

## International Whaling Commission: Progress Report

Year Submitted: 2013

### Sightings

Country	Data Year	Species	Large Area	Survey Type	Contacts	References	Comments	No. of Sightings	Local Area	Local Taxonomy
AUSTRALIA	2012	killer whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Clayton McCloud		Behaviour: Breaching. Time: 17:35. Platform: Commercial fishing vessel.	2	South-east Victoria	
AUSTRALIA	2012	killer whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Clayton McCloud		Behaviour: Feeding. Time: 08:00 and 10:00. Platform: Commercial fishing vessel.	3	Eastern Tasmania	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Indian Ocean - Timor Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Clayton McCloud		Behaviour: Breaching. Time: 14:35. Platform: Commercial fishing vessel	2	Darwin	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Clayton McCloud		Behaviour: Swimming/Breaching. Time: 15:18, 10:02, 15:50, 12:37. Platform: Commercial fishing vessel.	13	Gold Coast/Sunshine Coast	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Clayton McCloud		Behaviour: Swimming. Time: 09:31, 12:23. Platform: Commercial fishing vessel	2	East of Wollongong/NE Tasmania	
AUSTRALIA	2012	long-finned pilot whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Clayton McCloud		Behaviour: Swimming. Time: 07:00. Platform: Commercial fishing vessel.	3	East of Fraser Island	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Antarctic minke whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Rachael Alderman		Exact number of sightings not indicated. A sighting event is an aggregate of sightings from multiple observers that relate to the same discrete individuals. Platform: Vessel	1	Tasmanian coastal waters	
AUSTRALIA	2012	sei whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Rachael Alderman		Exact number of sightings not indicated. A sighting event is an aggregate of sightings from multiple observers that relate to the same discrete individuals. Platform: Vessel.	1	Tasmanian coastal waters	
AUSTRALIA	2012	blue whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Rachael Alderman		Exact number of sightings not indicated. A sighting event is an aggregate of sightings from multiple observers that relate to the same discrete individuals. Platform: Light plane.	1	Tasmanian coastal waters	
AUSTRALIA	2012	pygmy right whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Rachael Alderman		Exact number of sightings not indicated. A sighting event is an aggregate of sightings from multiple observers that relate to the same discrete individuals. Platform: Vessel.	1	Tasmanian coastal waters	
AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Rachael Alderman		Exact number of sightings not indicated. A sighting event is an aggregate of sightings from multiple observers that relate to the same discrete individuals. Platform: Shore.	1	Tasmanian coastal waters	
AUSTRALIA	2012	southern right whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Rachael Alderman		Exact number of sightings not indicated. A sighting event is an aggregate of sightings from multiple observers that relate to the same discrete individuals. Platform: light plane/shore/vessel	1	Tasmanian coastal waters	
AUSTRALIA	2012	long-finned pilot whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Rachael Alderman		Exact number of sightings not indicated. A sighting event is an aggregate of sightings from multiple observers that relate to the same discrete individuals. Platform: Shore	1	Tasmanian coastal waters	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Rachael Alderman		Exact number of sightings not indicated. A sighting event is an	1	Tasmanian coastal waters	

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AUSTRALIA	2012	killer whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Rachael Alderman		Exact number of sightings not indicated. A sighting event is an aggregate of sightings from multiple observers that relate to the same discrete individuals. Platform: Shore/Vessel.	1	Tasmanian coastal waters	
AUSTRALIA	2012	sperm whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Rachael Alderman		Exact number of sightings not indicated. A sighting event is an aggregate of sightings from multiple observers that relate to the same discrete individuals. Platform: Vessel	1	Tasmanian coastal waters	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common bottlenose dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Rachael Alderman		Exact number of sightings not indicated. A sighting event is an aggregate of sightings from multiple observers that relate to the same discrete individuals. Platform: Shore/Vessel	1	Tasmanian coastal waters	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Unidentified large baleen whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Rachael Alderman		Exact number of sightings not indicated. A sighting event is an aggregate of sightings from multiple observers that relate to the same discrete individuals. Platform: Shore	1	Tasmanian coastal waters	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Unidentified small whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Rachael Alderman		Unidentified beaked whale. Exact number of sightings not indicated. A sighting event is an aggregate of sightings from multiple observers that relate to the same discrete individuals. Platform: Vessel.	1	Tasmania coastal waters	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Unidentified small cetacean	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Rachael Alderman		Exact number of sightings not indicated. A sighting event is an aggregate of sightings from multiple observers that relate to the same discrete individuals. Platform: Shore.	1	Tasmania coastal waters	
AUSTRALIA	2012	southern right whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Mandy Watson, DSE		Platform: Aircraft & land-based. Data recorded: count, date, time, location, behaviour, photo-id where possible. May include repeat sightings of same individuals.	148	Victoria	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Mandy Watson, DSE		Platform: land-based. Data recorded: count, date, time, location, behaviour.	12	Victoria	
AUSTRALIA	2012	killer whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Mandy Watson, DSE		Platform: Land-based. Data recorded: count, date, time, location, behaviour.	4	Victoria	
AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Mandy Watson, DSE		Platform: Land-based. Data recorded: count, date, time, location, behaviour.	1	Victoria	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common bottlenose dolphin	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Mandy Watson, DSE		Platform: Land-based. Data recorded: count, date, time, location, behaviour.	2	Victoria	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common bottlenose dolphin	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Systematic Survey	Dolphin Research Institute (DRI)		Systematic surveys: Dates: 1 on 5/4/12; 2 on 29/4/12; 1 on 27/7/12; 1 on 1/10/12; 1 on 9/10/12. Surveys were conducted sporadically during 2012. Dorsal fin id-photos were collected along with behavioural records. Gross health was also assessed. A total of 13 surveys were conducted. Two opportunistic sightings from Port Phillip & Western Port. Ongoing opportunistic surveys in Port Phillip and Gippsland Lakes.	8	Port Phillip/Victoria/Western Port	
AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Systematic Survey	Curtin University Dolphin Research Institute (DRI)		Dates: 3 on 5/4/12; 2 on 27/7/12; 1 on 13/8/12; 2 on 1/9/12; 3 on 11/9/12; 3 on 19/10/12; 2 on 29/10/12. Surveys were conducted	16	Port Phillip	

