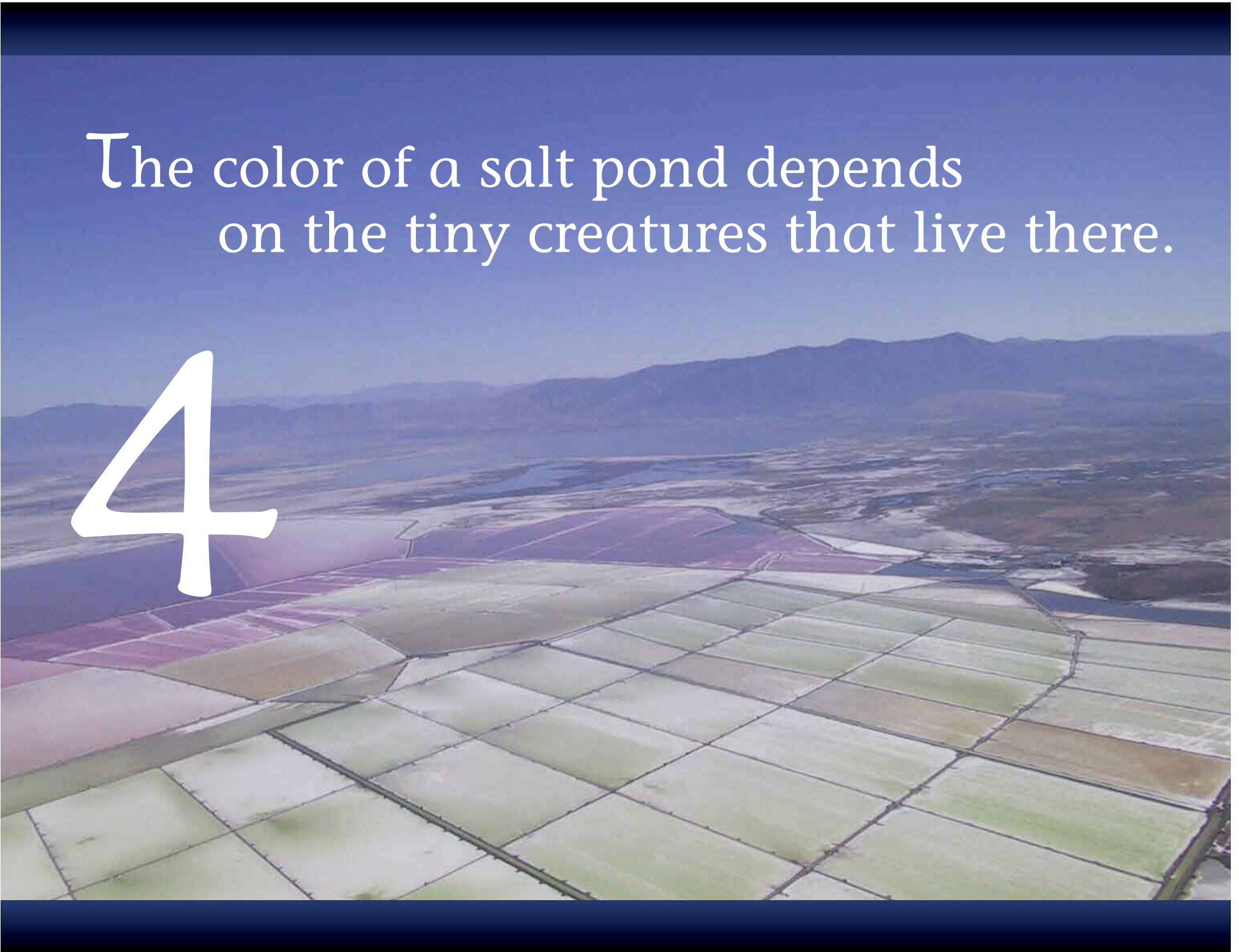
Then the combined forces of the sun and wind begin to evaporate the water.

