

THE U.S. NAVY & NOAA USE A 17TH CENTURY VISUAL SIGHTING METHOD TO 'PROTECT' MARINE MAMMALS



Captain to Crow's Nest Lookout:
"Ahoy! Any marine mammals in sight?"

Sailor: "No Sir!
No Sightings Today, Sir."

The U.S. Navy uses a 17th Century lookout method to locate Marine Mammals, Sea Turtles, and other marine life in order to protect these creatures from Sonar use and Bomb Blasts. NOAA approves this method even though the Navy's own studies (2008-2012), show shipboard visual monitoring for marine mammals to be effective only 9% of the time.