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AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Systematic Survey	Joshua Smith		Dates: 14/07/12; 3/08/12 to 10/08/12.	390	Great Barrier Reef	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Systematic Survey	Greg Kaufman		Minimum of three sightings, but unknown at this stage. Systematic surveys in Port Douglas, Cairns and Whitsunday Islands between August - September 2012. Opportunistic sightings from Whale-watching vessels in Hervey Bay from 02/08/12 to 20/10/12, including photo-id development.	3	Port Douglas/Cairns/Whitsunday Islands/Hervey Bay/Group E1	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Systematic Survey	Dave Paton		Unknown number of sightings at this stage. Dates: July 2011 to February 2012.	1	Offshore Whitsunday Islands and Mackay	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common minke whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Systematic Survey	Alastair Birtles		Dwarf minke. Ongoing visual surveys of whales including photo-id, behaviour, population demographics (size, sex ratio, measurements). Number of sightings not known at this stage.	1	Ribbon Reef Area, Northern GBR	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Unidentified small cetacean	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Chris Briggs Mark Read		Incidental sightings of various species from tourist vessels. Eye on the Reef Database, GBRMPA. Sightings and photo-id.	1	GBRMP	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common minke whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Chris Briggs Mark Read		Total number of sightings not known. Incidental sightings from tourist vessels. Eye on the Reef Database, GBRMPA. Sightings and photo-id.	1	GBRMP	
AUSTRALIA	2012	blue whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Tracey Rogers		Number of sightings not indicated. Date: Jan-Dec 2012. Acoustic analysis of vocalisations. Data: calls, distribution, detection frequency.	1		
AUSTRALIA	2012	blue whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Tracey Rogers		Number of sightings not indicated. Date: Jan-Dec 2012. Acoustic analysis of vocalisations. Data: calls, distribution, detection frequency.	1		
AUSTRALIA	2012	blue whale	Indian Ocean	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Tracey Rogers		Number of sightings not indicated. Date: Jan-Dec 2012. Acoustic analysis of vocalisations. Data: calls, distribution, detection frequency.	1		
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Tracey Rogers		Number of sightings not indicated. Date: Jan-Feb 2012. Pyro-sequencing of the V1-V3 regions of the 16S rRNA gene. Data: microbial community structure	1		
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific humpback dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Systematic Survey	Daniele Cagnazzi		Dates: May-October 2012.	91		
AUSTRALIA	2012	Australian snubfin dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Systematic Survey	Daniele Cagnazzi		Dates: May-October 2012.	62		
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Jan-Olaf Meynecke		Number of sightings not specified. Data: Photo-id, sightings. Platform: Whale-watching vessel.	1	Gold Coast	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Delphine Chabanne		Dates: 11/01/2012 to 21/12/2012. Systematic route survey & photo-id conducted at Swan Canning Riverpark between June 2011-July 2012.	163	Perth/Swan Canning Riverpark	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Australian snubfin dolphin	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Deborah Thiele		7 sighted on 11/02/2012; 9 sighted on 13/02/2012.	16	Roebuck Bay	

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AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Deborah Thiele		Date: 12/02/2012	3	Roebuck Bay	
AUSTRALIA	2012	southern right whale	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	Systematic Survey	John Bannister		Dates: 24/08/2012 to 29/08/2012. Sightings include 220 cow/calf pairs. Platform: Aerial survey.	715	Between Leeuwin (WA) and Ceduna (SA)	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Pygmy blue whale	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	M. Jenner		Dates: 09/03/2012 to 02/04/2012.	4	Perth Canyon	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	M. Jenner		1 sighted in Fremantle to Exmouth on 23 to 26/04/2012; 147 sighted in Perth Basin from 22/05/2012 to 09/08/2012; 691 sighted in Fremantle to Darwin (100m contour) from 13 to 23/08/2012; 576 sighted in Exmouth Gulf between 08 to 27/09/2012; 138 sighted from Scott Reef to Fremantle (500m contour) between 30/09/2012 to 12/10/2012; 23 sighted in Perth Basin on 26/10/2012.	1576	Fremantle/Exmouth/Perth Basin	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Indian Ocean - Timor Sea	Systematic Survey	M. Jenner		10 sighted in Darwin to Scott Reef from 25/08/2012 to 1/09/2012. 1 sighted in Darwin to Timor Sea from 11 to 19/09/2012.	11	Darwin	
AUSTRALIA	2012	sperm whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Systematic Survey	M. Jenner		Dates: 27/08/2012 to 01/09/2012	4	Scott Reef	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common bottlenose dolphin	Indian Ocean - Timor Sea	Systematic Survey	M. Jenner		Dates: 25/08/2012 to 01/09/2012.	8	Darwin to Scott Reef	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common bottlenose dolphin	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	M. Jenner		6 sighted at Perth Canyon on 09/03/2012 to 02/04/2012; 15 sighted at Fremantle to Exmouth on 23 to 26/04/2012; 58 sighted at Exmouth to Barrow Island on 28/04/2012 to 06/05/2012; 9 sighted at Exmouth to Geraldton on 06/05/2012 to 08/05/2012; 41 sighted at Perth Basin on 22/05/2012 to 09/08/2012; 32 sighted at Fremantle to Darwin (100m contour) on 13/08/2012 to 23/08/2012; 268 sighted on Scott Reef to Fremantle (500m contour) on 30/09/2012 to 12/10/2012; 5 sighted at Perth Basin on 21/10/2012; 4 sighted at Perth Basin on 06/12/2012.	438	Perth Canyon/Fremantle/Exmouth/Barrow Island/Geraldton	
AUSTRALIA	2012	false killer whale	Indian Ocean - Timor Sea	Systematic Survey	M. Jenner		Dates: 25/09/2012 to 29/09/2012.	20	Darwin to Scott Reef	
AUSTRALIA	2012	false killer whale	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	M. Jenner		1 sighted at Fremantle to Exmouth on 23 to 26/04/2012. 50 sighted at Fremantle to Darwin (100m contour) on 13-23/08/2012.	51	Fremantle/Exmouth	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common minke whale	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	M. Jenner		1 sighted at Perth Canyon on 02/04/2012. 3 sighted at Fremantle to Darwin (100m contour) on 13-23/08/2012.	4	Fremantle/Perth Canyon	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Bryde's whale	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	M. Jenner		Dates: 13-23/08/2012.	5		
AUSTRALIA	2012	Bryde's whale	Indian Ocean - Timor Sea	Systematic Survey	M. Jenner		Dates: 25-29/09/2012.	7	Darwin to Scott Reef	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific humpback dolphin	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	M. Jenner		Dates: 28/04/2012 to 06/05/2012	15	Exmouth to Barrow Island	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific humpback dolphin	Indian Ocean - Timor Sea	Systematic Survey	M. Jenner		Dates: 25-27/08/2012	3	Darwin to Scott Reef	
AUSTRALIA	2012	spinner dolphin	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	M. Jenner		Dates: 13-23/08/2012	40	Fremantle to Darwin	
AUSTRALIA	2012	spinner dolphin	Indian Ocean - Timor Sea	Systematic Survey	M. Jenner		22 sighted at Scott Reef on 27/08/2012 to 01/09/2012; 80 sighted at Darwin to Scott Reef on 25/08/2012 to 27/08/2012; 122 sighted at Darwin to Timor Sea on 11/09/2012 to 19/09/2012; 133 sighted at Darwin to Scott Reef on 25/09/2012 to 29/09/2012. 270 sighted at Scott Reef to Fremantle on 25/09/2012 to 29/09/2012.	627	Darwin to Scott Reef	

