

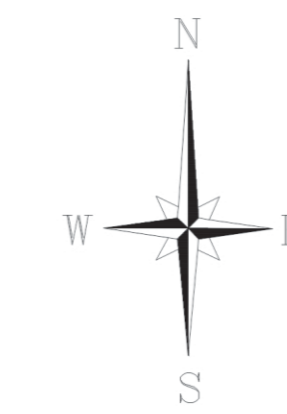
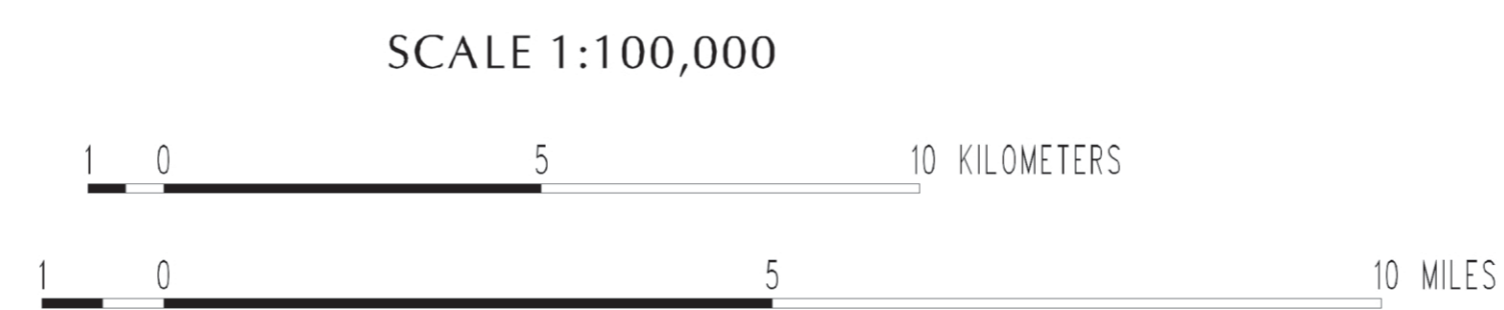
This map presents the State of Mississippi lease blocks for the state-managed, tidally-influenced waters. Additional information for consideration of oil or gas exploration or leasing has been compiled from appropriate sources. The Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) believes the map to be an accurate depiction of this information.

SOURCES: Roads and political boundaries - MARIS (Mississippi Automated Resource Information System); Federal blocks, fairways, pipelines, and wells - U.S. Department of the Interior, Minerals Management Service; Channels - digitized National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration nautical charts; Seagrass - U.S. Geological Survey, National Wetlands Research Center; Oyster reefs - Mississippi Department of Marine Resources; Louisiana wells - Louisiana Department of Natural Resources; Mississippi wells - Mississippi Office of Geology; Pipelines - U.S. Department of Transportation, National Pipeline Mapping System; Mississippi Mineral Resources Institute; Mississippi lease blocks are based on the Mississippi Mercator Plane Coordinate System (east zone), using the map "State of Mississippi, Leasing Blocks, Mississippi Sound Area," prepared under the direction of the Department of Natural Resources, Bureau of Geology, Mineral Lease Division, Adopted: September 2, 1969, Revised: November 1985. Each regular block contains 5760 acres.

Mississippi Transverse Mercator Projection, North American Datum 1983.

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- LEGEND**
- Wells
 - Railroads
 - Pipelines
 - Ship channels
 - State boundaries
 - County boundaries
 - City boundaries
 - Highways
 - Mississippi lease blocks
 - Federal lease blocks
 - No surface drilling/production operations
 - Blocks available for lease
 - Seagrass
 - Oyster reefs
 - Fairways
 - Managed areas



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State of Mississippi Lease Blocks

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