

“Battle 360-Vengeance at Midway” Video Guide

Directions: *Answer the video guide questions as you watch this documentary. All questions are in order.*

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=C4dya7mMSLE&t=39s>

1. How many aircraft carriers did Japan have in their navy? How many aircraft carriers did the United States have in their navy?
2. Why did Japan target Midway Island? What was its strategic importance?
3. What weapons did the Japanese carrier Kaga have for defense?
4. How did McCluskey's bomber squadron locate the Japanese carriers?
5. Which was the first Japanese carrier to be hit by American bombers?
6. How many Japanese carriers were sunk in the first morning's bombing raid by the Americans?
7. Which American carrier was crippled and eventually sunk by the Japanese counterattack?
8. By the end of the Battle of Midway, how many of the Japanese carriers had been sunk?
9. What did the American victory at Midway cause Japanese Admiral Yamamoto to do?