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AUSTRALIA	2012	Australian snubfin dolphin	Indian Ocean - Timor Sea	Systematic Survey	M. Jenner		Dates: 25-29/09/2012.	6	Darwin to Scott Reef	
AUSTRALIA	2012	dwarf sperm whale	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	M. Jenner		500m contour	2	Fremantle to Scott Reef	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Fraser's dolphin	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	M. Jenner		500m contour. Dates: 30/09/2012 to 12/10/2012	50	Fremantle to Scott Reef	
AUSTRALIA	2012	striped dolphin	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	M. Jenner		30 sighted in Fremantle to Scott Reef (500m contour) on 30/09/2012 to 12/10/2012; 20 sighted at Perth Basin on 27/10/2012.	50	Fremantle to Scott Reef/Perth Basin	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common minke whale	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Chris Burton		Dates: 1/9/2012 to 12/12/2012	2	Geographe Bay	
AUSTRALIA	2012	southern right whale	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Chris Burton		Dates: 1/9/2012 to 12/12/2012	30	Geographe Bay	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Chris Burton		2000 sightings at Geographe Bay on 1/9/12 to 12/12/12 from land survey. 240 sightings at Geographe Bay on 13/09/12 to 10/12/12 from vessel survey.	2240	Geographe Bay	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Pygmy blue whale	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Chris Burton		100 sighted at Geographe Bay on 1/9/12 to 12/12/12 from land survey. 28 sighted at Geographe Bay on 13/09/12 to 10/12/12 from vessel survey.	128	Geographe Bay	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Indian Ocean	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	H. Finn James Braeside Lars Bejder		Number of sightings not indicated. Data: Photo-id, sightings, behaviour, survey effort. Platform: Mandurah Cruises dolphin watching vessels.	1	Peel-Harvey Estuary, Mandurah	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Amanda Hodgson		246 sighted at Exmouth Gulf in May, July, October, December 2012. 766 sighted at Onslow to Barry Island in May, July, October, December 2012. 352 sighted at Shark Bay in August/September 2012.	1364	Onslow/Barrow Island/Shark Bay/Exmouth Gulf	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific humpback dolphin	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Amanda Hodgson		35 sighted at Exmouth Gulf in May, July, October 2012. 76 sighted at Onslow to Barry Island in May, July, October, December 2012. 3 sighted at Shark Bay in August/September 2012.	114	Onslow/Barrow Island/Shark Bay/Exmouth Gulf	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Australian snubfin dolphin	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Amanda Hodgson		7 sighted at Exmouth Gulf in July, October 2012. 1 sighted at Onslow to Barrow Island in July 2012.	8	Onslow/Barrow Island/Exmouth Gulf	
AUSTRALIA	2012	spinner dolphin	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Amanda Hodgson		Date: July 2012.	41	Onslow/Barrow Island	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Amanda Hodgson		289 sighted at Exmouth Gulf in July, October 2012. 148 sighted at Onslow to Barrow Island in July, October 2012. 334 sighted at Shark Bay in August, September 2012.	771	Onslow/Barrow Island/Exmouth Gulf/Shark Bay	
AUSTRALIA	2012	false killer whale	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Amanda Hodgson		Date: October 2012.	55	Onslow/Barrow Island	
AUSTRALIA	2012	killer whale	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Amanda Hodgson		Date: December 2012.	2	Onslow/Barrow Island	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Bryde's whale	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Amanda Hodgson		Dates: August, September 2012.	1	Shark Bay	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Kate Sprogis		Dates: 01/2012 to 12/2012.	266	Bunbury, Busselton	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Simon Allen		2 sighted on 8/06/2012 at Cable Beach, NW Broome; Hundreds sighted on 1/07/2012 to 14/09/2012 at Western Shark Bay during 379 surveys.	381	Western Shark Bay, Cable Beach, NW Broome	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific humpback dolphin	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Simon Allen		Date: 21/10/2012.	1	Cone Bay, Kimberley region	

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AUSTRALIA	2012	spinner dolphin	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Simon Allen		Dates: 7-10/05/2012, 11/06/2012, 26/10/2012.	4	NW Broome, western Kimberley region	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Alex Brown		40 sighted in Cygnet Bay on 16/04/2012 to 12/05/2012; 46 sighted in Cygnet bay on 09/09/2012 to 10/10/2012; 69 sighted in Beagle Bay on 17/10/2012 to 20/11/2012.	155	Cygnet Bay, Kimberley Region	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific humpback dolphin	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Alex Brown		16 sighted in Cygnet Bay on 16/04/2012 to 12/05/2012; 40 sighted in Cygnet bay on 09/09/2012 to 10/10/2012; 7 sighted in Beagle Bay on 17/10/2012 to 20/11/2012; 7 sighted in Cambridge Gulf on 16/05/2012 to 16/06/2012.	70	Kimberley Region	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Australian snubfin dolphin	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Alex Brown		10 sighted in Cambridge Gulf on 16/05/2012 to 16/06/2012; 16 sighted in Cygnet bay on 16/04/2012 to 12/05/2012; 48 sighted in Cygnet Bay on 09/09/2012 to 10/10/2012.	74	Kimberley Region	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Janet Mann		Dates: 08/06/2012 to 29/10/2012.	1764	Shark Bay, Eastern Gulf	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Richard Connor		Date: 30/10/2012.	1375	Shark Bay - East side of Peron Peninsula	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Richard Connor		Date: 20/09/2012.	2	Shark Bay - East side of Peron Peninsula	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common minke whale	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Richard Connor		Date: 20/09/2012.	1	Shark Bay - East side of Peron Peninsula	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific humpback dolphin	Indian Ocean	Systematic Survey	Richard Connor		Date: 24/11/2012.	1	Shark Bay - East side of Peron Peninsula	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common bottlenose dolphin	Indian Ocean	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Phil Coulthard		Number of sightings not indicated. Platform: Dolphin watching and swimming tours.	0	Koombana Bay, Bunbury	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Indian Ocean	Platform of opportunity (systematic)	Phil Coulthard		764 sighted in Jan; 592 sighted in Feb; 510 sighted in Mar; 345 sighted in Ap; 149 sighted in Oct; 266 sighted in Nov; 936 sighted in Dec.	3562	Koombana Bay, Bunbury	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Systematic Survey	Geoff Ross		Dates: 24/05/12 to 31/06/12	1729	Cape Solander, Botany Bay National Park	
AUSTRALIA	2012	southern right whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Systematic Survey	Geoff Ross		Dates: 24/05/12 to 31/06/12	4	Cape Solander, Botany Bay National Park	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common minke whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Systematic Survey	Geoff Ross		Dates: 24/05/12 to 31/06/12	17	Cape Solander, Botany Bay National Park	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Systematic Survey	Kylie Owen		59 encounters, 140 individuals. Dates: 09/09/12 to 21/10/12.	140	Eden	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - South	Systematic Survey	Adrian Oosterman M. Whicker		Dates: 03/10/12 to 26/10/12. Platform: Land based survey (97 hours). Data: Hours/Weather/Bearing to pods/Direction of travel/Pod composition/Pod activity.	30	Norfolk Island	
AUSTRALIA	2012	southern right whale	Southern Ocean	Systematic Survey	Claire Charlton D. J. Needham Saras Kumar		Dates: 18/08/12 to 25/08/12 - Max no. female calf pairs observed on one day = 58, Max no. without calf observed on one day = 17 (Contact - Saras Kumar). Dates: 18/08/12 to 25/08/12 - 62 observed (Contact - D. J. Needham). Dates: 14/08/12 to 30/08/12 - Peak total no. individuals = 132, Peak total no. calves = 55, Peak total no. adults = 19).	269		
AUSTRALIA	2012	Pygmy blue whale	Southern Ocean - Great Australian	Systematic Survey	Pete Gill	Blue whale abundance in the	2 sighted on 13/01/12; 1 sighted	153	Bonney Upwelling	

