



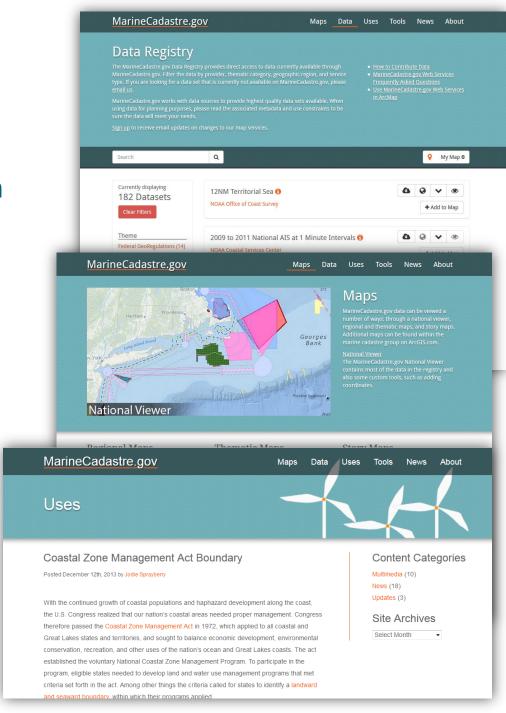
Brief History and Overview

- Marine Information System to support offshore renewable energy planning – EP Act 2005
- Co-led by BOEM and NOAA
- Provides authoritative data, map viewers, tools for the renewable energy & marine planning communities
- Requirements driven



Components

- Access to authoritative ocean data and analysis tools
- Interact with data in viewers and specialized maps
- Learn more from user examples, use cases, and technical support materials



Focus on Authoritative / Trusted Data

- Jurisdictions and Boundaries
- Ocean Uses
- Marine Habitat
- Physical and Oceanographic
- Marine Mammals and Turtles
- Birds
- Corals
- Basemaps







Data Focus Areas

Recent

- Bird Probability Mid Atlantic
- Atlantic/Gulf Seagrasses
- 2012 Commercial Ship Traffic (AIS)
- Critical Habitat
- Deep Corals
- Oil and Gas Resource Plays
- Recreational Use
- Sediment Samples
- Seismic Anomalies
- Shoreline Classification
- Ocean Disposal Sites
- Pacific/Caribbean Seagrasses
- Pilot Boarding Areas
- West Coast Benthic

Future

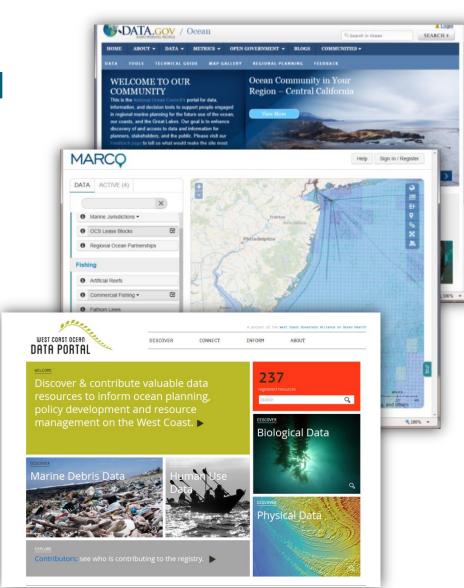
- □ 2013, 2014 AIS
- Aquaculture
- Fisheries Data
- Marine Mammals Updates
- Navy Operation Areas
- Sand and Gravel Borrow areas
- Shallow-water Benthic Cover
- Submarine Cables
- West Coast Bathymetry
- West Coast Bird & Mammal Surveys

Sharing Data

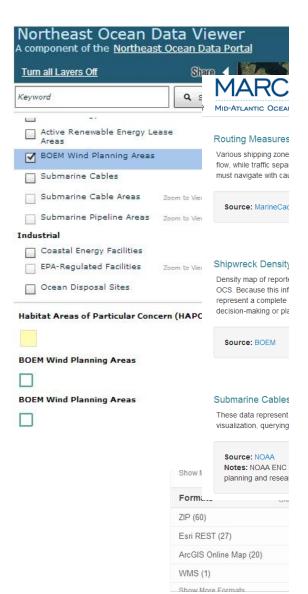
- Map Services
- 58 Distributed Map Services
 - ~250 data layers
- 28 Data Providers
 - 16 publishing map services

