SNE Dogfish Gillnet Exemption Area

Identification

CITATION
CITATION INFORMATION
ORIGINATOR: NOAA Fisheries Greater Atlantic Regional Fisheries Office
PUBLICATION DATE: 2015-03-15
TITLE: SNE Dogfish Gillnet Exemption Area
PUBLICATION INFORMATION
PUBLICATION PLACE: Gloucester, MA
PUBLISHER: NOAA National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) - Greater Atlantic Regional Fisheries Office (GARFO)
ONLINE LINKAGE: http://www.greateratlantic.fisheries.noaa.gov/gis
ONLINE LINKAGE: http://www.greateratlantic.fisheries.noaa.gov/

DESCRIPTION
ABSTRACT
This dataset depicts the boundaries of the SNE Dogfish Gillnet Exemption Area in ESRI shapefile format for the NOAA Fisheries Service’s Greater Atlantic Regional Fisheries Office (GARFO). This shapefile includes boundaries for the following Regulated Areas:
- SNE Dogfish Gillnet Exemption Area

Because GIS projection and topology functions can change or generalize coordinates, these GIS files are considered to be approximate representations and are NOT an OFFICIAL record for the exact regulated area boundaries. For information on the official legal definition refer to the Use Constraints metadata section.

PURPOSE
Beginning in 2010 and in response to mounting requests for digital depictions of NMFS Regulated Areas in Northeast and Mid-Atlantic Waters (Regulated Areas), the NMFS Greater Atlantic Regional Fisheries Office (GARFO) Geographic Information Systems (GIS) Committee launched a project to standardize the development, publication and regular updating of GIS files depicting Regulated Area boundaries. This dataset is a product of that initiative.

This dataset was created to depict the boundaries of NMFS Regulated Areas in Northeast and Mid-Atlantic Waters (Regulated Areas) only. For information on the proper use of the dataset refer to the Use Constraints metadata section.

TIME PERIOD OF CONTENT
TIME PERIOD INFORMATION
SINGLE DATE/TIME
CALENDAR DATE: 2015-03-15
CURRENTNESS REFERENCE
Publication date
STATUS
PROGRESS: Complete
MAINTENANCE AND UPDATE FREQUENCY: As needed

SPATIAL DOMAIN
BOUNDING COORDINATES
WEST BOUNDING COORDINATE: -80
EAST BOUNDING COORDINATE: -64
NORTH BOUNDING COORDINATE: 46
SOUTH BOUNDING COORDINATE: 32

KEYWORDS
ACCESS CONSTRAINTS

None.

USE CONSTRAINTS

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*** Not the Legal Definition *** This Geographic Information System (GIS) dataset is not the legal definition of the Regulated Area. The description published in the U.S. Code of Federal Regulations is the only legal definition. This dataset and metadata document provide a broad overview of a subset of applicable fishing regulations, restrictions and requirements; it is not a substitute for the actual regulations. Users are encouraged to read the applicable regulations in conjunction with use of this dataset.

*** Temporal Considerations *** Regulated Area boundary definitions are subject to change or modification. Published datasets may represent historic, current, or future Regulated Areas. When changes to fishing regulations affect this dataset, it will be archived and replaced by an updated version as soon as feasible. Approved Regulated Area boundaries may also be published prior to their effective date. It is the user’s responsibility to ensure the applicable Regulated Area boundaries are being used.

*** Shorelines/Base Layers *** The accuracy of this dataset is dependent upon the accuracy and resolution of the datasets (e.g., shoreline, bathymetry, shared administrative boundaries) used in the creation process. Source datasets used are specified in the metadata. These data
sources were selected for their suitability to a broad audience, and may not be suitable for specific uses requiring higher-resolution information. Coastlines change. Unless otherwise noted, where the NOAA Medium Resolution Shoreline is used, assume the regulatory boundary reaches the most current coastline delineation available.

