

RESEARCH

Monterey Bay

THE MOST RESEARCHED
BODY OF WATER IN THE WORLD

Monterey Bay hosts one of the largest and most diverse assemblages of ocean-related research, teaching, and policy organizations in the country.

The Monterey Bay Crescent Ocean Research Consortium (MBCORC) list 27 organizations.



The goal is to become a “thought leader” and experimental test-bed for new types of maritime commerce and for policy innovations in water and land management.

Source: SRI International



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Known as the "Serengeti of the Sea," Monterey Bay habitats harbor 34 species of marine mammals, more than 180 species of seabirds and shorebirds, at least 525 species of fishes, and an abundance of invertebrates and algae.

Source: Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary

