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The Robotic Ocean

'CLUNK' I heard a noisy sound from inside the factory. Something sinister was going on. I didn't know exactly what but I knew it had something to do with Dusk: an evil villain on the loose. I crept silently over to the door of the factory and sneaked inside. A shocking sight met my eyes. With a sense of horror, I realised that Dusk had captured all the sea creatures that live in the Pacific Ocean.

'She had gone much too far this time' I thought to myself. It was only then that I noticed that some of the poor creatures had gaping wounds on their backs, but what was more troubling was that they had flashing red eyes. The rest of the creatures did not. Before I knew it, I heard a door open. Dusk was in the room. I was forced to hide behind a crate that smelt of rotten fish. I peeked out from behind the crate. Dusk was pressing a glowing red button. She strolled out of the room and then I heard a sound.

At first I couldn't work out what it was.

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It was a mechanical noise, maybe of cogs in a wheel or trapdoors opening. Then there was a splash as the creatures were dropped into the pool underneath them. I made a dash for the door. Once I was out I took a humungous breath and I dived down into the salty sea. I knew the creatures would have ended up in the sea. I saw the creatures pulling up sea plants but there was something not right, they looked strangely like robots, they were robots! Dusk had turned all the sea creatures into robots by inserting circuitboards into them. Then I realised that Dusk was making them destroy all the sea plants with a computer! Suddenly I had the best idea ever! I will remove the creatures circuitboards, I will destroy Dusk's computer and I will plant new coral. Then everything would be back to normal.

I swam frantically up to the surface, gasping for air then dived back into the sea and swam as fast as I could to the creatures, I yanked out each of their

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circuit boards. When that was all done, I swam to the surface and ran to the factory. Creeping in through the door, I spotted a computer in the corner. Tiptoeing over to it, I stayed behind all the boxes so Disk wouldn't see me and capture me. When I got to the computer, I took a running jump at it so it crashed to smithereens. I sneaked out of the door and before I lept into the sea, I turned back and saw Disk standing over her broken computer, bewildered. I lept into the sea. To my despair, I could see an empty, lifeless sea floor. All the sea plants were gone. I found new coral under the sand on the rough sea floor. I planted more of the new coral while watching the creatures swim away. Everything was normal once again.
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