

Supplementary Material 5: Positive amplifications of each species per lab.

Table 1. Positive amplifications of each species per laboratory for the all-inclusive dataset (all positive detections; n=115).

Target	Detected (IMR)	Detected (INRAE)	Detected (UCC)	Detected (UIBK)	Total Detected	Not Detected (IMR)	Not Detected (INRAE)	Not Detected (UCC)	Not Detected (UIBK)	Total Not Detected
Basking shark	0	0	2	1	3	24	24	22	23	93
Dolphin species	3	18	17	18	56	24	9	10	9	52
Porbeagle shark	0	1	8	4	13	30	29	22	26	107
Sperm whale	9	9	14	11	43	27	27	22	25	101
Total	12	28	41	34	115	105	89	76	83	353

Table 2. Positive amplifications of each species per laboratory for the conservative dataset (detections at or below the assay's LOD; n=79).

Target	Detected (IMR)	Detected (INRAE)	Detected (UCC)	Detected (UIBK)	Total Detected	Not Detected (IMR)	Not Detected (INRAE)	Not Detected (UCC)	Not Detected (UIBK)	Total Not Detected
Basking shark	0	0	0	0	0	24	24	24	24	96
Dolphin species	0	12	16	18	46	27	15	11	9	62
Porbeagle shark	0	0	0	0	0	30	30	30	30	120
Sperm whale	7	9	8	9	33	29	27	28	27	111
Total	7	21	24	27	79	110	97	93	90	390