

Figure 8:
This map is a combination of

- 1. Vessel Trip Report (VTR)** data from 2007-2015 using the top six Fishery Management Plans (FMPs) by total revenue (Mackerel, Squid, Butterfish; Monkfish; Surfclam, Ocean Quahog; Sea Scallop; Skate; Summer Flounder), and
- 2. Automatic Identification System (AIS) Data** – Fishing and Other ship type codes in federal waters from 2016.

Together, they are a way of understanding the relative importance of an area to the top fisheries that is not skewed by value or effort of any one fishery.

Figure 6*: Biomass data from Northeast Fisheries Science Center (NEFSC) spring season survey trawls.

Figure 7*: All vessel monitoring system (VMS) data from 2015-2019.

* Data source for Figures 6, 7, & 9: Northeast Data Portal

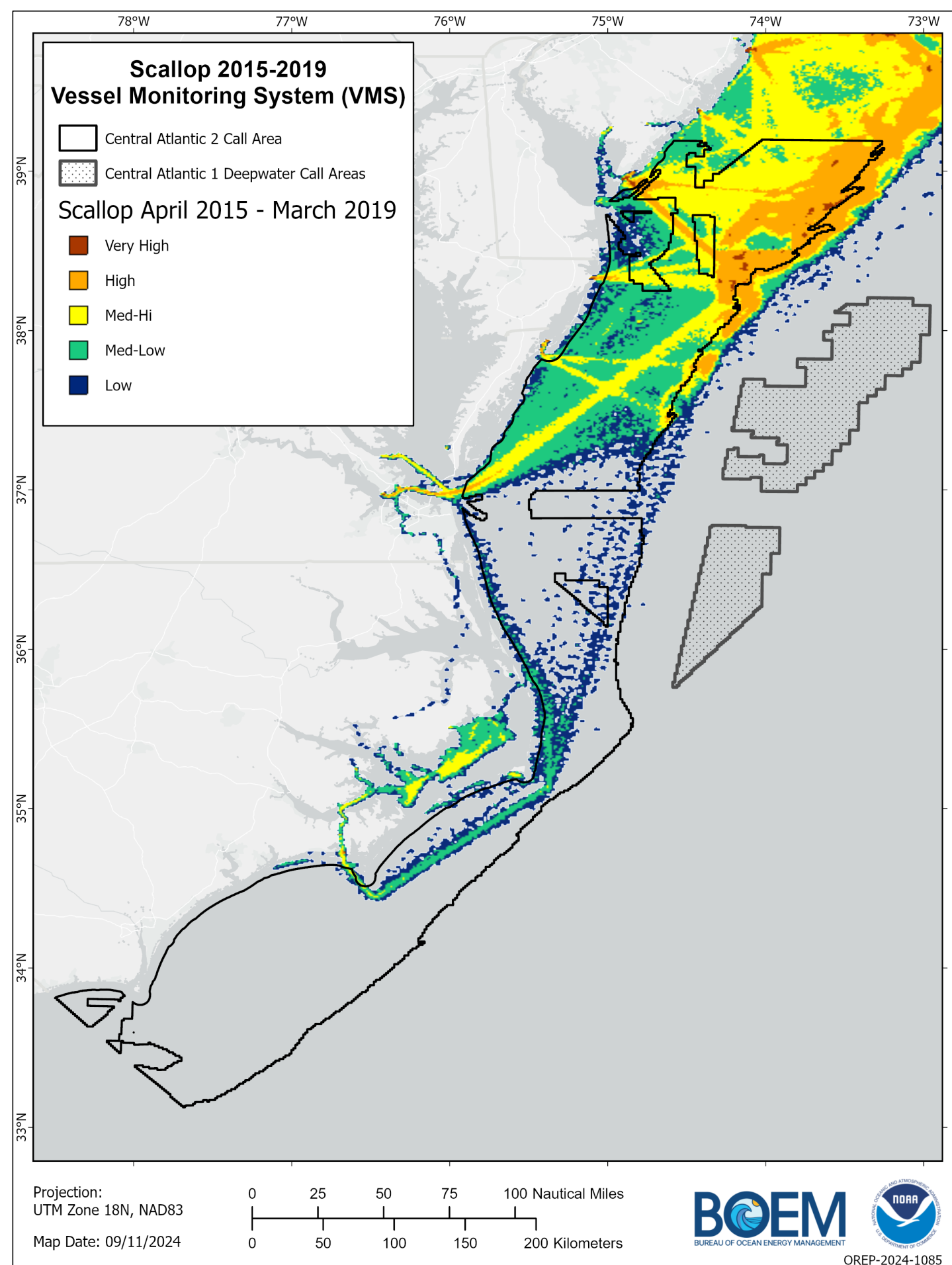


Figure 9*: Vessel Monitoring System (VMS) data showing Scallop fishing.

