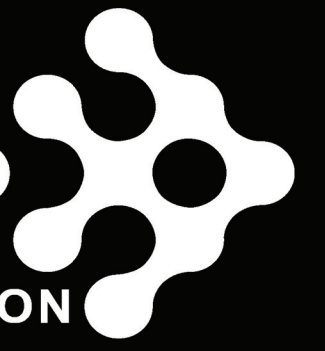


# WATCH OUT FOR THE GELATINOUS ORGANISMS OF THE EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN!



YOUR HELP IS NEEDED

⚡ STINGER

⚡ MILD STINGER

**ATTENTION !**

If your jellyfish  
is not shown here,  
take a picture of it  
and send us!



*Carybdea marsupialis*  
Box Jellyfish  
5-7 cm



*Chrysaora hysoscella*  
Compass Jellyfish  
10-30 cm



*Rhopilema nomadica*  
Nomad Jellyfish  
20-80 cm



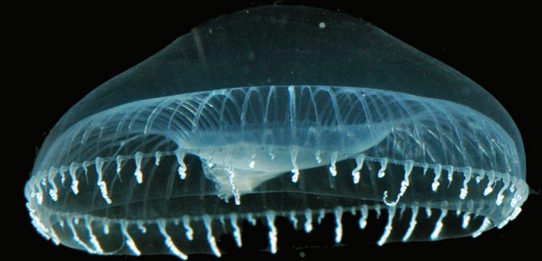
*Pelagia noctiluca*  
Purple-striped Jellyfish  
5-10 cm



*Macrorhynchia philippina*  
White Stinger  
5-20 cm



*Olindias phosphorica*  
Cigar Jellyfish  
4-6 cm



*Aequorea globosa*  
Circular Jellyfish  
5-10 cm



*Cassiopea andromeda*  
Upside-down Jellyfish  
20-30 cm



*Cotylorhiza tuberculata*  
Mediterranean Jelly  
10-30 cm



*Phyllorhiza punctata*  
Spotted Jellyfish  
30-60 cm



*Rhizostoma pulmo*  
Barrel Jellyfish  
20-60 cm



*Discomedusa lobata*  
Disc Jellyfish  
5-15 cm



*Aequorea vitrina*  
Crystal Jellyfish  
5-15 cm

## SEND YOUR INFORMATION !

You can help by sending us the following information:

- Observed species (check the poster)
- Place and date of the observation
- The number of individuals (abundance)
- Stranded / in the sea, coastal waters / offshore

If you see these jellyfishes, send an e-mail  
(preferably with a picture) to [tudav@tudav.org](mailto:tudav@tudav.org)

Web site: [www.tudav.org](http://www.tudav.org)  
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## SYMPTOMS

Redness, Swelling, Inflammation, Itching, Pain, Numbness, Nausea, Vomiting,  
Diarrhea, Muscle Spasm, Fever.  
Several of the complaints can coexist.

## TREATMENT

- Remain calm! Get out of the water.
- To remove stingers from skin use sea water. Do not apply ice, hand or towel.
- Do not touch with bare hands. Rinse with vinegar remove the stingers.  
Use vinegar wetted towel for 30 minutes.
- Scrape the skin closely with credit cards or knife blade deactivate the remaining  
stingers. After 15 minutes apply vinegar again.
- Get medical care if you are experiencing any symptoms worse than skin irritation  
or have trouble breathing after first aid.
- If you feel worse : Lay on the ground, turn on your side  
Call an ambulance:

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