

Project Update: May 2022

We carried out campaigns in Autumn 2022 at both bays, Ilha Grande and Sepetiba. Outreach activities will start in June 2022.

Sepetiba bay

We were at Sepetiba bay between April 11th and 14th. We have collected all the data necessary to achieve the proposed goals. The processing started last October.



Figure 1. Guiana dolphins sighted at Sepetiba bay, Rio de Janeiro State, Brazil.

Ilha Grande bay

From May 16th to 20th, we were at Ilha Grande bay. We also collected all the data necessary and started the processing. Once again, we sighted franciscanas, *Pontoporia blainvillei* (Figure 3), one of the most threatened dolphin species in the world.



Figure 2. Guiana dolphins sighted at Ilha Grande bay, Rio de Janeiro State, Brazil.



Figure 3. Franciscanas sighted at Ilha Grande bay, Rio de Janeiro State, Brazil.