Celebration of Conservation: Gray Whales WhaleTimes Virtual Team Member Activity

Eastern North Pacific Gray Whale Calf Count

Total count: 255 Cow/Calf Pairs

Counts for this season began on March 28 and were completed on May 27. Watches were held during daylight hours and good weather conditions, Monday through Friday:

Total counts for week 9 (May 23 to 29)

Cow/calf pairs - 2

total cow calf pairs of season to date - 255

Total counts for week 8 (May 16 to 22)

Cow/calf pairs - 14

total cow calf pairs of season to date - 253

Total counts for week 7 (May 8 to 15)

Cow/calf pairs - 63

Total cow/calf pairs of season to date - 239

Total counts for week 6 (May 2 to 8)

Adults offshore - 8

Cow/calf pairs - 58

Total cow/calf pairs of season to date - 176

Total counts for week 5 (April 25-May 1)

Adults offshore - 10

Cow/calf pairs - 71

Total cow/calf pairs of season to date - 118

Total counts for week 4 (April 18-April 24)

Adults offshore - 9

Cow/calf pairs - 31

Total cow/calf pairs of season to date - 47

Total counts for week 3 (April 10-17)

Adults offshore - 34

Cow/Calf pairs - 14

Total cow/calf pairs of season to date - 16

Total counts for week 2 (April 02- 9/)

Adults offshore - 114

Cow/Calf pairs - 2

Total cow/calf pairs to date - 2

Total counts for week 1 (March 28- April 1)

Adults offshore - 207

Cow/Calf pairs - 0

Total cow/calf pairs to date - 0

The above information is real data from the 2011 Field Season collected by the science team from the Southwest Fisheries Science Center, Protected Resources Division, NOAA

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