

# Hydrophones

Our hydrophones are a powerful tool for figuring out where we are in the water. Using 4 hydrophones, we can calculate our bearing to the pinger. For details, see [Pinger Bearing](#).

## Testing Procedure

Materials:

```
1 tub of water
1 pinger
Hydrophone Test Rig
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Test Rig:

Pinger at one end of tub

hydrophones at other end of tub

If lots of noise in readings observed, can place towels around tub

Procedure:

```
1- ssh into the sub
2- roslaunch robosub cobalt.launch
3- rosrunc robosub pinger_bearing
4- rostopic echo /hydrophones/bearing
5- Manipulate hydrophones & Observe bearing readings
```

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