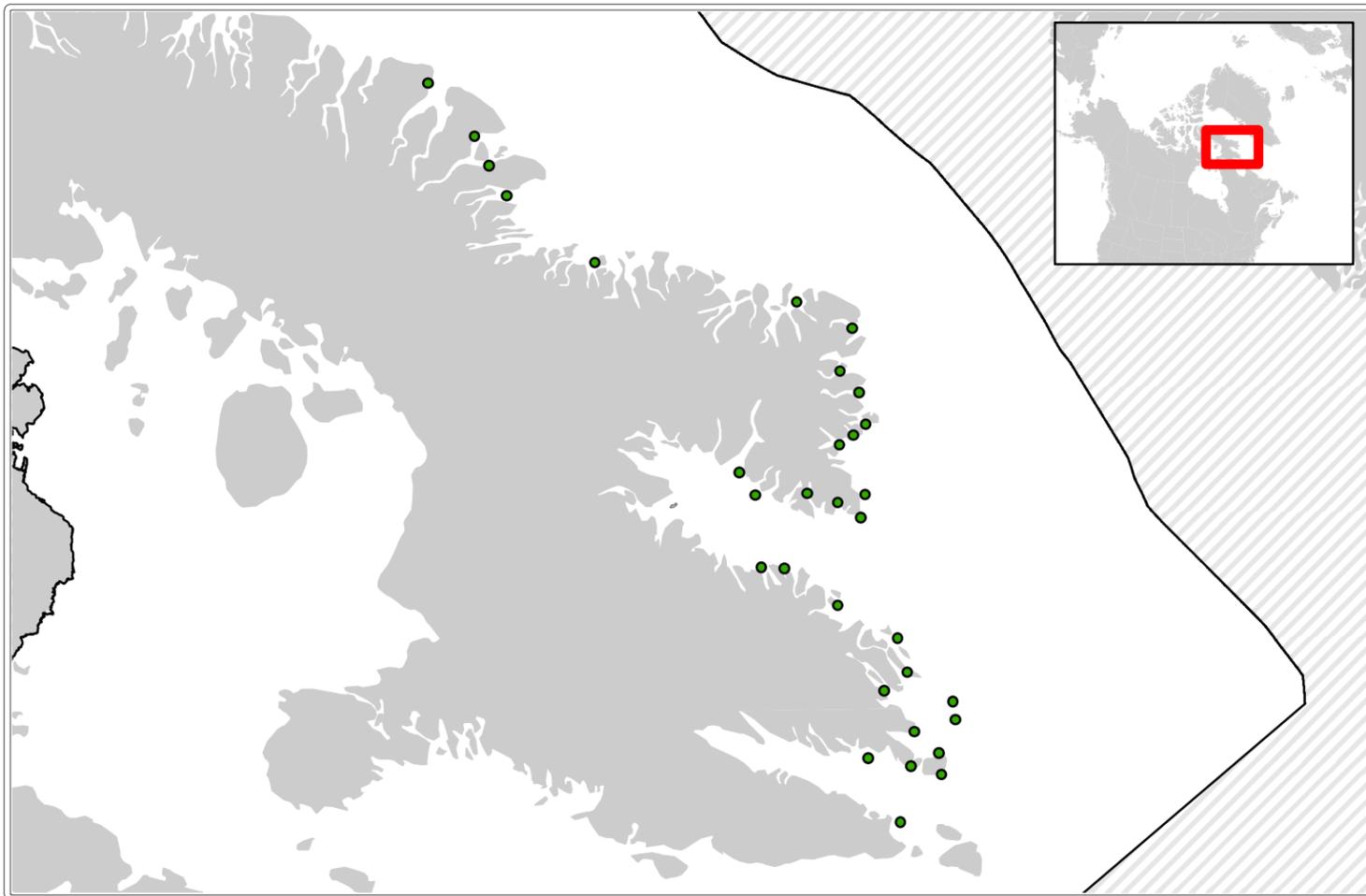


1400: Walrus key habitats



Walrus haulout sites, Canadian Central Arctic (EA)

Date: (1) 2016; (2) 2015

Open Source: No

Organization: (1) Higdon Wildlife Consulting for WWF-Canada; (2) Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: (1) Walrus haulouts in the eastern Canadian Arctic: a database to assist in land use planning initiatives; (2) Estimates of Abundance and Total Allowable Removals for Hudson Bay-Davis Strait and South and East Hudson Bay Atlantic Walrus Stocks

Authors: (1) Jeff W. Higdon; (2) Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Data Summary

Management Unit: Canadian Central Arctic

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

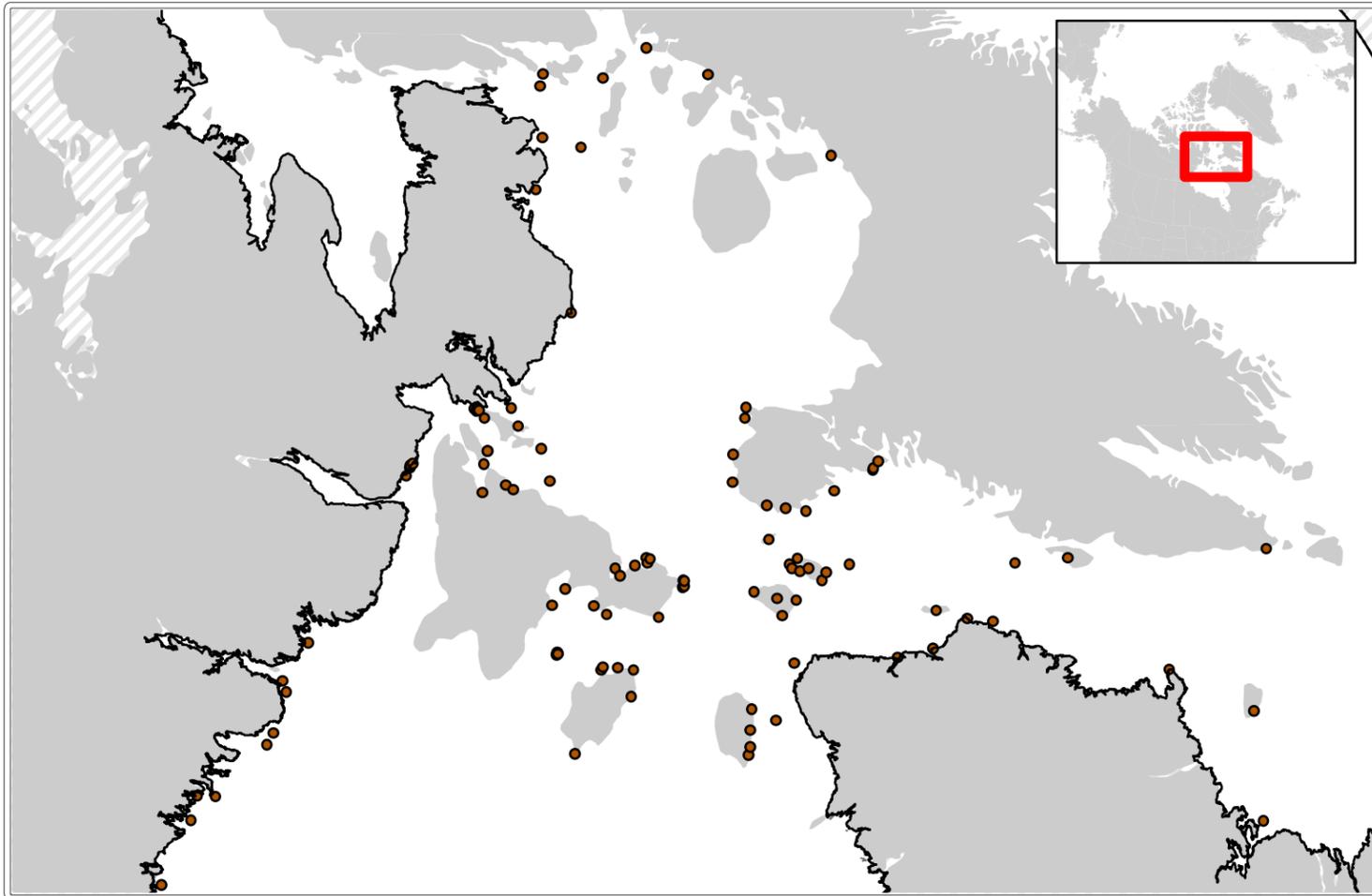
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Associated Links

(1) N/A;

(2) <https://waves-vagues.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/Library/4057491x.pdf>

1401: Walrus key habitats



Walrus haulout sites, Canadian Central Arctic (HB)

Date: (1) 2016; (2) 2015

Open Source: No

Organization: (1) Higdon Wildlife Consulting for WWF-Canada; (2) Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: (1) Walrus haulouts in the eastern Canadian Arctic: a database to assist in land use planning initiatives; (2) Estimates of Abundance and Total Allowable Removals for Hudson Bay-Davis Strait and South and East Hudson Bay Atlantic Walrus Stocks

Authors: (1) Jeff W. Higdon; (2) Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Data Summary

Management Unit: Canadian Central Arctic

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: Two sources were used for developing walrus haulout site data layers: (1) Data from a WWF commissioned report from Higdon Wildlife Consulting to compile existing knowledge on terrestrial walrus haulout sites within Nunavut. Sources included assessment of the status of Atlantic walrus populations.; and (2) DFO data from aerial surveys flown in September 2014. Walruses were counted in the northern Hudson Bay-Hudson Strait portion of the Hudson Bay-Davis Strait stock, and the South and East Hudson Bay stock. Identified haulout sites were mapped spatially. Haulout sites were split by walrus subpopulation.

Associated Links

(1) N/A;

(2) <https://waves-vagues.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/Library/4057491x.pdf>



Walrus haulout sites, Canadian High Arctic (AA)

Date: (1) 2016; (2) 2015

Open Source: No

Organization: (1) Higdon Wildlife Consulting for WWF-Canada; (2) Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: (1) Walrus haulouts in the eastern Canadian Arctic: a database to assist in land use planning initiatives; (2) Estimates of Abundance and Total Allowable Removals for Hudson Bay-Davis Strait and South and East Hudson Bay Atlantic Walrus Stocks

Authors: (1) Jeff W. Higdon; (2) Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Data Summary

Management Unit: Canadian High Arctic

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago

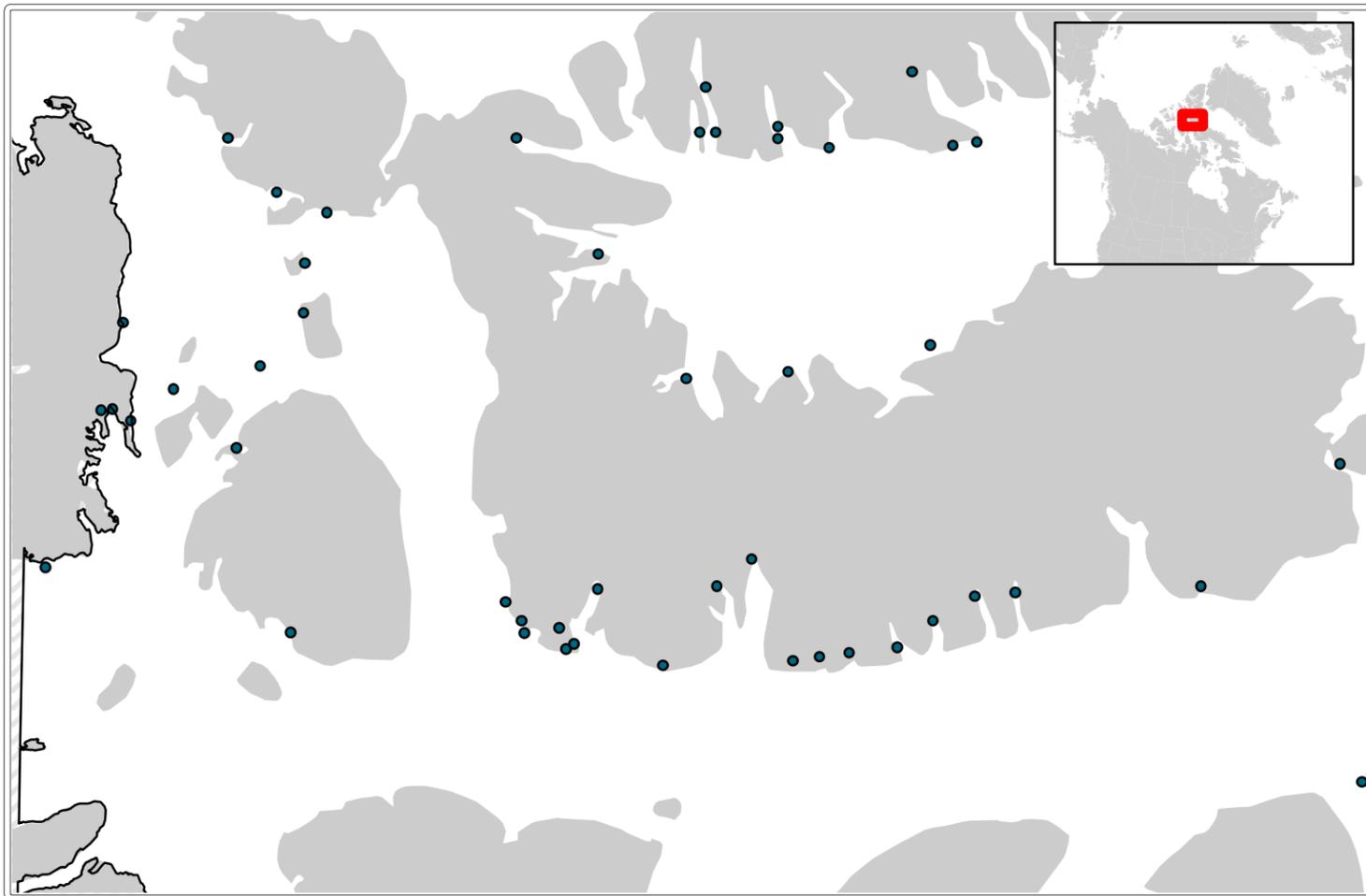
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Associated Links

(1) N/A;

(2) <https://waves-vagues.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/Library/4057491x.pdf>

1403: Walrus key habitats



Walrus haulout sites, Canadian High Arctic (EA)

Date: (1) 2016; (2) 2015

Open Source: No

Organization: (1) Higdon Wildlife Consulting for WWF-Canada; (2) Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: (1) Walrus haulouts in the eastern Canadian Arctic: a database to assist in land use planning initiatives; (2) Estimates of Abundance and Total Allowable Removals for Hudson Bay-Davis Strait and South and East Hudson Bay Atlantic Walrus Stocks

Authors: (1) Jeff W. Higdon; (2) Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Data Summary

Management Unit: Canadian High Arctic

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

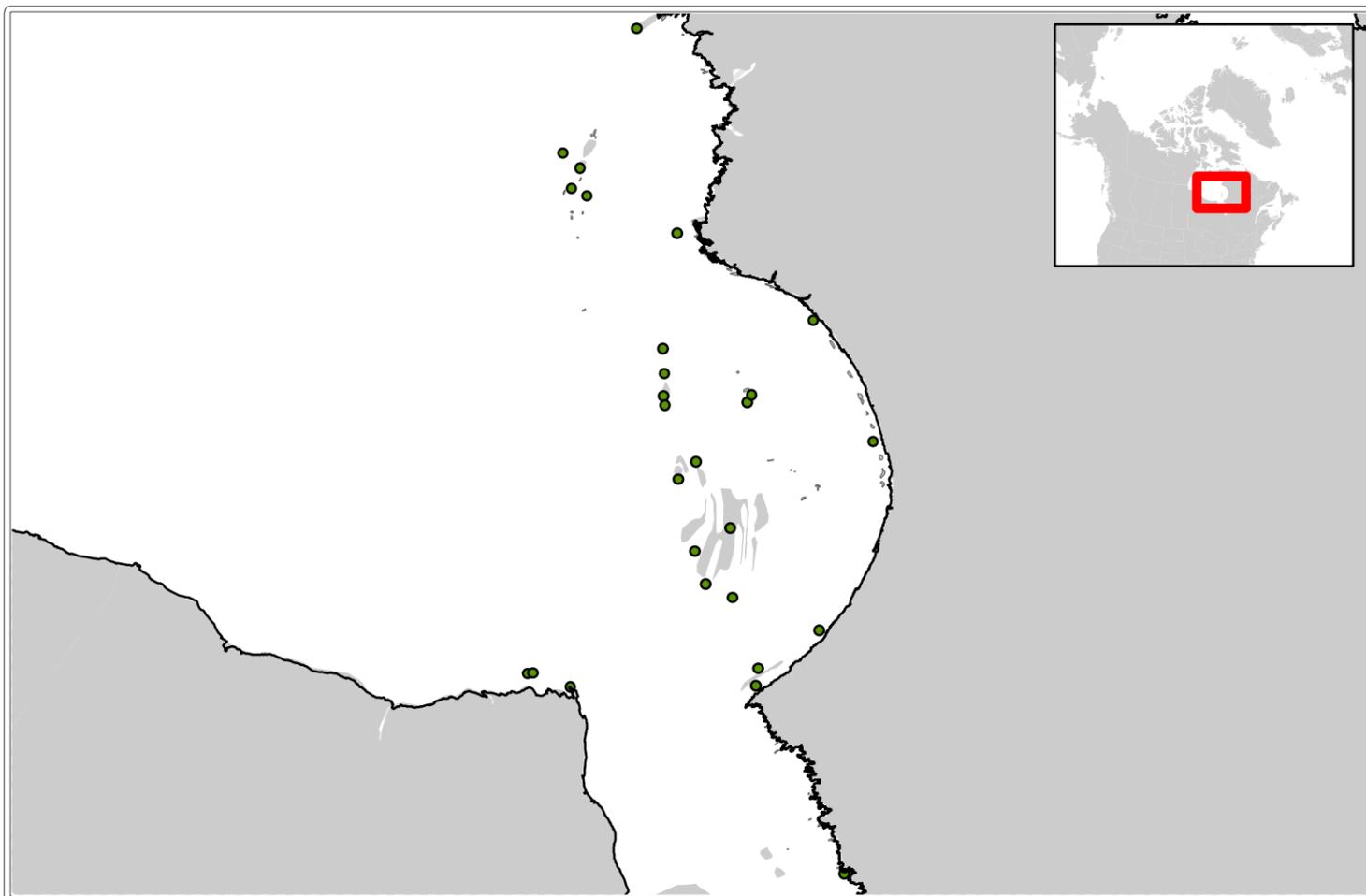
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Associated Links

(1) N/A;

(2) <https://waves-vagues.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/Library/4057491x.pdf>

1404: Walrus key habitats



Walrus haulout sites, Canadian Low Arctic (HB)

Date: (1) 2016; (2) 2015

Open Source: No

Organization: (1) Higdon Wildlife Consulting for WWF-Canada; (2) Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: (1) Walrus haulouts in the eastern Canadian Arctic: a database to assist in land use planning initiatives; (2) Estimates of Abundance and Total Allowable Removals for Hudson Bay-Davis Strait and South and East Hudson Bay Atlantic Walrus Stocks

Authors: (1) Jeff W. Higdon; (2) Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Data Summary

Management Unit: Canadian Low Arctic

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

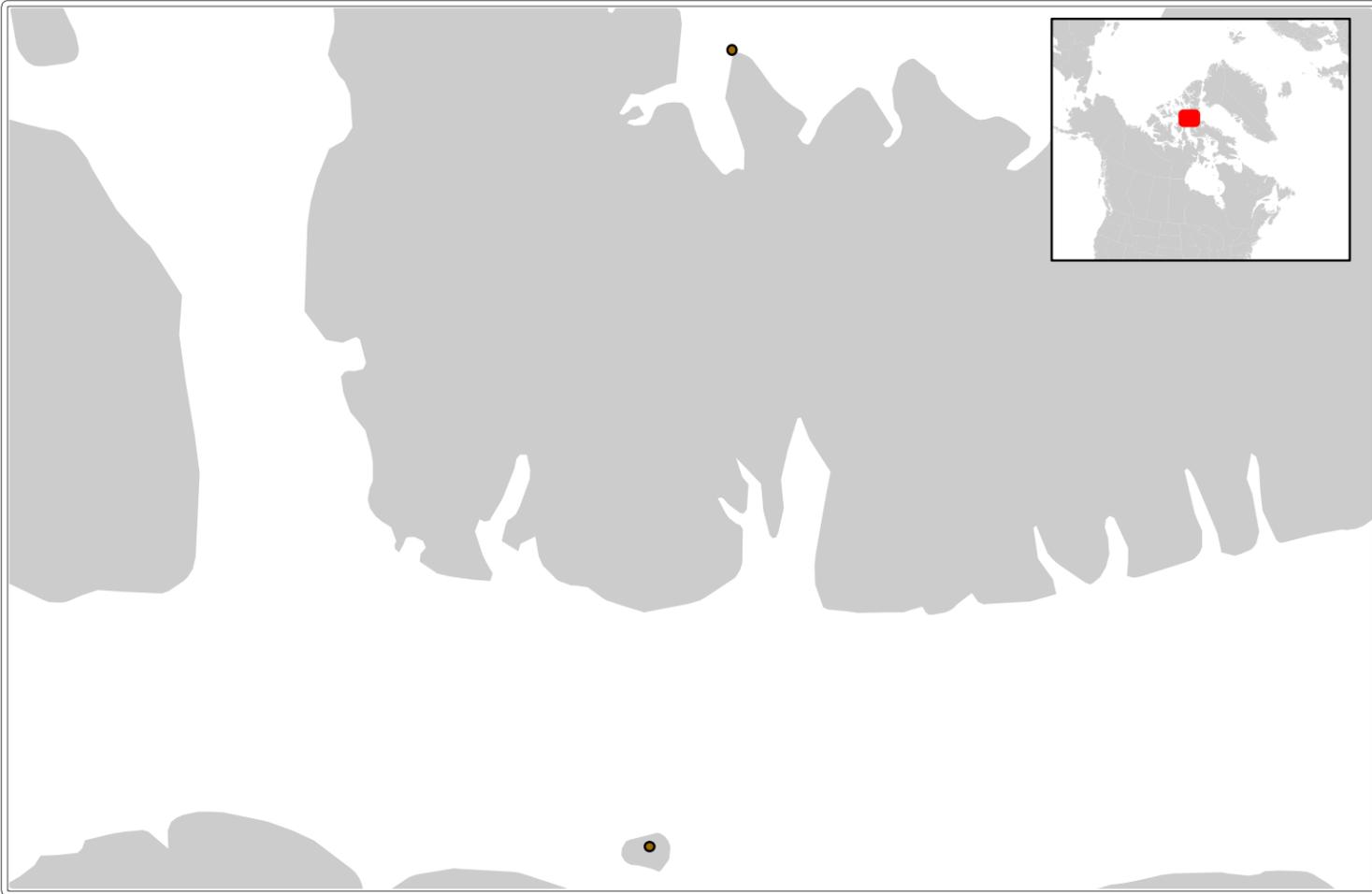
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Associated Links

(1) N/A;

(2) <https://waves-vagues.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/Library/4057491x.pdf>

1700: Seabird colonies



Black guillemot colonies (AA)

Date: 2018

Open Source: No

Organization: UBC Press

Associated Report: Birds of Nunavut

Authors: James M. Richards and Anthony J. Gaston (eds.)

Data Summary

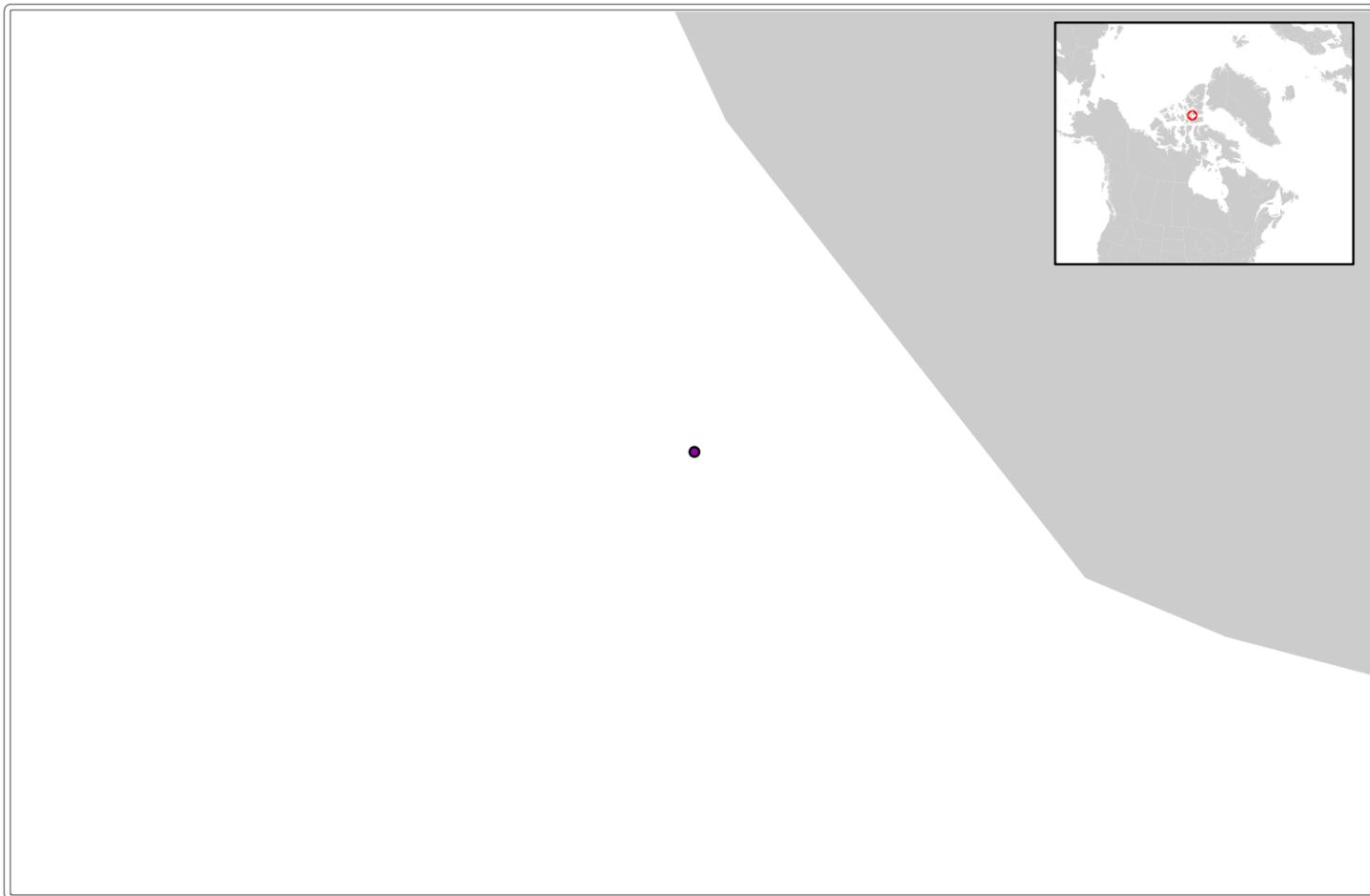
Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago

Description: Seabird colony locations for the selected species were identified using locations mapped in the 2017 book *Birds of Nunavut*, which were then digitized manually. The colony locations identified in *Birds of Nunavut* were recommended by the Canadian Arctic seabird specialists providing advice to the MECCEA team as the best available data on colony locations for Arctic seabirds, compiling the most recent and reliable information on Arctic seabirds available to date.

