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# **Outer Continental Shelf (OCS): Military Activities & Future Oil and Gas Development**

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# Purpose

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**To report the results from the DoD  
assessment of the MMS OCS Oil &  
Gas Leasing Program 2012-2017**

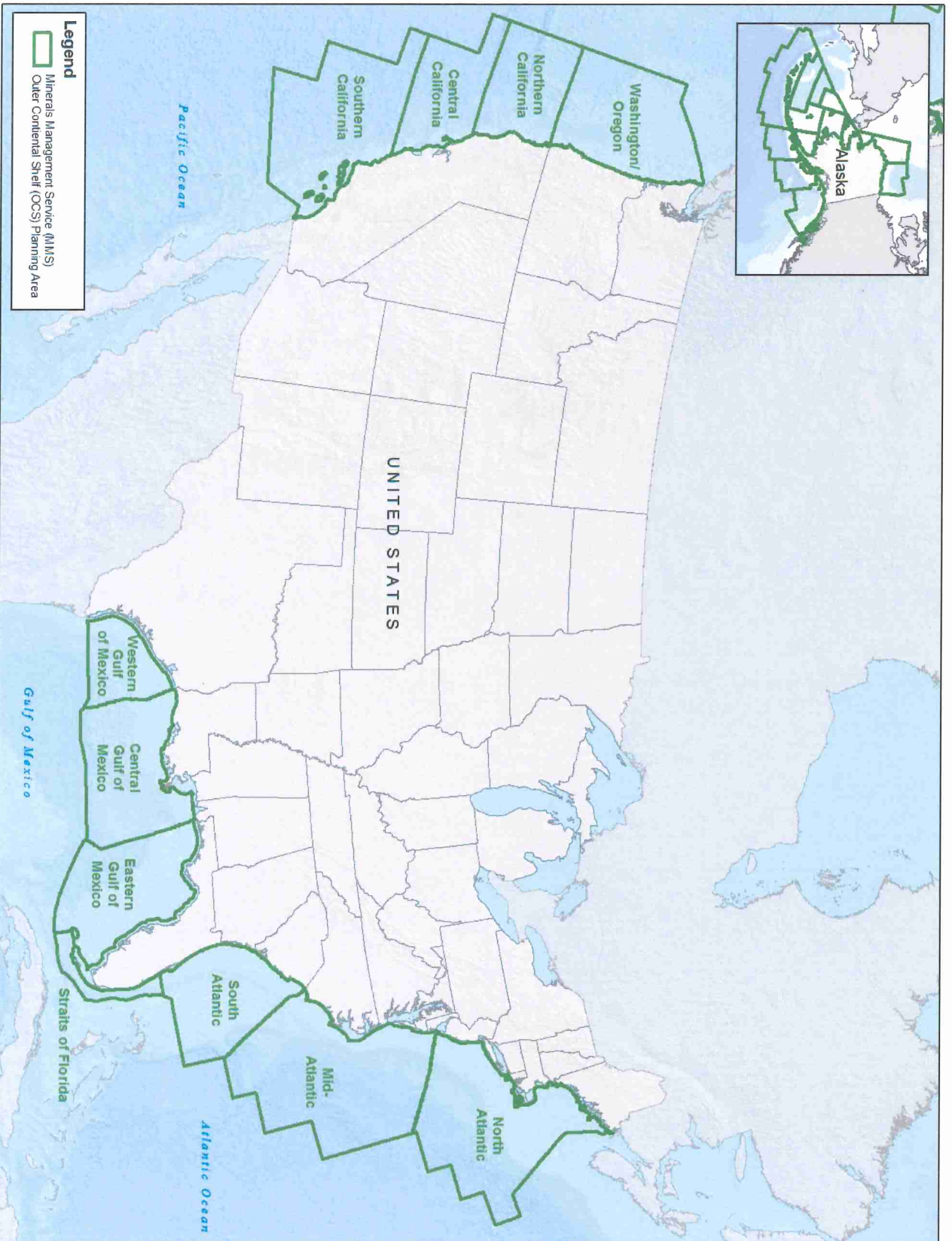


