



USS Wisconsin Amateur Radio Club
Call sign: N4WIS
Nauticus National Marine Center
Norfolk, Virginia

The USS Wisconsin Radio Club acquaints visitors with WWII era military radio communications and promotes worldwide recognition of the museum-ship through shipborne amateur radio operations.

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N4WIS.org

USS Wisconsin BB64

Displacement:	45,000 tons (light load)	Draft:	27 ½ Ft (light load)
	58,000 tons (fully loaded)		37 ¾ Ft (fully loaded)
Length:	887 ½ Ft	Beam:	108 ¼ Ft

Armament:	Propulsion:	Compliment of crew:
16" 50 cal guns 9	Steam Turbines	2,900 in 1940's
5" 38 cal guns 20	Boilers (600 psi) 8	2,600 in 1950's
Tomahawk Cruise 32	Shafts 4	1,600 in 1980's
Harpoon Anti-Ship 16	Ships HP 210,000	
Phalanx (Gatling Gun)	Speed 33 knots	

Keel laid: Jan 25, 1941 at Philadelphia Naval Shipyard	Launched: Dec 7, 1943
First Commissioned: Apr 16, 1944	Final Decom: Sep 30, 1991
	Final Mooring: Dec 7, 2000
Transferred to City Of Norfolk: Dec 14, 2009	

The Battleship's Sisters

Six ships were authorized. [Illinois and Kentucky cancelled.] Only four were commissioned.

Name	Museum Ship Location	Tactical Call Sign	Amateur Radio Call Sign
USS Iowa	(BB-61) Los Angeles, CA	NEPM	NI6BB
USS New Jersey	(BB-62) Camden, NJ	NEPP	NH2BB
USS Missouri	(BB-63) Pearl Harbor, HI	NCBL	KH6BB
USS Wisconsin	(BB-64) Norfolk, VA	NUGW	N4WIS

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