Associated Links

<https://www.ubcpres.ca/birds-of-nunavut>



Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Basin

Description: Seabird colony locations for the selected species were identified using locations mapped in the 2017 book *Birds of Nunavut*, which were then digitized manually. The colony locations identified in *Birds of Nunavut* were recommended by the Canadian Arctic seabird specialists providing advice to the MECCEA team as the best available data on colony locations for Arctic seabirds, compiling the most recent and reliable information on Arctic seabirds available to date.

Black guillemot colonies (AB)

Date: 2018

Open Source: No

Organization: UBC Press

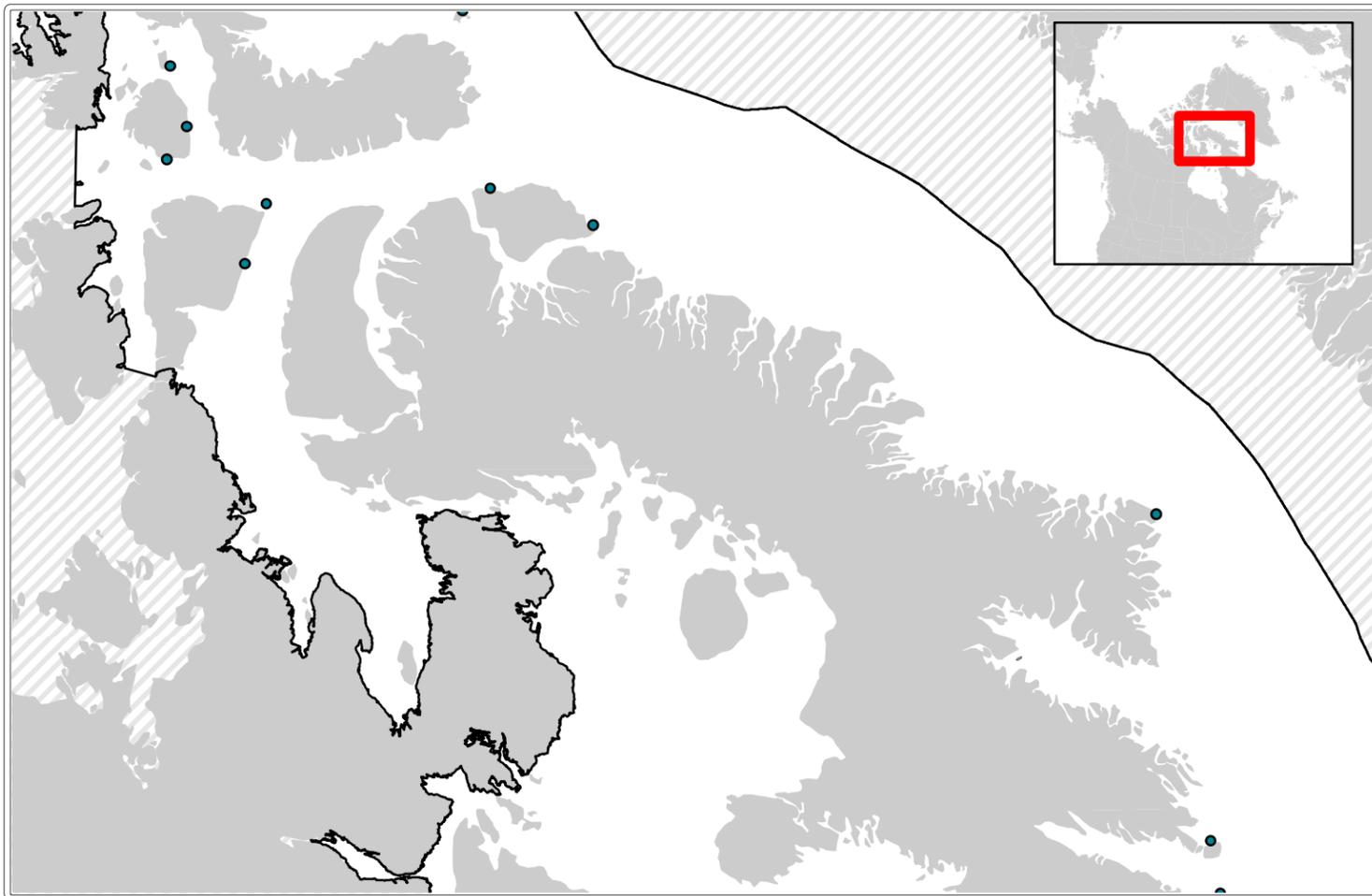
Associated Report: *Birds of Nunavut*

Authors: James M. Richards and Anthony J. Gaston (eds.)

Associated Links

<https://www.ubcpres.ca/birds-of-nunavut>

1705: Seabird colonies



Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Seabird colony locations for the selected species were identified using locations mapped in the 2017 book *Birds of Nunavut*, which were then digitized manually. The colony locations identified in *Birds of Nunavut* were recommended by the Canadian Arctic seabird specialists providing advice to the MECCEA team as the best available data on colony locations for Arctic seabirds, compiling the most recent and reliable information on Arctic seabirds available to date.

Black-legged kittiwake colonies (EA)

Date: 2018

Open Source: No

Organization: UBC Press

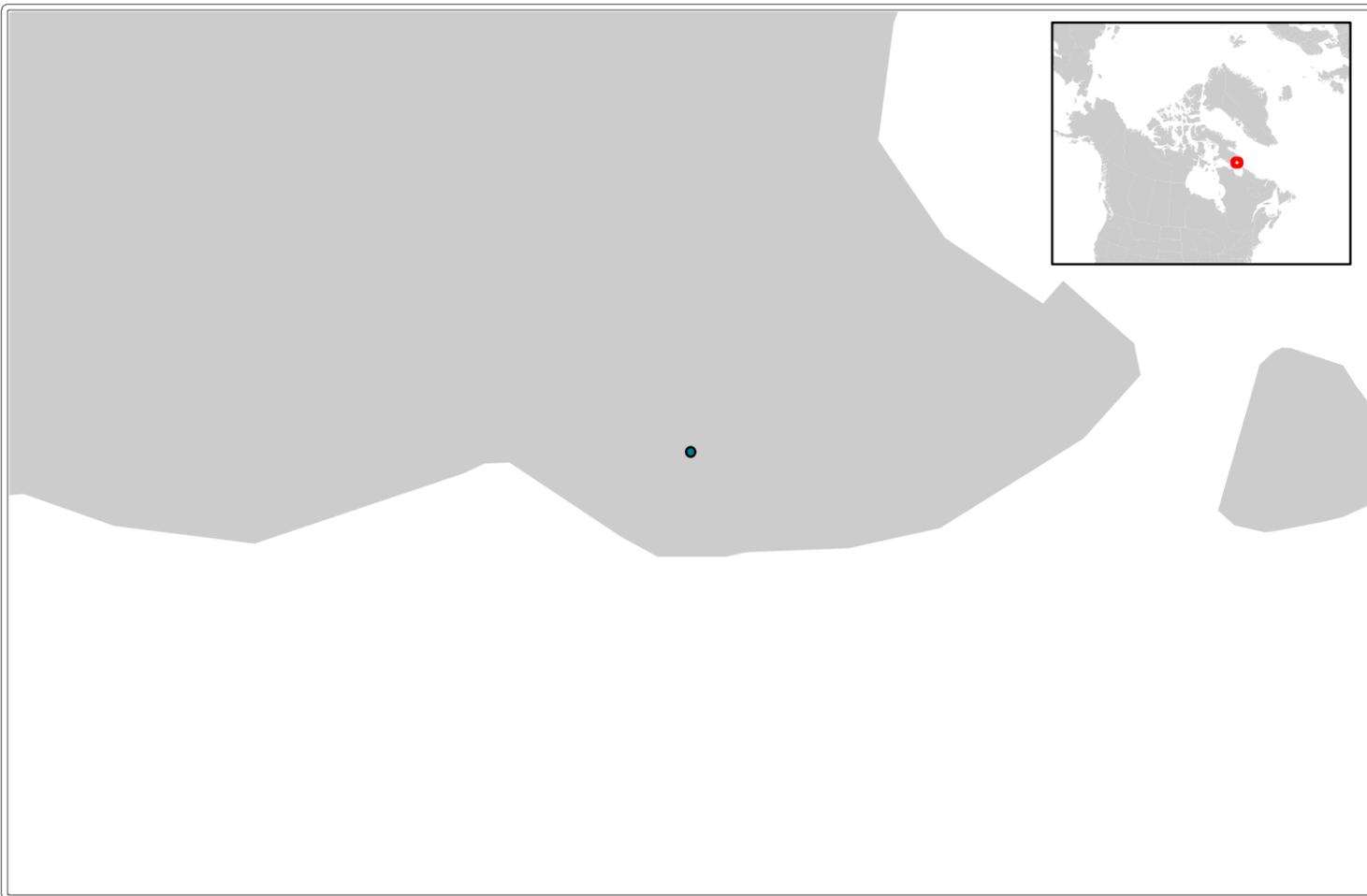
Associated Report: *Birds of Nunavut*

Authors: James M. Richards and Anthony J. Gaston (eds.)

Associated Links

<https://www.ubcpres.ca/birds-of-nunavut>

1706: Seabird colonies



Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: Seabird colony locations for the selected species were identified using locations mapped in the 2017 book *Birds of Nunavut*, which were then digitized manually. The colony locations identified in *Birds of Nunavut* were recommended by the Canadian Arctic seabird specialists providing advice to the MECCEA team as the best available data on colony locations for Arctic seabirds, compiling the most recent and reliable information on Arctic seabirds available to date.

Black-legged kittiwake colonies (HB)

Date: 2018

Open Source: No

Organization: UBC Press

Associated Report: *Birds of Nunavut*

Authors: James M. Richards and Anthony J. Gaston (eds.)

Associated Links

<https://www.ubcpres.ca/birds-of-nunavut>



Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Seabird colony locations for the selected species were identified using locations mapped in the 2017 book *Birds of Nunavut*, which were then digitized manually. The colony locations identified in *Birds of Nunavut* were recommended by the Canadian Arctic seabird specialists providing advice to the MECCEA team as the best available data on colony locations for Arctic seabirds, compiling the most recent and reliable information on Arctic seabirds available to date.

Dovekie colonies (EA)

Date: 2018

Open Source: No

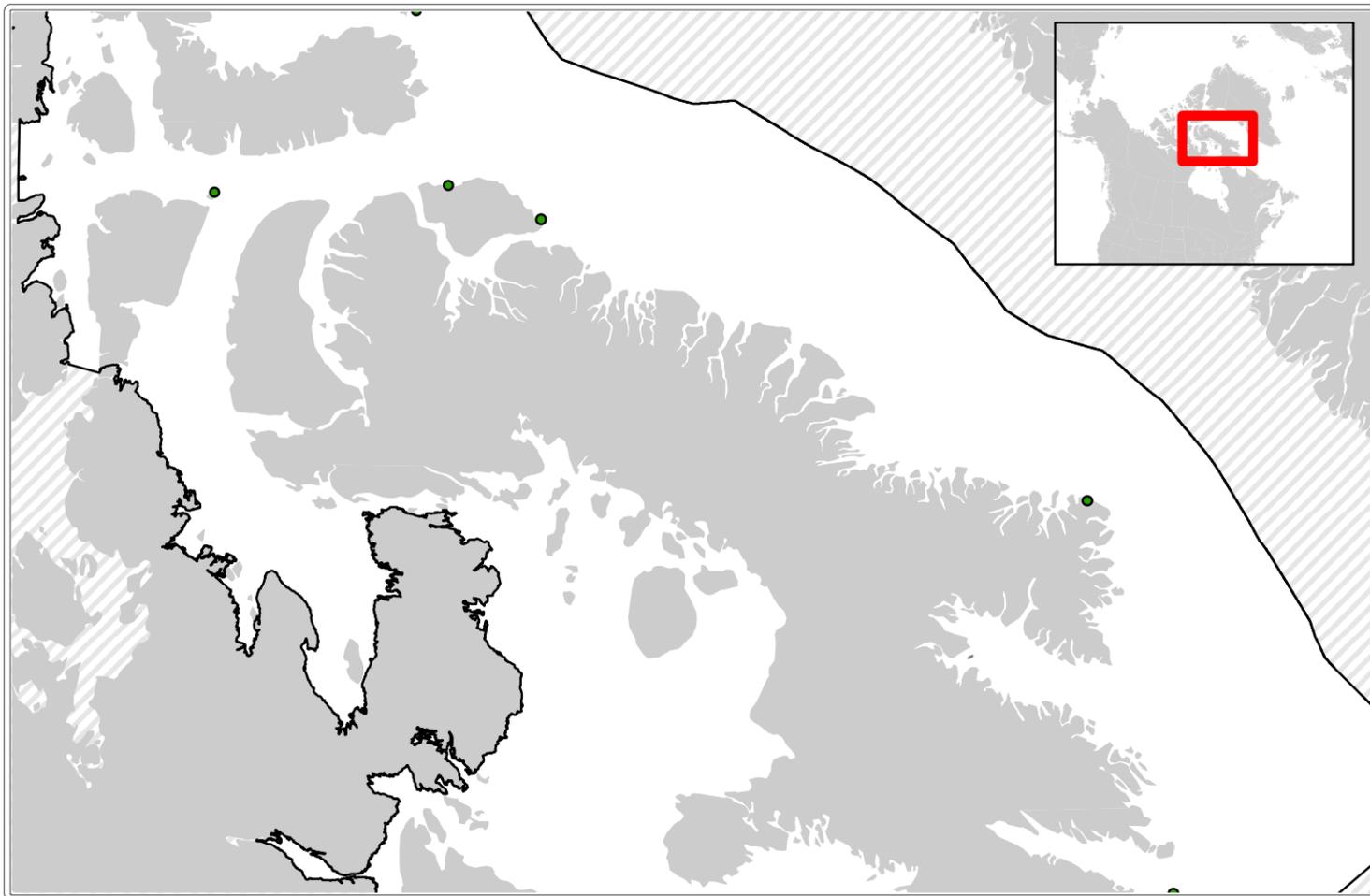
Organization: UBC Press

Associated Report: *Birds of Nunavut*

Authors: James M. Richards and Anthony J. Gaston (eds.)

Associated Links

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Seabird colony locations for the selected species were identified using locations mapped in the 2017 book *Birds of Nunavut*, which were then digitized manually. The colony locations identified in *Birds of Nunavut* were recommended by the Canadian Arctic seabird specialists providing advice to the MECCEA team as the best available data on colony locations for Arctic seabirds, compiling the most recent and reliable information on Arctic seabirds available to date.

Thick-billed murre colonies (EA)

Date: 2018

Open Source: No

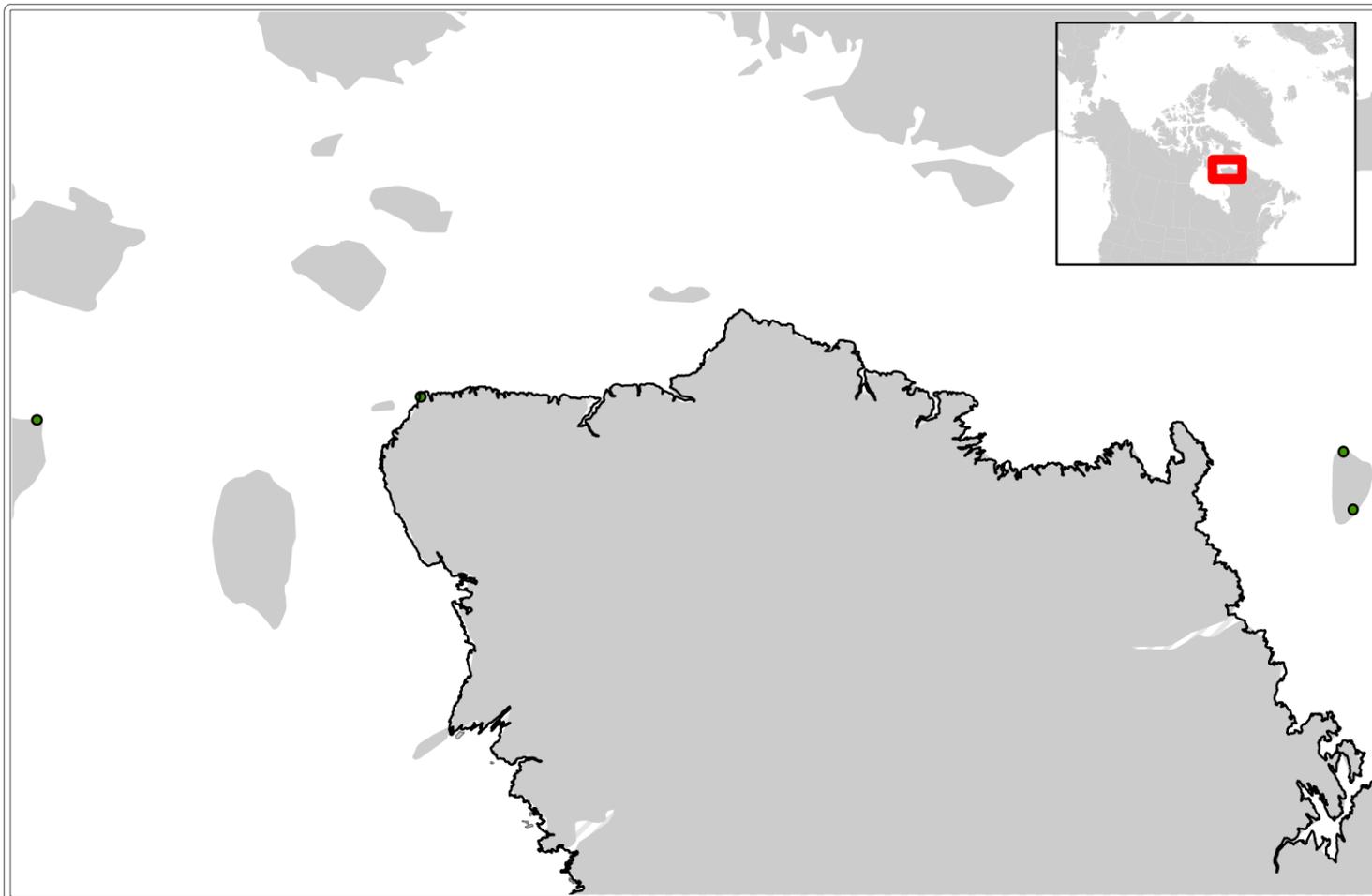
Organization: UBC Press

Associated Report: *Birds of Nunavut*

Authors: James M. Richards and Anthony J. Gaston (eds.)

Associated Links

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Thick-billed murre colonies (HB)

Date: 2018

Open Source: No

Organization: UBC Press

Associated Report: Birds of Nunavut

Authors: James M. Richards and Anthony J. Gaston (eds.)

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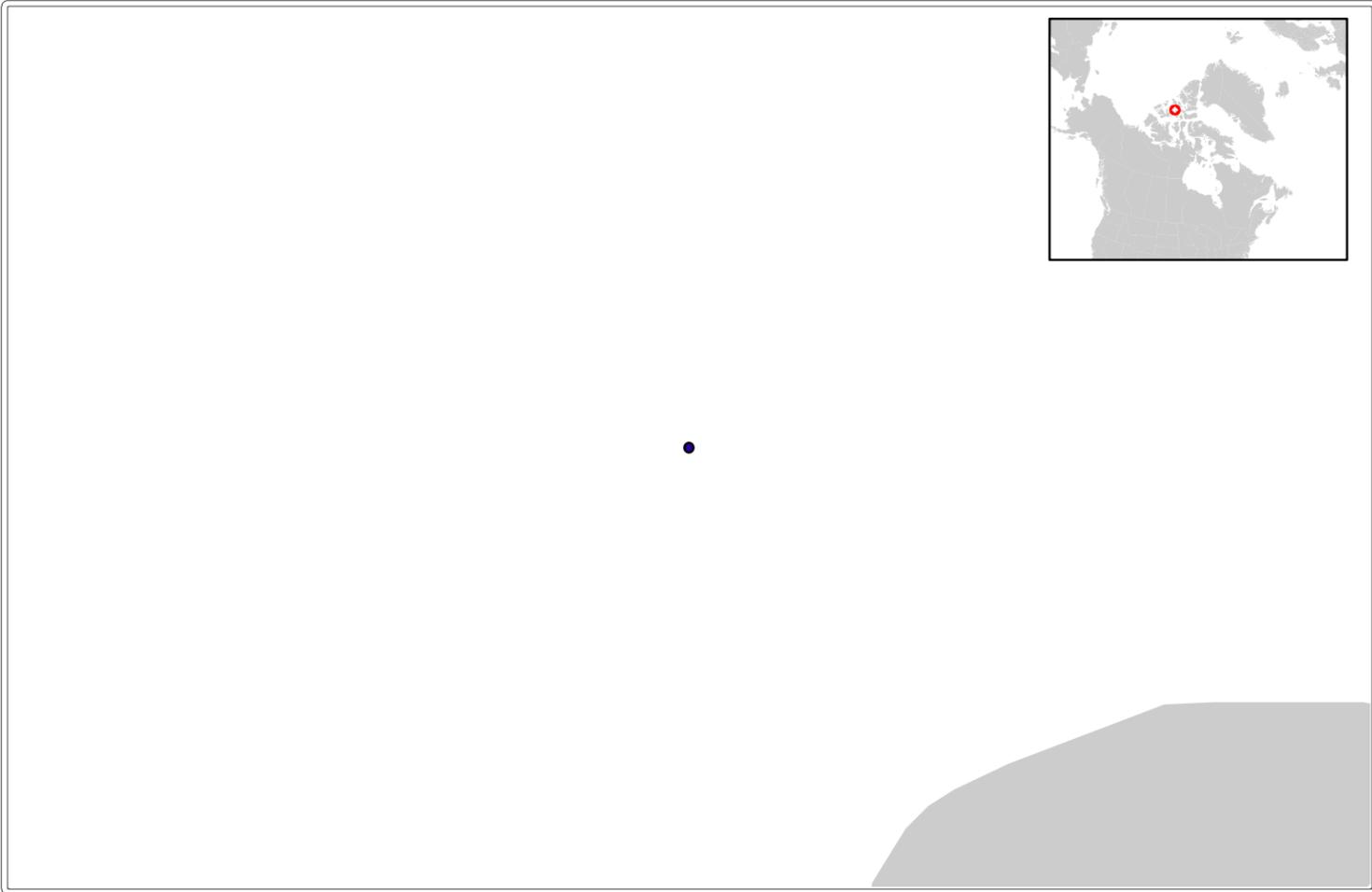
Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: Seabird colony locations for the selected species were identified using locations mapped in the 2017 book *Birds of Nunavut*, which were then digitized manually. The colony locations identified in *Birds of Nunavut* were recommended by the Canadian Arctic seabird specialists providing advice to the MECCEA team as the best available data on colony locations for Arctic seabirds, compiling the most recent and reliable information on Arctic seabirds available to date.

Associated Links

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago

Description: Seabird colony locations for the selected species were identified using locations mapped in the 2017 book *Birds of Nunavut*, which were then digitized manually. The colony locations identified in *Birds of Nunavut* were recommended by the Canadian Arctic seabird specialists providing advice to the MECCEA team as the best available data on colony locations for Arctic seabirds, compiling the most recent and reliable information on Arctic seabirds available to date.

Ivory gull colonies (AA)

Date: 2018

Open Source: No

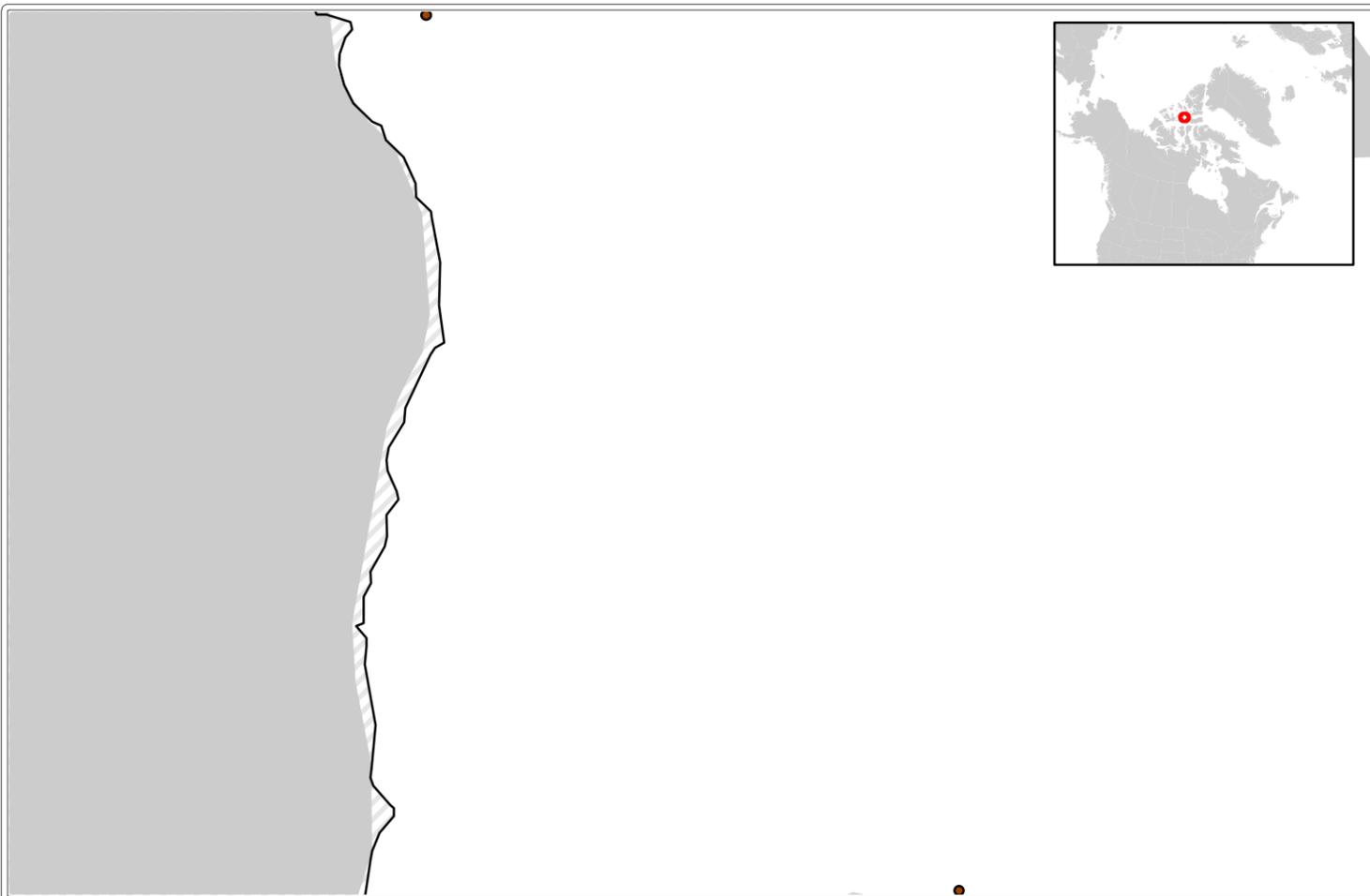
Organization: UBC Press

Associated Report: *Birds of Nunavut*

Authors: James M. Richards and Anthony J. Gaston (eds.)