# Methodology

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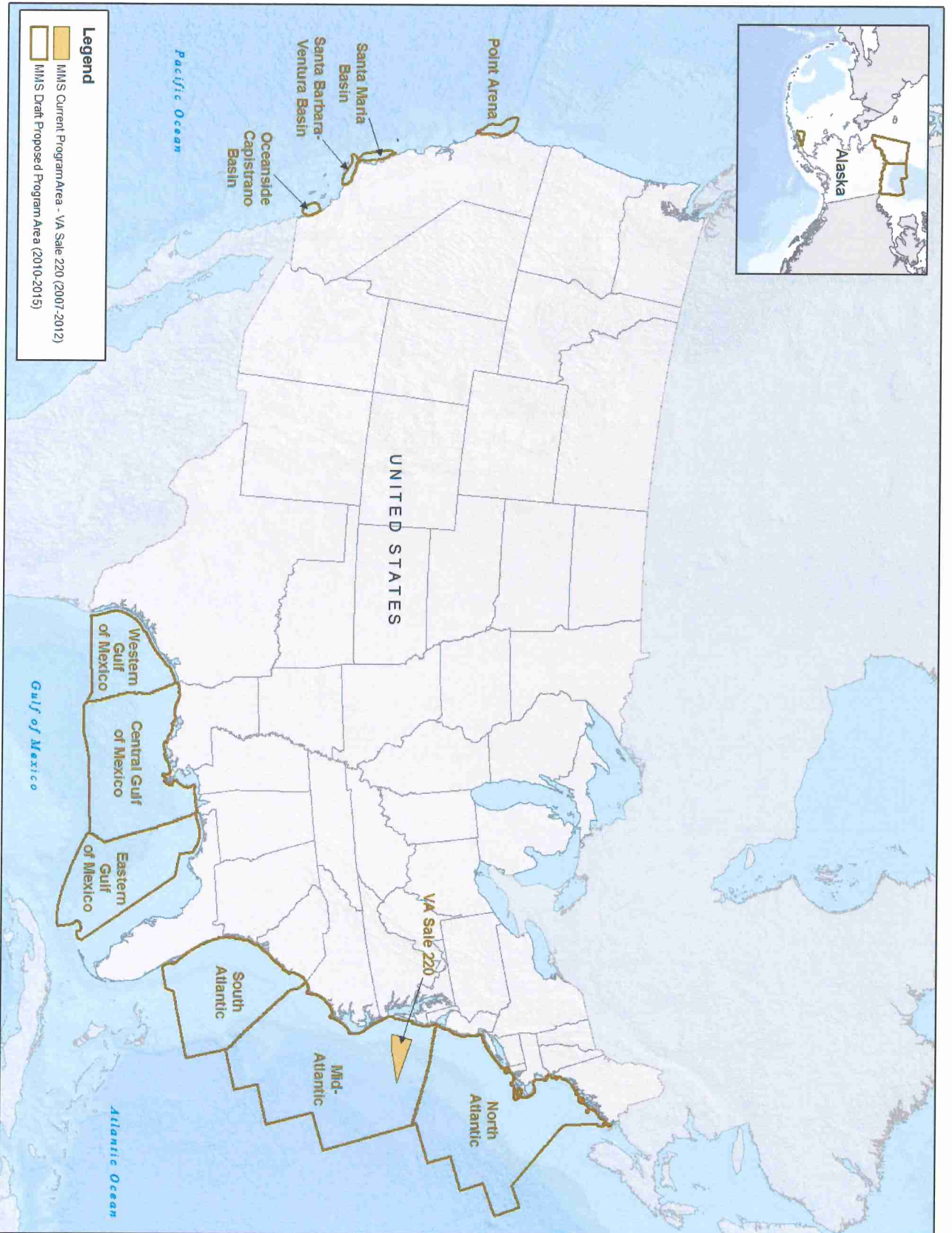
- **Categorize DoD offshore equities using:**
  - 1. Unrestricted**
  - 2. Site Specific Stipulations**
  - 3. No Permanent Oil & Gas Surface Structures**
  - 4. No Oil & Gas Activity**
- **DoD Operating Area (OPAREA) overlaid with Minerals Management Service (MMS) Planning/Program Area**
- **Extensive analysis and coordination process with Services**

