

MYSTICETES – These are whales that use baleen to filter feed their food!

Common Minke whale (*Balaenoptera acutorostrata*) – *pakaka/pakake*

Antarctic minke (*Balaenoptera bonaerensis*) – *pakaka/pakake*

Sei whale (*Balaenoptera borealis*)

Bryde's (common) whale (*Balaenoptera brydei*)

Eden's whale (Bryde's (Kochi)) - (*Balaenoptera edeni*)

Omura's whale (Bryde's (omurai)) (*Balaenoptera omurai*)

Rice's whale (*Balaenoptera ricei*)

Blue whale (*Balaenoptera musculus*)

Pygmy blue whale (*Balaenoptera musculus brevicauda*)

Fin whale (*Balaenoptera physalus*)

Gray whale (*Eschrichtius robustus*)

Humpback whale (*Megaptera novaeangliae*) – *paikea*

Pygmy right whale (*Caperea marginata*)

Bowhead whale (*Balaena mysticetus*)

North Atlantic right whale (*Eubalaena glacialis*)

North Pacific right whale (*Eubalaena japonica*)

Tohorā (Southern right whale)



Southern right whale (*Eubalaena australis*) – *tohorā/tohoraha/tūtarakauika/kewa*

ODONTOCETES – These are whales, dolphins, and porpoises that have teeth

Pygmy sperm whale (*Kogia breviceps*)

Dwarf sperm whale (*Kogia sima*)

Sperm whale (*Physeter macrocephalus*) – *parāoa*

Beluga (*Delphinapterus leucas*)

Narwhal (*Monodon monoceros*)

Baiji (Yangtze river dolphin) (*Lipotes vexillifer*)

Amazon river dolphin (boto) (*Inia geoffrensis*)

Bolivian river dolphin (*Inia boliviensis*)

La Plata dolphin (franciscana) (*Pontoporia blainvillei*)

Ganges and Indus river dolphin (*Platanista gangetica*)

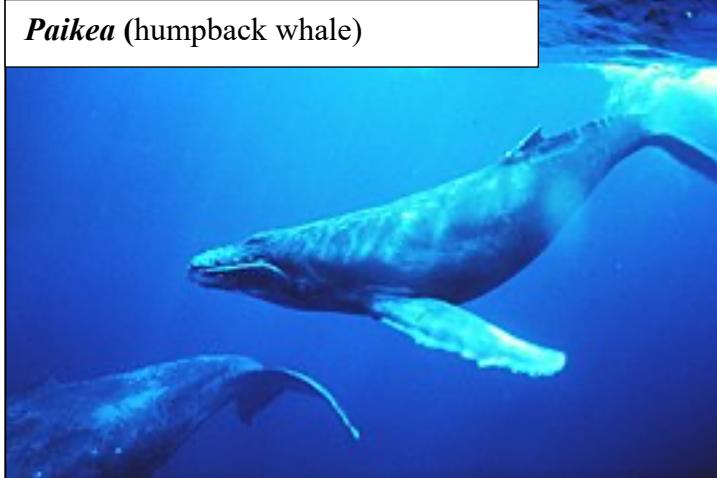


Parāoa (sperm whale)

Pakaka/pakake (Minke whale)



Paikea (humpback whale)



Beaked whales – these whales have a “dolphin-like” nose!

Baird's beaked whale (*Berardius bairdii*)
Arnoux's beaked whale (*Berardius arnuxii*)
Sato's beaked whale (*Berardius minimus*)
Northern bottlenose whale (*Hyperoodon ampullatus*)
Southern bottlenose whale (*Hyperoodon planifrons*)
Indo-Pacific beaked whale (Longman's beaked whale) (*Indopacetus pacificus*)
Sowerby's beaked whale (*Mesoplodon bidens*)
Andrews' beaked whale (*Mesoplodon bowdoini*)
Hubbs' beaked whale (*Mesoplodon carlhubbsi*)
Ramari's beaked whale (*Mesoplodon eueu*)
Blainville's beaked whale (dense-beaked whale) (*Mesoplodon densirostris*)
Gervais' beaked whale (*Mesoplodon europaeus*)
Ginkgo-toothed beaked whale (*Mesoplodon ginkgodens*)
Gray's beaked whale (*Mesoplodon grayi*) – **hakurā/iheihe**
Hector's beaked whale (*Mesoplodon hectori*)
Deraniyagala's beaked whale (*Mesoplodon hotaula*)
Layard's beaked whale (strap-toothed whale) (*Mesoplodon layardii*)
True's beaked whale (*Mesoplodon mirus*)
Perrin's beaked whale (*Mesoplodon perrini*)
Pygmy beaked whale (lesser beaked whale)
(*Mesoplodon peruvianus*)
Stejneger's beaked whale (*Mesoplodon stejnegeri*)
Spade toothed whale (*Mesoplodon traversii*)
Tasman beaked whale (Shepherd's Beaked
Whale) (*Tasmacetus shepherdii*)
Cuvier's beaked whale (*Ziphius cavirostris*)