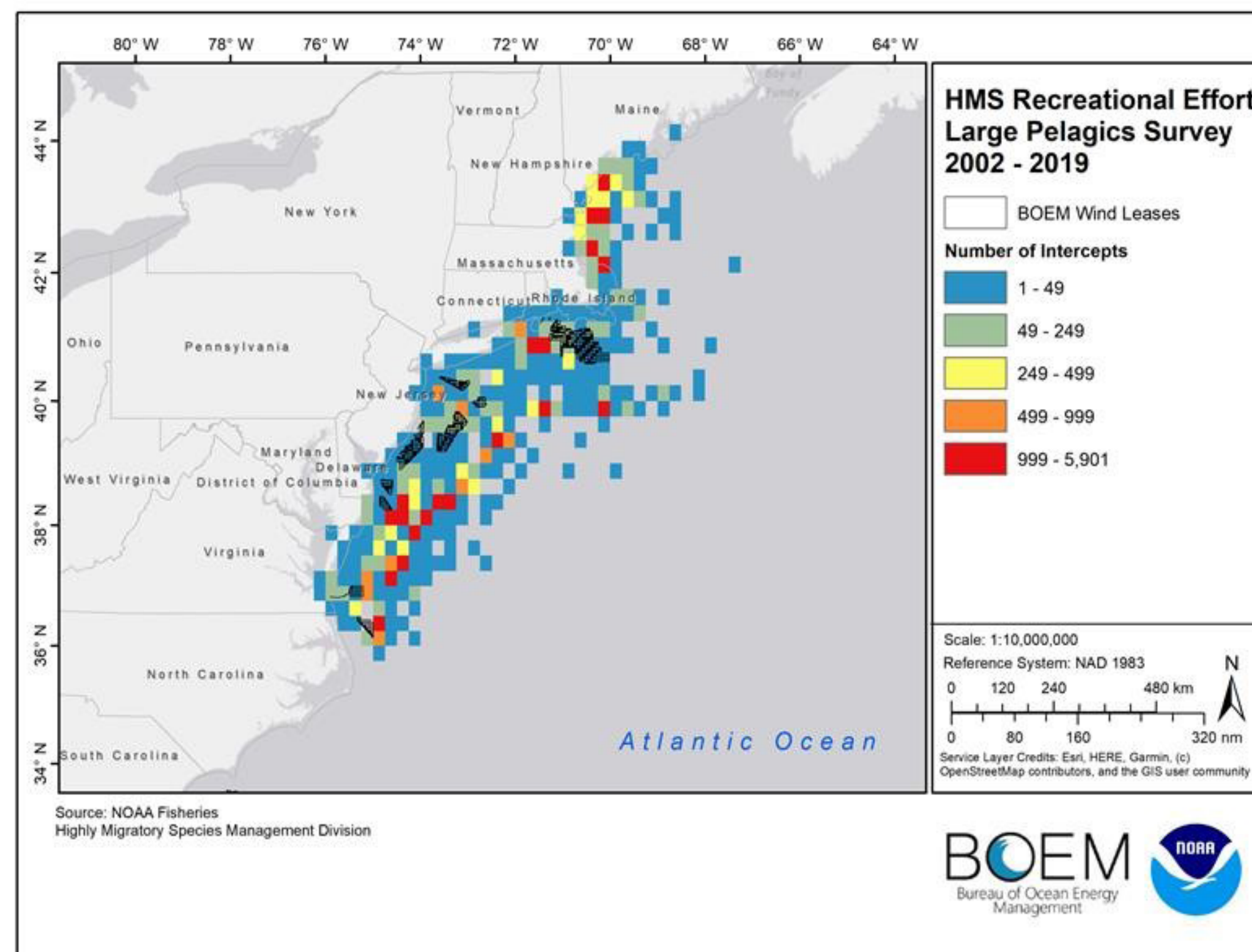


Figure 10: This map shows where recreational fishing for Highly Migratory Species (HMS) Large Pelagics occurred between 2002-2019. It shows number of intercepts (i.e., dockside interviews) relative to location fished for HMS. Figure shows BOEM Wind Leases from before Central Atlantic 1.

