

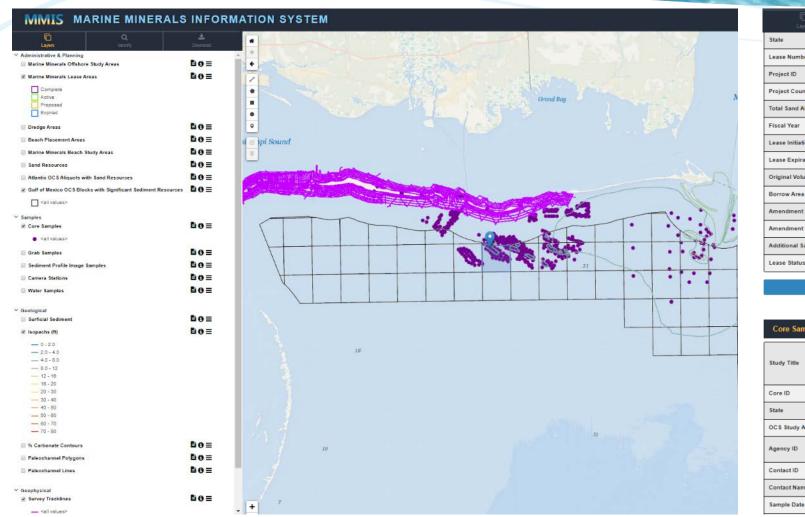
Marine Minerals Information System

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Restoring and Protecting Our Nation's Coasts through Stewardship of OCS Sediment

Steward of OCS Sediment Resources



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State		MS	
Lease Number		OCS-G-35929	
Project ID		MsCIP 2017	
Project Count		1	
Total Sand Allocated		19800000	
Fiscal Year		2017	
Lease Initiation Date		12/1/2016	
Lease Expiration Date		12/1/2021	
Original Volume Allocated		19800000	
Borrow Area ID		PBP West 1, 3-6, PBP East 1-5	
Amendment Date		Null	
Amendment Number		Null	
Additional Sand Allocated		Null	
Lease Status		Active	

Core Samples		
Study Title	Mississippi Coastal Improvement Program (MsCIP): Mississippi Sound And The Gulf Of Mexico Benthic Macroinfauna Community Assessment	
Core ID	BI-PBS-94-12	
State	MS	
OCS Study Area ID	CoastalMS_MsCIP	
Agency ID US Army Corps of Engineers, State Mississippi		
Contact ID	American Vibracore Systems, Inc.	
Contact Name	Mike FitzHarris, Geologist	
Sample Date	11/26/2012	

Open Related Data

- Sand Unit ThicknessVolume
 - Grain Size
- Munsell Color
- Percent Sand

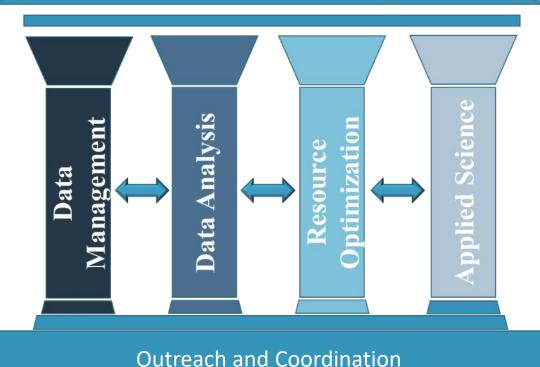
managing physical sediment resources across xx million acres of offshore



MMIS - Agenda

- What is MMIS?
- o MMIS
 - Viewer
 - Data
 - Sediment Resource Evaluation
 - Managing Multiple Uses of the OCS
 - Decision Support Tools
- Outreach and Coordination
- Opportunities
- Summary





need to know what we have to manage the resource successfully



Data Development



Analyzed Geotechnical / Geophysical Source Data

Digital data from physical core samples





Digital derived data from external drives, CD's, paper sources

Cooperative Agreements





Leasing data

Dredge data





Research /
Environmental
Studies Data

Bathymetry & Backscatter

Enterprise Relational Database

Environmental Data

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Bottom Characteristics

Leasing / Planning/Construction

Lease Areas
Dredge Areas
Beach Placement Areas
Outer Continental Shelf Study Area
Beach Study Areas
Avoidance Areas
Sand Resources

