

Computer monitors float, screen upwards

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Oceanographer Curtis Ebbesmeyer made another appearance on [my local public radio station](#). Among the ocean garbage trivia is the fact that [computer monitors float screen upwards](#) (timecode 4:00).

Other fascinating facts:

- Garbage from Japan collects near the United States; garbage from the United States collects near Japan.
- Researchers studying dead albatross chicks have found 60-year-old plastic in the birds' stomachs.
- Some beaches “specialize” in certain types of garbage.

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