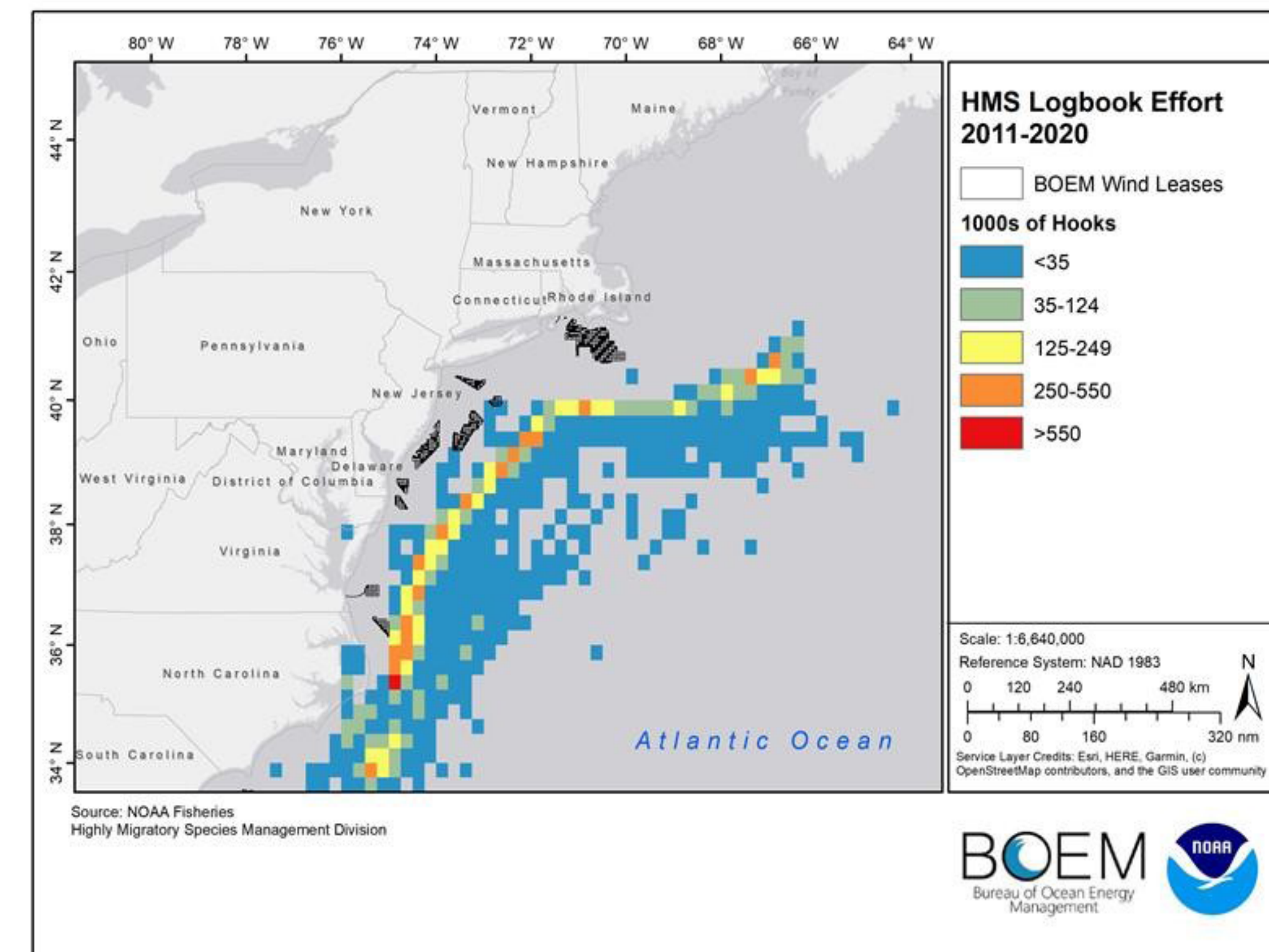


Figure 11: This map shows where HMS fishing effort occurred by using logbook effort (number of hooks). Figure shows BOEM Wind Leases from before Central Atlantic 1.



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