Discover

Analysis

Id Gaps

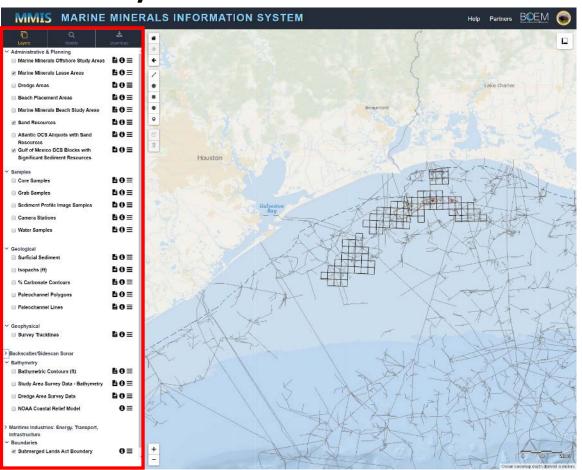




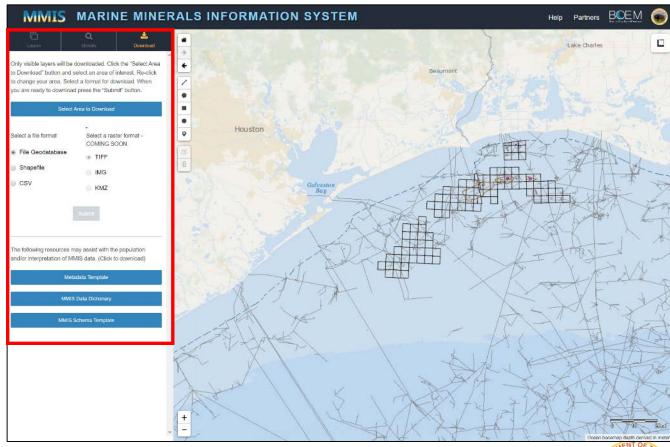


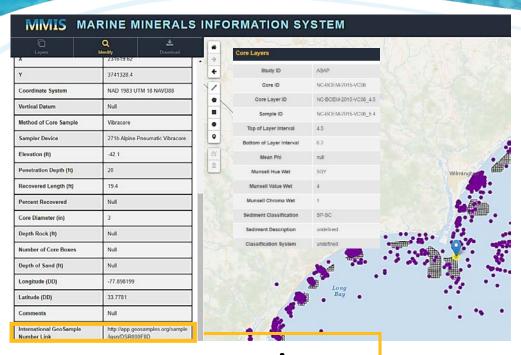


Viewer Layers



Viewer Downloads





Access SESAR sample profile **Via**IGSN link in *Identify* tool window

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http://www.geosamples.org/

IGSN (international geosample number) SESAR sample profile and links

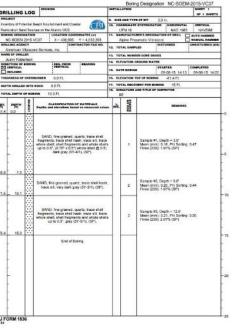






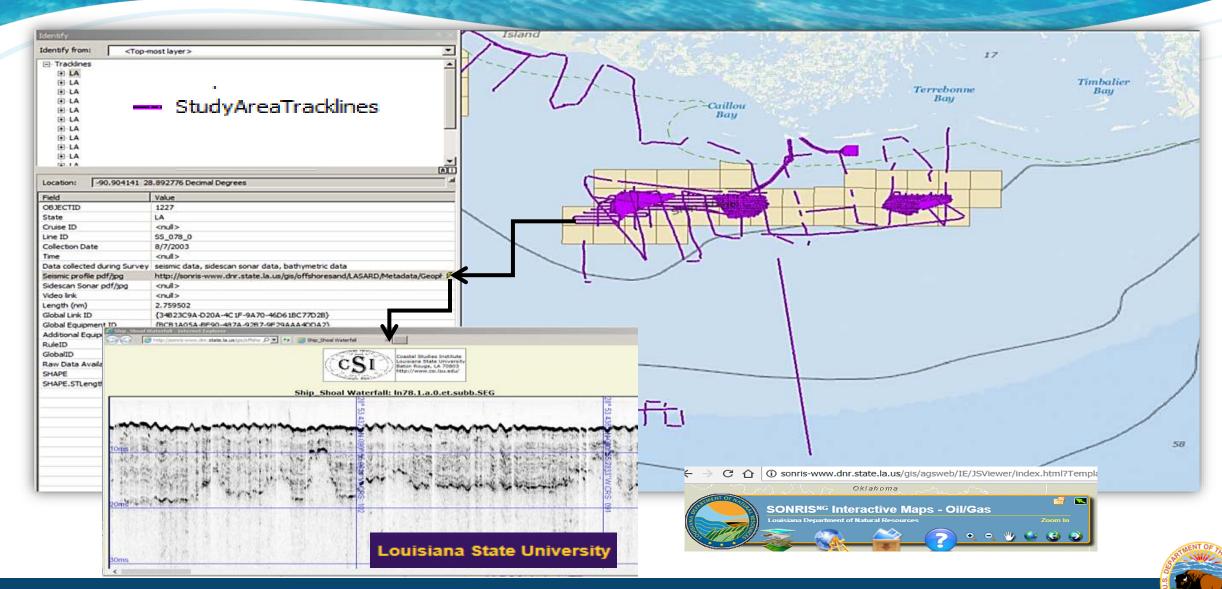
View photos, logs, grain-size stats, etc. via link in SESAR profile or Sample Attachments table







