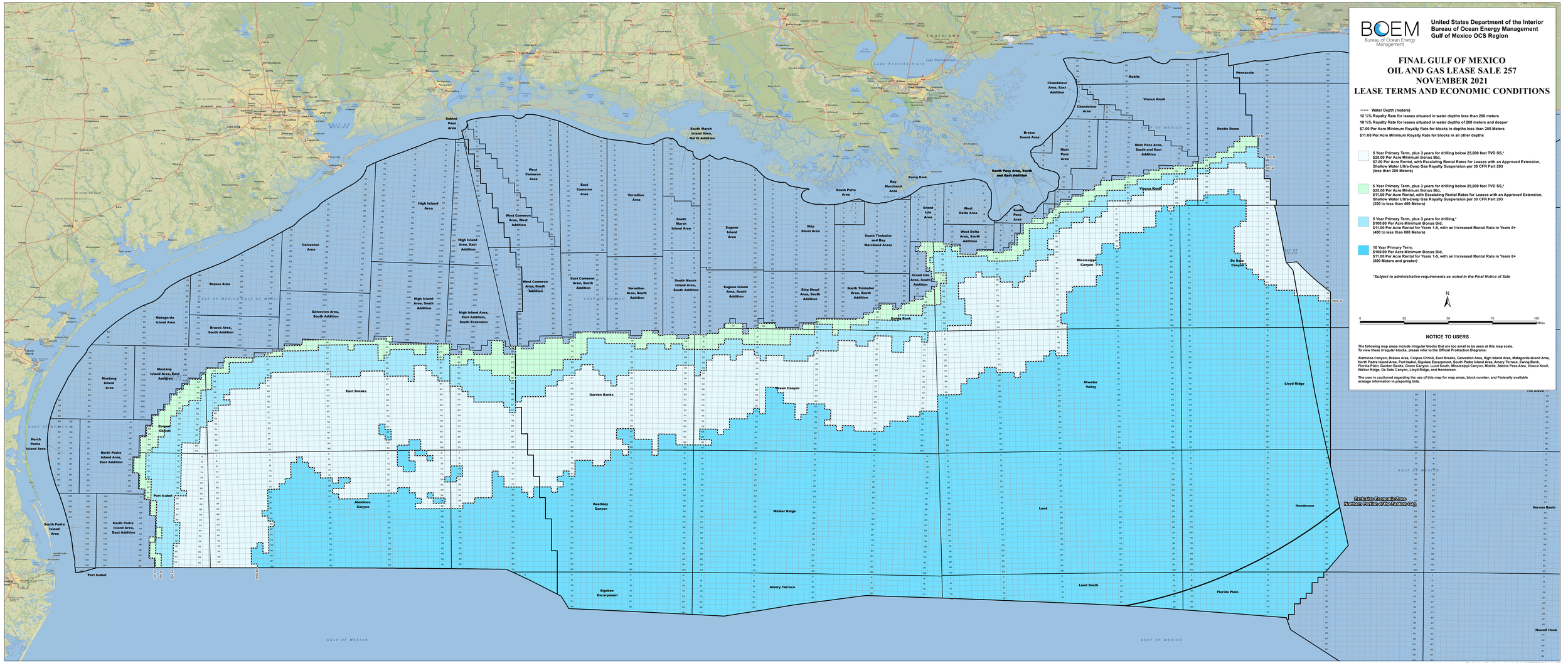

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Sabine Pass Area
West Cameron Area
West Cameron Area, West Addition
West Cameron Area, South Addition
East Cameron Area
East Cameron Area, South Addition
Vermilion Area
Vermilion Area, South Addition
South Marsh Island Area, North Addition
South Marsh Island Area
South Marsh Island Area, South Addition
Eugene Island Area
Eugene Island Area, South Addition
Ship Shoal Area
Ship Shoal Area, South Addition
South Pelto Area
Bay Marchand Area
South Timbalier and Bay Marchand Areas
South Timbalier Area, South Addition
Ewing Bank
Grand Isle Area
Grand Isle Area, South Addition
West Delta Area
West Delta Area, South Addition
South Pass Area
South Pass Area, South and East Addition
Breton Sound Area
Main Pass Area
Main Pass Area, South and East Addition
Chandeleur Area
Chandeleur Area, East Addition
Mobile
Viosca Knoll
Pensacola
Destin Dome
High Island Area
High Island Area, East Addition
High Island Area, South Addition
High Island Area, East Addition, South Extension
Galveston Area
Galveston Area, South Addition
Brazos Area
Brazos Area, South Addition
Matagorda Island Area
Mustang Island Area
Mustang Island Area, East Addition
North Padre Island Area
North Padre Island Area, East Addition
South Padre Island Area
South Padre Island Area, East Addition
Corpus Christi
Port Isabel
East Breaks
Alaminos Canyon
Garden Banks
Keathley Canyon
Sigsbee Escarpment
Green Canyon
Walker Ridge
Amery Terrace
Mississippi Canyon
Atwater Valley
Lund
Lund South
De Soto Canyon
Lloyd Ridge
Henderson
Florida Plain
The Elbow
Vernon Basin
Howell Hook
Exclusive Economic Zone Northern Portion of the Eastern Gap
GULF OF MEXICO
LOUISIANA
Lake Pontchartrain
Houston
Galveston
Corpus Christi
New Orleans
Baton Rouge
Lake Charles
Beaumont
Port Arthur
Lafayette
Houma
Gulfport
Biloxi
Mobile
Pensacola
Victoria
Brownsville
200 M
400 M
800 M
1600 M

┄┄ Water Depth (meters)

12 ½% Royalty Rate for leases situated in water depths less than 200 meters

18 ¾% Royalty Rate for leases situated in water depths of 200 meters and deeper