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			Bight			Bonney Upwelling.	on 14/01/12; 32 sighted on 16/01/12; 16 sighted on 18/01/12; 27 sighted on 23/01/12; 5 sighted on 24/01/12; 2 sighted on 4/02/12; 1 sighted on 09/02/12; 1 sighted on 27/02/12; 6 sighted on 28/03/12; 18 sighted on 10/11/12; 32 sighted on 06/Dec/12.			
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)				40	Tasman Peninsula, Tasmania	
AUSTRALIA	2012	sei whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Platform of opportunity (systematic)			Photographs collected	2	Tasman Peninsula, Tasmania	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Systematic Survey				152	Bonney Upwelling	
AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Systematic Survey				1789	Bonney Upwelling	
AUSTRALIA	2012	fin whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Systematic Survey				1	Bonney Upwelling	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Unidentified large baleen whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Systematic Survey				8	Bonney Upwelling	
AUSTRALIA	2012	long-finned pilot whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Systematic Survey				197	Bonney Upwelling	
AUSTRALIA	2012	sperm whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Systematic Survey				15	Bonney Upwelling	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Unidentified dolphin	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Systematic Survey				34	Bonney Upwelling	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Pygmy blue whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Systematic Survey				55	Bonney Upwelling	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Unidentified small cetacean	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Systematic Survey				10	Bonney Upwelling	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Shepherd's beaked whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Systematic Survey				24	Bonney Upwelling	

### Fishery Bycatch of Large Whales

Country	Data Year	Species	Large Area	Males: Dead	Males: Seriously Injured	Males: Injured	Males: Unknown	Females: Dead	Females: Seriously Injured	Females: Injured	Females: Unknown	Unknown: Dead	Unknown: Seriously Injured	Unknown: Injured	Unknown: Unknown	RMP Small Area	Targeted Species	Gear	How Observed	Contacts	References	Comments	Local Area	Local Taxonomy
AUSTRALIA	2012	sperm whale	Indian Ocean	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	Unknown or N/A	Mackerel icefish, Patagonian toothfish	[OT] MIDWATER TRAWLS - Otter trawls (not specified)	Fisherman	Clayton McCloud		Date: 21/07/12. Entangled during hauling. Cut free from net while in the water. Crew were unsure if whale would survive.	36deg 48' S; 52deg 07' E	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Indian Ocean	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	22	Unknown or N/A	Lobster/Octopus	[MIS] MISCELLANEOUS GEAR [FPO] TRAPS - Pots	Observer or Inspector	Douglas Coughran		9 released alive.	Western Australia	
AUSTRALIA	2012	southern right whale	Indian Ocean	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	Unknown or N/A	Lobster	[MIS] MISCELLANEOUS GEAR [FPO] TRAPS - Pots	Observer or Inspector	Douglas Coughran			Western Australia	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	Unknown or N/A	Shark	[NSC] SHARK CONTROL NETS	Fisherman	Geoff Ross		Dates: 16/09/12; 6/10/12. Released alive.		
AUSTRALIA	2012	sperm whale	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Unknown or N/A	Unknown	[NK] GEAR NOT KNOWN OR NOT SPECIFIED	Observer or Inspector	Catherine Kemper		Date: 27/8/12. With a foetus. Kept for specimen.	22.7 km east of Port MacDonnell, SA.	

## Fishery Bycatch of Small Cetaceans

Country	Data Year	Species	Large Area	Males: Dead	Males: Seriously Injured	Males: Injured	Males: Unknown	Females: Dead	Females: Seriously Injured	Females: Injured	Females: Unknown	Unknown: Dead	Unknown: Seriously Injured	Unknown: Injured	Unknown: Unknown	RMP Small Area	Targeted Species	Gear	How Observed	Contacts	References	Comments	Local Area	Local Taxonomy	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Unidentified small cetacean	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	Unknown or N/A	Shark	[GNS] GILLNETS AND ENTANGLING GEAR - Set gillnets (anchored)	Fisherman	Clayton McCloud		n=1 on 14/01/12 at -37.29, 139.44. n=2 on 7/05/12 at -37.38, 140.06.			
AUSTRALIA	2012	Unidentified small cetacean	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	Unknown or N/A	Shark/Demer sal scalefish	[GNS] GILLNETS AND ENTANGLING GEAR - Set gillnets (anchored) [OTB] TRAWLS - Beam trawl	Fisherman	Clayton McCloud		n=1 on 18/05/12 at -38.15, 148.52. n=1 on 26/06/12 at -37.59, 148.05. n=2 on 28/10/12 at -39.42, 144.10. n=1 on 16/11/12 at -40.05, 145.03.			
AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	Unknown or N/A	Shark	[GNS] GILLNETS AND ENTANGLING GEAR - Set gillnets (anchored)	Fisherman	Clayton McCloud		n=1 on 15/01/12 at -33.52, 135.05. n=1 on 2/02/12 at -32.26, 133.33. n=1 on 2/07/12 at -33.47, 134.56. n=1 on 6/10/12 at -35.22, 136.40. n=1 on 17/10/12 at -35.23, 135.49. n=1 on 6/11/12 at -33.22, 134.29. n=1 on 27/11/12 at -33.32, 134.19. n=1 on 2/12/12 at -33.34, 134.32. n=1 on 13/12/12 at -33.22, 134.30.			
AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	Unknown or N/A	Shark	[GNS] GILLNETS AND ENTANGLING GEAR - Set gillnets (anchored)	Fisherman	Clayton McCloud		n=1 on 3/7/12 at -38.18, 141.0. n=1 on 14/7/12 at -37.49, 149.11.			
AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Indian Ocean - Timor Sea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	Unknown or N/A	Prawns	[TM] TRAWLS - Shrimp trawls (not specified)	Fisherman	Clayton McCloud		n=1 on 10/9/12 at -13.67, 127.20. n=1 on 26/10/12 at -10.87, 132.38.			
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common bottlenose dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Unknown or N/A	Salmanoid aquaculture	[FWR] TRAPS - Barriers, fences, weirs, etc		Rachael Alderman		Date: 25/01/12.	Bruny Island, Tasmania		
AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Unknown or N/A	Salmanoid aquaculture	[FWR] TRAPS - Barriers, fences, weirs, etc		Rachael Alderman		Date: 15/02/12, 26/02/12	Dover/Police Point, Tasmania		
AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	6	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Unknown or N/A	TWW	[NSC] SHARK CONTROL NETS	Observer or Inspector	Queensland Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry					



