

# Question 1. What kind of indicators?

- Before talking of indicators we need to know what is going to be monitored.
- The actions:
- put together a group of people from all three countries to collect information
- those people collect a baseline inventory of monitoring programs
- from the baseline we ask what we want to monitor and why
- then choose 2-3 indicators (preferably biological and socio-economic)
- these indicators will be, because they are already collected, will be relevant, quick, and cheap

## Question 2. Role of the gray whale

- “The messenger is the indicator”
- Imagine, if you will, that the gray whale’s house is on fire, what would it grab on the way out?

# Question 3. Use existing or design new monitoring program?

- See Question 1