# Overview: MMS Planning Areas

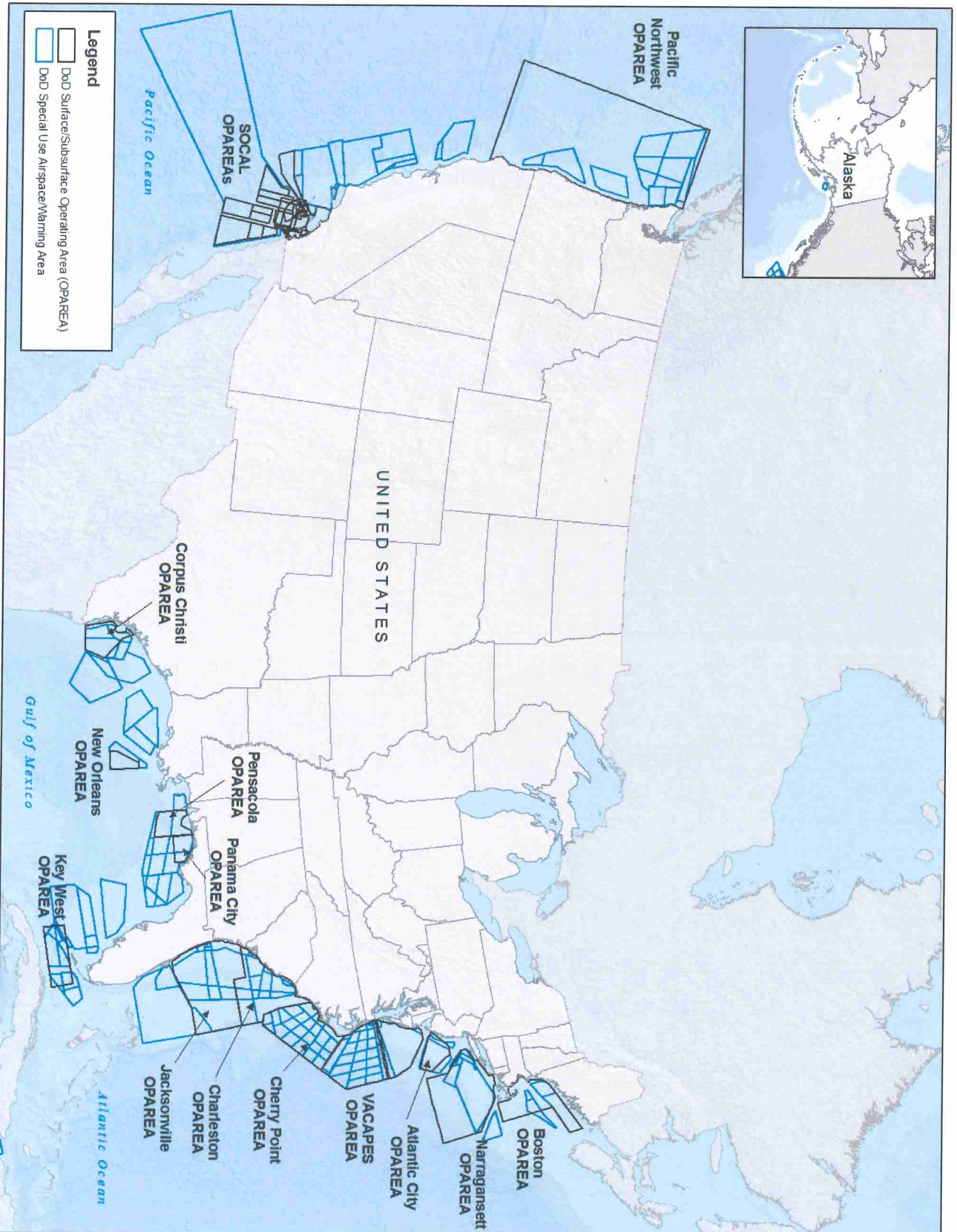




# Overview: MMS Program Areas

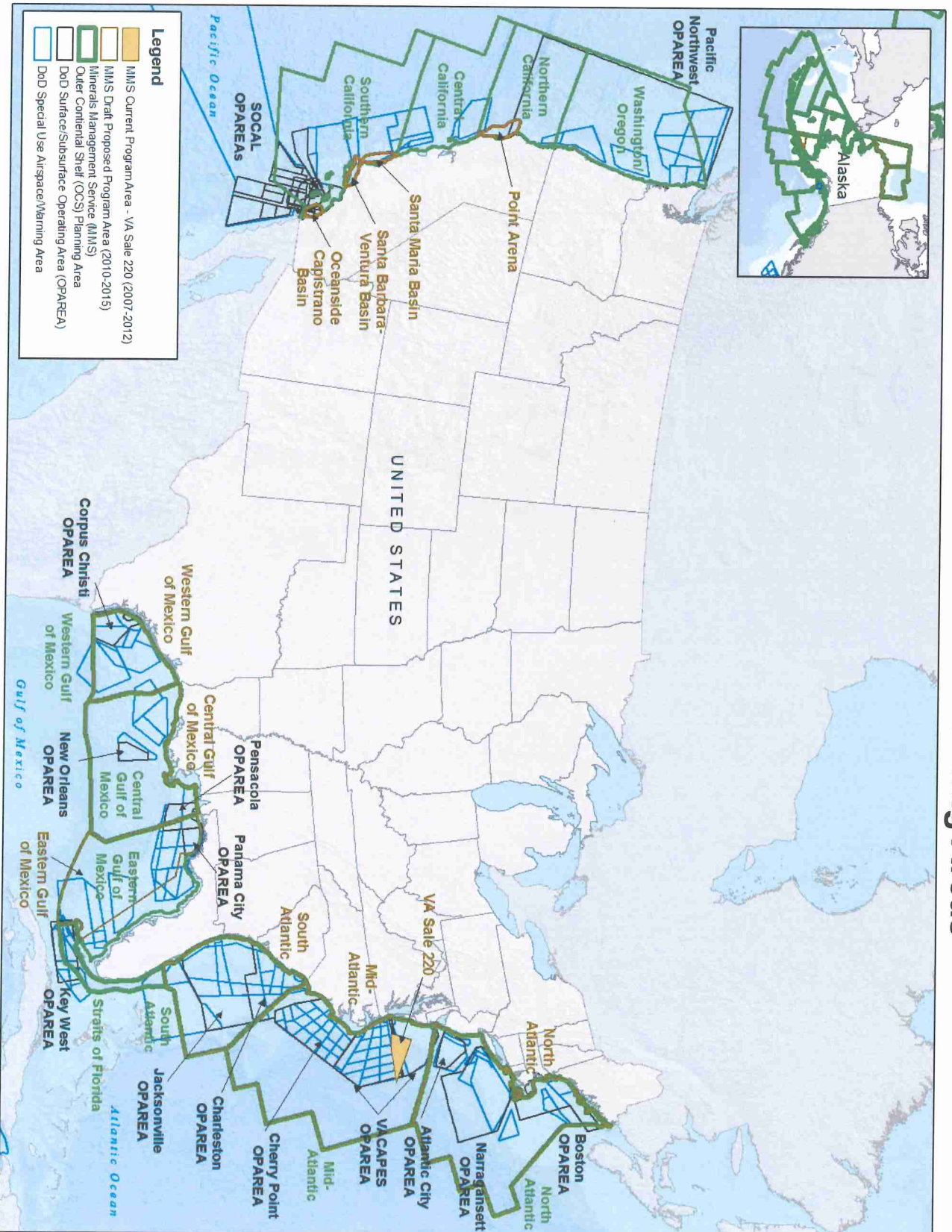