Country	Data Year	Species	Large Area	Males: Dead	Males: Seriously Injured	Males: Injured	Males: Unknown	Females: Dead	Females: Seriously Injured	Females: Injured	Females: Unknown	Unknown: Dead	Unknown: Seriously Injured	Unknown: Injured	Unknown: Unknown	RMP Small Area	Targeted Species	Gear	How Observed	Contacts	References	Comments	Local Area	Local Taxonomy
AUSTRALIA	2012	spinner dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	Unknown or N/A	TWW	[NSC] SHARK CONTROL NETS	Observer or Inspector	Queensland Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry				
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific humpback dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	Unknown or N/A	TWW		Observer or Inspector	Queensland Department of National Parks Recreation Sport and Racing				
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common bottlenose dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	Unknown or N/A	Mackerel, Sharks	[GN] GILLNETS AND ENTANGLING GEAR - Gillnets (not specified)	Fisherman	Queensland Department of National Parks Recreation Sport and Racing				
AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	Unknown or N/A	Sharks	[NSC] SHARK CONTROL NETS	Fisherman	Geoff Ross		Date: 16/4/12.	Queenscliff	
AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Unknown or N/A	SA Sardine Fishery/Unknown	[PS1] SURROUNDING NETS - One-boat operated purse seines [PS2] SURROUNDING NETS - Two-boat operated purse seines	Fisherman	Catherine Kemper		1 on 11/4/12 at 34deg 27' S, 136deg 15' E; 2 on 12/4/12 at 34deg 40' S, 136deg 27' E; 1 on 26/4/12 at 34deg 17' S, 136deg 22' E; 1 on 10/6/12 at 33deg 02' 35" S, 137deg 34' 46" E; 1 on 1/8/12 at 33deg 05' S, 137deg 32' E; 1 on 23/11/12 at 35deg 27' 17" S, 137deg 05' 39" E.		
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	1	0	0	0	7	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	Unknown or N/A	Kingfish Aquaculture/Unknown	[NK] GEAR NOT KNOWN OR NOT SPECIFIED	Fisherman	Catherine Kemper		Females on 22/1/3 at 34deg 55' 30" S, 137deg 21' 30" E; Male on 7/9/12 at 34deg 42' 48" S, 135deg 54' 18" E; Unknown sex on 21/10/12 at 33deg 32' 20" S, 137deg 35' 35" E.		

## Natural Marking

Country	Data Year	Species	Large Area	Feature	Number of Individuals in Catalogue	Contacts	References	Comments	Local Area	Local Taxonomy
AUSTRALIA	2012	southern right whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Callosity	94	Rachael Alderman		Aerial and boat based. Total no. photo-id'd = 33.	SE Australia	
AUSTRALIA	2012	killer whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Dorsal Fin	5	Rachael Alderman		Total no. photo-id'd = 1	SE Australia	
AUSTRALIA	2012	southern right whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Callosity	222	Mandy Watson, DSE			SE Australia	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common bottlenose dolphin	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Dorsal Fin	150	Dolphin Research Institute (DRI)		Catalogue totals: Port Phillip: 120, Gippsland Lakes: 30.	Port Phillip/Gippsland Lakes	

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AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Dorsal Fin	15	Curtin University Dolphin Research Institute (DRI)			Port Phillip	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Fluke	5	Curtin University Dolphin Research Institute (DRI)		Beginning catalogue. Fluke and dorsal fin used.	Port Phillip/Bass Strait	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Fluke	6285	Greg Kaufman		257 individuals photographed at Hervey Bay/Group E1. Catalogue total and number photographed at Port Douglas/Cairns/Whitsundays unknown at this stage.	Hervey Bay/Port Douglas/Cairns/Whitsunday Islands/Group E1	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common minke whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Dorsal Fin	1	Alastair Birtles		Exact catalogue number and number photographed unknown. Lateral markings/unique features used.	Ribbon Reef area, Northern GBR	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific humpback dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Dorsal Fin	175	Daniele Cagnazzi		Number identified: 2. Additional dolphins identified using unique features.	Central Queensland	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Australian snubfin dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Dorsal Fin	77	Daniele Cagnazzi		Number identified: 1. Additional dolphins identified using unique features.	Central Queensland	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Fluke	300	Jan-Olaf Meynecke		Number identified: 0.	East coast/Group E1	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Indian Ocean	Dorsal Fin	180	Delphine Chabanne		Number photo id'd: 234 (Swan Canning Riverpark: 37, Cockburn Sound: 89, Owen Anchorage: 72, Gage Roads: 36).	Perth: Swan Canning Riverpark/Cockburn Sound/Anchorage/Gage Roads	
AUSTRALIA	2012	southern right whale	Indian Ocean	Callosity	1859	John Bannister		450+ photos selected for subsequent photo-id matching.	Western Australia	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Pygmy blue whale	Indian Ocean	Dorsal Fin	320	M. Jenner		Number identified: 2.	Perth Canyon	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Indian Ocean	Fluke	5480	M. Jenner		Number identified: Perth Basin = 76; Fremantle to Darwin (100m countour) = 48; Fremantle to Scott Reef = 52; Exmouth Gulf = 533.	Perth Basin/Fremantle/Exmouth Gulf	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Indian Ocean - Timor Sea	Fluke	5480	M. Jenner		Number identified = 4.	Darwin to Scott Reef	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Pygmy blue whale	Indian Ocean	Dorsal Fin	200	Chris Burton		Number identified: 20.	Geographe Bay	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Indian Ocean	Fluke	2000	Chris Burton		Number identified: 40 by Flukes; 60 by lateral photographs.	Geographe Bay	
AUSTRALIA	2012	southern right whale	Indian Ocean	Callosity	0	Chris Burton		Number identified: 4.	Geographe Bay	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Indian Ocean	Dorsal Fin	46	James Braeside		Number identified: 46.	Peel-Harvey Estuary	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Indian Ocean	Dorsal Fin	450	Kate Sprogis		Number identified: >150 (to be finalised).	Bunbury	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Indian Ocean	Dorsal Fin	100	Simon Allen		Hundreds of individuals in the catalogue and identified in this survey.	Western Shark Bay	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Indian Ocean	Dorsal Fin	144	Alex Brown		60-70 photo-id'd (53 in catalogue) at Cygnet Bay; 100-110 photo-id'd (91 in catalogue) at Beagle Bay.	Kimberley Region	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific humpback dolphin	Indian Ocean	Dorsal Fin	32	Alex Brown		25-30 photo-id'd (22 in catalogue) at Cygnet Bay; 10-15 photo-id'd (10 in catalogue) at Beagle Bay; 5-10 photo-id'd (0 in catalogue) at Cambridge Gulf.	Kimberley Region	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Australian snubfin dolphin	Indian Ocean	Dorsal Fin	53	Alex Brown		60-70 photo-id'd (53 in catalogue) at Cygnet Bay; 10-20 photo-id'd (0 in catalogue) Cambridge Gulf.	Kimberley Region	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Indian Ocean	Dorsal Fin	1358	Janet Mann		Number photo-id'd: 439.	Shark Bay	