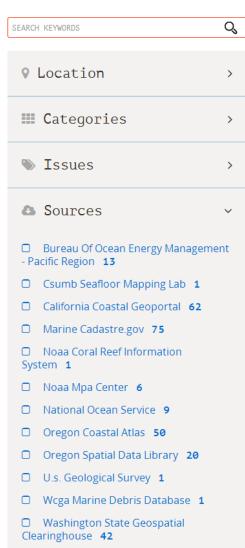
Regional Ocean Partnerships

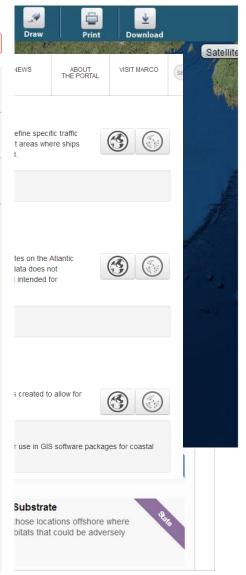
- Authoritative National level data being integrated into regional portals
- Many data layers being consumed as web services
- Collaboration on portal design and data management
- Sharing lessons learned









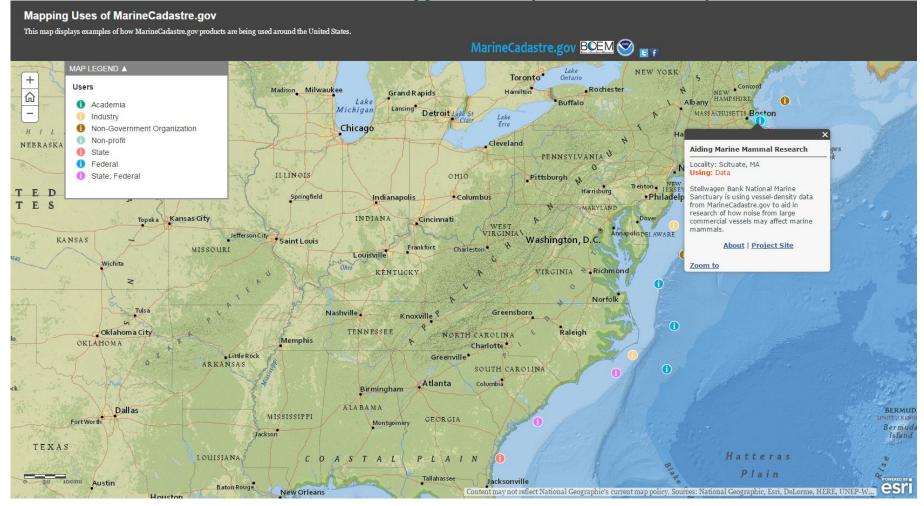


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New Features Demo

Who is using it and how?

Industry and Consultants; Regional Ocean Partnerships; Federal and State Agencies; Academia; NGOs...

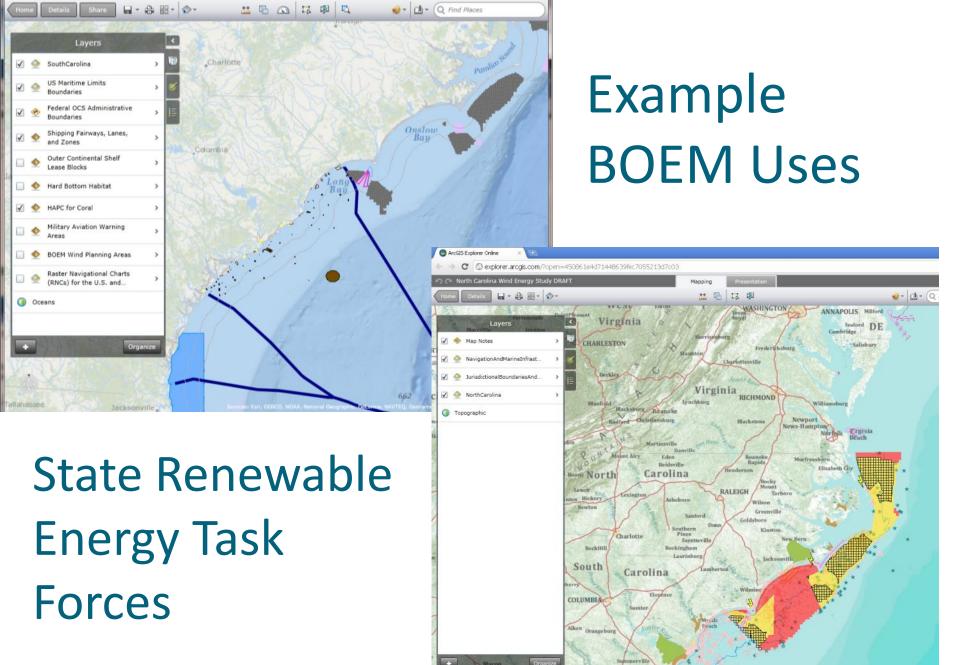


Use by Industry and Consultants

- Screening Potential Locations for Offshore Energy Projects
- Providing Access to Information for Environmental Assessments







Questions?



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