Porpoises

Finless porpoise (*Neophocaena phocaenoides*)
Burmeister's porpoise (*Phocoena spinipinnis*)
Harbour porpoise (*Phocoena phocoena*)
Dall's porpoise (*Phocoenoides dalli*)
Vaquita (*Phocoena sinus*)
Spectacled porpoise (*Phocoena dioptrica*)



“Proper”/“True” dolphins

Common bottlenose dolphin (*Tursiops truncatus*) – **terehu**
Indian Ocean bottlenose dolphin (*Tursiops aduncus*)
Spinner dolphin (*Stenella longirostris*)
Short-beaked common dolphin (*Delphinus delphis*) –
popokanua/aihe
Long-beaked common dolphin (*Delphinus capensis*)
Arabian common dolphin (*Delphinus tropicalis*)



Striped dolphin (*Stenella coeruleoalba*)
Atlantic spotted dolphin (*Stenella frontalis*)

Fraser's dolphin (*Lagenodelphis hosei*)
Clymene dolphin (*Stenella clymene*)
Pacific humpback dolphin (*Sousa chinensis*)
Indian humpback dolphin (*Sousa plumbea*)
Atlantic humpback dolphin (*Sousa teuszii*)
Pantropical spotted dolphin (*Stenella attenuata*)
Tucuxi (*Sotalia fluviatilis*) Costero (*Sotalia guianensis*)
Rough-toothed dolphin (*Steno bredanensis*)
Irrawaddy dolphin (*Orcaella brevirostris*)
Australian snubfin dolphin (*Orcaella heinsohni*)
Risso's dolphin (*Grampus griseus*)
Pygmy killer whale (*Feresa attenuata*)
False killer whale (*Pseudorca crassidens*)
Killer whale (*Orcinus orca*) – *kākahi/maki*
Short-finned pilot whale (*Globicephala macrorhynchus*)
Long-finned pilot whale (*Globicephala melas*) –
upokohue/parakipīhi



Popokanua/aihe (common dolphin)



Kākahi/maki (killer whale)



Upokohue/parakipīhi (long-finned pilot whale)

Melon-headed whale (*Peponocephala electra*)
Heaviside's dolphin (*Cephalorhynchus heavisidii*)
Chilean dolphin (*Cephalorhynchus eutropia*)
Hector's dolphin (*Cephalorhynchus hectori*) –
popoto (Māui dolphin), aihe/pahu/upokohue/ahoaho/tūpoupou/pehipehi/tutumairekurai/waiaua
Commerson's dolphin (*Cephalorhynchus commersonii*)
Dusky dolphin (*Lagenorhynchus obscurus*)
Peale's dolphin (*Lagenorhynchus australis*)

Fraser's dolphin (*Lagenodelphis hosei*)
Hourglass dolphin (*Lagenorhynchus cruciger*)
Southern right whale dolphin (*Lissodelphis peronii*)
Northern right whale dolphin (*Lissodelphis borealis*)
White-beaked dolphin (*Lagenorhynchus albirostris*)
Atlantic white-sided dolphin (*Lagenorhynchus acutus*)
Pacific white-sided dolphin (*Lagenorhynchus obliquidens*)

Other “general” ingoa Māori for whales:

ika moana, ngohi moana

Other “general” ingoa Māori for dolphins:

pāpahu



popoto (Māui dolphin), *aihe/pahu/upokohue/ahoaho/tūpoupou/pehipehi/tutumairekurai/waiaua* (Hector's dolphin)

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