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AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Fluke	0	Kylie Owen		Number identified: unknown. Fluke and dorsal fin features used.	East Australia, Group E	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Fluke	200	Michael Noad		Number photo-id'd: 15. Catalogue No. >200	SH/E1	
AUSTRALIA	2012	southern right whale	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	Callosity	1060	Claire Charlton D. J. Needham Saras Kumar		Minimum 121 photo-id'd.		
AUSTRALIA	2012	Pygmy blue whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Flank	47			Photo-identification	Bonney Upwelling	

## Tissue & Biological Samples

Country	Data Year	Species	Large Area	Source	Purpose of Study	Tissue Type	RMP Small Area	Number Collected	In Tissue Bank/Register	Total Holdings	Contacts	References	Comments	Local Area	Local Taxonomy
AUSTRALIA	2012	southern right whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Biopsy			Unknown or N/A	7	Yes	9	Rachael Alderman			SE Australia	
AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Stranded Bycatch		Skin Blubber Tooth Organs	Unknown or N/A	34	Yes	34	Rachael Alderman		Not analysed. Also collected stomach contents. Number collected = Bycatch: Skin(2), Blubber(2), Stomach(1), Tooth(2); Stranded: Skin(10), Blubber(8), Tooth(8), Stomach(1).	Tasmania	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Arnoux's beaked whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Stranded		Skin	Unknown or N/A	1	Yes	1	Rachael Alderman		Not analysed.	Tasmania	
AUSTRALIA	2012	pygmy beaked whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Stranded		Skin Blubber Organs	Unknown or N/A	4	Yes	4	Rachael Alderman		Not analysed. Also collected stomach contents and faeces. Number collected = Stranded: Skin(1), Blubber(1), Stomach(1), Faeces(1).	Tasmania	
AUSTRALIA	2012	pygmy sperm whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Stranded		Skin Blubber Organs	Unknown or N/A	6	Yes	6	Rachael Alderman		Not analysed. Collected stomach contents. Number collected = Skin(2), Blubber(2), Stomach(2).	Tasmania	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Stranded		Skin Blubber	Unknown or N/A	10	Yes	10	Rachael Alderman		Not analysed. Number collected = Skin(6), Blubber(4).	Tasmania	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Gray's beaked whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Stranded		Skin Blubber Bone Muscle	Unknown or N/A	3	Yes	3	Rachael Alderman		Not analysed. Muscle/Bone collected = Head. Number collected = Skin(1), Blubber(1), Head(1).	Tasmania	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common bottlenose dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Stranded		Skin Bone Tooth	Unknown or N/A	15	Yes	15	Rachael Alderman		Not analysed. Bone = Lower jaw. Number collected = Skin(13), Bone/Teeth(2).	Tasmania	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Unidentified small whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Stranded		Skin	Unknown or N/A	1	Yes	1	Rachael Alderman		Beaked whale. Not analysed.	Tasmania	
AUSTRALIA	2012	long-finned pilot whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Stranded	Pollutants	Skin Blubber Bone Tooth	Unknown or N/A	164	Yes	164	Rachael Alderman		Bone collected = Jaw. Number collected = Skin(27), Bone/Tooth(23), Blubber(114). Pollutants: Samples from 3 stranding events in 2008 & 2 events in 2011. Sent to staff at the Ecotoxicology and Environmental Contaminants Section, Office of Environment & Heritage NSW for analysis of persistent organic pollutants in collaboration with the University of Antwerp. Results: DDXs (pesticides)	Tasmania	

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													represented the greatest proportion of accumulated pollutants in all age-gender groups followed by PCBs and MeO-PBDEs (flame retardants, adhesives, hydraulic fluids).		
AUSTRALIA	2012	southern right whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Biopsy			Unknown or N/A	6	Yes	6	Mandy Watson, DSE		Not analysed.	SE Australia	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common bottlenose dolphin	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Stranded		Skin Blubber	Unknown or N/A	2	Yes	2	Mandy Watson, DSE		Not analysed.		
AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Stranded		Skin Blubber	Unknown or N/A	1	Yes	1	Mandy Watson, DSE		Not analysed.		
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Stranded		Skin Blubber Muscle	Unknown or N/A	1	Yes	1	Mandy Watson, DSE		Not analysed.		Group E
AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Stranded		Skin Blubber Baleen Bone Eye Tooth Organs Nervous System Muscle	Unknown or N/A	3	Yes	3	Kate Charlton-Robb		Not analysed. Number collected = Skin(2), Blubber(2), Whole Specimen(1).		
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common bottlenose dolphin	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Stranded		Skin Blubber Bone Tooth Organs	Unknown or N/A	1	Yes	1	Kate Charlton-Robb		Not analysed. Tissues collected: Skin, blubber, kidney, liver, melon, head.		
AUSTRALIA	2012	rough-toothed dolphin	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Stranded		Bone Organs	Unknown or N/A	1	Yes	1	Kate Charlton-Robb		Not analysed. Tissues collected: Heart, testes, stomach contents, skull.		
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Stranded		Skin Blubber Baleen Muscle	Unknown or N/A	1	Yes	1	Kate Charlton-Robb		Not analysed.		
AUSTRALIA	2012	pygmy sperm whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Stranded		Skin Blubber Bone Eye Organs Muscle	Unknown or N/A	1	Yes	1	Kate Charlton-Robb		Not analysed. Tissues collected: Skin, blubber, kidney, liver, melon, head.		
AUSTRALIA	2012	Shepherd's beaked whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	Stranded		Skin Blubber Bone Organs	Unknown or N/A	1	Yes	1	Kate Charlton-Robb		Not analysed. Tissues collected: Skin, blubber, liver, skull, skeleton.		
AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Stranded			Unknown or N/A	1	Yes	1	David Blyde		Sperm collected.	Southern Queensland	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Biopsy			Unknown or N/A	0	Unknown	0	Daniele Cagnazzi		Unknown number analysed and in holdings.	Between Ayr and Gladstone	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific humpback dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Biopsy			Unknown or N/A	0	Unknown	0	Daniele Cagnazzi		Unknown number analysed and in holdings.	Between Ayr and Gladstone	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Australian snubfin dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Biopsy			Unknown or N/A	0	Unknown	0	Daniele Cagnazzi		Unknown number analysed and in holdings.	Between Ayr and Gladstone	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Biopsy			Unknown or N/A	0	Yes	3	Jan-Olaf Meynecke		None analysed.	Gold coast/Group E1	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Stranded Biopsy		Skin Blubber	Unknown or N/A	2	Yes	2	Susan Bengtson Nash		None analysed.	South east Queensland/Group E1	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific humpback dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Stranded		Bone	Unknown or N/A	1	Yes	1	Heather Janetzki Justin Meager		Tissue collected: Skull. Not analysed.		