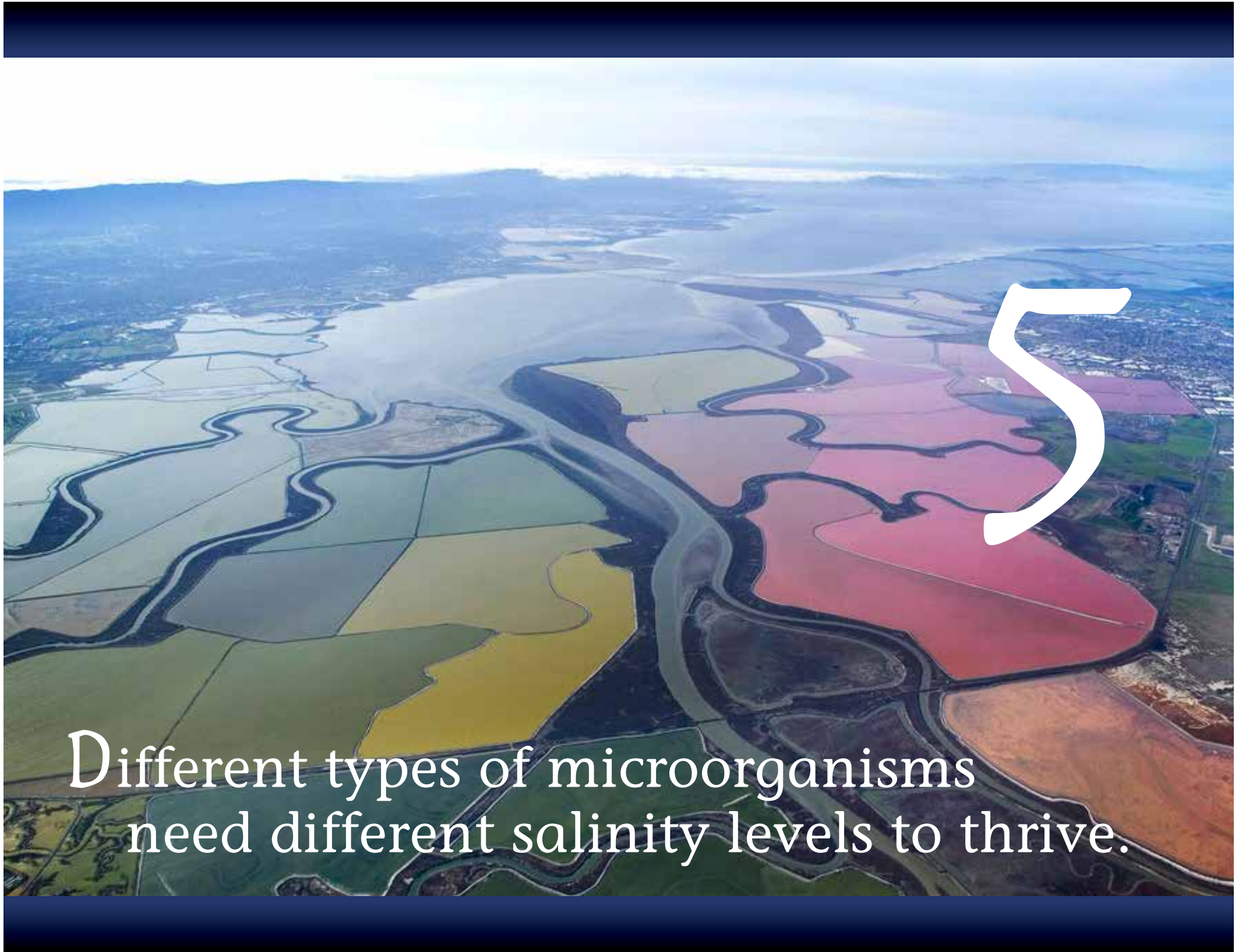
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The color of a salt pond depends
on the tiny creatures that live there.

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Different types of microorganisms need different salinity levels to thrive.

An aerial photograph of a wetland or marsh area. The landscape is divided into several distinct, vibrant color zones. A large, irregularly shaped area in the center is a bright green. To its left and bottom are large areas of deep red. At the bottom center, there is a smaller area of bright yellow. The surrounding water bodies and channels are a deep blue. The overall scene is a striking, colorful mosaic of natural wetland features.

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With the right conditions, these tiny creatures can create vivid colors.

Eventually a salt bed forms on the bottom of the evaporated pond.

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Then the salt is harvested and washed.

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The typical “crop” of sea salt takes from one to five years to produce.



THAT'S THE STORY!

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