Associated Links

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Seabird colony locations for the selected species were identified using locations mapped in the 2017 book *Birds of Nunavut*, which were then digitized manually. The colony locations identified in *Birds of Nunavut* were recommended by the Canadian Arctic seabird specialists providing advice to the MECCEA team as the best available data on colony locations for Arctic seabirds, compiling the most recent and reliable information on Arctic seabirds available to date.

Ross's gull colonies (EA)

Date: 2018

Open Source: No

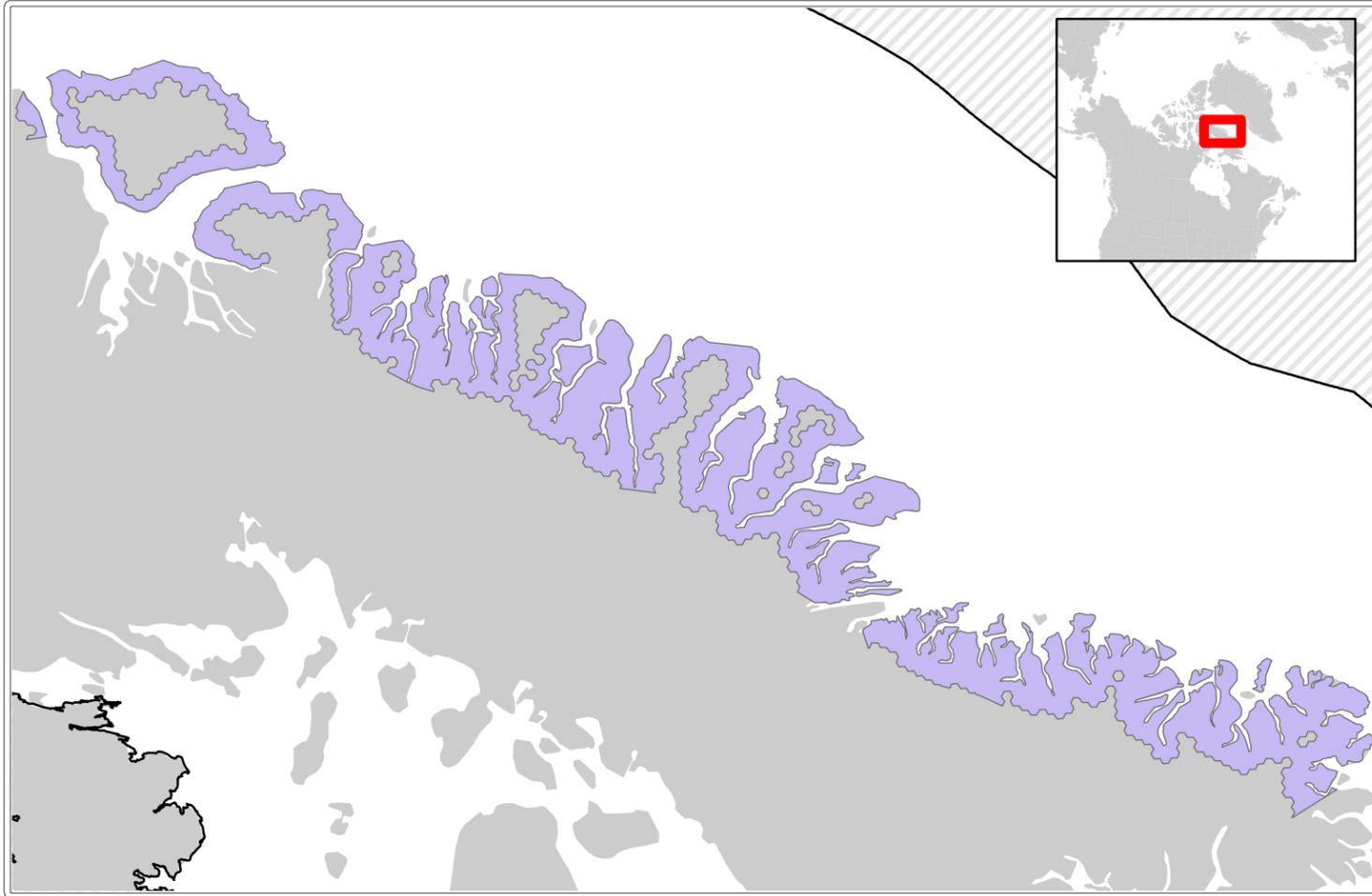
Organization: UBC Press

Associated Report: *Birds of Nunavut*

Authors: James M. Richards and Anthony J. Gaston (eds.)

Associated Links

<https://www.ubcpres.ca/birds-of-nunavut>



Data Summary

Management Unit: Baffin Bay

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Polar bear denning data was obtained from a compilation effort conducted by the IPBCC, commissioned by WWF. This work identified 97 sources delineating polar bear denning areas within Canada. Sources came from peer-reviewed research, TEK, government surveys, and local community input. see associated report for comprehensive list and interpretation of underlying sources. The denning areas were then split using polygons of Canadian polar bear subpopulation boundaries, and then by marine bioregion.

Polar bear denning, Baffin Bay (EA)

Date: 2018

Open Source: Yes

Organization: International Polar Bear Conservation Center

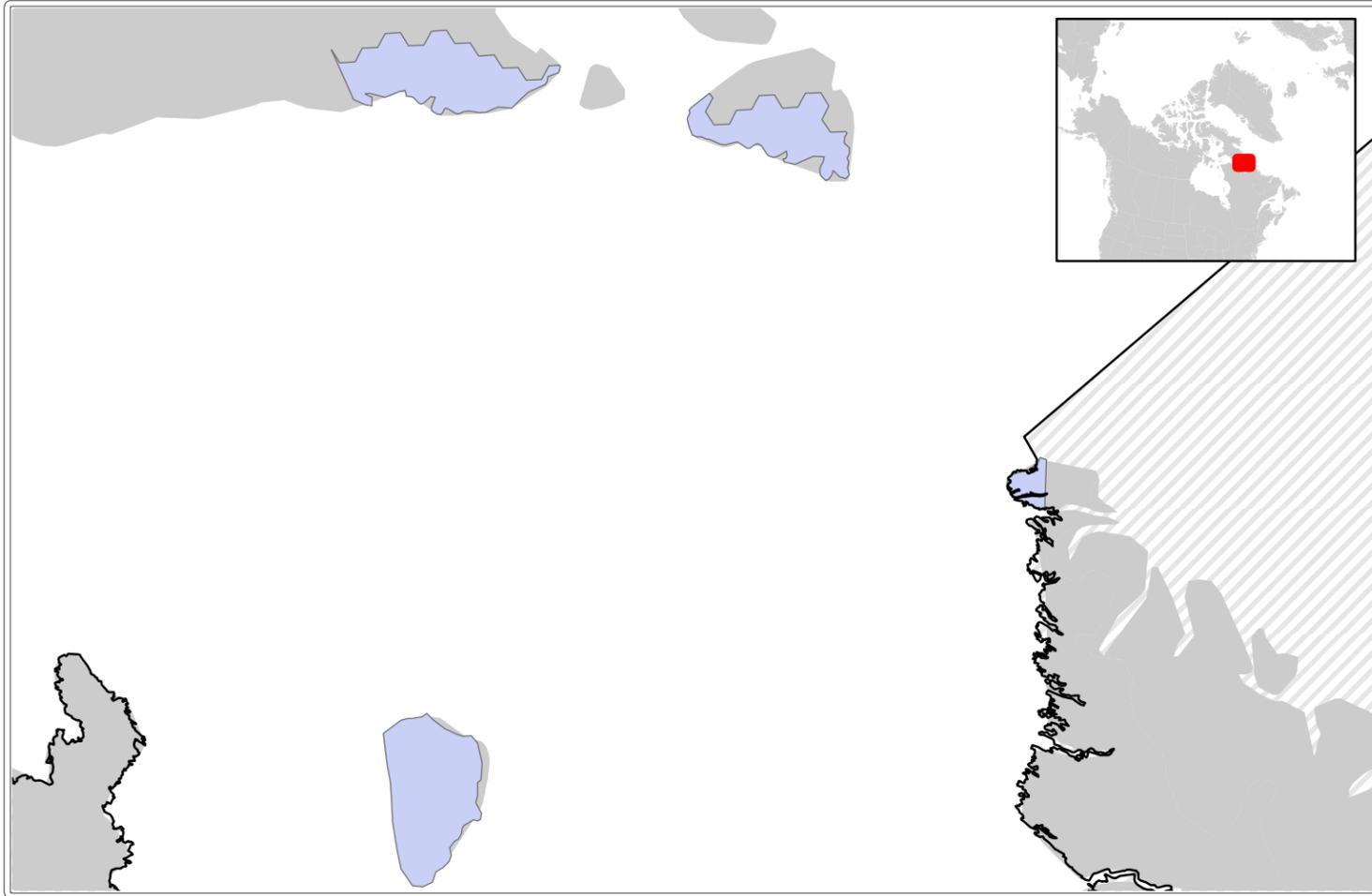
Associated Report: International Polar Bear Conservation Center (IPBCC) Polar Bear Denning Areas Map for Canada

Authors: Katie R. N. Florko, Andrew E. Derocher, C?Jae C. Breiter, Maha Ghazal, Daryll Hedman, Jeff W. Higdon, Evan S. Richardson, Vicki Sahanatien, Vicki Trim, Stephen D. Petersen

Associated Links

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1001: Polar bear key habitats



Data Summary

Management Unit: Davis Strait

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: Polar bear denning data was obtained from a compilation effort conducted by the IPBCC, commissioned by WWF. This work identified 97 sources delineating polar bear denning areas within Canada. Sources came from peer-reviewed research, TEK, government surveys, and local community input. see associated report for comprehensive list and interpretation of underlying sources. The denning areas were then split using polygons of Canadian polar bear subpopulation boundaries, and then by marine bioregion.

Polar bear denning, Davis Strait (HB)

Date: 2018

Open Source: Yes

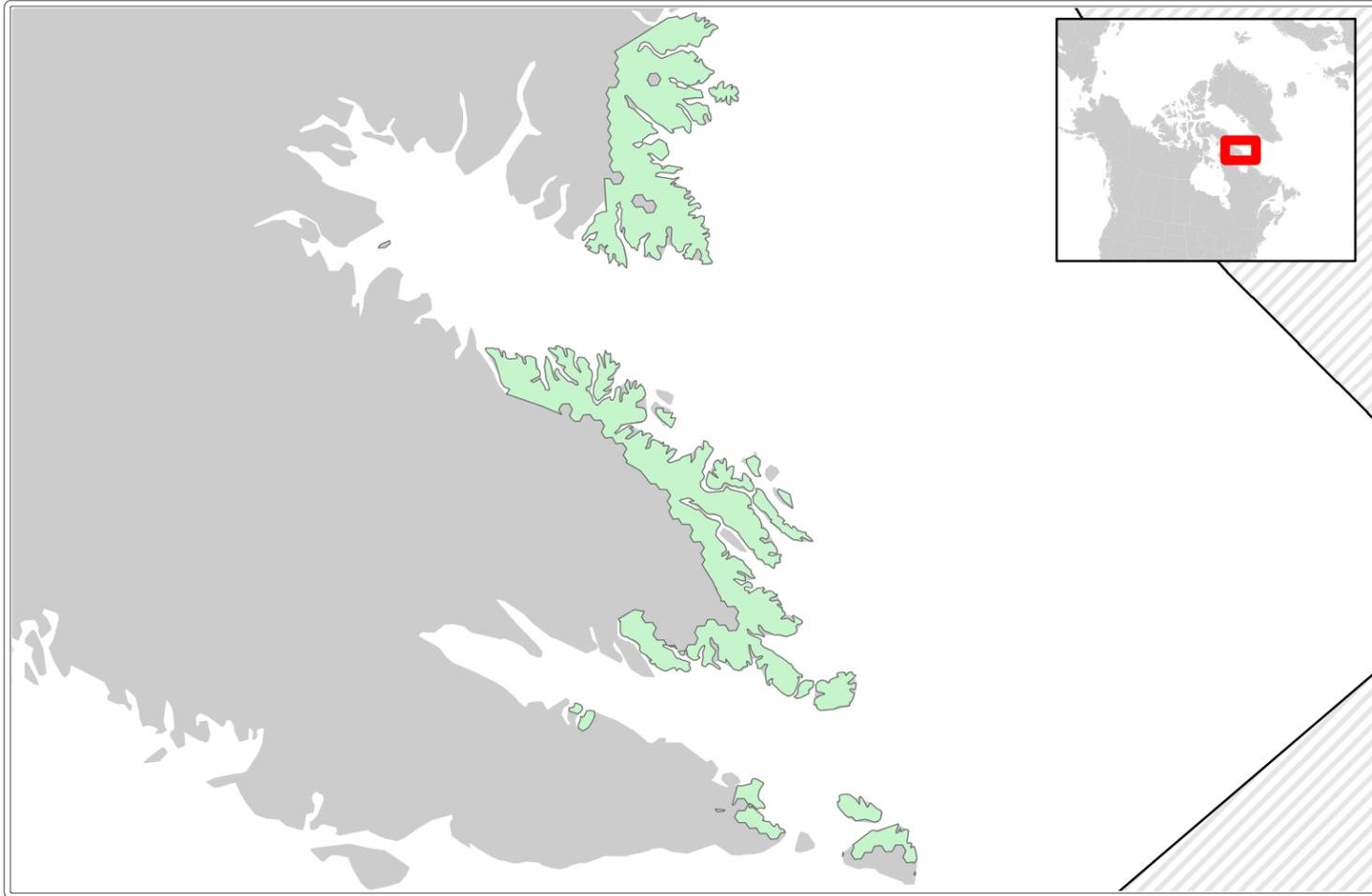
Organization: International Polar Bear Conservation Center

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Associated Links

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Polar bear denning, Davis Strait (EA)

Date: 2018

Open Source: Yes

Organization: International Polar Bear Conservation Center

Associated Report: International Polar Bear Conservation Center (IPBCC) Polar Bear Denning Areas Map for Canada

Authors: Katie R. N. Florko, Andrew E. Derocher, C?Jae C. Breiter, Maha Ghazal, Daryll Hedman, Jeff W. Higdon, Evan S. Richardson, Vicki Sahanatien, Vicki Trim, Stephen D. Petersen

Data Summary

Management Unit: Davis Strait

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Polar bear denning data was obtained from a compilation effort conducted by the IPBCC, commissioned by WWF. This work identified 97 sources delineating polar bear denning areas within Canada. Sources came from peer-reviewed research, TEK, government surveys, and local community input. see associated report for comprehensive list and interpretation of underlying sources. The denning areas were then split using polygons of Canadian polar bear subpopulation boundaries, and then by marine bioregion.

Associated Links

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1003: Polar bear key habitats



Data Summary

Management Unit: Foxe Basin

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: Polar bear denning data was obtained from a compilation effort conducted by the IPBCC, commissioned by WWF. This work identified 97 sources delineating polar bear denning areas within Canada. Sources came from peer-reviewed research, TEK, government surveys, and local community input. see associated report for comprehensive list and interpretation of underlying sources. The denning areas were then split using polygons of Canadian polar bear subpopulation boundaries, and then by marine bioregion.

Polar bear denning, Foxe Basin (HB)

Date: 2018

Open Source: Yes

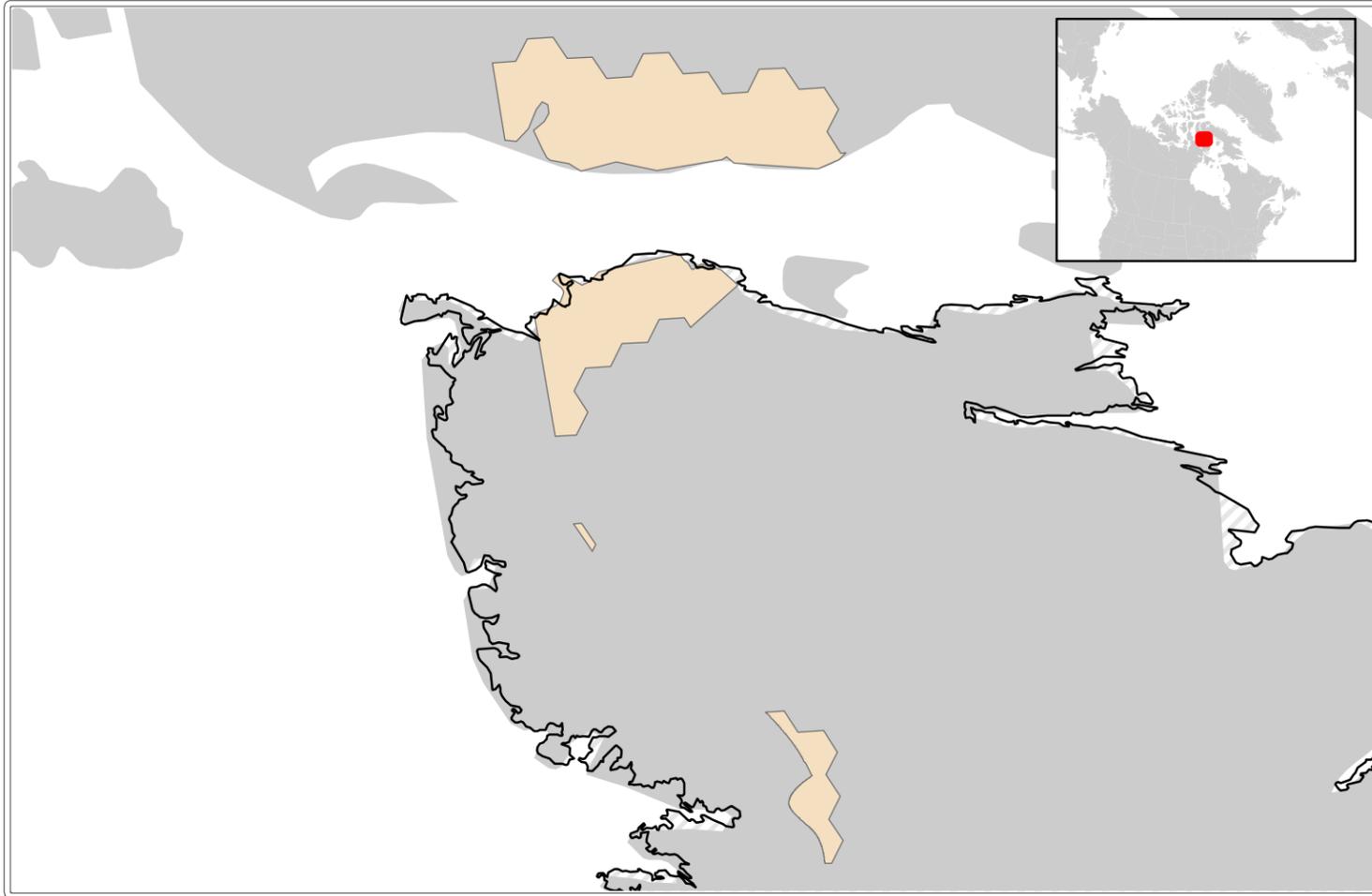
Organization: International Polar Bear Conservation Center

Associated Report: International Polar Bear Conservation Center (IPBCC) Polar Bear Denning Areas Map for Canada

Authors: Katie R. N. Florko, Andrew E. Derocher, C?Jae C. Breiter, Maha Ghazal, Daryll Hedman, Jeff W. Higdon, Evan S. Richardson, Vicki Sahanatien, Vicki Trim, Stephen D. Petersen

Associated Links

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Data Summary

Management Unit: Foxe Basin

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

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Polar bear denning, Foxe Basin (EA)

Date: 2018

Open Source: Yes

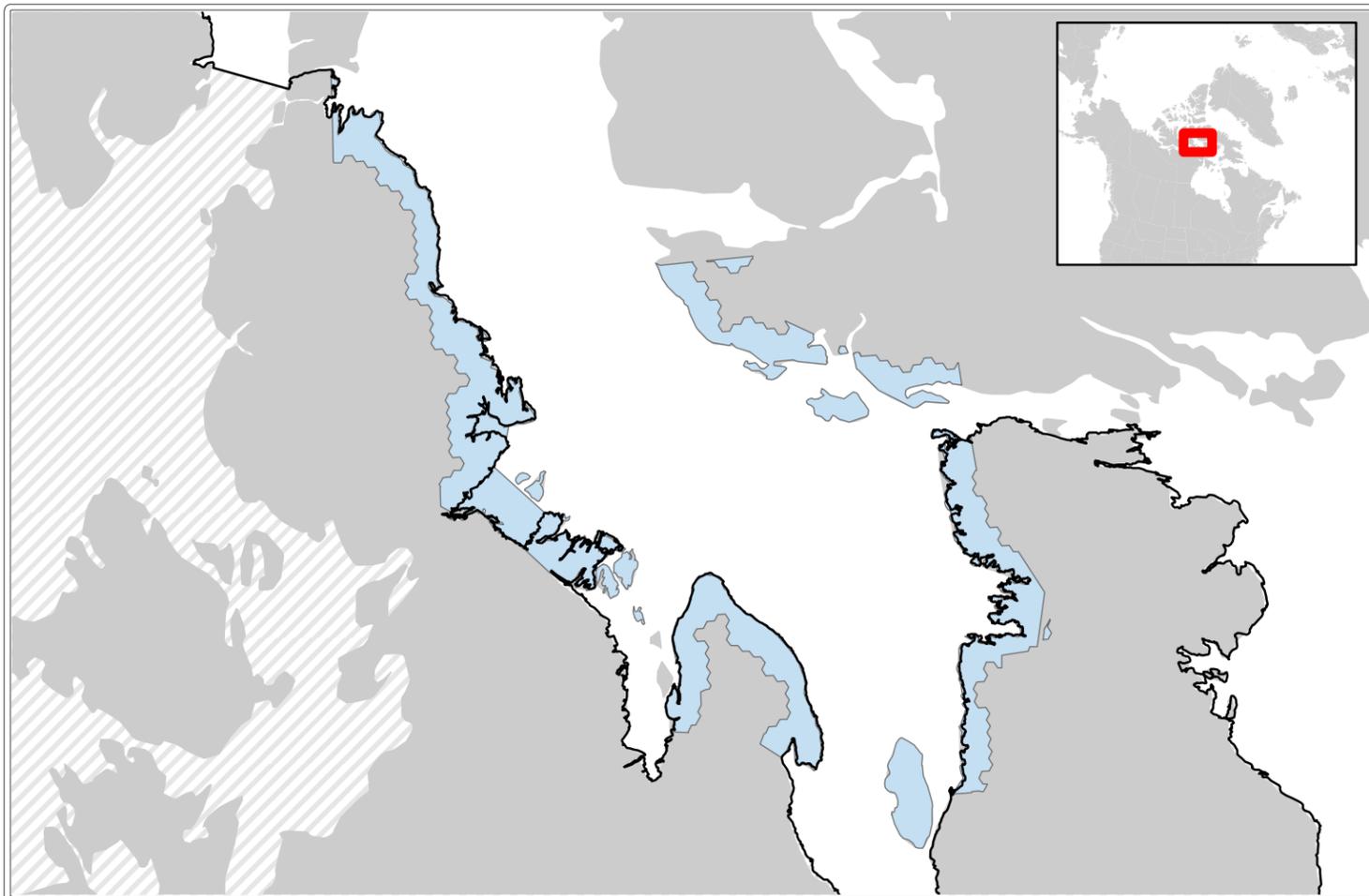
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Associated Links

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Data Summary

Management Unit: Gulf of Boothia

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Polar bear denning data was obtained from a compilation effort conducted by the IPBCC, commissioned by WWF. This work identified 97 sources delineating polar bear denning areas within Canada. Sources came from peer-reviewed research, TEK, government surveys, and local community input. see associated report for comprehensive list and interpretation of underlying sources. The denning areas were then split using polygons of Canadian polar bear subpopulation boundaries, and then by marine bioregion.

Polar bear denning, Gulf of Boothia (EA)

Date: 2018

Open Source: Yes

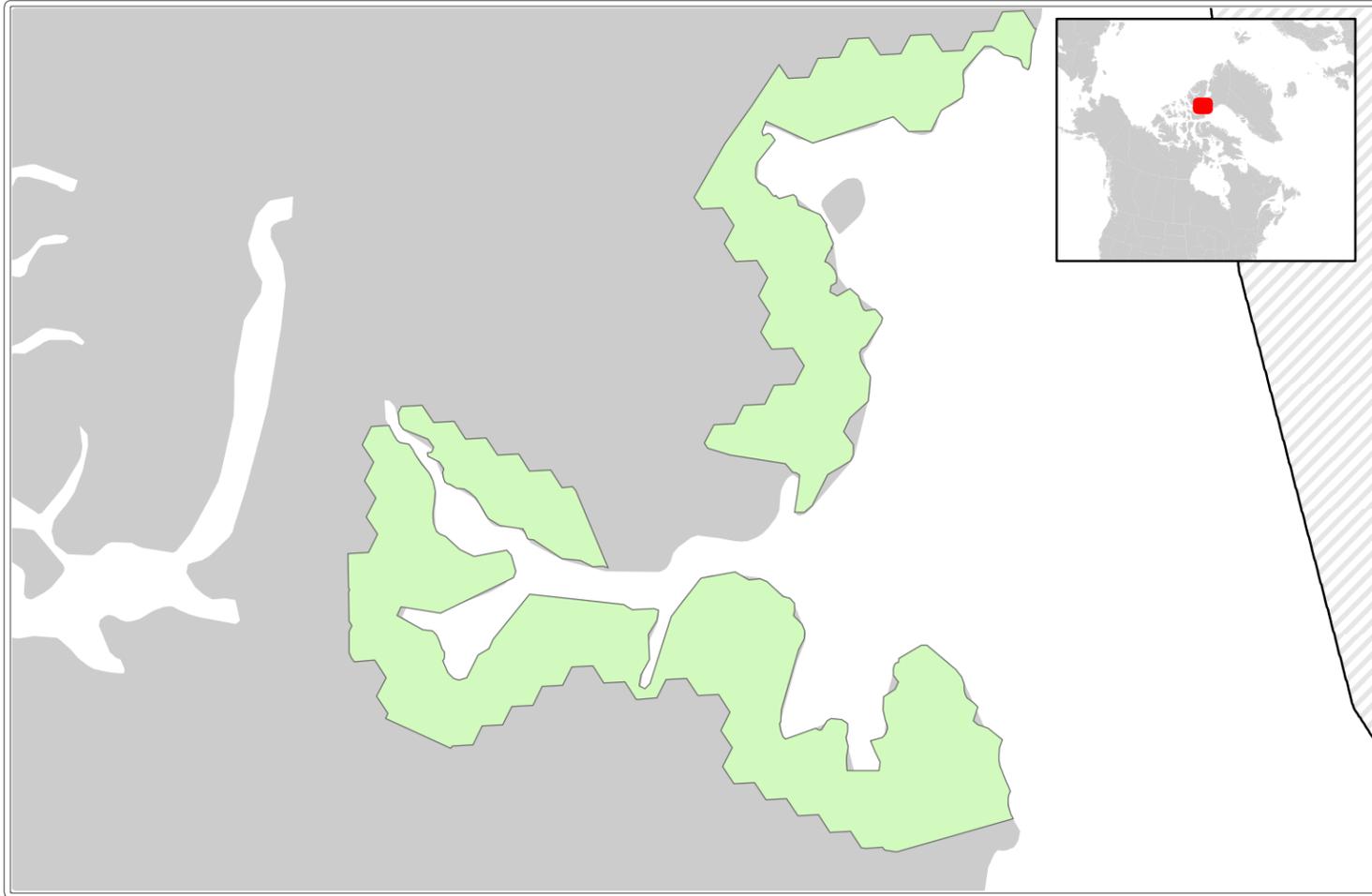
Organization: International Polar Bear Conservation Center

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Associated Links

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Data Summary

Management Unit: Kane Basin

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Polar bear denning data was obtained from a compilation effort conducted by the IPBCC, commissioned by WWF. This work identified 97 sources delineating polar bear denning areas within Canada. Sources came from peer-reviewed research, TEK, government surveys, and local community input. see associated report for comprehensive list and interpretation of underlying sources. The denning areas were then split using polygons of Canadian polar bear subpopulation boundaries, and then by marine bioregion.

