

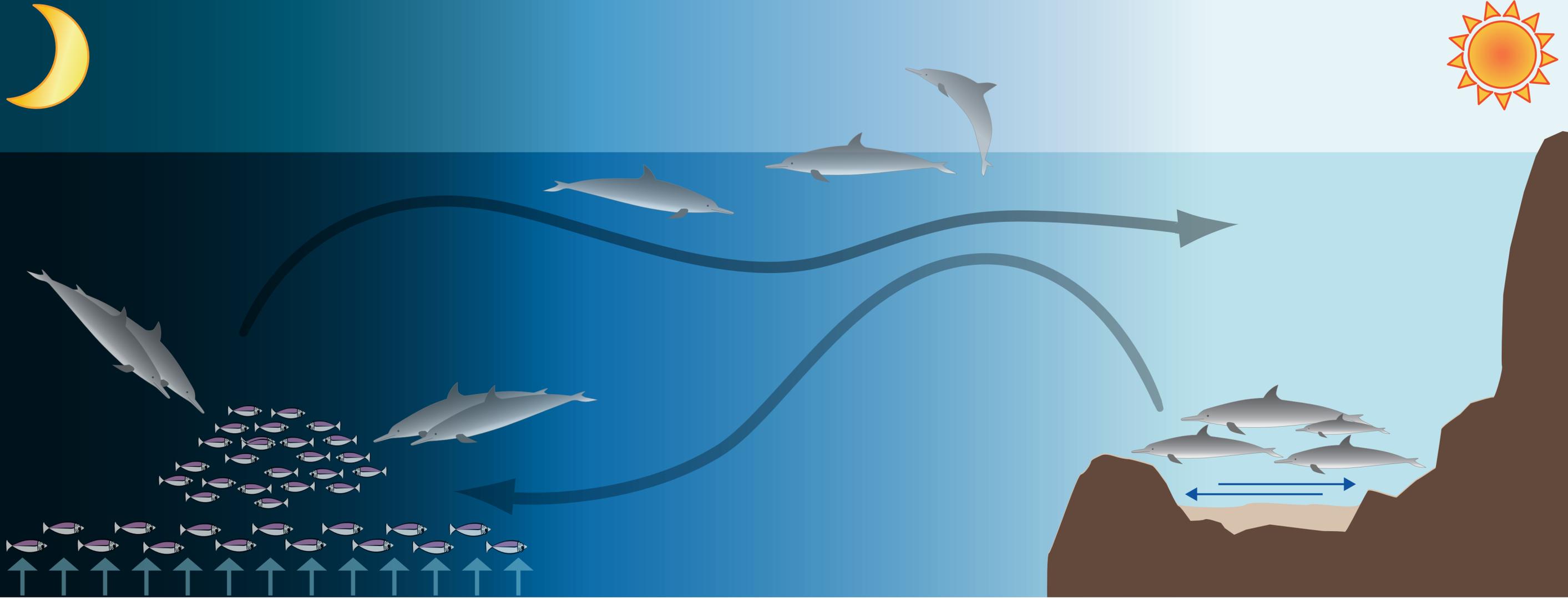
A DAY IN THE LIFE OF A WILD SPINNER DOLPHIN



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FEEDING

Wild spinner dolphins hunt and feed at night off shore in large groups.

Between their evening hunts and daytime resting periods wild spinner dolphins display high energy, aerial behaviors.

RESTING

Wild spinner dolphins rest, care for their young, and recuperate in shallow bays during the day. Swimming with or closely approaching wild spinner dolphins during their resting period may impact their health and long term survival.