$7.00 Per Acre Minimum Royalty Rate for blocks in depths less than 200 Meters

$11.00 Per Acre Minimum Royalty Rate for blocks in all other depths

☐ 5 Year Primary Term, plus 3 years for drilling below 25,000 feet TVD SS,*
$25.00 Per Acre Minimum Bonus Bid,
$7.00 Per Acre Rental, with Escalating Rental Rates for Leases with an Approved Extension,
Shallow Water Ultra-Deep Gas Royalty Suspension per 30 CFR Part 203
(less than 200 Meters)

🟩 5 Year Primary Term, plus 3 years for drilling below 25,000 feet TVD SS,*
$25.00 Per Acre Minimum Bonus Bid,
$11.00 Per Acre Rental, with Escalating Rental Rates for Leases with an Approved Extension,
Shallow Water Ultra-Deep Gas Royalty Suspension per 30 CFR Part 203
(200 to less than 400 Meters)

🟦 5 Year Primary Term, plus 3 years for drilling,*
$100.00 Per Acre Minimum Bonus Bid,
$11.00 Per Acre Rental for Years 1-5, with an Increased Rental Rate in Years 6+
(400 to less than 800 Meters)

🟦 10 Year Primary Term,
$100.00 Per Acre Minimum Bonus Bid,
$11.00 Per Acre Rental for Years 1-5, with an Increased Rental Rate in Years 6+
(800 Meters and greater)

**Subject to administrative requirements as noted in the Final Notice of Sale*

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0 25 50 75 100 Miles

NOTICE TO USERS

The following map areas include irregular blocks that are too small to be seen at this map scale.
To view these irregular blocks, please refer to the Official Protraction Diagrams:

Alaminos Canyon, Brazos Area, Corpus Christi, East Breaks, Galveston Area, High Island Area, Matagorda Island Area, North Padre Island Area, Port Isabel, Sigsbee Escarpment, South Padre Island Area, Amery Terrace, Ewing Bank, Florida Plain, Garden Banks, Green Canyon, Lund South, Mississippi Canyon, Mobile, Sabine Pass Area, Viosca Knoll, Walker Ridge, De Soto Canyon, Lloyd Ridge, and Henderson.

The user is cautioned regarding the use of this map for map areas, block number, and Federally available acreage information in preparing bids.

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