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**SECURITY INFORMATION**

**SECURITY CLASSIFICATION** FIPS Pub 199

**SECURITY CLASSIFICATION** No Confidentiality

**SECURITY HANDLING DESCRIPTION** Standard Technical Controls

**Data Quality**

**LOGICAL CONSISTENCY REPORT**

Check Geometry test has been performed in ArcGIS.

**COMPLETENESS REPORT**

Features represented are valid. No geometry problems were detected.

**POSITIONAL ACCURACY**

**HORIZONTAL POSITIONAL ACCURACY**

**HORIZONTAL POSITIONAL ACCURACY REPORT**

Data were collected using methods that are accurate to within 2-5 meters (EPA National Geospatial Data Policy [NGDP] Accuracy Tier 2). For more information, please see EPA's NGDP at http://epa.gov/geospatial/policies.html

**LINEAGE**

**SOURCE INFORMATION**

**SOURCE CITATION**

**CITATION INFORMATION**

**ORIGINATOR** Department of Commerce (DOC), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS)

**PUBLICATION DATE** 2014-11-18

**TITLE**

Electronic Code of Federal Regulations

**EDITION** Special Edition of the Federal Register

**GEOSPATIAL DATA PRESENTATION FORM** document

**PUBLICATION INFORMATION**

**PUBLICATION PLACE** Washington, DC

**PUBLISHER** Office of the Federal Register, National Archives and Records Administration and the Government Printing Office

**OTHER CITATION DETAILS**
The Electronic Code of Federal Regulations (e-CFR) is a current, daily updated version of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR). It is not an official legal edition of the CFR. The e-CFR is an unofficial editorial compilation of CFR material and Federal Register amendments. Because the e-CFR is updated daily, the PUBLICATION DATE identified above refers to "e-CFR Data is current as of" date posted on the e-CFR website at the time the spatial definition was accessed online.

**ONLINE LINKAGE**  [http://www.ecfr.gov](http://www.ecfr.gov)

**TYPE OF SOURCE MEDIA**  online

**SOURCE TIME PERIOD** 2004 - present

**SOURCE CURRENTNESS REFERENCE** publication date

**SOURCE CITATION ABBREVIATION** e-CFR

**SOURCE CONTRIBUTION** Spatial definitions for Regulated Area boundaries.

**SOURCE INFORMATION**

CITATION INFORMATION

**ORIGINATOR** Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation and Enforcement, Mapping and Boundary Branch

**PUBLICATION DATE** 2010-10-05

**TITLE** Atlantic NAD83 Submerged Lands Act Boundary

**GEOSPATIAL DATA PRESENTATION FORM** vector digital data

**SERIES INFORMATION**

**SERIES NAME** Digital Offshore Cadastre

**ISSUE IDENTIFICATION** current

**PUBLICATION INFORMATION**

**PUBLICATION PLACE** Herndon, Virginia

**PUBLISHER** Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation and Enforcement, Mapping and Boundary Branch

**ONLINE LINKAGE** [http://www.boemre.gov/offshore/mapping/atlantic.htm](http://www.boemre.gov/offshore/mapping/atlantic.htm)

**LARGER WORK CITATION**

CITATION INFORMATION

**ORIGINATOR** Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation and Enforcement, Mapping and Boundary Branch

**PUBLICATION DATE** 2010-10-05

**TITLE** BOEMRE Offshore Cadastral Data

**GEOSPATIAL DATA PRESENTATION FORM** map

**PUBLICATION INFORMATION**

**PUBLICATION PLACE** Herndon, Virginia

**PUBLISHER** Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation and Enforcement, Mapping and Boundary Branch

**TYPE OF SOURCE MEDIA** digital download (ESRI shapefile)

**SOURCE TIME PERIOD** 2005 - 2008

**SOURCE CURRENTNESS REFERENCE** publication date

**SOURCE CITATION ABBREVIATION**
This source marine boundary was used to generate template shapefiles, which were copied and used when Regulatory Area boundaries followed portions of the Submerged Lands Act boundary (a.k.a. 3 nautical mile line; a.k.a. Fed-State boundary).