Polar bear denning, Kane Basin (EA)

Date: 2018

Open Source: Yes

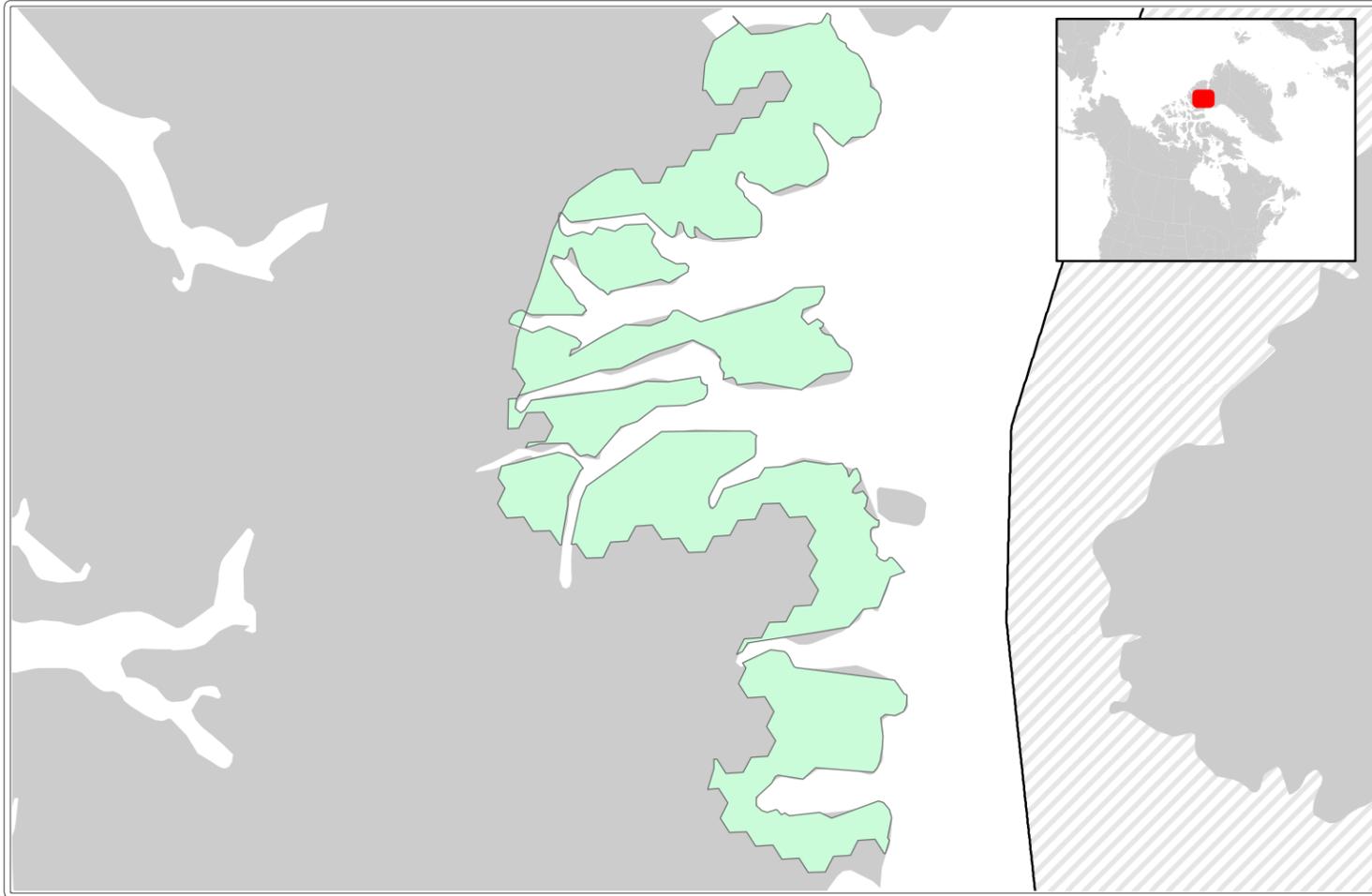
Organization: International Polar Bear Conservation Center

Associated Report: International Polar Bear Conservation Center (IPBCC) Polar Bear Denning Areas Map for Canada

Authors: Katie R. N. Florko, Andrew E. Derocher, C?Jae C. Breiter, Maha Ghazal, Daryll Hedman, Jeff W. Higdon, Evan S. Richardson, Vicki Sahanatien, Vicki Trim, Stephen D. Petersen

Associated Links

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Polar bear denning, Kane Basin (AA)

Date: 2018

Open Source: Yes

Organization: International Polar Bear Conservation Center

Associated Report: International Polar Bear Conservation Center (IPBCC) Polar Bear Denning Areas Map for Canada

Authors: Katie R. N. Florko, Andrew E. Derocher, C?Jae C. Breiter, Maha Ghazal, Daryll Hedman, Jeff W. Higdon, Evan S. Richardson, Vicki Sahanatien, Vicki Trim, Stephen D. Petersen

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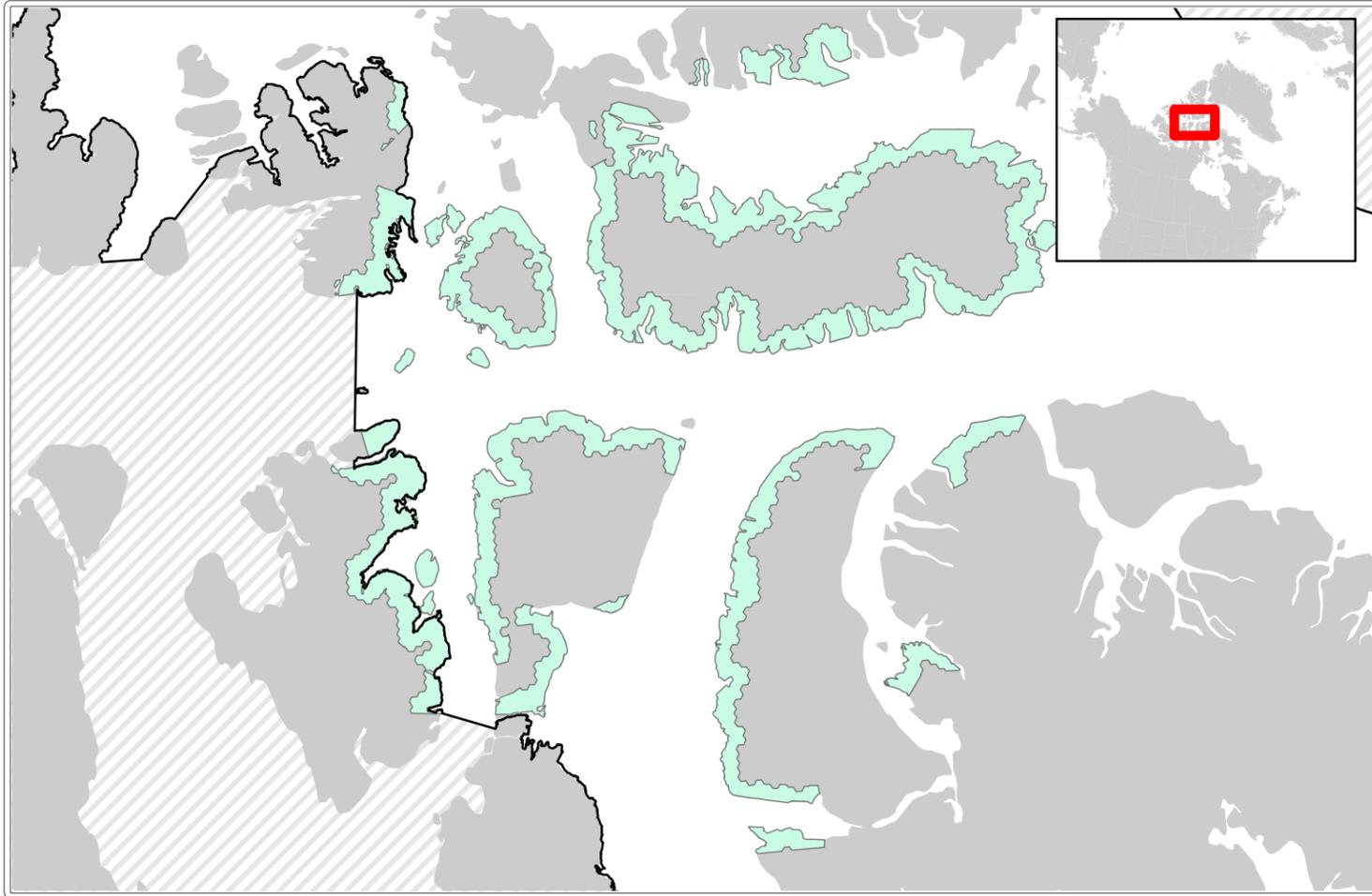
Management Unit: Kane Basin

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago

Description: Polar bear denning data was obtained from a compilation effort conducted by the IPBCC, commissioned by WWF. This work identified 97 sources delineating polar bear denning areas within Canada. Sources came from peer-reviewed research, TEK, government surveys, and local community input. see associated report for comprehensive list and interpretation of underlying sources. The denning areas were then split using polygons of Canadian polar bear subpopulation boundaries, and then by marine bioregion.

Associated Links

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Data Summary

Management Unit: Lancaster Sound

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Polar bear denning data was obtained from a compilation effort conducted by the IPBCC, commissioned by WWF. This work identified 97 sources delineating polar bear denning areas within Canada. Sources came from peer-reviewed research, TEK, government surveys, and local community input. see associated report for comprehensive list and interpretation of underlying sources. The denning areas were then split using polygons of Canadian polar bear subpopulation boundaries, and then by marine bioregion.

Polar bear denning, Lancaster Sound (EA)

Date: 2018

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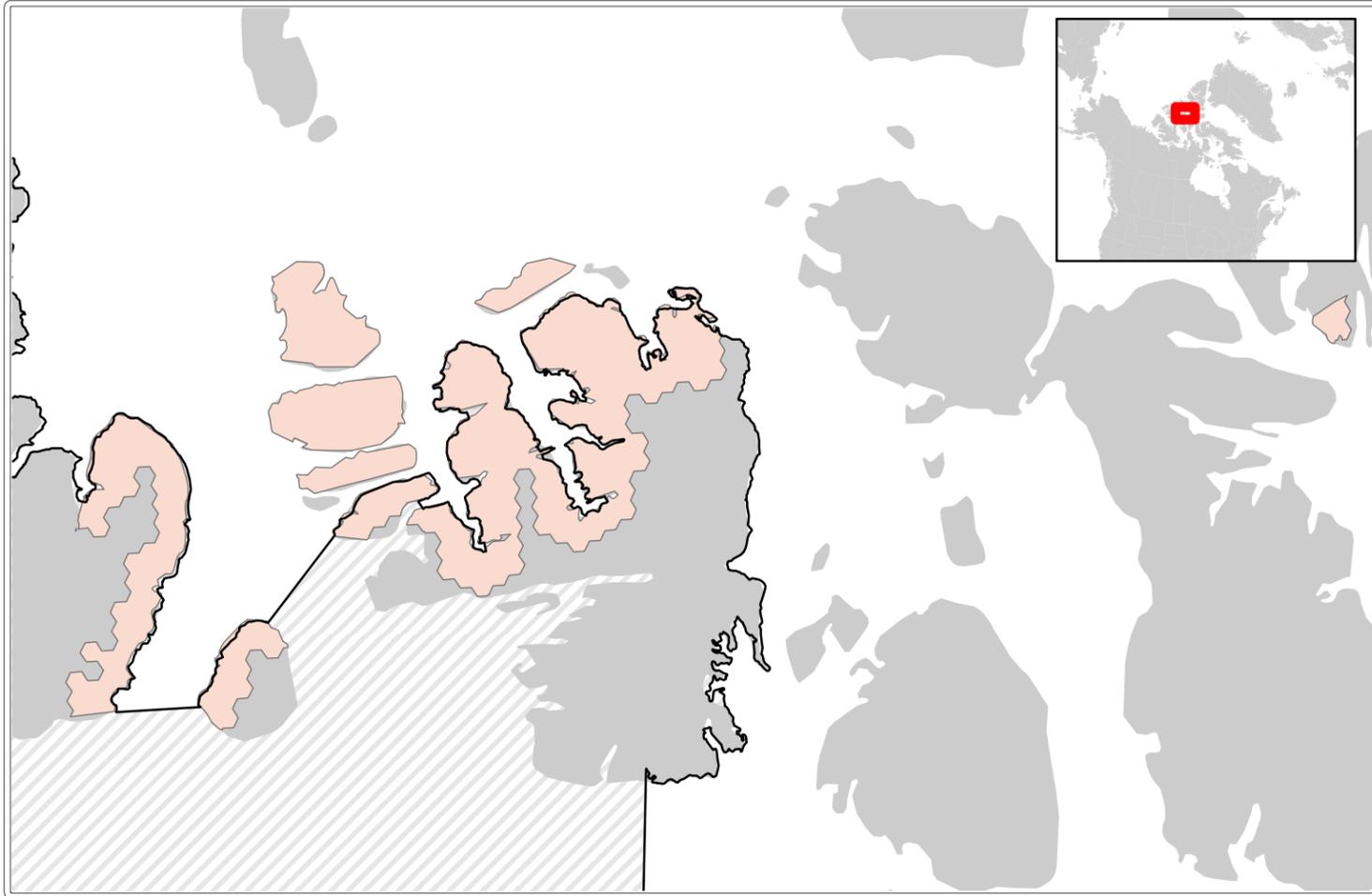
Organization: International Polar Bear Conservation Center

Associated Report: International Polar Bear Conservation Center (IPBCC) Polar Bear Denning Areas Map for Canada

Authors: Katie R. N. Florko, Andrew E. Derocher, C?Jae C. Breiter, Maha Ghazal, Daryll Hedman, Jeff W. Higdon, Evan S. Richardson, Vicki Sahanatien, Vicki Trim, Stephen D. Petersen

Associated Links

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Polar bear denning, Lancaster Sound (AA)

Date: 2018

Open Source: Yes

Organization: International Polar Bear Conservation Center

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Authors: Katie R. N. Florko, Andrew E. Derocher, C?Jae C. Breiter, Maha Ghazal, Daryll Hedman, Jeff W. Higdon, Evan S. Richardson, Vicki Sahanatien, Vicki Trim, Stephen D. Petersen

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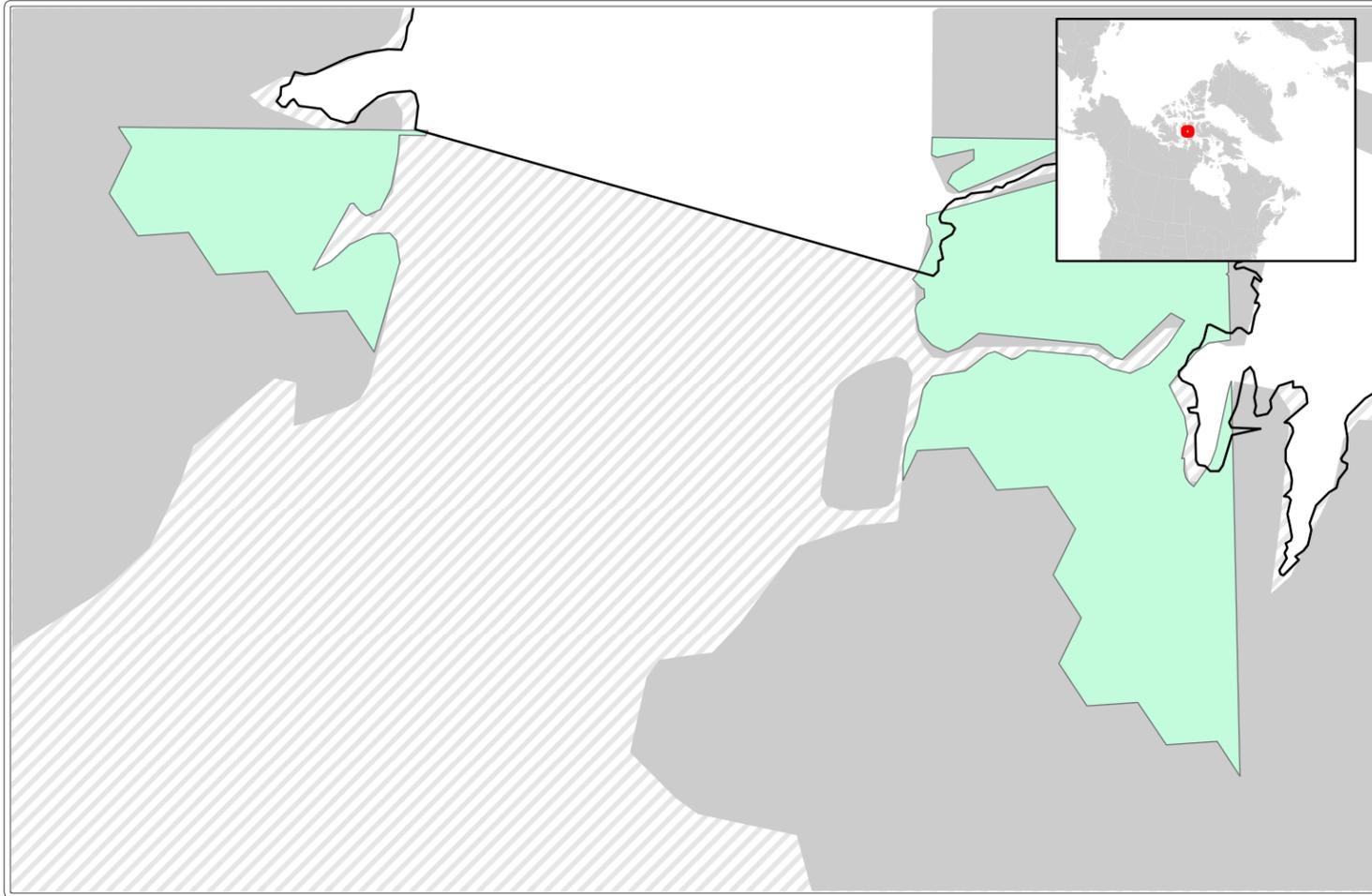
Management Unit: Lancaster Sound

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago

Description: Polar bear denning data was obtained from a compilation effort conducted by the IPBCC, commissioned by WWF. This work identified 97 sources delineating polar bear denning areas within Canada. Sources came from peer-reviewed research, TEK, government surveys, and local community input. see associated report for comprehensive list and interpretation of underlying sources. The denning areas were then split using polygons of Canadian polar bear subpopulation boundaries, and then by marine bioregion.

Associated Links

<https://doi.org/10.1007/s00300-020-02657-8>



Data Summary

Management Unit: M'Clintock Channel

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago

Description: Polar bear denning data was obtained from a compilation effort conducted by the IPBCC, commissioned by WWF. This work identified 97 sources delineating polar bear denning areas within Canada. Sources came from peer-reviewed research, TEK, government surveys, and local community input. see associated report for comprehensive list and interpretation of underlying sources. The denning areas were then split using polygons of Canadian polar bear subpopulation boundaries, and then by marine bioregion.

Polar bear denning, Mclintock Channel

Date: 2018

Open Source: Yes

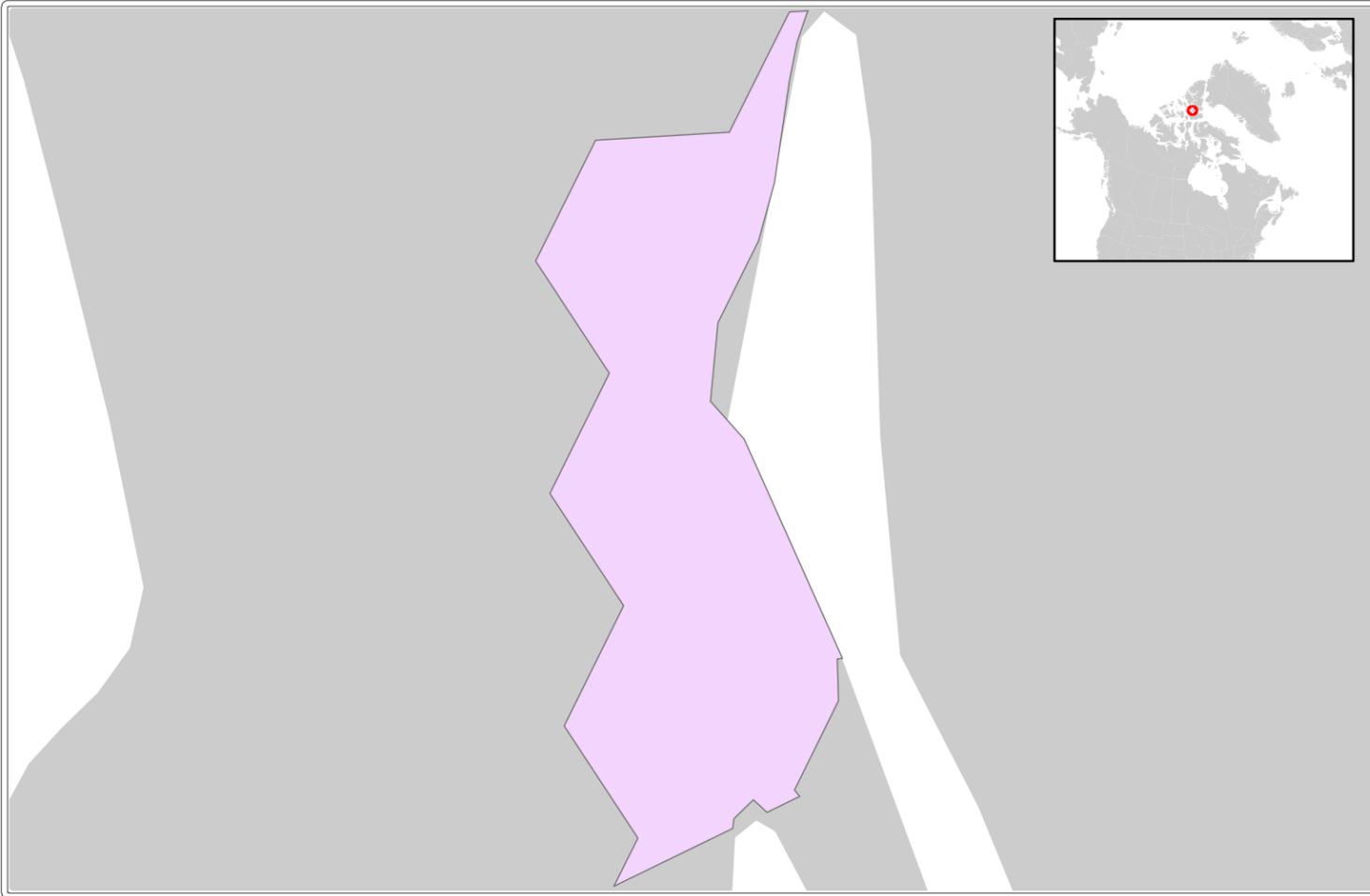
Organization: International Polar Bear Conservation Center

Associated Report: International Polar Bear Conservation Center (IPBCC) Polar Bear Denning Areas Map for Canada

Authors: Katie R. N. Florko, Andrew E. Derocher, C?Jae C. Breiter, Maha Ghazal, Daryll Hedman, Jeff W. Higdon, Evan S. Richardson, Vicki Sahanatien, Vicki Trim, Stephen D. Petersen

Associated Links

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Data Summary

Management Unit: Norwegian Bay

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Polar bear denning data was obtained from a compilation effort conducted by the IPBCC, commissioned by WWF. This work identified 97 sources delineating polar bear denning areas within Canada. Sources came from peer-reviewed research, TEK, government surveys, and local community input. see associated report for comprehensive list and interpretation of underlying sources. The denning areas were then split using polygons of Canadian polar bear subpopulation boundaries, and then by marine bioregion.