# Overview: DoD OPAREAs & Warning Areas





# Overview: MMS Planning Areas, MMS Program Areas and DOD OPAREAs & Warning Areas



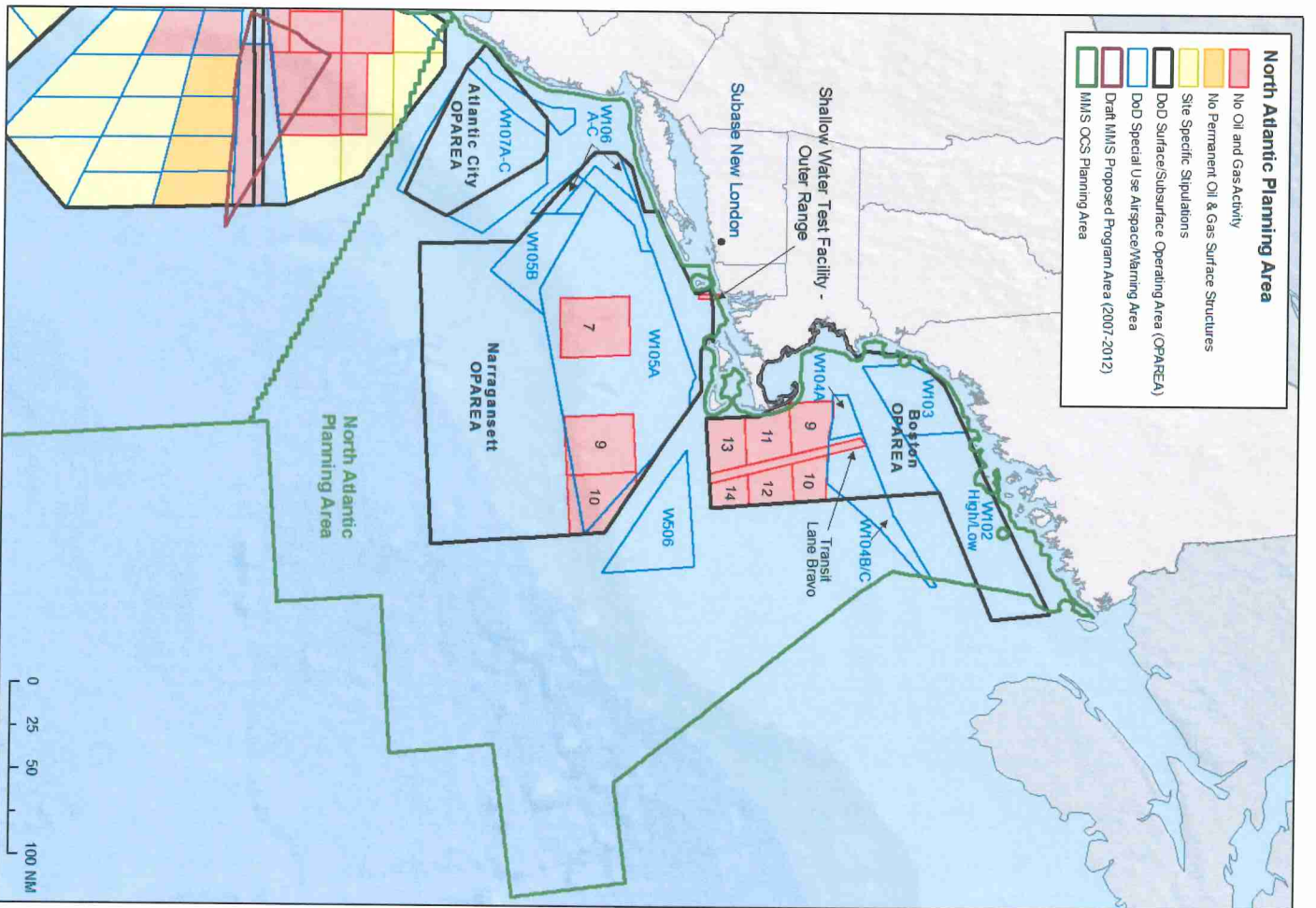
## North Atlantic Summary

### North Atlantic Planning Area/ Program Area

No Oil and Gas Activity	7%
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### No Oil & Gas Activity area concerns:

- Sensitive fleet operations and Test & Evaluation (T&E) events





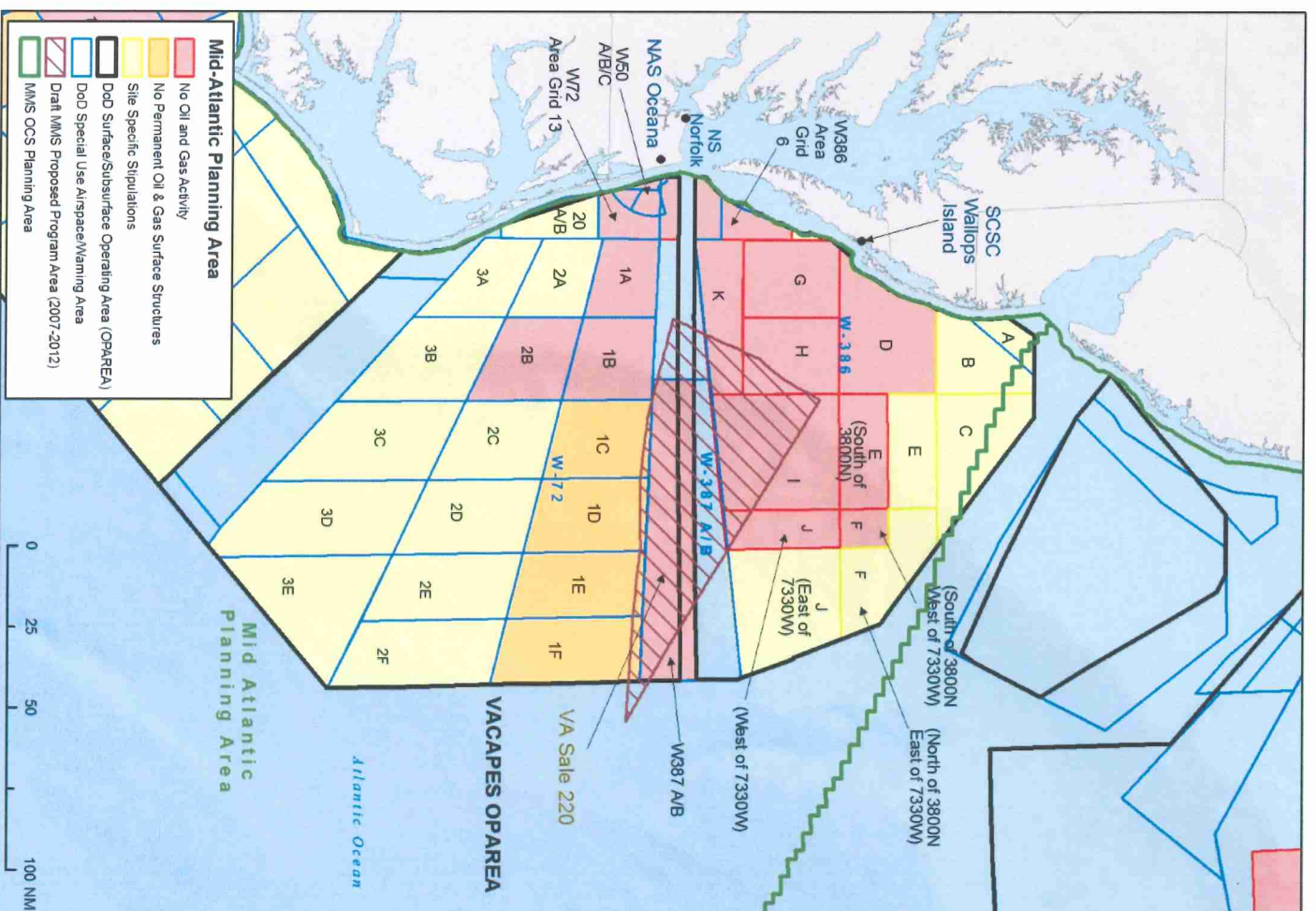
# Mid-Atlantic Summary

## Mid Atlantic Planning/ Program Areas

No Oil & Gas Activity	9%
No Permanent Oil & Gas Surface Structures	5%
Site Specific Stipulations	22%
Unrestricted	64%

