

OceanWatch Australia works with the seafood industry and the community to ensure Australia's marine environment is healthy, productive, valued and used in a responsible way.



Get involved in Citizen Science

Citizen science is a partnership between individuals and scientists for investigating pressing questions about the world. By providing information to marine scientists, your data can help further our understanding of the marine environment and lead to better management decisions.

- ❖ **Redmap** (Range Extension Database & Mapping project) invites the Australian community to spot, log and map marine species that are uncommon in Australia, or along particular parts of our coast
- ❖ **Reef Life Survey** aims to improve biodiversity conservation and the sustainable management of marine resources by coordinating surveys of rocky and coral reefs
- ❖ **Witness King Tides** A fun community photography project that helps visualise the potential future impacts of sea level rise.
- ❖ **Explore the Seafloor** An online project to help with identifying kelp and sea urchins in images of the seafloor
- ❖ **ClimateWatch** A national program to better understand how climate change is affecting our wildlife
- ❖ **Reef Watch** Gather, collate and disseminate quality information on the status of our marine environment
- ❖ **Coastal Walkabout** Allows local communities to gather scientific observations within the coastal, estuarine and near-shore environments
- ❖ **Spot a shark** Catalogues photos of grey nurse sharks to help estimate populations along the east coast
- ❖ **Project Manta** Catalogues east Australian manta rays using photos of manta ray bellies, video recordings and details of sightings
- ❖ **WaterWatch** is a community water quality monitoring network.