Partner Seismic Data

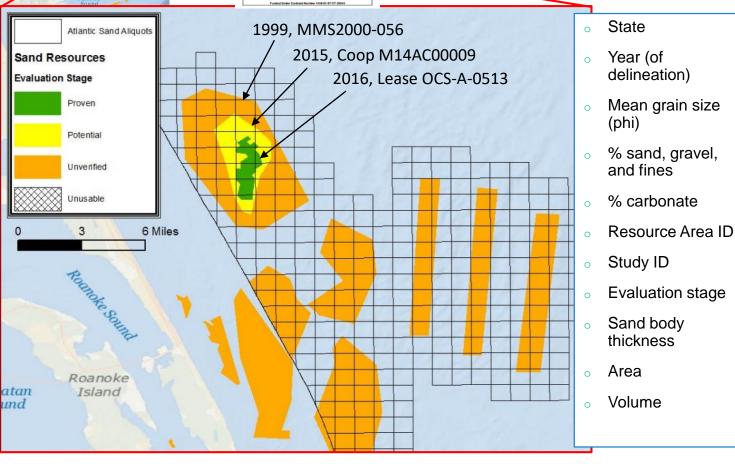


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Sediment Resource Evaluation





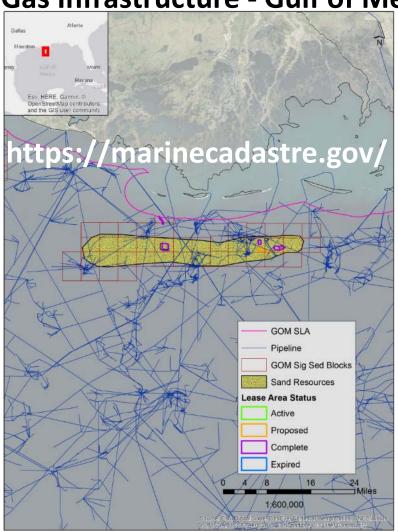


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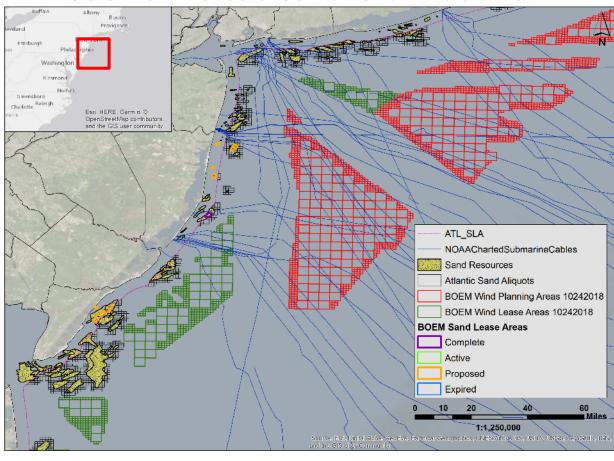
Cooperative Agreement

Evaluation Stage	Description
Proven	Resource areas whose thickness and lateral extent have been fully determined through design-level geotechnical and seismic coverage. Generally reserved for (but not limited to) areas that have already been authorized as part of a lease.
Potential	Resource areas whose existence has been verified through sufficient geotechnical and geophysical data. Thickness and/or lateral extent has not been fully determined. All areas have some combination of geotechnical and geophysical datasets (vibracore, bathymetry, sidescan, and seismic).
Unverified	Resource areas hypothesized to exist on the basis of indirect evidence (seismic profiles, bathymetry, or sidescan sonar). Inferred sediment types, unit thicknesses and lateral extents have not been confirmed through direct sampling methods.
Unusable	Resource areas that as a result of additional surveys, prior dredging activity, or infrastructure development are not (or no longer) suitable for future dredging; this designation should not be considered terminal and is subject to change.

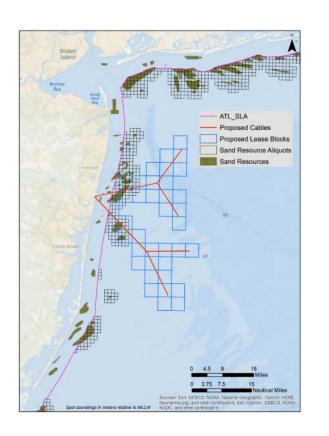
Oil & Gas Infrastructure - Gulf of Mexico