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AUSTRALIA	2012	sperm whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Stranded		Skin Blubber	Unknown or N/A	3	Yes	3	Heather Janetzki Justin Meager		Not analysed.		
AUSTRALIA	2012	pygmy sperm whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Stranded		Skin Blubber Tooth Muscle	Unknown or N/A	3	Yes	3	Heather Janetzki Justin Meager		Not analysed.		
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common minke whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Stranded		Skin Blubber	Unknown or N/A	3	Unknown	3	Heather Janetzki Justin Meager		Not analysed.		
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Indian Ocean	Biopsy			Unknown or N/A	4	Yes	670	Simon Allen		None analysed.	Broome	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific humpback dolphin	Indian Ocean	Biopsy			Unknown or N/A	3	Yes	50	Simon Allen		None analysed.	Cone Bay	
AUSTRALIA	2012	spinner dolphin	Indian Ocean	Stranded Biopsy		Skin Blubber	Unknown or N/A	21	Yes	20	Simon Allen		20 biopsy samples collected. 1 skin/blubber sample from a stranding. 2 biopsy samples analysed.	Broome	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Indian Ocean	Biopsy			Unknown or N/A	35	Yes	35	Alex Brown		23 collected at Cygnet Bay; 12 collected at Beagle Bay. None analysed.	Kimberley region	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific humpback dolphin	Indian Ocean	Biopsy			Unknown or N/A	4	Yes	4	Alex Brown		None analysed.	Cygnet Bay, Kimberley region	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Australian snubfin dolphin	Indian Ocean	Biopsy			Unknown or N/A	23	Yes	23	Alex Brown		None analysed.	Cygnet Bay, Kimberley region	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Indian Ocean	Biopsy			Unknown or N/A	16	Unknown	0	Janet Mann		16 blow samples. Jun/July.	Shark Bay, Eastern Gulf	
AUSTRALIA	2012	blue whale	Indian Ocean	Biopsy			Unknown or N/A	4	Unknown	0	Catherine Attard Luciana Moeller			Geographe Bay	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Biopsy			Unknown or N/A	20	Yes	20	Kylie Owen		20 analysed.		Group E.
AUSTRALIA	2012	pygmy sperm whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Stranded		Skin Blubber Baleen Bone Eye Tooth Organs Nervous System Muscle	Unknown or N/A	1	Yes	1	Jane Hall		1 analysed. Full tissue set.	Brooms Head,	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Risso's dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Stranded		Skin Blubber Baleen Bone Eye Tooth Organs Nervous System Muscle	Unknown or N/A	2	Yes	2	Jane Hall		2 analysed. Full tissue set.	Jervis Bay	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Gray's beaked whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Stranded		Skin Blubber Eye	Unknown or N/A	1	Yes	1	Jane Hall		1 analysed. Also collected blood.	Bundagen	
AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Stranded		Skin Blubber Baleen Bone Eye Tooth Organs Nervous System Muscle	Unknown or N/A	1	Yes	1	Jane Hall		Images collected (skin lesions) from 2 additional individuals. 1 analysed.	Lighthouse Beach/Queenscliff	
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Stranded		Skin Blubber	Unknown or N/A	1	Yes	1	Jane Hall		1 analysed.	Newport Beach	
AUSTRALIA	2012	striped dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Stranded			Unknown or N/A	0	No	0	Jane Hall		Images only.	Ulladulla	
AUSTRALIA	2012	pygmy sperm whale	Southern Ocean -	Bycatch		Skin	Unknown or N/A	1	Unknown	1	Catherine Kemper		None analysed.		

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			Great Australian Bight			Blubber Organs Muscle							Tissue collected: Genetic tissues (blood, liver, kidney, muscle, skin), reproductives, stomach, intestines, toxic contaminants (liver, kidney, muscle, blubber).		
AUSTRALIA	2012	sperm whale	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	Bycatch		Skin Blubber Organs Muscle	Unknown or N/A	1	Unknown	1	Catherine Kemper		None analysed. Tissue collected: Genetic tissues (blood, liver, kidney, muscle, skin), reproductives, stomach, intestines, toxic contaminants (liver, kidney, muscle, blubber).		
AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	Stranded Bycatch		Skin Blubber Organs Muscle	Unknown or N/A	12	Unknown	12	Catherine Kemper		5 from stranding; 7 from bycatch. None analysed. Tissue collected: Genetic tissues (blood, liver, kidney, muscle, skin), reproductives, stomach, intestines, toxic contaminants (liver, kidney, muscle, blubber).		
AUSTRALIA	2012	southern bottlenose whale	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	Stranded		Skin Blubber Organs Muscle	Unknown or N/A	1	Unknown	1	Catherine Kemper		Not analysed. Tissue collected: Genetic tissues (blood, liver, kidney, muscle, skin), reproductives, stomach, intestines, toxic contaminants (liver, kidney, muscle, blubber).		
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common bottlenose dolphin	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	Stranded		Skin Blubber Organs Muscle	Unknown or N/A	4	Unknown	4	Catherine Kemper		None analysed. Tissue collected: Genetic tissues (blood, liver, kidney, muscle, skin), reproductives, stomach, intestines, toxic contaminants (liver, kidney, muscle, blubber).		
AUSTRALIA	2012	southern right whale	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	Stranded		Skin Blubber Organs Muscle	Unknown or N/A	1	Unknown	1	Catherine Kemper		Not analysed. Tissue collected: Genetic tissues (blood, liver, kidney, muscle, skin), reproductives, stomach, intestines, toxic contaminants (liver, kidney, muscle, blubber).		
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	Stranded Bycatch		Skin Blubber Organs Muscle	Unknown or N/A	8	Unknown	8	Catherine Kemper		7 from strandings; 1 from bycatch. None analysed. Tissue collected: Genetic tissues (blood, liver, kidney, muscle, skin), reproductives, stomach, intestines, toxic contaminants (blubber).		
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	Biopsy	DNA	Skin Blubber	Unknown or N/A	7	Yes	500				Tasman Peninsula, Tasmania	

## Strandings

Country	Data Year	Species	Large Area	Total Strandings Reported	Total Stranding Events	Contacts	References	Local Area	Local Taxonomy
AUSTRALIA	2012	Arnoux's beaked whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	1	1	Rachael Alderman			
AUSTRALIA	2012	pygmy right whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	1	1	Rachael Alderman			
AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	1	1	Rachael Alderman			