**Source Information**

**Source Citation**

**Citation Information**

**Originator** Department of Commerce (DOC), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), National Ocean Service (NOS), Office of Coast Survey (OCS)

**Publication Date** 2011-05-01

**Title**

USMaritimeLimitsNBoundaries

**Edition** 1

**Geospatial Data Presentation Form** vector digital data

**Publication Information**

**Publication Place** Silver Spring, MD

**Publisher** NOAA's Ocean Service, Office of Coast Survey (OCS)

**Online Linkage** [http://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/csdl/mbound.htm](http://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/csdl/mbound.htm)

**Type of Source Media** digital download (ESRI shapefile)

**Source Time Period of Content**

**Time Period Information**

**Single Date/Time**

**Calendar Date** 2011-05-01

**Source Currentness Reference** publication date

**Source Citation Abbreviation** US EEZ

This source marine boundary was used to generate template shapefiles, which were copied and used when Regulatory Area boundaries followed portions of the US Exclusive Economic Zone.

**Source Information**

**Source Citation**

**Citation Information**

**Originator** Department of Commerce (DOC), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), National Ocean Service (NOS), Special Projects (SP)

**Publication Date** 1998

**Title**

NOAA's Medium Resolution Digital Vector Shoreline (1998) for the Contiguous United States

**Geospatial Data Presentation Form** vector digital data

**Publication Information**

**Publication Place** Silver Spring, MD

**Publisher** NOAA's Ocean Service, Special Projects (SP)

**Online Linkage** [http://www.ngdc.noaa.gov/mgg/shorelines/noaamrdvs.html](http://www.ngdc.noaa.gov/mgg/shorelines/noaamrdvs.html)

**Source Scale Denominator** 70000

**Type of Source Media** digital download (ESRI shapefile)

**Source Time Period of Content**

**Time Period Information**

**Range of Dates/Times**

**Beginning Date** 1988

**Ending Date** 1992

**Source Currentness Reference** publication date

**Source Citation Abbreviation** NOAA Medium Resolution Shoreline

**Source Contribution**
This source shoreline was used to generate template shapefiles, which were copied and used when Regulatory Area boundaries followed portions of the US Atlantic coastline. This data source was selected for its suitability to a broad audience, and may not be suitable for specific uses requiring higher-resolution information. Coastlines change. Unless otherwise noted, where the NOAA Medium Resolution Shoreline is used, assume the regulatory boundary reaches the most current coastline delineation available.

**PROCESS STEP**

**PROCESS DESCRIPTION**

[Template Generation] Many NMFS Regulated Areas in Northeast and Mid-Atlantic Waters (Regulated Areas) share boundaries that are partially coincident with any combination of the following: 1) the U.S. Atlantic coastline; 2) the Submerged Lands Act boundary; 3) the U.S.-Canada Maritime Boundary in the Gulf of Maine; 4) the outward extent of the U.S. Exclusive Economic Zone (a.k.a. the "200-nautical mile line"). To standardize Regulated Area features sharing these boundaries, published shapefiles of the shared administrative boundaries were obtained from the authoritative agencies. A shoreline was selected that was suitable for general mapping purposes, freely and publicly available, of medium-resolution, and covering the extent of the U.S.. When necessary, the boundaries were transformed to NAD83. A series of template polygon shapefiles were then generated, using these authoritative boundaries as the outward extents of the polygon. All templates were generated in NAD83 geographic coordinate system. The templates created are: 1) Coast-to-EEZ: bounded by the coastline, the U.S.-Canada Maritime Boundary, the U.S. EEZ, and 81°W longitude off the southern extent of Florida (an arbitrary cut-off for the Atlantic); 2) Coast-to-SLA: bounded by the coastline, the U.S.-Canada Maritime Boundary, the Submerged Lands Act boundary, and 81°W longitude off the southern extent of Florida; 3) SLA-to-EEZ: bounded by the Submerged Lands Act boundary, the U.S.-Canada Maritime Boundary, the U.S. EEZ, and 81°W longitude off the southern extent of Florida. These templates were subsequently copied and edited, as needed by the Regulated Area spatial definitions.