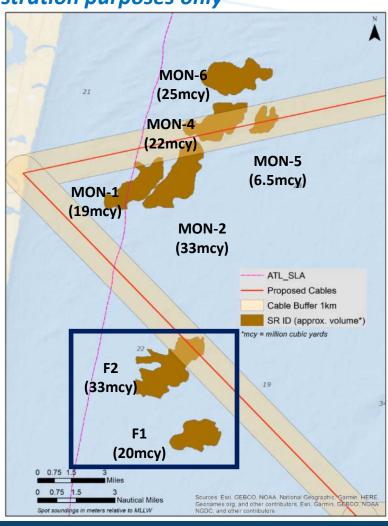


Submarine Cables – North Atlantic

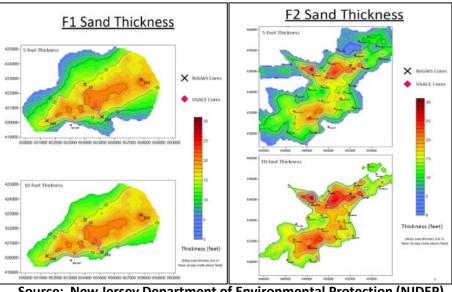


Hypothetical cable route for illustration purposes only





evaluate impacts to quantify potential losses



Source: New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP)
/ New Jersey Geological Survey (NJGS)

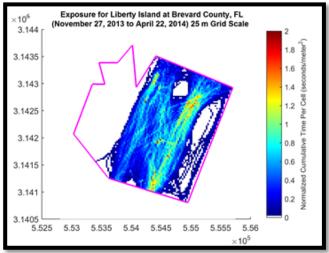
make recommendations for proposed alternatives



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Dredge Intensity Products into MMIS

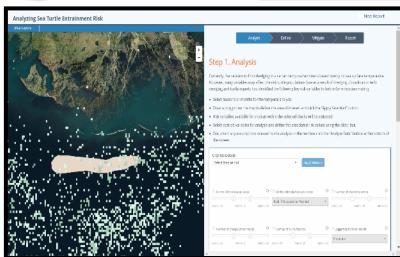




MMIS Datasets into Decision Support Tools











EFH Tool





Outreach and Coordination

Federal Agencies

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State Entities

- •New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection
- •New York State Department of State
- Virginia Department of Mines, Minerals and Energy
- •Maryland Department of Natural Resources
- •Florida Department of Environmental Protection
- South Carolina Department of Natural Resources
- •Maine Geological Survey
- •Louisiana Geological Survey
- •Geological Survey of Alabama

Educational Institutions

- •University of Delaware Delaware Geological Survey
- •University of Rhode Island
- •University of New Hampshire
- •University of Massachusetts Amherst Massachusetts Geological Survey
- Dept of Geological Sciences, East Carolina University & UNC Coastal Studies Institute
- •Skidway Institute of Oceanography, University of Georgia
- •Louisiana State University
- •The University of Texas
- •Texas A&M University

Industry

- •Coastal Engineering Consulting Firms
- •Geospatial Services Services

Community Associations

- ASBPA
- FSBPA
- NCBIWA
- •Gulf of Mexico Alliance





USGS (St Petersburg, Woods Hole, Santa Cruz)

USACE Districts (New York, Charleston, Philadelphia, Norfolk, Wilmington, Jacksonville, Mobile, New Orleans, Galveston)

NOAA (NCEI, Office of Coastal Management, National Centers for Coastal Ocean Sciences)

Opportunities

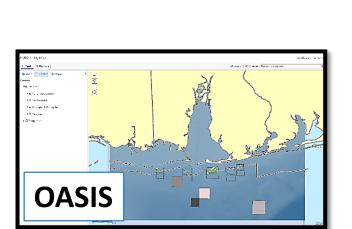


Standard Operating Procedures for Geo-scientific Data Management Louisiana Sand Resources Database (LASARD) Syed Khalal³. Ed Haywood³. and Beth Fornest² LOUISIANA SAND SEPARATION OF ANALYSIS OF ANALYSI



System Interoperability Opportunities

- Louisiana Department of Natural Resources
 - Strategic Online Natural Resources System (SONRIS)
- Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority
 - Louisiana Sand Resource Database (LASARD)
- Florida Department of Environmental Protection
 - Regional Offshore Sand Inventory (ROSSI)
- Texas General Land Office / U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
 - TxSed Mapping Viewer
- Geological Survey of Alabama
 - Offshore Alabama Sand Information System (OASIS)
- USACE
 - Sediment Analysis & Geo-App (SAGA)



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MMIS - Summary

- MMIS is a capability to help BOEM and our partners in offshore mineral resource management (National Sand Inventory)
- MMIS facilitates <u>proactive planning</u>
- MMIS Next Steps
 - Continue to advance and maintain a repository of applicable offshore marine mineral data of BOEM's investments of historic and current project data
 - Continue to work with our partners to improve meaningful data to support planning and operational needs, data discovery and accessibility, and partner usability

Thank you!



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