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AUSTRALIA	2012	long-finned pilot whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	1	1	Rachael Alderman			
AUSTRALIA	2012	pygmy sperm whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	1	1	Rachael Alderman			
AUSTRALIA	2012	southern right whale dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	1	1	Rachael Alderman			
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	6	6	Rachael Alderman			
AUSTRALIA	2012	Gray's beaked whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	1	1	Rachael Alderman			
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common bottlenose dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	3	3	Rachael Alderman			
AUSTRALIA	2012	Unidentified small cetacean	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	1	1	Rachael Alderman			
AUSTRALIA	2012	Unidentified small whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	1	1	Rachael Alderman			
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	1	1	Mandy Watson, DSE			
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common bottlenose dolphin	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	2	2	Mandy Watson, DSE			
AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	1	1	Mandy Watson, DSE			
AUSTRALIA	2012	sperm whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	1	1	Mandy Watson, DSE			
AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	3	3	K. Roberts Kate Charlton-Robb			
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common bottlenose dolphin	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	1	1	K. Roberts Kate Charlton-Robb			
AUSTRALIA	2012	rough-toothed dolphin	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	1	1	K. Roberts Kate Charlton-Robb			
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	1	1	K. Roberts Kate Charlton-Robb			
AUSTRALIA	2012	pygmy sperm whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	1	1	K. Roberts Kate Charlton-Robb			
AUSTRALIA	2012	Shepherd's beaked whale	Southern Ocean - Bass Strait	1	1	K. Roberts Kate Charlton-Robb			
AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	9	9	Jaylene Flint Justin Meager			
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	19	19	Jaylene Flint Justin Meager strand.data@ehp.gov.qld.au			
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific humpback dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	9	9	Jaylene Flint Justin Meager strand.data@ehp.gov.qld.au			
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common bottlenose dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	9	9	Jaylene Flint Justin Meager strand.data@ehp.gov.qld.au			
AUSTRALIA	2012	Unidentified small cetacean	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	7	7	Jaylene Flint Justin Meager strand.data@ehp.gov.qld.au			
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	3	3	Jaylene Flint Justin Meager strand.data@ehp.gov.qld.au			
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common minke whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	2	2	Jaylene Flint Justin Meager strand.data@ehp.gov.qld.au			
AUSTRALIA	2012	pygmy sperm whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	4	4	Jaylene Flint Justin Meager strand.data@ehp.gov.qld.au			





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AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	1	1	Jane Hall			
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Tasman Sea	1	1	Jane Hall			
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common bottlenose dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Arafura Sea	2	2	Ray Chatto		Gove Peninsula	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific humpback dolphin	Indian Ocean - Timor Sea	1	1	Ray Chatto		Darwin Harbour	
AUSTRALIA	2012	spinner dolphin	Pacific Ocean - Arafura Sea	1	1	Ray Chatto		West Island	
AUSTRALIA	2012	sperm whale	Indian Ocean - Timor Sea	1	1	Ray Chatto		Melville Island	
AUSTRALIA	2012	southern right whale	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	1	1	Catherine Kemper			
AUSTRALIA	2012	Antarctic minke whale	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	1	1	Catherine Kemper			
AUSTRALIA	2012	common dolphin	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	17	17	Catherine Kemper			
AUSTRALIA	2012	long- or short-finned pilot whale	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	1	1	Catherine Kemper			
AUSTRALIA	2012	Risso's dolphin	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	1	1	Catherine Kemper			
AUSTRALIA	2012	pygmy sperm whale	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	1	1	Catherine Kemper			
AUSTRALIA	2012	Gray's beaked whale	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	1	1	Catherine Kemper			
AUSTRALIA	2012	Unidentified Mesoplodon beaked whale	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	1	1	Catherine Kemper			
AUSTRALIA	2012	southern bottlenose whale	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	2	2	Catherine Kemper			
AUSTRALIA	2012	sperm whale	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	3	3	Catherine Kemper			
AUSTRALIA	2012	Unidentified small cetacean	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	6	6	Catherine Kemper			
AUSTRALIA	2012	Indo-Pacific bottlenose dolphin	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	15	15	Catherine Kemper			
AUSTRALIA	2012	Common bottlenose dolphin	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	10	10	Catherine Kemper			

### Telemetry & Artificial Marking

Country	Data Year	Species	Large Area	RMP Small Area	Tag Type	No. Successfully Deployed	Contacts	References	Comments	Local Area	Local Taxonomy
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Unknown or N/A	Satellite	0	Jan-Olaf Meynecke		Maximum time transmitting: 2 days. Animal borne-camera.		
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Atlantic Ocean - North	Unknown or N/A	D-Tag	7	Kylie Owen		Max. transmitting time: 3.5 hours.		
AUSTRALIA	2012	humpback whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	Unknown or N/A	D-Tag	8	Michael Noad		Z-tag (fastloc GPS, TDR) on 3 whales (max. time transmitting: 30 hrs). Acousonde 3B on 5 whales (max. time transmitting: 18 hrs).		

### Non-Direct Anthropogenic Mortality of Large Whales

Country	Data Year	Species	Large Area	Males: Dead	Males: Seriously Injured	Males: Injured	Males: Unknown	Females: Dead	Females: Seriously Injured	Females: Injured	Females: Unknown	Unknown: Dead	Unknown: Seriously Injured	Unknown: Injured	Unknown: Unknown	RMP Small Area	Submitted to Ship Strikes	Contacts	References	Comments	Local Area	Local Taxonomy
AUSTRALIA	2012	Unidentified large whale	Pacific Ocean - Coral Sea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	Unknown or N/A	Unknown	Mike Carr		Date: 25/07/12.	East of Fraser Island	
AUSTRALIA	2012	Antarctic minke whale	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Unknown or N/A	Unknown	Catherine Kemper		Date: 12/11/12. Vessel type: Unknown. Speed: Unknown. Possible vessel collision: large	Laura Bay, SA.	

Country	Data Year	Species	Large Area	Males: Dead	Males: Seriously Injured	Males: Injured	Males: Unknown	Females: Dead	Females: Seriously Injured	Females: Injured	Females: Unknown	Unknown: Dead	Unknown: Seriously Injured	Unknown: Injured	Unknown: Unknown	RMP Small Area	Submitted to Ship Strikes	Contacts	References	Comments	Local Area	Local Taxonomy
																				deep wound with extensive haemorrhaging observed in photos.		

### Non-Direct Anthropogenic Mortality of Small Cetaceans

Country	Data Year	Species	Large Area	Males: Dead	Males: Seriously Injured	Males: Injured	Males: Unknown	Females: Dead	Females: Seriously Injured	Females: Injured	Females: Unknown	Unknown: Dead	Unknown: Seriously Injured	Unknown: Injured	Unknown: Unknown	RMP Small Area	Submitted to Ship Strikes	Contacts	References	Comments	Local Area	Local Taxonomy
AUSTRALIA	2012	pygmy sperm whale	Southern Ocean - Great Australian Bight	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Unknown or N/A	Unknown	Catherine Kemper		Date: 15/10/12. Vessel type: unknown. Speed: unknown.	32 km north of Streaky Bay, SA.	