**PROCESS DATE** 2013

**PROCESS STEP**

**PROCESS DESCRIPTION**

[Get Definition Text] The current legal spatial definition for the Regulated Area was copied from the e-CFR website.

**PROCESS DATE** 2014

**PROCESS STEP**

**PROCESS DESCRIPTION**

[Features From Templates] To generate the Regulated Area boundary in ArcGIS, a copy of the Coast-to-EEZ template polygon was split by connecting coordinates in the order specified in the spatial definition. When the spatial definition specified that points were connected following the Coastline, SLA, or EEZ the coinciding outward extent of the template polygon was used. After all points were appropriately connected, any portions of the template outside the Regulated Area were discarded. When multiple Regulated Areas are a part of a larger grouping of related Regulated Areas, these steps were repeated to generate a unique feature for each Regulated Area and the features were then combined into a single shapefile. When the spatial definition specified that points were connected following a straight line, rhumb lines were constructed by projecting the shapefile into a NAD83 Mercator projection, which maintains straight rhumbs. The boundaries were densified with consecutive vertices interpolated no more than 10 nautical miles apart, to preserve rhumb line paths in other coordinate systems. (Boundaries following the U.S.-Canada Maritime Boundary were unaffected because the source shapefile depicting this legally-defined geodesic line was densified with vertices placed <1mi apart.) The file was then projected back to the un-projected NAD83 coordinate system.

**PROCESS DATE** 2015

**PROCESS STEP**

**PROCESS DESCRIPTION**
[Cape Cod Canal] NOTE: Due to the resolution of the source coastline shapefile, Cape Cod Canal fully connects Cape Cod Bay to Buzzards Bay in the template shapefile, rendering Cape Cod as an island. Regulated Area definitions rarely specify a boundary across this canal, but one must be generated to fully "close off" a coastal polygon that is intended to be restricted to either side of Cape Cod. As a result, Cape Cod Canal was split, arbitrarily, at 70°34'W longitude.

**PROCESS DATE** 2015

**PROCESS STEP**

**PROCESS DESCRIPTION**

[Add Attributes] The standardized attribute schema was applied to the shapefile, and the fields were defined.

**PROCESS DATE** 2015

**PROCESS STEP**

**PROCESS DESCRIPTION**

[Policy Review] The Regulated Area spatial definition text, shapefile geometry and attribute values were reviewed with policy staff to verify that the shapefile accurately depicted and described the intended boundaries.

**PROCESS DATE** 2015

**PROCESS STEP**

**PROCESS DESCRIPTION**

[Check Geometry] The ESRI ArcGIS Check Geometry tool was run on the shapefile to identify any geometry problems. If problems were encountered, they were reviewed and corrected.

**PROCESS DATE** 2015

**PROCESS STEP**

**PROCESS DESCRIPTION**

[Metadata] A GARFO Regulated Area shapefile metadata template was developed using the EPA Metadata Editor v3.2. This template was applied and customized to reflect the specific characteristics of the given shapefile. The metadata was validated for FGDC CSDGM compliance.

**PROCESS DATE** 2015

**PROCESS STEP**

**PROCESS DESCRIPTION**

[Final Review] The shapefile was reviewed by members of the GARFO GIS Committee, policy experts from the GARFO Division responsible for the Regulated Area, and General Counsel, according to the GARFO GIS Data Distribution Policy.

**PROCESS DATE** 2015

**PROCESS STEP**

**PROCESS DESCRIPTION**

[Publication] The shapefile, with accompanying metadata, was uploaded for public download on the NOAA NMFS GARFO GIS website.