Polar bear denning, Norwegian Bay (EA)

Date: 2018

Open Source: Yes

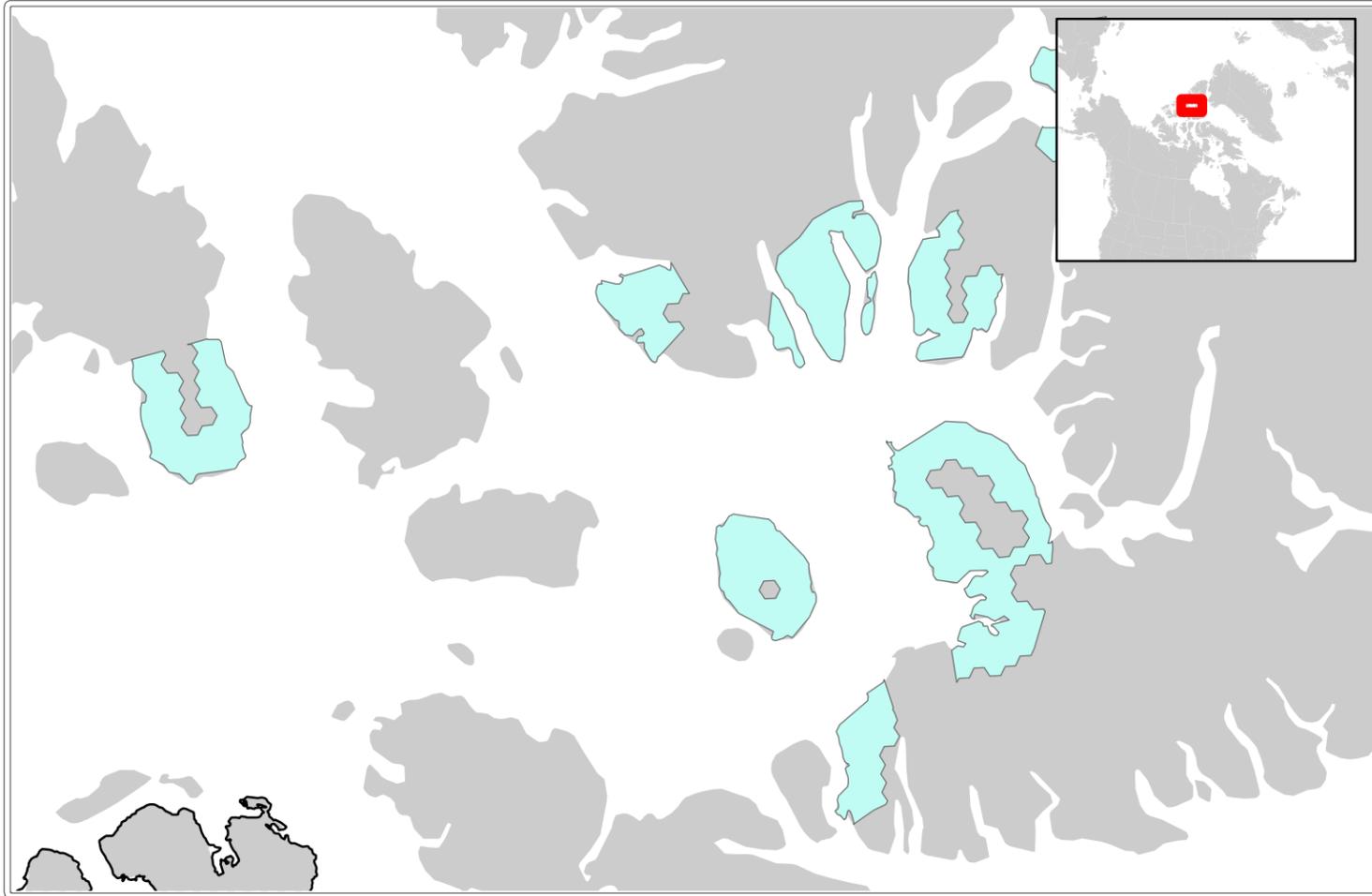
Organization: International Polar Bear Conservation Center

Associated Report: International Polar Bear Conservation Center (IPBCC) Polar Bear Denning Areas Map for Canada

Authors: Katie R. N. Florko, Andrew E. Derocher, C?Jae C. Breiter, Maha Ghazal, Daryll Hedman, Jeff W. Higdon, Evan S. Richardson, Vicki Sahanatien, Vicki Trim, Stephen D. Petersen

Associated Links

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Polar bear denning, Norwegian Bay (AA)

Date: 2018

Open Source: Yes

Organization: International Polar Bear Conservation Center

Associated Report: International Polar Bear Conservation Center (IPBCC) Polar Bear Denning Areas Map for Canada

Authors: Katie R. N. Florko, Andrew E. Derocher, C?Jae C. Breiter, Maha Ghazal, Daryll Hedman, Jeff W. Higdon, Evan S. Richardson, Vicki Sahanatien, Vicki Trim, Stephen D. Petersen

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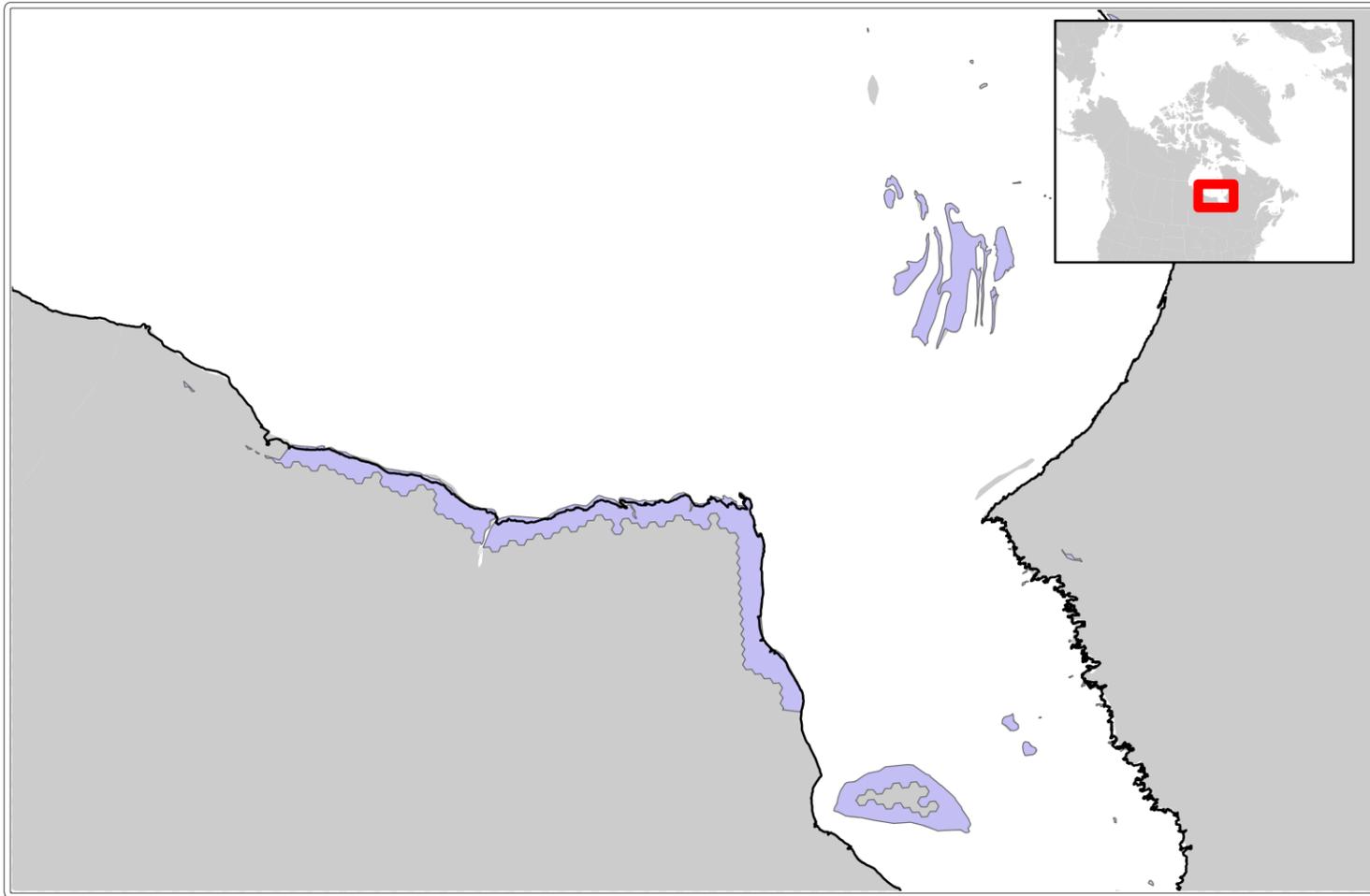
Management Unit: Norwegian Bay

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago

Description: Polar bear denning data was obtained from a compilation effort conducted by the IPBCC, commissioned by WWF. This work identified 97 sources delineating polar bear denning areas within Canada. Sources came from peer-reviewed research, TEK, government surveys, and local community input. see associated report for comprehensive list and interpretation of underlying sources. The denning areas were then split using polygons of Canadian polar bear subpopulation boundaries, and then by marine bioregion.

Associated Links

<https://doi.org/10.1007/s00300-020-02657-8>



Data Summary

Management Unit: Southern Hudson Bay

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: Polar bear denning data was obtained from a compilation effort conducted by the IPBCC, commissioned by WWF. This work identified 97 sources delineating polar bear denning areas within Canada. Sources came from peer-reviewed research, TEK, government surveys, and local community input. see associated report for comprehensive list and interpretation of underlying sources. The denning areas were then split using polygons of Canadian polar bear subpopulation boundaries, and then by marine bioregion.

Polar bear denning, Southern Hudson Bay (HB)

Date: 2018

Open Source: Yes

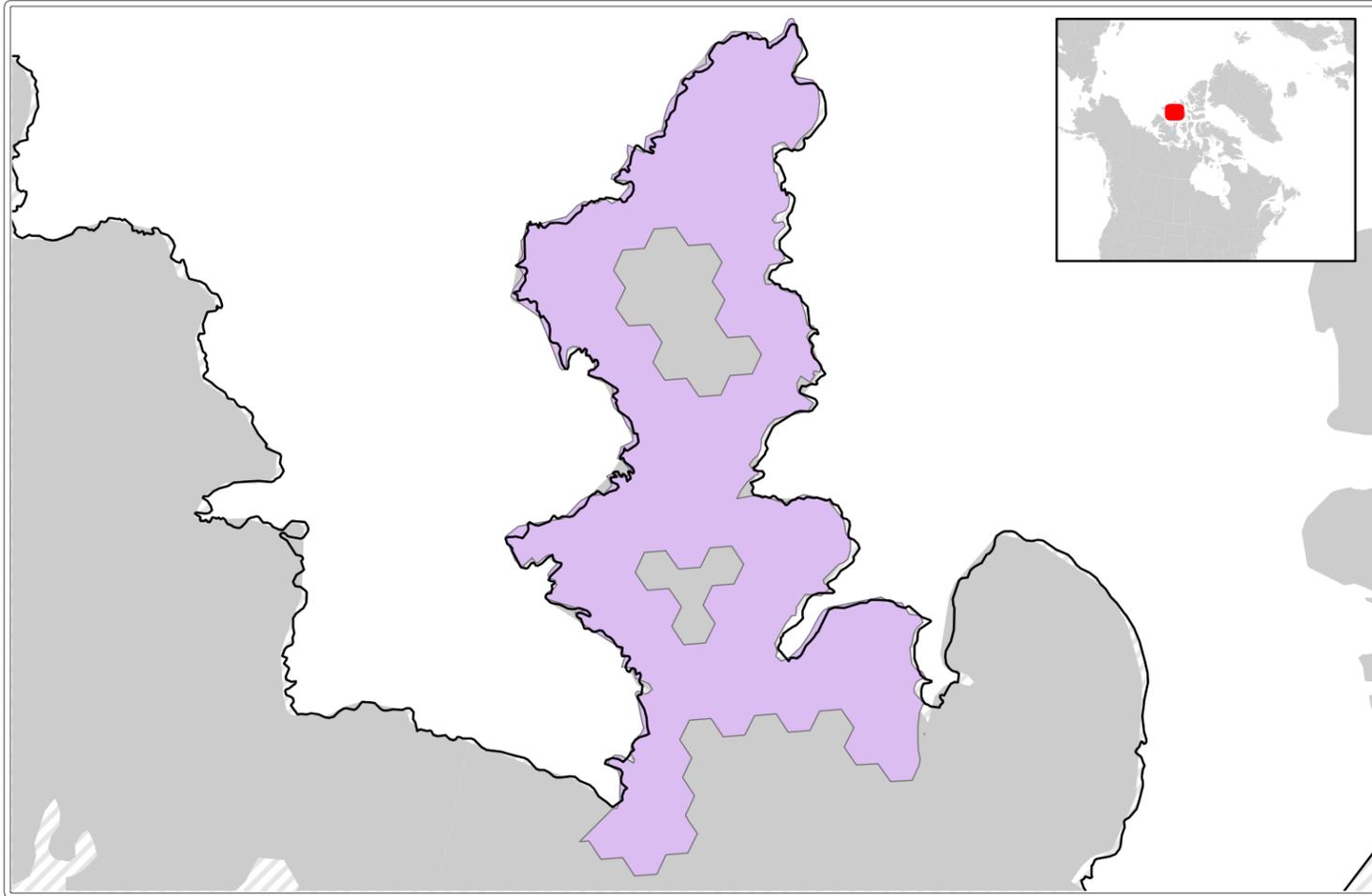
Organization: International Polar Bear Conservation Center

Associated Report: International Polar Bear Conservation Center (IPBCC) Polar Bear Denning Areas Map for Canada

Authors: Katie R. N. Florko, Andrew E. Derocher, C?Jae C. Breiter, Maha Ghazal, Daryll Hedman, Jeff W. Higdon, Evan S. Richardson, Vicki Sahanatien, Vicki Trim, Stephen D. Petersen

Associated Links

<https://doi.org/10.1007/s00300-020-02657-8>



Data Summary

Management Unit: Viscount Melville Sound

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago

Description: Polar bear denning data was obtained from a compilation effort conducted by the IPBCC, commissioned by WWF. This work identified 97 sources delineating polar bear denning areas within Canada. Sources came from peer-reviewed research, TEK, government surveys, and local community input. see associated report for comprehensive list and interpretation of underlying sources. The denning areas were then split using polygons of Canadian polar bear subpopulation boundaries, and then by marine bioregion.

Polar bear denning, Viscount Melville Sound (AA)

Date: 2018

Open Source: Yes

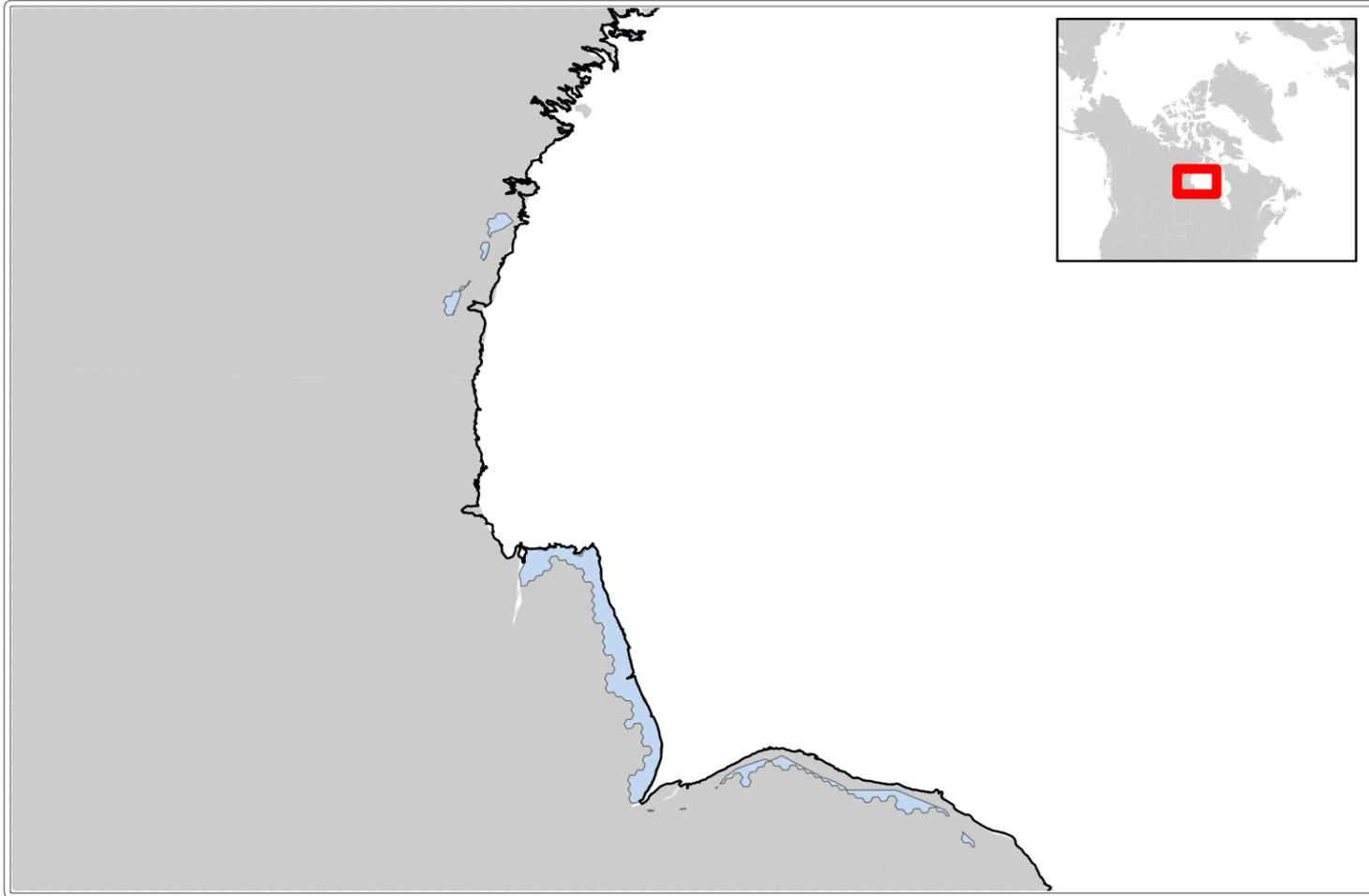
Organization: International Polar Bear Conservation Center

Associated Report: International Polar Bear Conservation Center (IPBCC) Polar Bear Denning Areas Map for Canada

Authors: Katie R. N. Florko, Andrew E. Derocher, C?Jae C. Breiter, Maha Ghazal, Daryll Hedman, Jeff W. Higdon, Evan S. Richardson, Vicki Sahanatien, Vicki Trim, Stephen D. Petersen

Associated Links

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Polar bear denning, Western Hudson Bay (HB)

Date: 2018

Open Source: Yes

Organization: International Polar Bear Conservation Center

Associated Report: International Polar Bear Conservation Center (IPBCC) Polar Bear Denning Areas Map for Canada

Authors: Katie R. N. Florko, Andrew E. Derocher, C?Jae C. Breiter, Maha Ghazal, Daryll Hedman, Jeff W. Higdon, Evan S. Richardson, Vicki Sahanatien, Vicki Trim, Stephen D. Petersen

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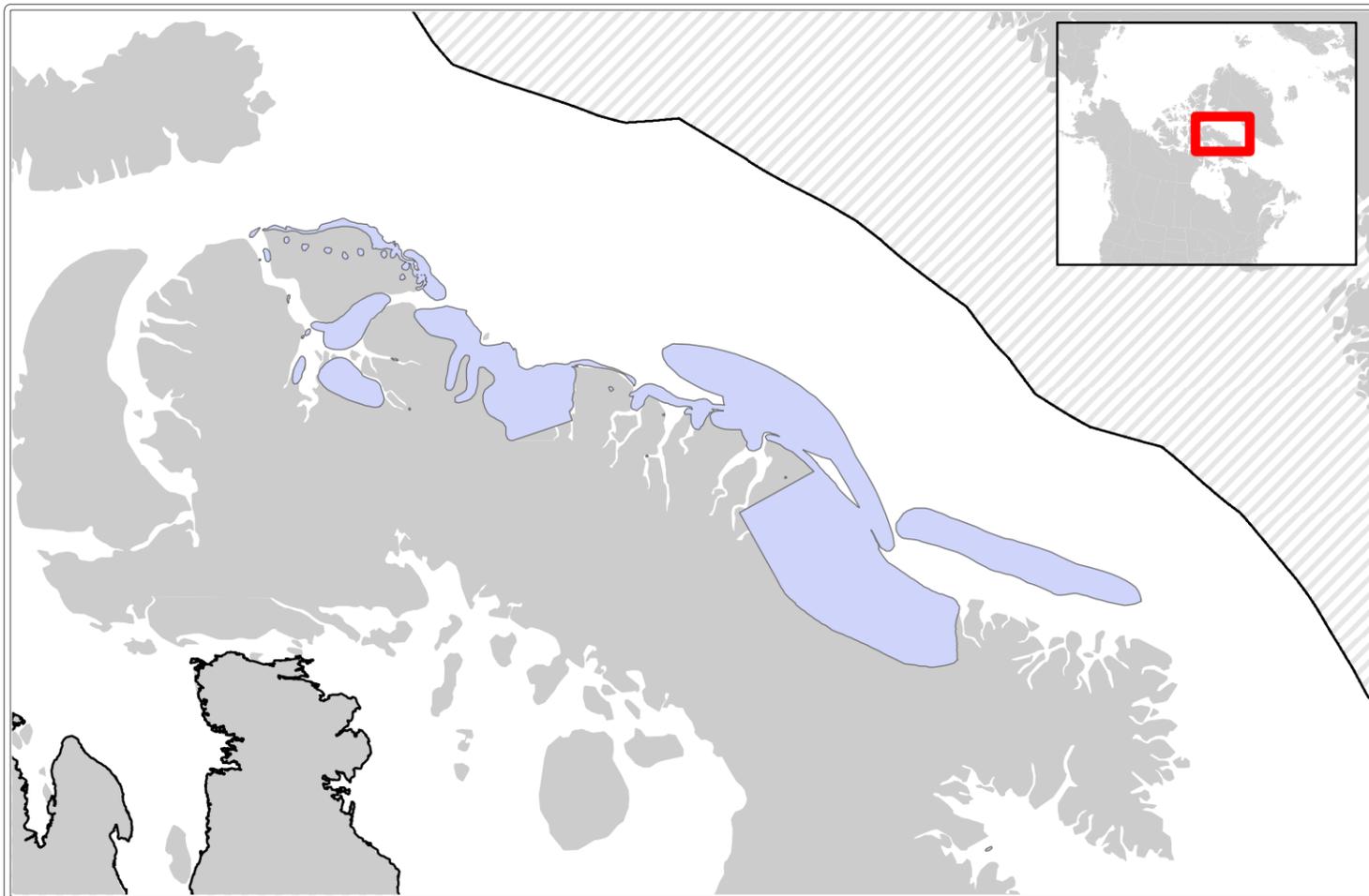
Management Unit: Western Hudson Bay

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: Polar bear denning data was obtained from a compilation effort conducted by the IPBCC, commissioned by WWF. This work identified 97 sources delineating polar bear denning areas within Canada. Sources came from peer-reviewed research, TEK, government surveys, and local community input. see associated report for comprehensive list and interpretation of underlying sources. The denning areas were then split using polygons of Canadian polar bear subpopulation boundaries, and then by marine bioregion.

Associated Links

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Polar bear locally identified habitat, Baffin Bay (EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

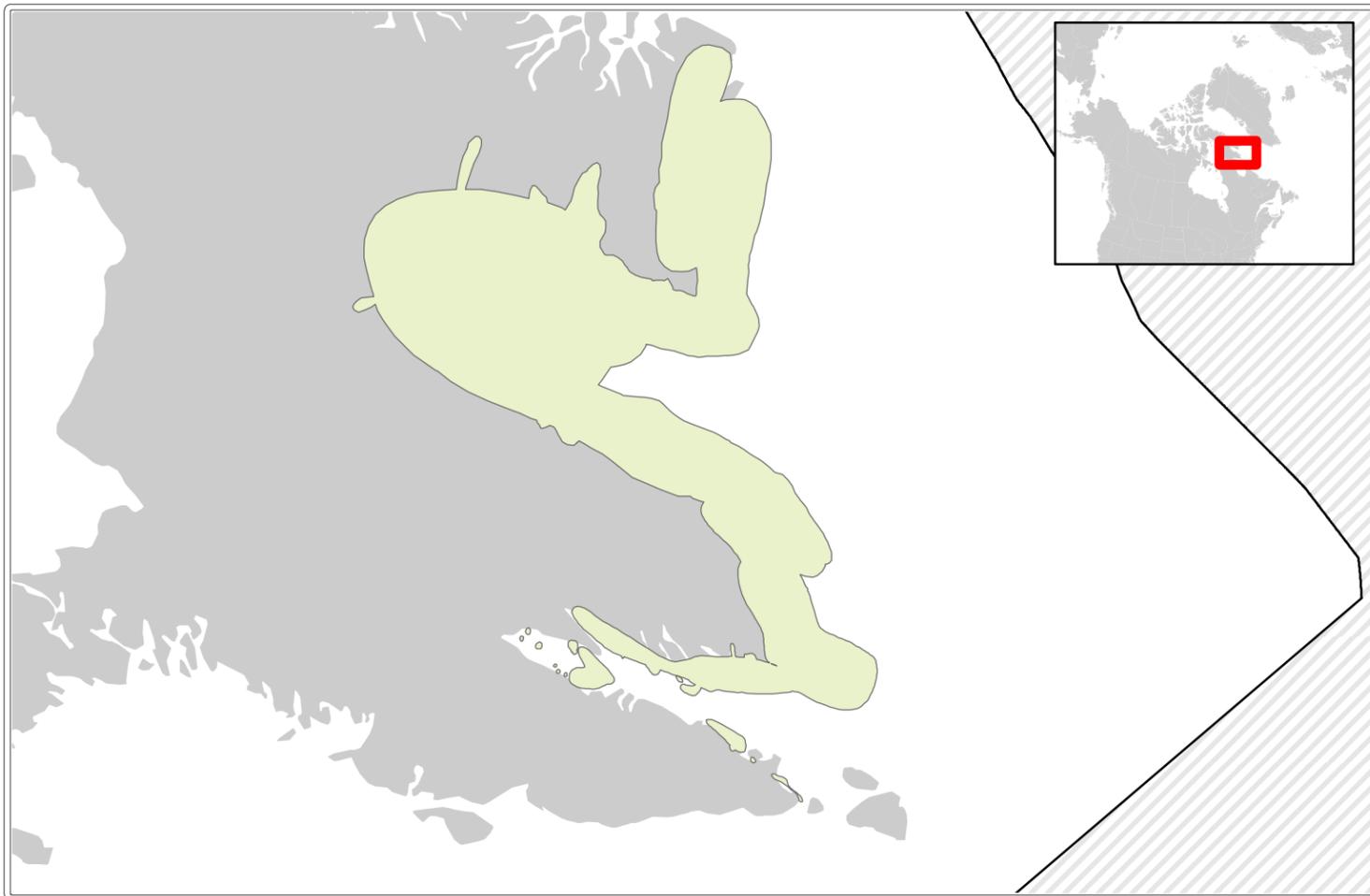
Management Unit: Baffin Bay

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses polar bear data from NCRI reports from Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Chesterfield Inlet, Coral Harbour, Sanirajak, Kimmirut, Nauyasat, Igloodik, and Rankin Inlet.

Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>



Polar bear locally identified habitat, Davis Strait (EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

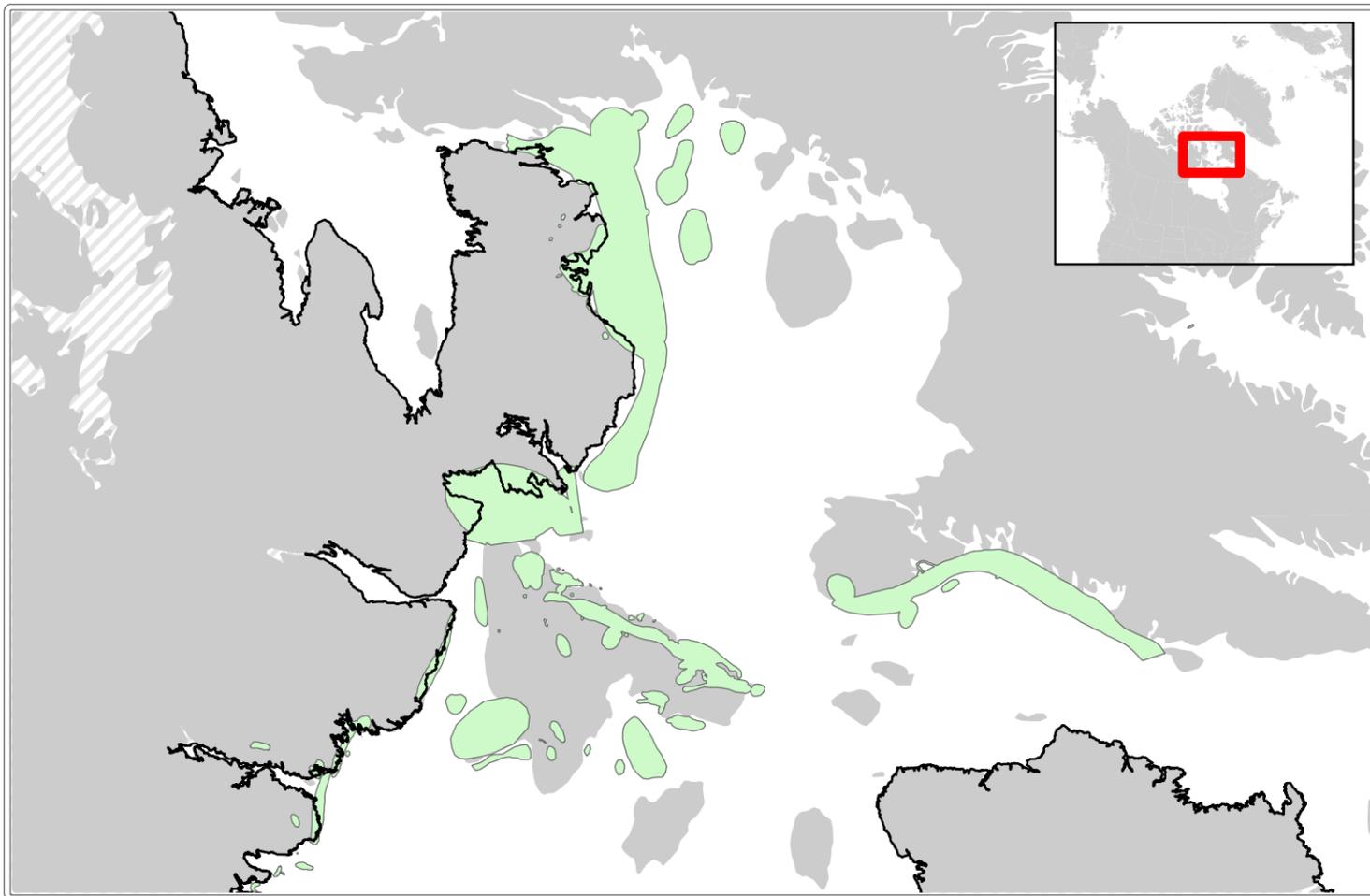
Management Unit: Davis Strait

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses polar bear data from NCRI reports from Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Chesterfield Inlet, Coral Harbour, Sanirajak, Kimmirut, Nauyasat, Igloodik, and Rankin Inlet.

Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>



Polar bear locally identified habitat, Foxe Basin (HB)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

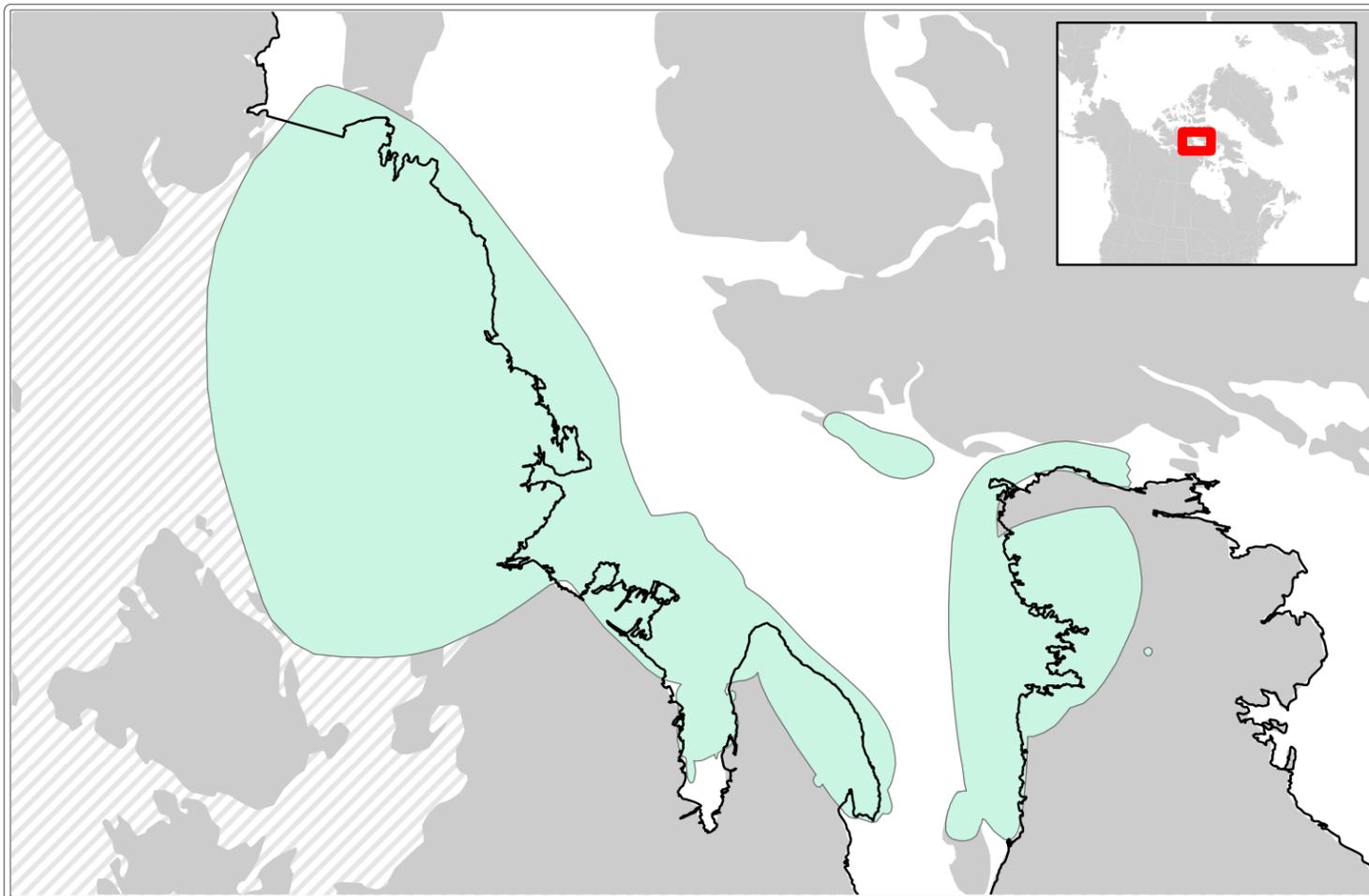
Management Unit: Foxe Basin

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses polar bear data from NCRI reports from Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Chesterfield Inlet, Coral Harbour, Sanirajak, Kimmirut, Nauyasat, Igloodik, and Rankin Inlet.

Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>



Polar bear locally identified habitat, Gulf of Boothia (EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

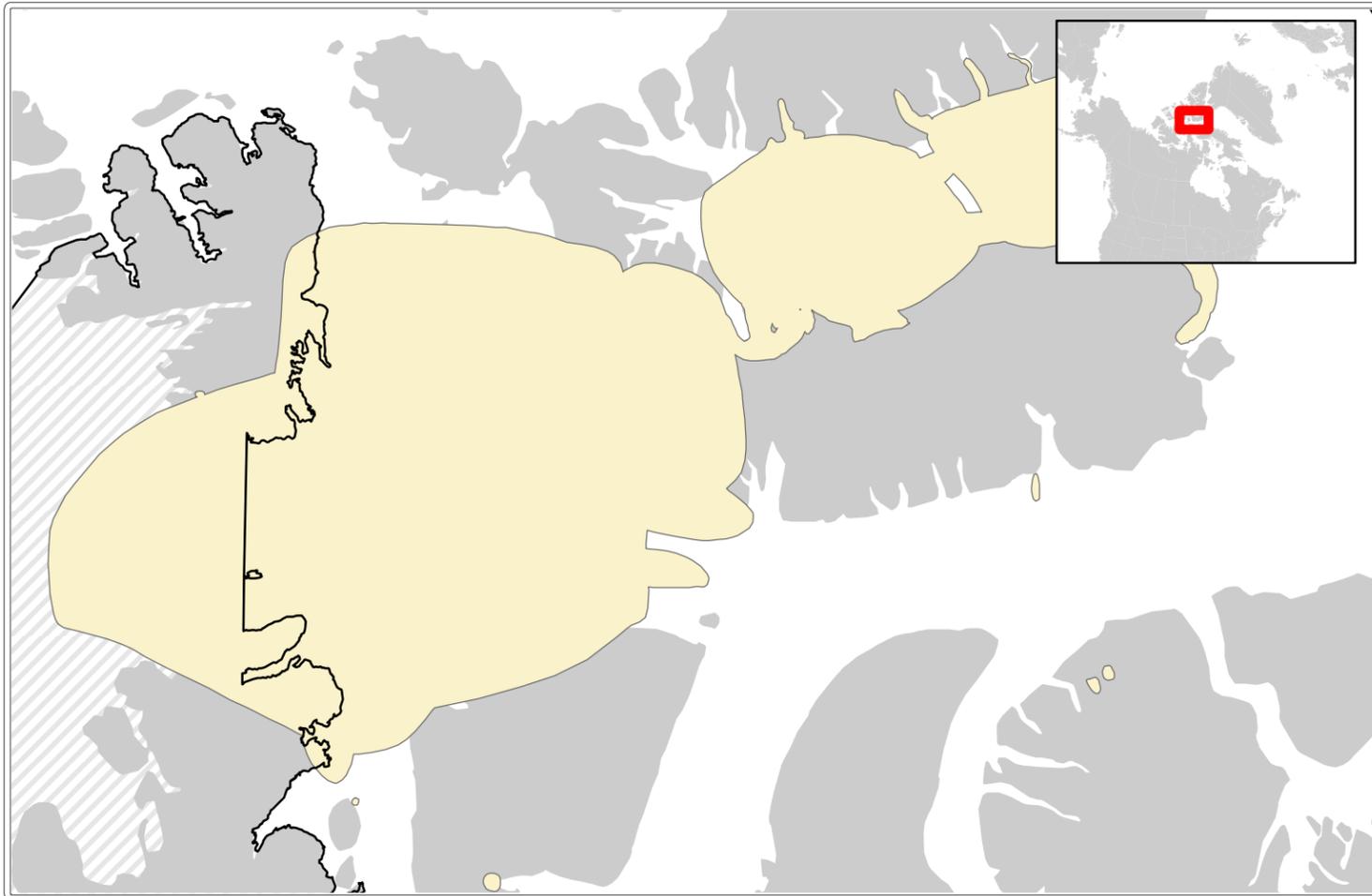
Management Unit: Gulf of Boothia

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses polar bear data from NCRI reports from Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Chesterfield Inlet, Coral Harbour, Sanirajak, Kimmirut, Nauyasat, Igloodik, and Rankin Inlet.

Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>



Polar bear locally identified habitat, Lancaster Sound (EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

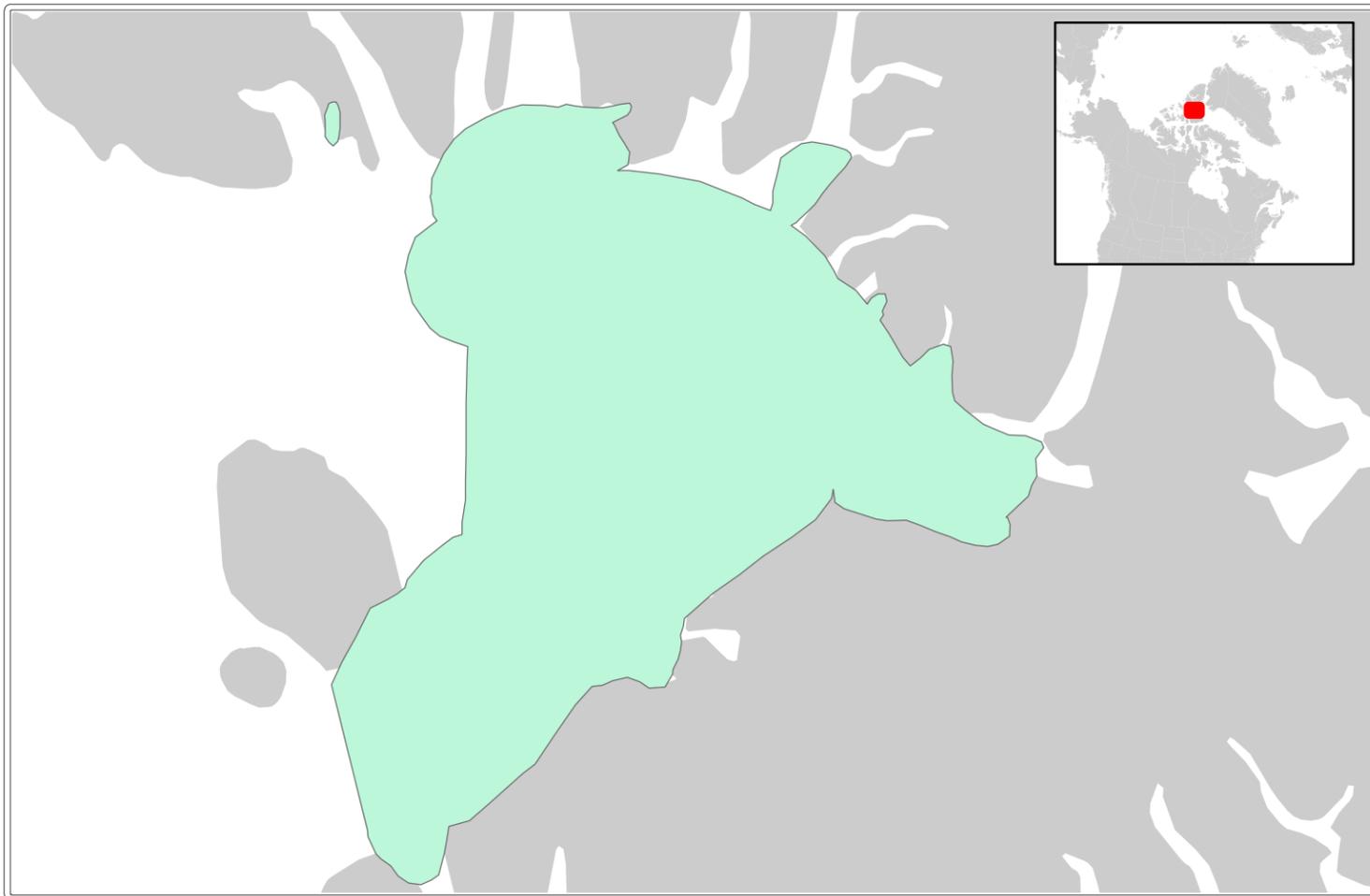
Management Unit: Lancaster Sound

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses polar bear data from NCRI reports from Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Chesterfield Inlet, Coral Harbour, Sanirajak, Kimmirut, Nauyasat, Igloodik, and Rankin Inlet.

Associated Links

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Polar bear locally identified habitat, Norwegian Bay (AA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

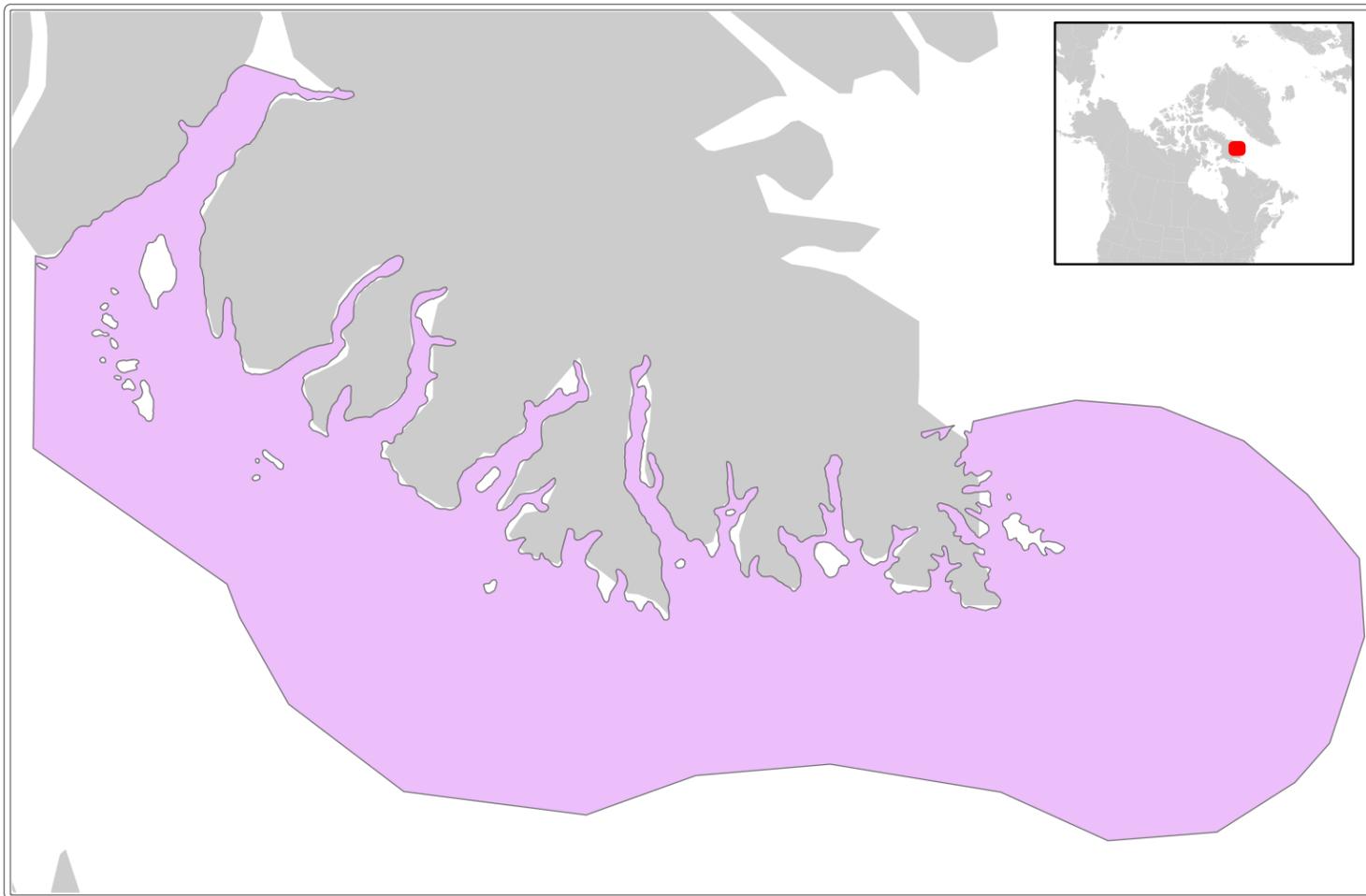
Management Unit: Norwegian Bay

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses polar bear data from NCRI reports from Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Chesterfield Inlet, Coral Harbour, Sanirajak, Kimmirut, Nauyasat, Igloodik, and Rankin Inlet.

Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>



Data Summary

Management Unit: Cumberland Sound

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: WWF commissioned Higdon Wildlife Consulting to compile existing knowledge on critical cetacean habitat within Nunavut. Overwintering areas were delineated, representing more specific habitat than general winter range areas.

Beluga overwintering, Cumberland Sound (EA)

Date: 2017

Open Source: No

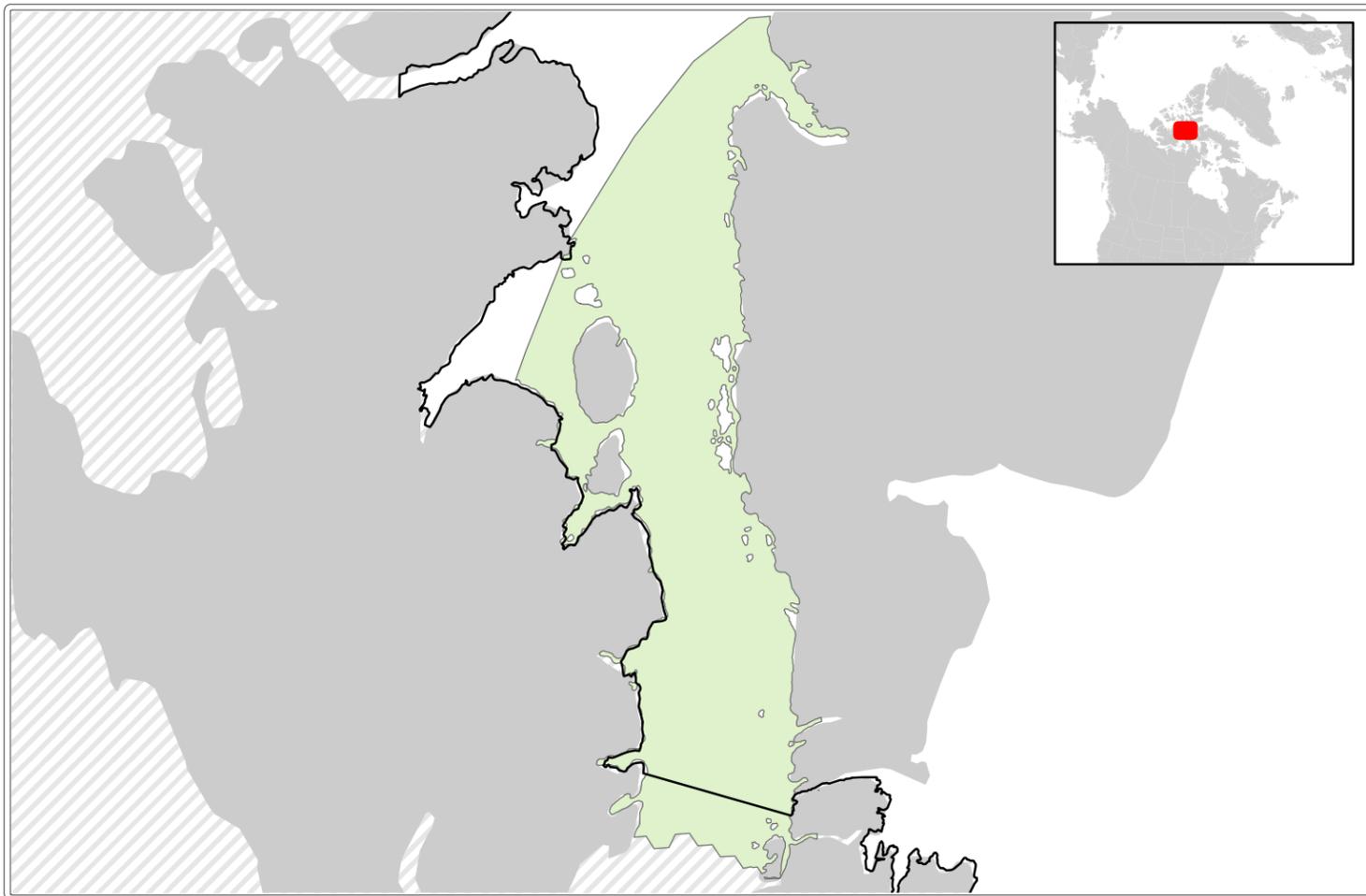
Organization: Higdon Wildlife Consulting, for WWF-Canada

Associated Report: Mapping Critical Whale Habitat in the Nunavut Settlement Area

Authors: Jeff W. Higdon

Associated Links

N/A



Data Summary

Management Unit: Eastern High Arctic-Baffin Bay

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: WWF commissioned Higdon Wildlife Consulting to compile existing knowledge on critical cetacean habitat within Nunavut. Beluga foraging grounds were identified from 2 local community IK surveys (Kimmirut & Iqaluit) and satellite tagging studies in Peel Sound. These foraging polygons were split by beluga stock and by marine bioregion.

Beluga foraging, Eastern High Arctic-Baffin Bay (EA)

Date: 2017

Open Source: No

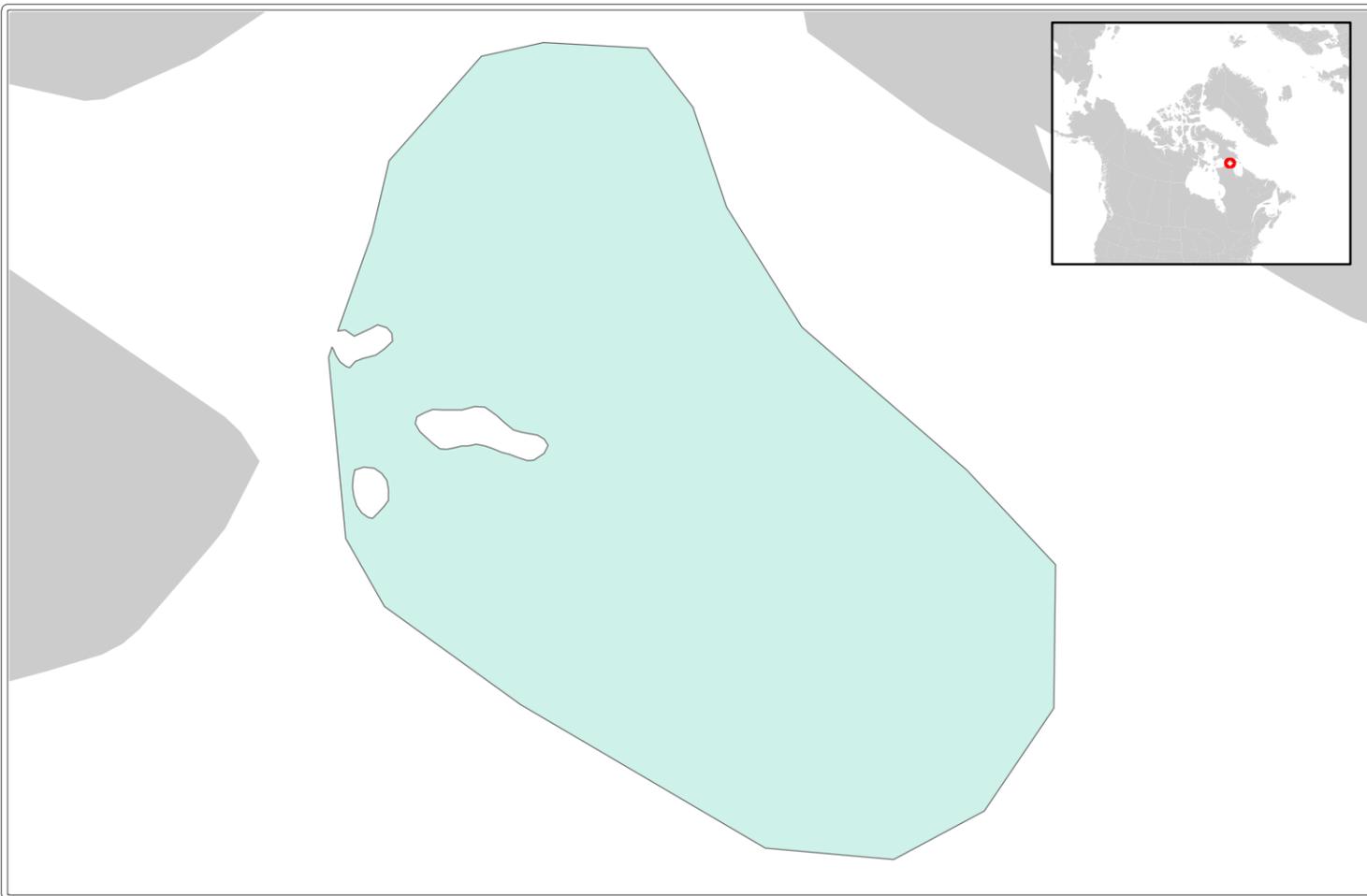
Organization: Higdon Wildlife Consulting, for WWF-Canada

Associated Report: Mapping Critical Whale Habitat in the Nunavut Settlement Area

Authors: Jeff W. Higdon

Associated Links

N/A



Data Summary

Management Unit: Eastern Hudson Bay, Western Hudson Bay

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: WWF commissioned Higdon Wildlife Consulting to compile existing knowledge on critical cetacean habitat within Nunavut. Beluga foraging grounds were identified from 2 local community IK surveys (Kimmirut & Iqaluit) and satellite tagging studies in Peel Sound. These foraging polygons were split by beluga stock and by marine bioregion.

