



Your Whales as Individuals

Happywhale engages citizen scientists to identify individual marine mammals, for fun and for science

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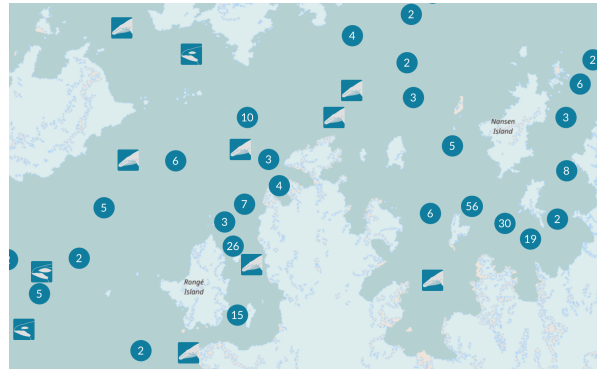
How It Works



You submit photos of your marine mammal encounters



We identify your whales by their unique markings



Happywhale tracks your whales around the globe

Cutting-edge Image Processing

We use state-of-the-art image processing algorithms to match whale photos with scientific collections. This newly developed efficiency now makes global whale tracking more possible than ever.

Tourism as Science

Ecotourists can be citizen scientists through Happywhale – have fun learning about your whales while the data in your photos builds our understanding.





Help tell the story of these remarkable creatures

- Sign Up
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What's Going On

Photos Submitted: 593270 Identified Encounters: 225536 Individuals Identified: 87877

Recent Encounters (Identified)

Date	Encountered	Seen By
2024-02-12 00:00:00	 Humpback Whale ID: HW-MN0522392	
2023-03-18 00:00:00	 Humpback Whale ID: HW-MN0502643	
	Humpback Whale	

Top Contributors (Past Year)

Rank	User	Encounters	Photos
1	 Eric Austin Yee	1551	1694
2	 Whale Watch Cabo	821	1745
3	 Mindy Huston	770	1551