**PROCESS DATE** 2015-03-15

**Spatial Reference**

**HORIZONTAL COORDINATE SYSTEM DEFINITION**

**Geographic**

**Latitude Resolution** 0.000001

**Longitude Resolution** 0.000001

**Geographic Coordinate Units** Decimal degrees

**Geodetic Model**

**Horizontal Datum Name** North American Datum of 1983

**Ellipsoid Name** Geodetic Reference System 1980
Entities and Attributes

DETAILED DESCRIPTION
ENTITY TYPE
ENTITY TYPE LABEL Regulated Area
ENTITY TYPE DEFINITION
NMFS Regulated Areas in Northeast and Mid-Atlantic Waters
ENTITY TYPE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL FID
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
Internal feature number
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE ESRI
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
System-generated internal feature number

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL Shape
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
Feature geometry
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE ESRI
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Coordinate geometry

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL GARFO_ID
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
A unique identifier used to identify and track this feature; a new GARFO_ID is generated for each version of a Regulated Area (i.e. whenever boundaries or attributes are changed, edited or updated)
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
System-generated number

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL AREANAME
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
Official name of the Regulated Area, usually the area name as printed in the CFR
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Free text name

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL COMMNAME
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
Most commonly used name. May be identical to AREANAME, an abbreviation of AREANAME, or a different name altogether.
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Free text name

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL AREAGROUP
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
Specifies if the Regulated Area is part of a group of related areas
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Free text name

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL DESCRIBE
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
A brief description of the purpose of the Regulated Area
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Free text description

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL CFRTITLE
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
CFR Title citation where the Regulated Area is legally defined
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Free text name

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL CFRPT
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
CFR Part citation where the Regulated Area is legally defined
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Free text citation

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL CFRPTTXT
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
CFR Part citation header text
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Free text name

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL CFRSUB
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
CFR Subpart citation where the Regulated Area is legally defined
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Free text citation

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL CFRSUBTXT
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
CFR Subpart citation header text
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Free text name

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL CFRSXN
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
CFR Section citation where the Regulated Area is legally defined
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Free text citation

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL CFRSXNTXT
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
CFR Section citation header text
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Free text name

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL CFRPARA
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
CFR Paragraph citation where the Regulated Area is legally defined
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Free text citation

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL CFRPARATXT
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
CFR Paragraph citation header text
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Free text name

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL FRCITE
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
Federal Register citation of original Regulated Area spatial definition, or last modification to the spatial definition, whichever is most recent. Refers to SPATIAL DEFINITION ONLY. Subsequent FR notices may have modified the requirements affecting waters within or outside this Regulated Area.
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Free text name

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL FRDATE
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
Federal Register citation date of original Regulated Area spatial definition, or the last modification to the spatial definition, whichever is most recent. Refers to SPATIAL DEFINITION ONLY. Subsequent FR notices may have modified the requirements affecting waters within or outside this Regulated Area.

ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES
UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Date

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL EFFECTDATE
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
Date Regulated Area officially became law, or most recent modification
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES
UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Date

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL SOURCE
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
If Regulated Area is defined in the CFR, this is the citation for the Amendment/Framework/etc. that established the area. If the Regulated Area is not defined in the CFR, this is the alternative source citation establishing the Regulated Area.
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES
UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Free text citation

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL RECURST
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
Annually recurring date Regulated Area becomes active
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES
UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Date

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL RECUREND
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
Annually recurring date Regulated Area becomes inactive
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES
UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Date

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL GISAUTHOR
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
Name of the NOAA staff person who created the GIS feature
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES
UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Name

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL CREATED
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
Creation date of the GIS feature
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Date

ATTRIBUTE
ATTRIBUTE LABEL AREANOTES
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION
Miscellaneous notes regarding the Regulated Area or feature
ATTRIBUTE DEFINITION SOURCE GARFO
ATTRIBUTE DOMAIN VALUES UNREPRESENTABLE DOMAIN
Free text description

OVERVIEW DESCRIPTION
ENTITY AND ATTRIBUTE OVERVIEW
Entity Attributes provide reference information for the Regulated Areas represented. Attributes provide citations for the legal spatial definition and originating documents, and currentness information for each area.

ENTITY AND ATTRIBUTE DETAIL CITATION
FILES_Map.xlsx fully describes the Attribute Schema used for regulated area GIS data sets. To access this document, see the Contact Information.

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