Beluga foraging, Eastern Hudson Bay/Western Hudson Bay (HB)

Date: 2017

Open Source: No

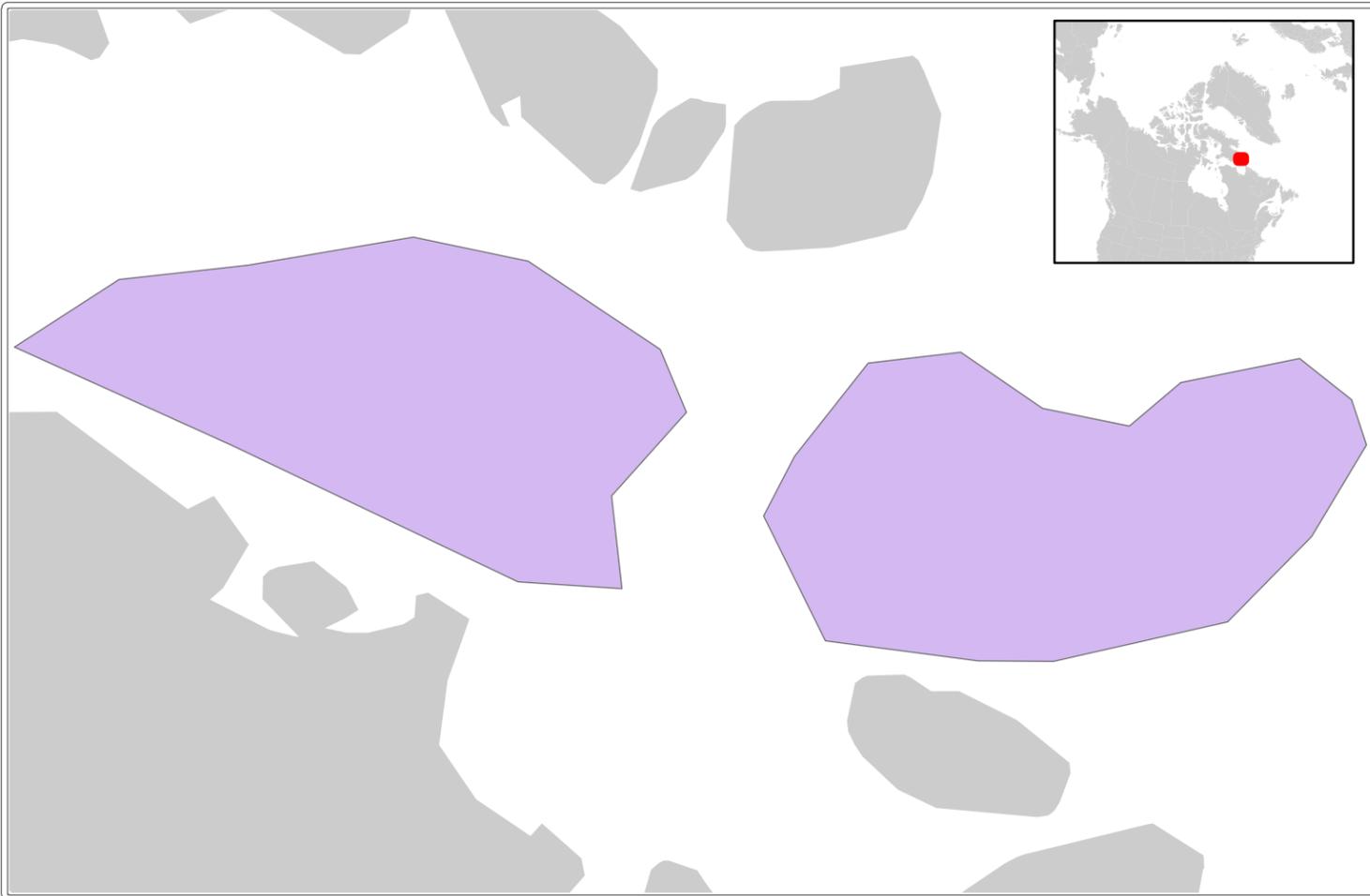
Organization: Higdon Wildlife Consulting, for WWF-Canada

Associated Report: Mapping Critical Whale Habitat in the Nunavut Settlement Area

Authors: Jeff W. Higdon

Associated Links

N/A



Data Summary

Management Unit: Western Hudson Bay

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: WWF commissioned Higdon Wildlife Consulting to compile existing knowledge on critical cetacean habitat within Nunavut. Beluga foraging grounds were identified from 2 local community IK surveys (Kimmirut & Iqaluit) and satellite tagging studies in Peel Sound. These foraging polygons were split by beluga stock and by marine bioregion.

Beluga foraging, Western Hudson Bay (EA)

Date: 2017

Open Source: No

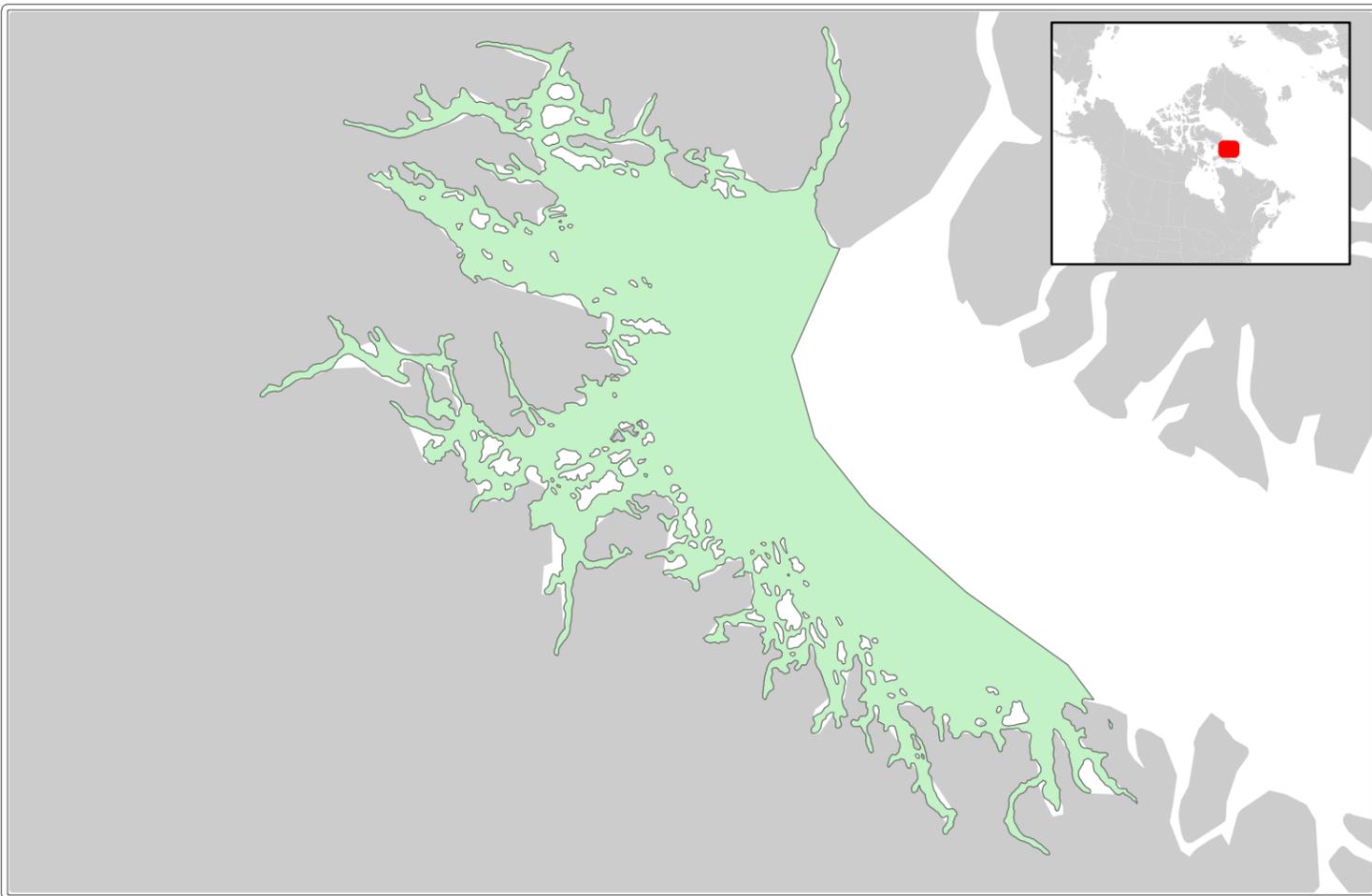
Organization: Higdon Wildlife Consulting, for WWF-Canada

Associated Report: Mapping Critical Whale Habitat in the Nunavut Settlement Area

Authors: Jeff W. Higdon

Associated Links

N/A



Data Summary

Management Unit: Cumberland Sound

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: WWF commissioned Higdon Wildlife Consulting to compile existing knowledge on critical cetacean habitat within Nunavut. Written and mapped sources delineated beluga calving grounds. This work drew largely on surveys of IK as well as monitoring data in Prince Regent Inlet. These calving polygons were split by beluga stock and by marine bioregion.

Beluga calving, Cumberland Sound (EA)

Date: 2017

Open Source: No

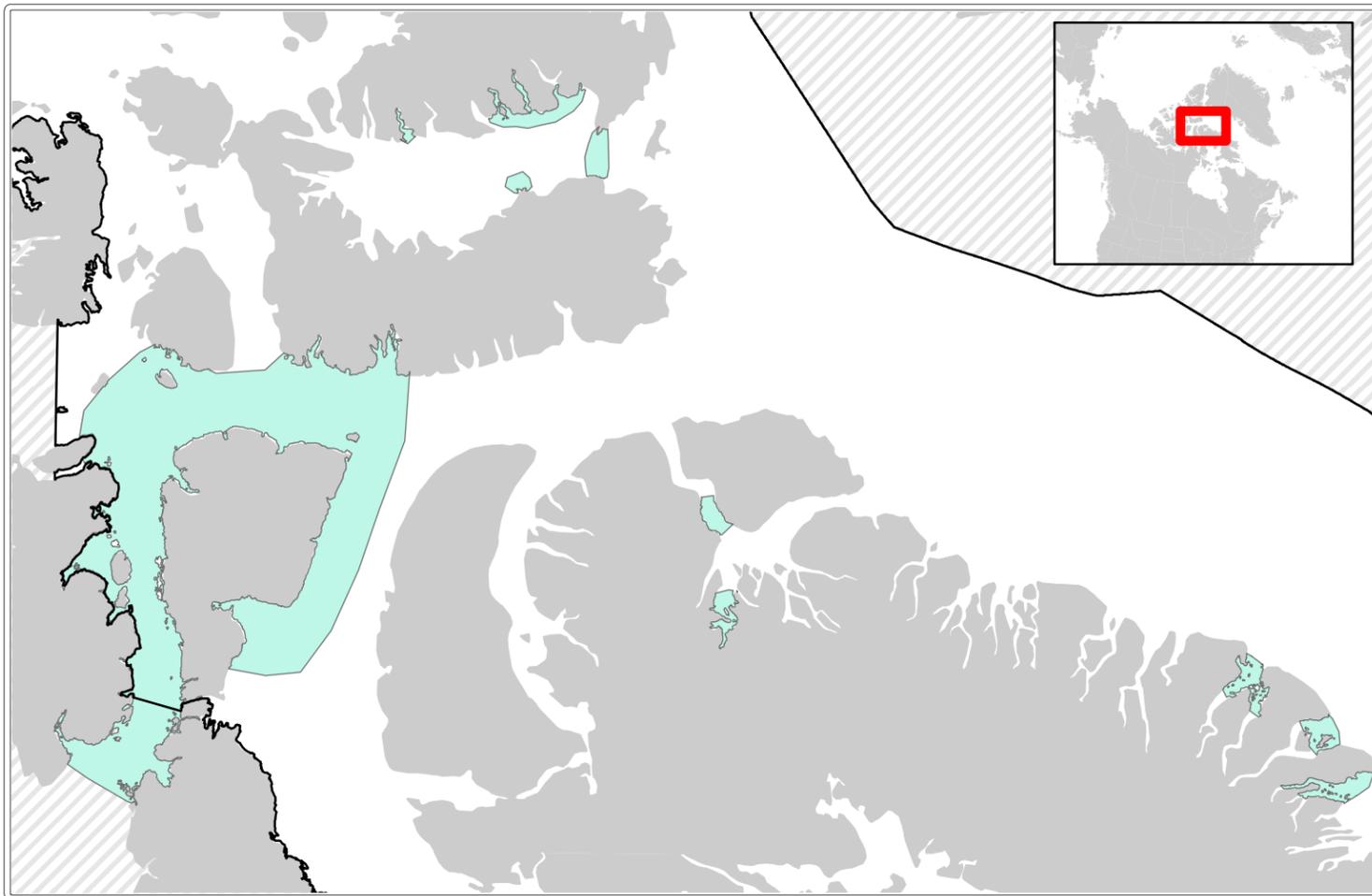
Organization: Higdon Wildlife Consulting, for WWF-Canada

Associated Report: Mapping Critical Whale Habitat in the Nunavut Settlement Area

Authors: Jeff W. Higdon

Associated Links

N/A



Beluga calving, Eastern High Arctic-Baffin Bay (EA)

Date: 2017

Open Source: No

Organization: Higdon Wildlife Consulting, for WWF-Canada

Associated Report: Mapping Critical Whale Habitat in the Nunavut Settlement Area

Authors: Jeff W. Higdon

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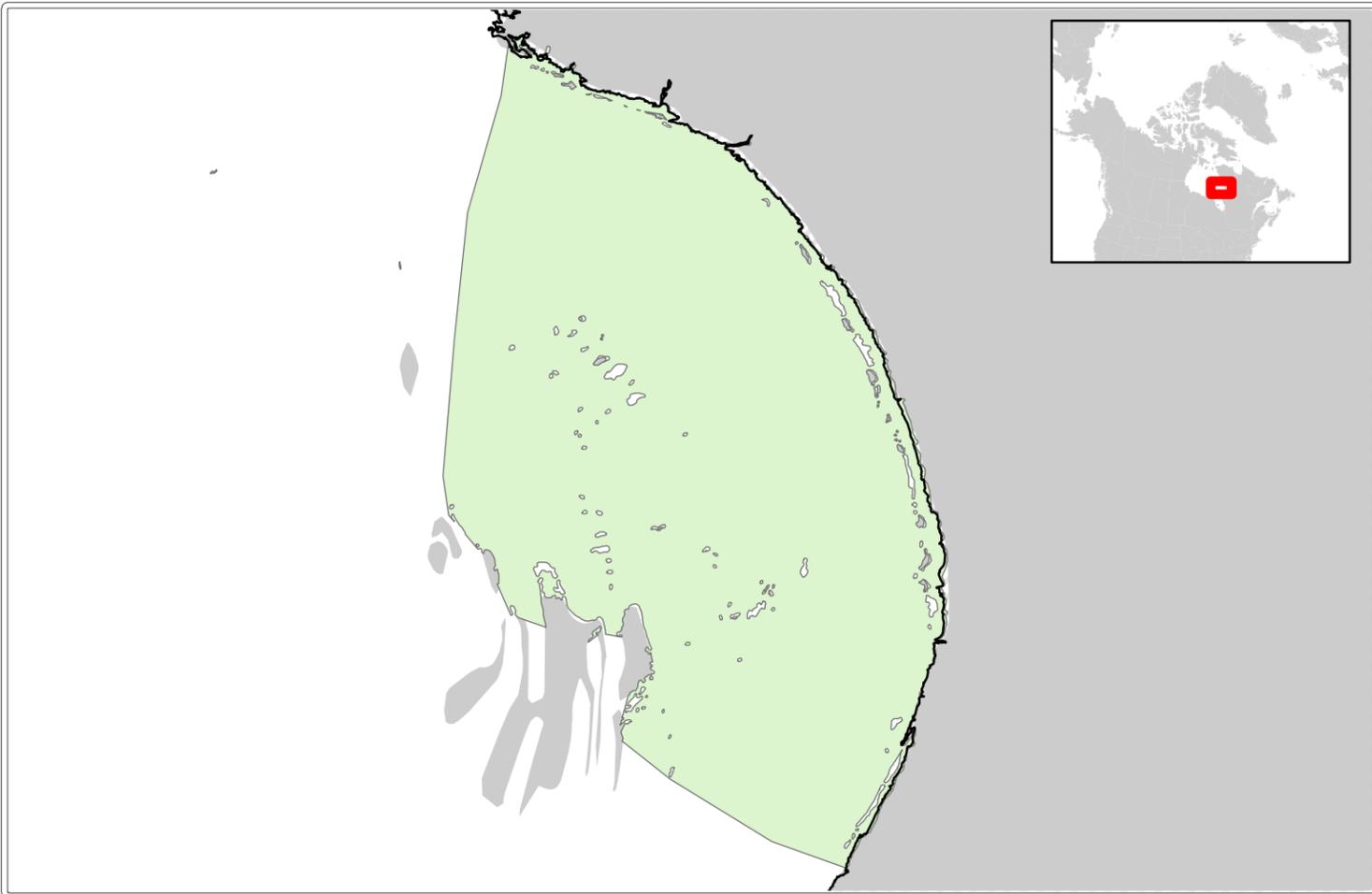
Management Unit: Eastern High Arctic-Baffin Bay

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: WWF commissioned Higdon Wildlife Consulting to compile existing knowledge on critical cetacean habitat within Nunavut. Written and mapped sources delineated beluga calving grounds. This work drew largely on surveys of IK as well as monitoring data in Prince Regent Inlet. These calving polygons were split by beluga population and by marine bioregion.

Associated Links

N/A



Data Summary

Management Unit: Eastern Hudson Bay

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: WWF commissioned Higdon Wildlife Consulting to compile existing knowledge on critical cetacean habitat within Nunavut. Written and mapped sources delineated beluga calving grounds. This work drew largely on surveys of IK as well as monitoring data in Prince Regent Inlet. These calving polygons were split by beluga stock and by marine bioregion.

Beluga calving, Eastern Hudson Bay (HB)

Date: 2017

Open Source: No

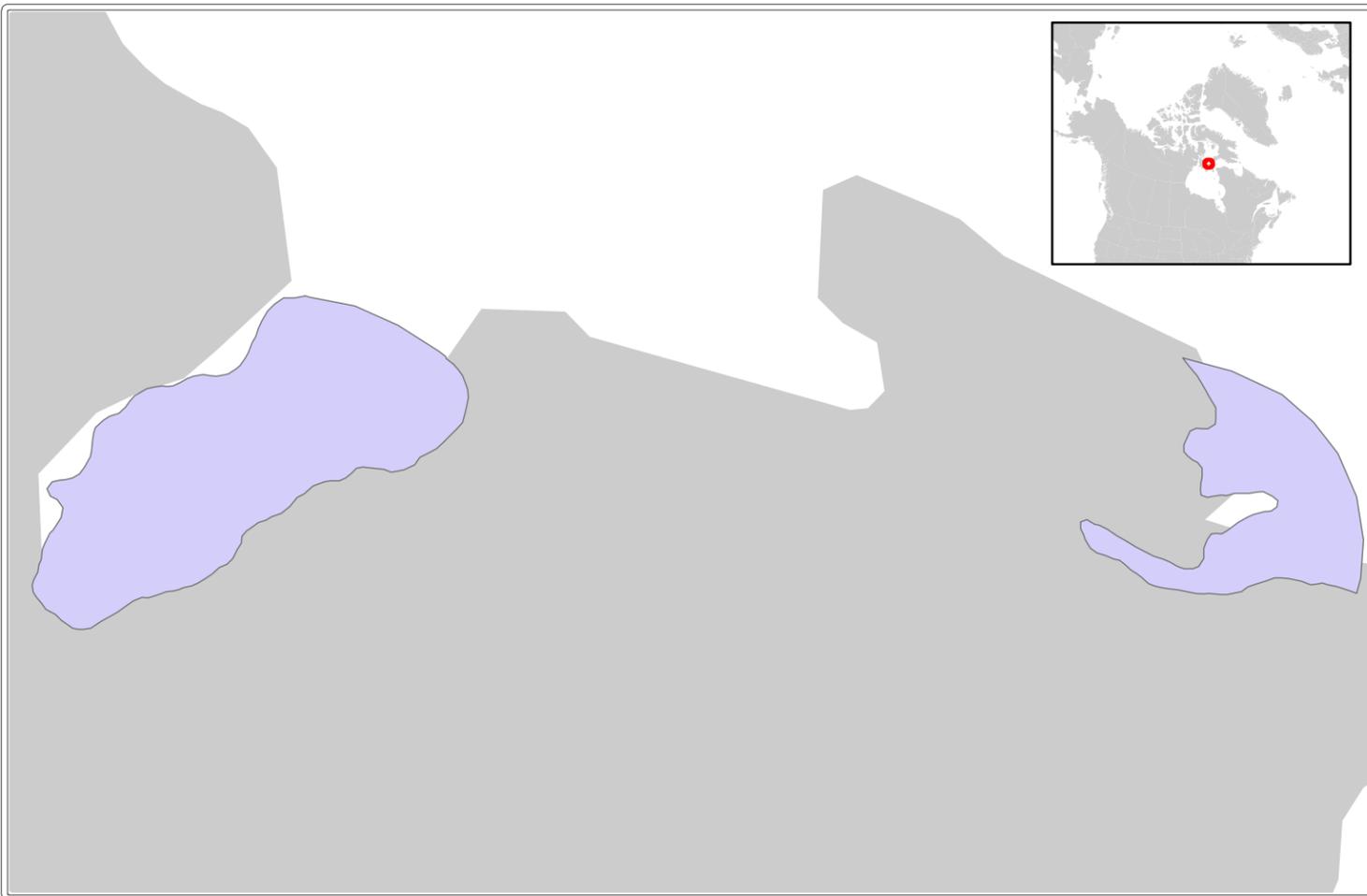
Organization: Higdon Wildlife Consulting, for WWF-Canada

Associated Report: Mapping Critical Whale Habitat in the Nunavut Settlement Area

Authors: Jeff W. Higdon

Associated Links

N/A



Data Summary

Management Unit: Western Hudson Bay

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: WWF commissioned Higdon Wildlife Consulting to compile existing knowledge on critical cetacean habitat within Nunavut. Written and mapped sources delineated beluga calving grounds. This work drew largely on surveys of IK as well as monitoring data in Prince Regent Inlet. These calving polygons were split by beluga stock and by marine bioregion.

