

Table 2. Numbers of whalewatchers and their expenditure (€) in Europe (adapted from Hoyt, 2000).

Country	No. of whalewatchers	Year began	No. communities	Value Direct	Value Indirect	Monitoring	Research	Education
Azores	9,500	1989	2	652,000	3,774,000	√√	√√√	√√
Canaries	1,000,000	Late 80s	5	19,902,000	69,658,000	√	√√	√
Croatia	21	1991	1	16,800	20,000	√√	√√√	√√
Cyprus	minimal	Late 90s	0	-	-	√√√	√√	√√
Denmark	minimal	mid 90s	1	-	-	-	-	-
Faroe Islands	minimal	1996	0	-	-	-	-	-
France	750	1983	6	460,000	573,000	-	√	√
Germany	minimal	early 90s	1	-	-	-	√	-
Gibraltar	18,750	1980	2	504,000	3,024,000	√√	√√	√√
Greece	3,678	Late 80s	3	157,000	292,000	√√√	√√	√√
Greenland	2,500	early 90s	6	932,000	3,080,000	-	-	-
Iceland	30,330	1991	8	3,313,000	7,246,000	√	√√√	√√
Italy	5,300	1988	2	270,000	608,000	√	√√	√√
Ireland	177,600	1986	3	1,480,000	7,973,000	√	√	√
Monaco	minimal	Early 90s	1	-	-	-	-	-
Norway	22,380	1988	2	1,828,000	13,488,000	√	√√√	√√√
Portugal	1,398	Early 80s	1	35,000	97,000	√	√√	√√
Spain	25-38,000	Late 80s	11	616,000	2,156,000	√	√	√
UK	121,125+	mid 80s	>10	2,110,000	9,219,000	√√	√√	√√

√ = small, √√ = developing, √√√ = significant