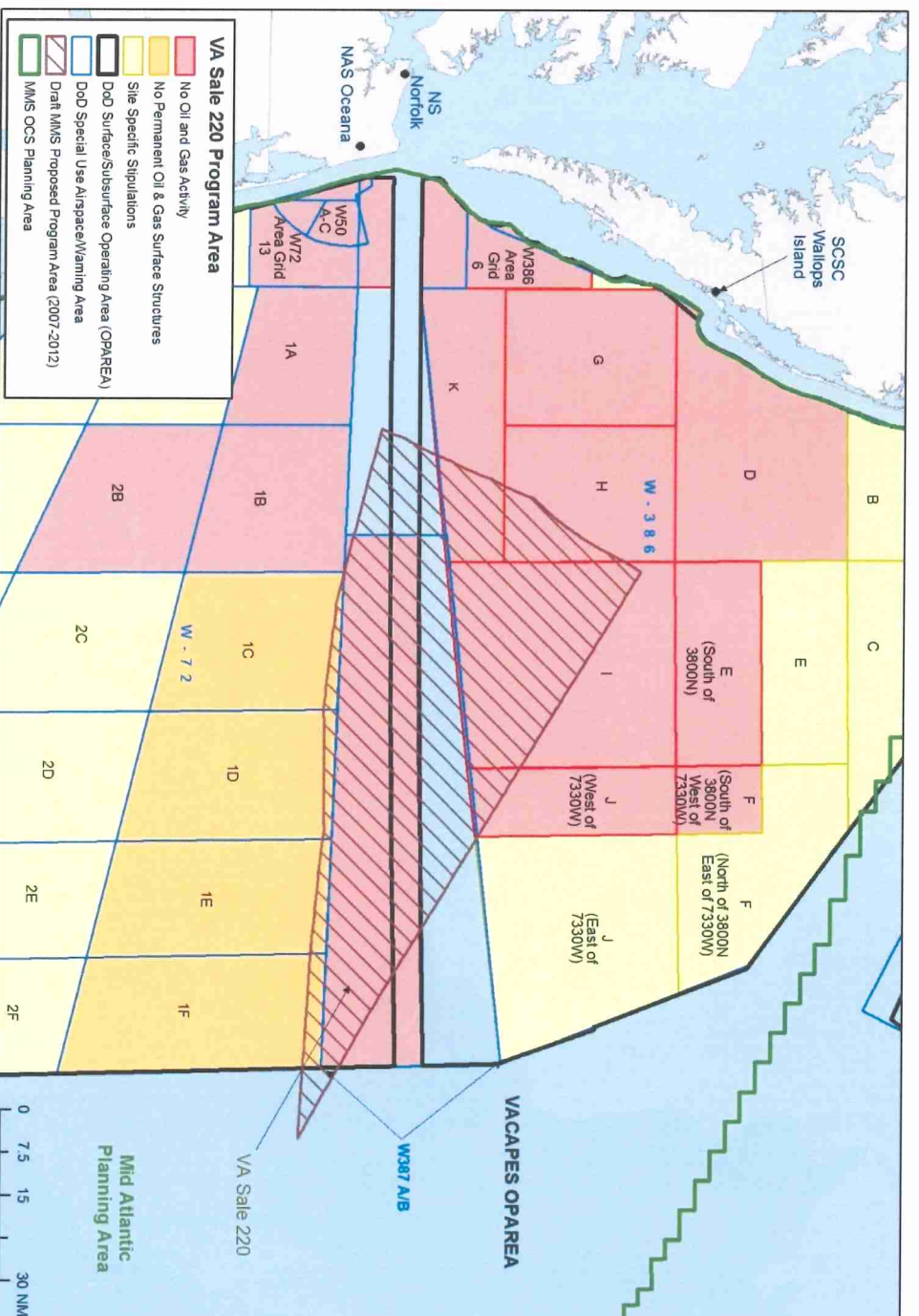
### No Oil & Gas Activity area concerns:

- Live ordnance release and impact:
  - Air-surface missile/bomb
- Preservation of sensitive undersea & surface operations
- Combined Shipboard Systems Qualification Trials
- Developmental, Operational and Follow-on Testing and Evaluation



## Virginia Sale 220

No Oil & Gas Activity	72%
No Permanent Oil & Gas Surface Structures	5%
Site Specific Stipulations	1%
Unrestricted	22%



### No Oil & Gas Activity area concerns:

- Live ordnance release and impact: Air-surface missile/bomb, gunnery exercises
- Carrier Qualifications
- Preservation of sensitive undersea & surface operations
- Combined Shipboard Systems Qualification Trials
- Developmental, Operational and Follow-on Testing and Evaluation



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# QUESTIONS