Beluga calving, Western Hudson Bay (HB)

Date: 2017

Open Source: No

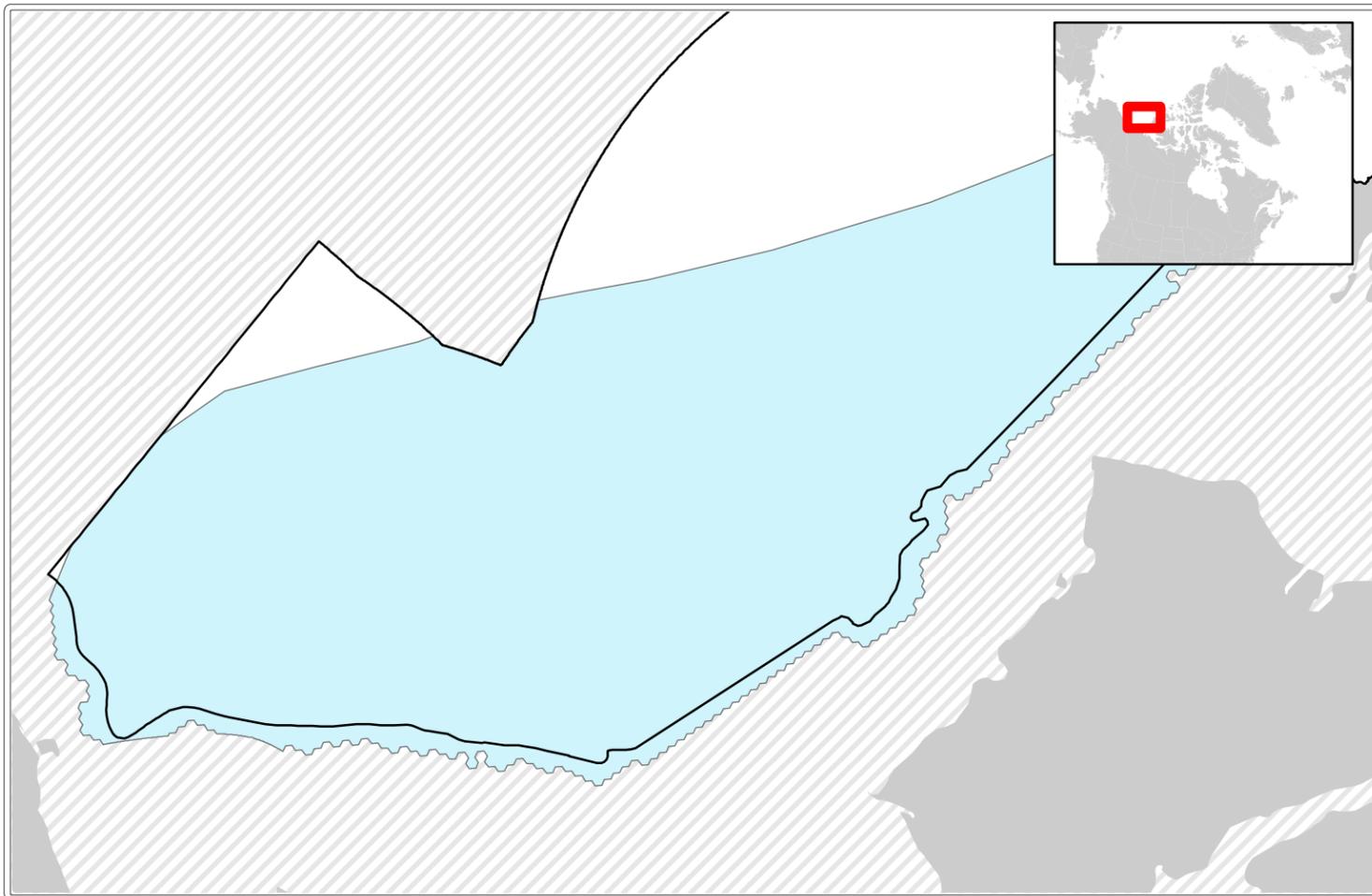
Organization: Higdon Wildlife Consulting, for WWF-Canada

Associated Report: Mapping Critical Whale Habitat in the Nunavut Settlement Area

Authors: Jeff W. Higdon

Associated Links

N/A



Beluga summer range, Eastern Beaufort Sea (AB)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

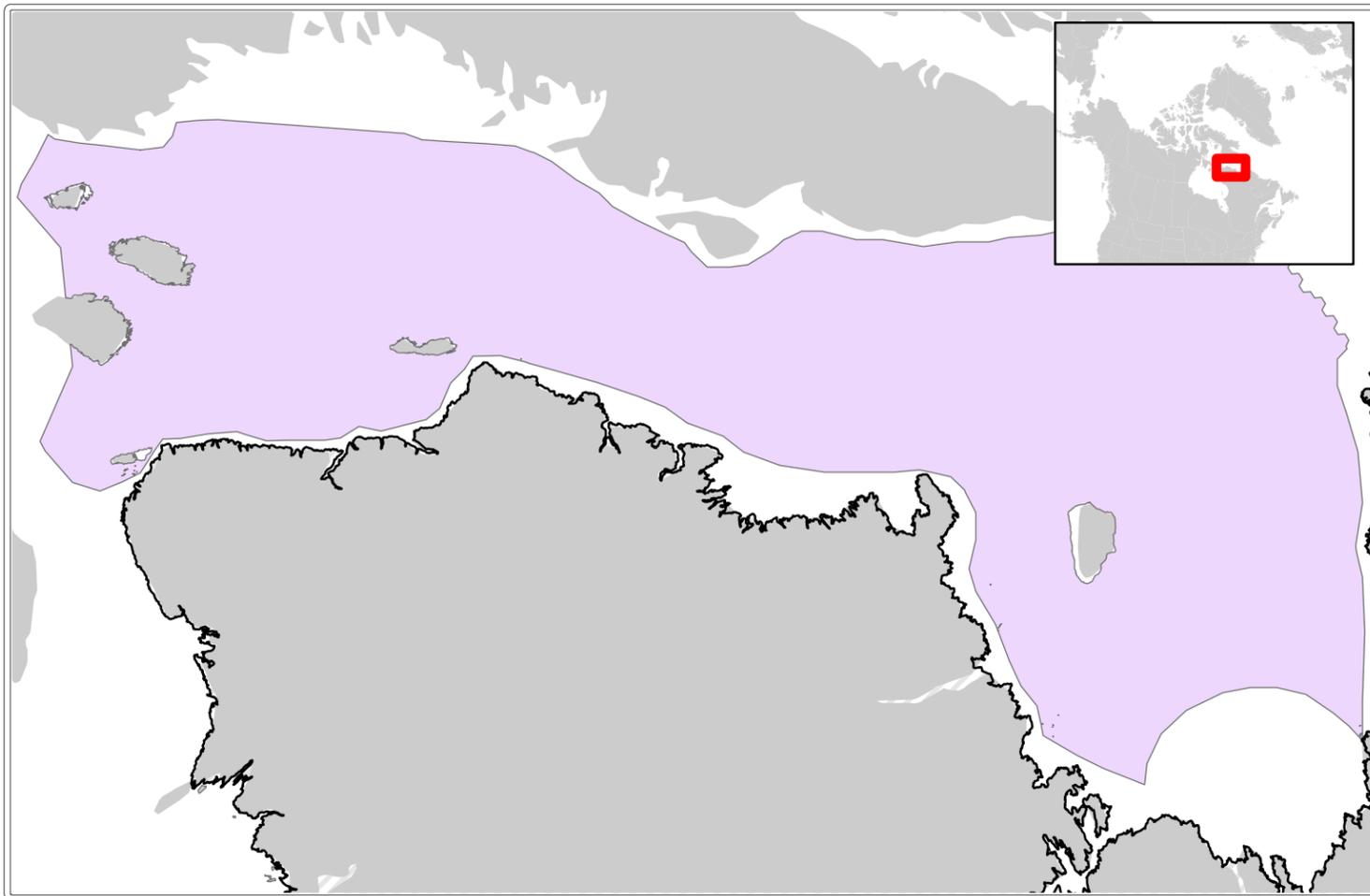
Management Unit: Eastern Beaufort Sea

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Basin

Description: Seasonal use areas were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Species experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups based on their expertise. Beluga ranges were delineated based on synthesis of 28 years of aerial surveys, 20 years of satellite tracking, as well as reports from local Inuit communities. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially by stock and marine bioregion.

Associated Links

https://epe.lac-bac.gc.ca/100/200/301/dfo-mpo/cdn_manuscript_report/no2934/Fs97-4-2934-eng.pdf



Beluga winter range, Western Hudson Bay (HB)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

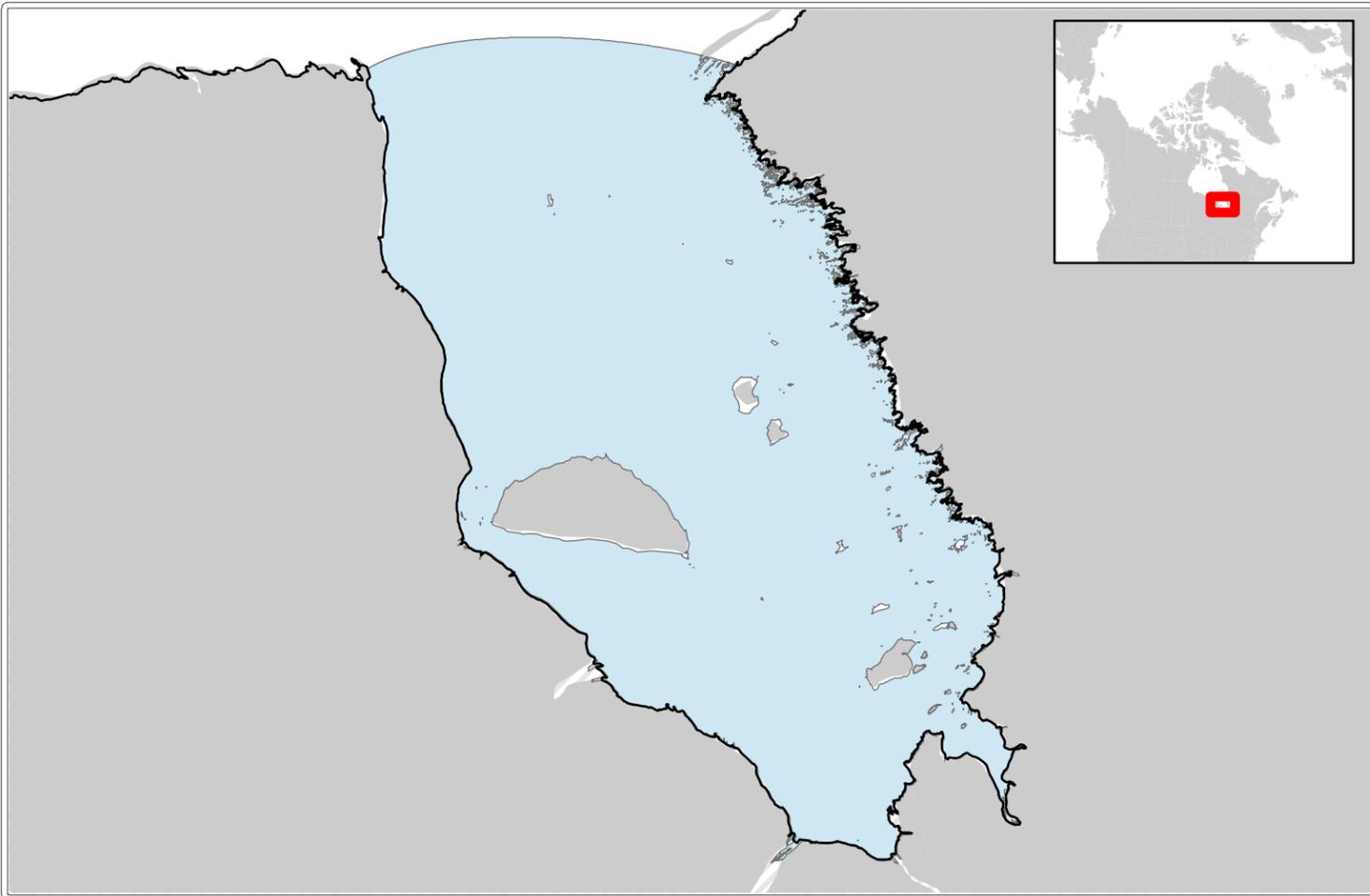
Management Unit: Western Hudson Bay

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: Seasonal use areas were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Species experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups based on their expertise. Beluga ranges were delineated based on synthesis of 28 years of aerial surveys, 20 years of satellite tracking, as well as reports from local Inuit communities. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially by stock and marine bioregion.

Associated Links

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Beluga year-round high density areas (HB)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

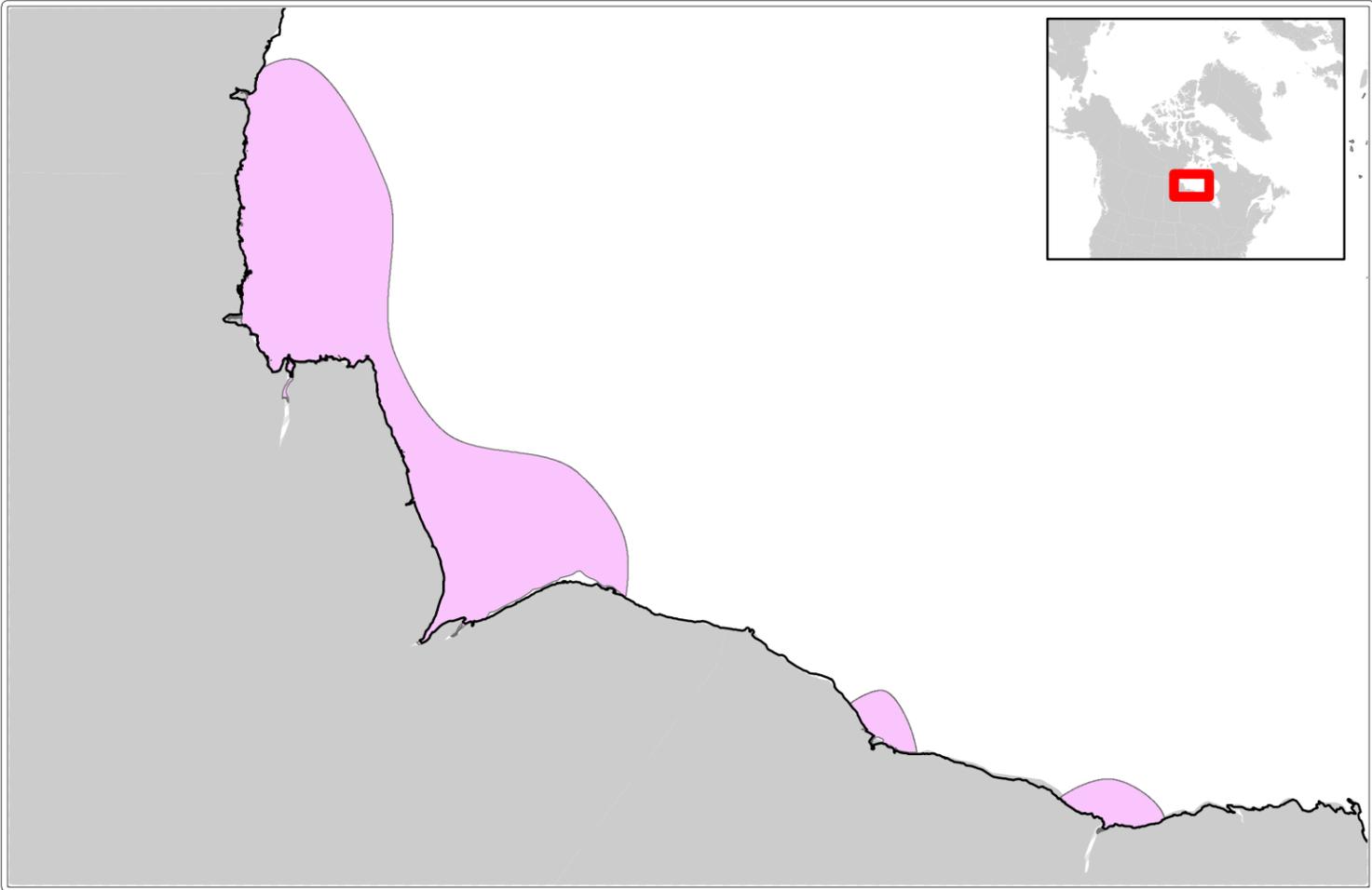
Management Unit: Multiple

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: Seasonal use areas were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Species experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups based on their expertise. Beluga ranges were delineated based on synthesis of 28 years of aerial surveys, 20 years of satellite tracking, as well as reports from local Inuit communities.

Associated Links

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Beluga summer high density areas, Western Hudson Bay (HB)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

Management Unit: Western Hudson Bay

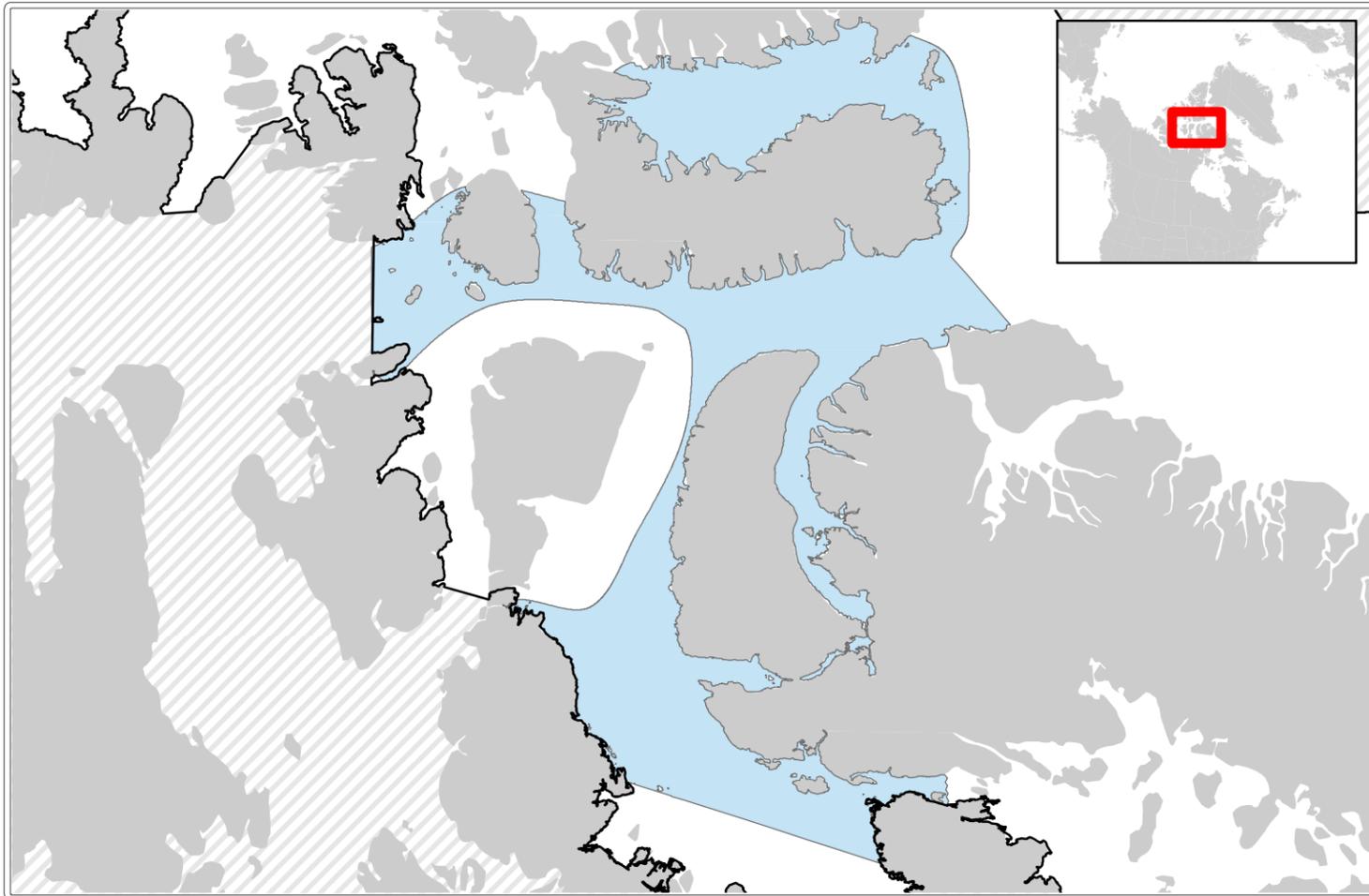
Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: Seasonal use areas were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Species experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups based on their expertise. Beluga ranges were delineated based on synthesis of 28 years of aerial surveys, 20 years of satellite tracking, as well as reports from local Inuit communities.

Associated Links

https://epe.lac-bac.gc.ca/100/200/301/dfo-mpo/cdn_manuscript_report/no2934/Fs97-4-2934-eng.pdf

1129: Beluga key habitats



Beluga summer range, Eastern High Arctic-Baffin Bay (EA)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

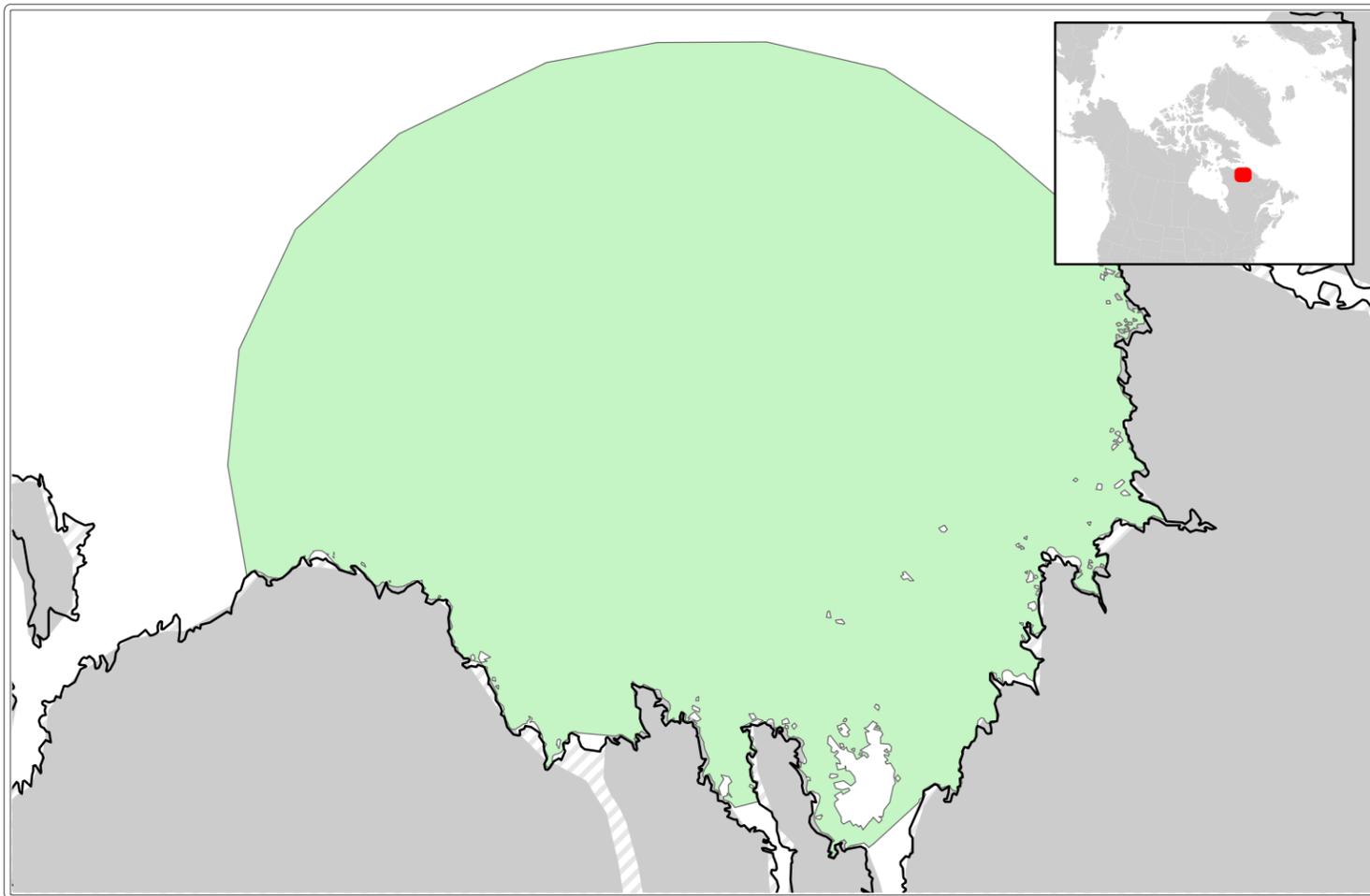
Management Unit: Eastern High Arctic-Baffin Bay

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Seasonal use areas were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Species experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups based on their expertise. Beluga ranges were delineated based on synthesis of 28 years of aerial surveys, 20 years of satellite tracking, as well as reports from local Inuit communities. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially by stock and marine bioregion.

Associated Links

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Beluga summer range, Ungava Bay (HB)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

Management Unit: Ungava Bay

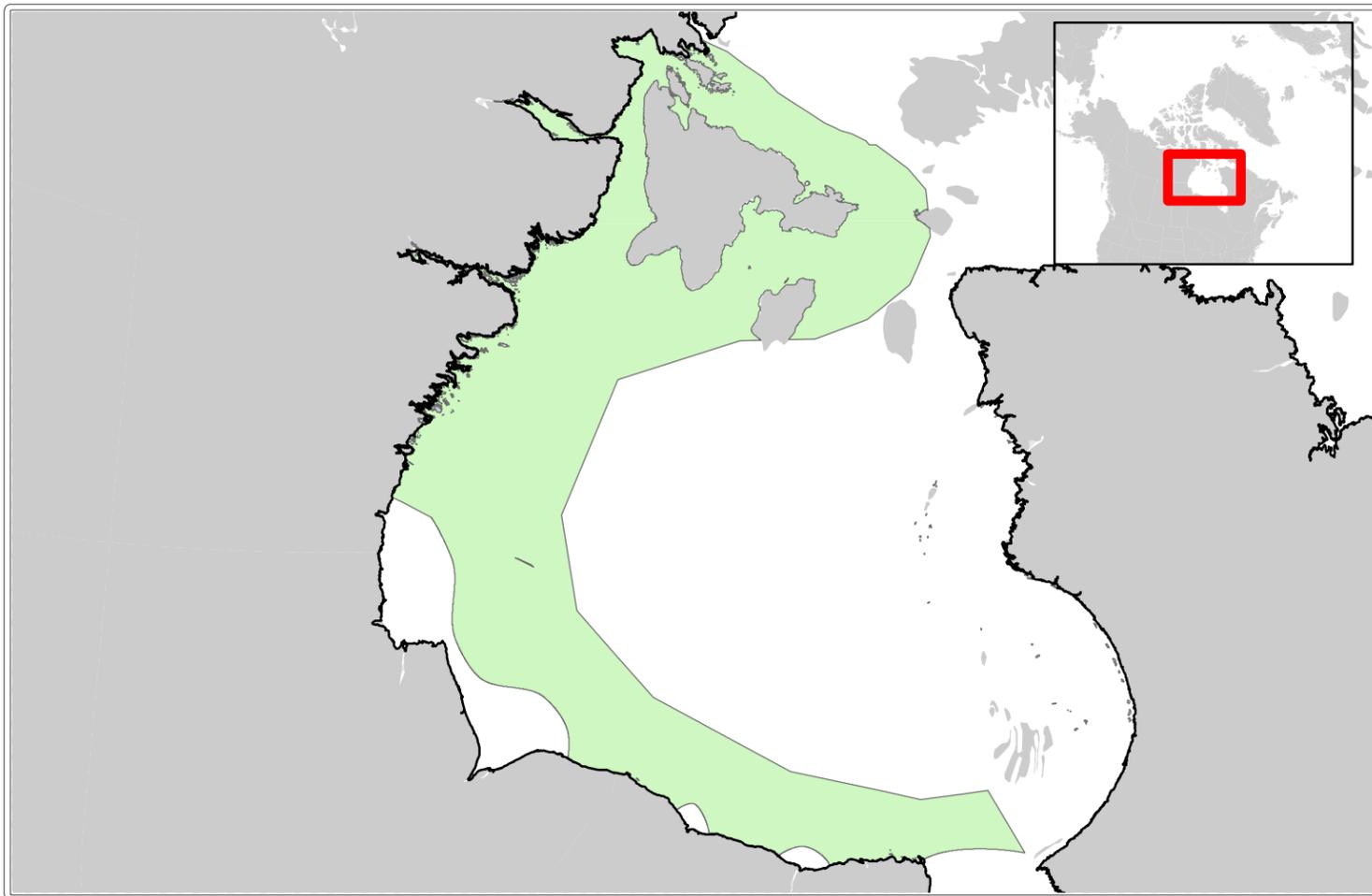
Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: Seasonal use areas were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Species experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups based on their expertise. Beluga ranges were delineated based on synthesis of 28 years of aerial surveys, 20 years of satellite tracking, as well as reports from local Inuit communities. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially by stock and marine bioregion.

Associated Links

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1131: Beluga key habitats



Beluga summer range, Western Hudson Bay (HB)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

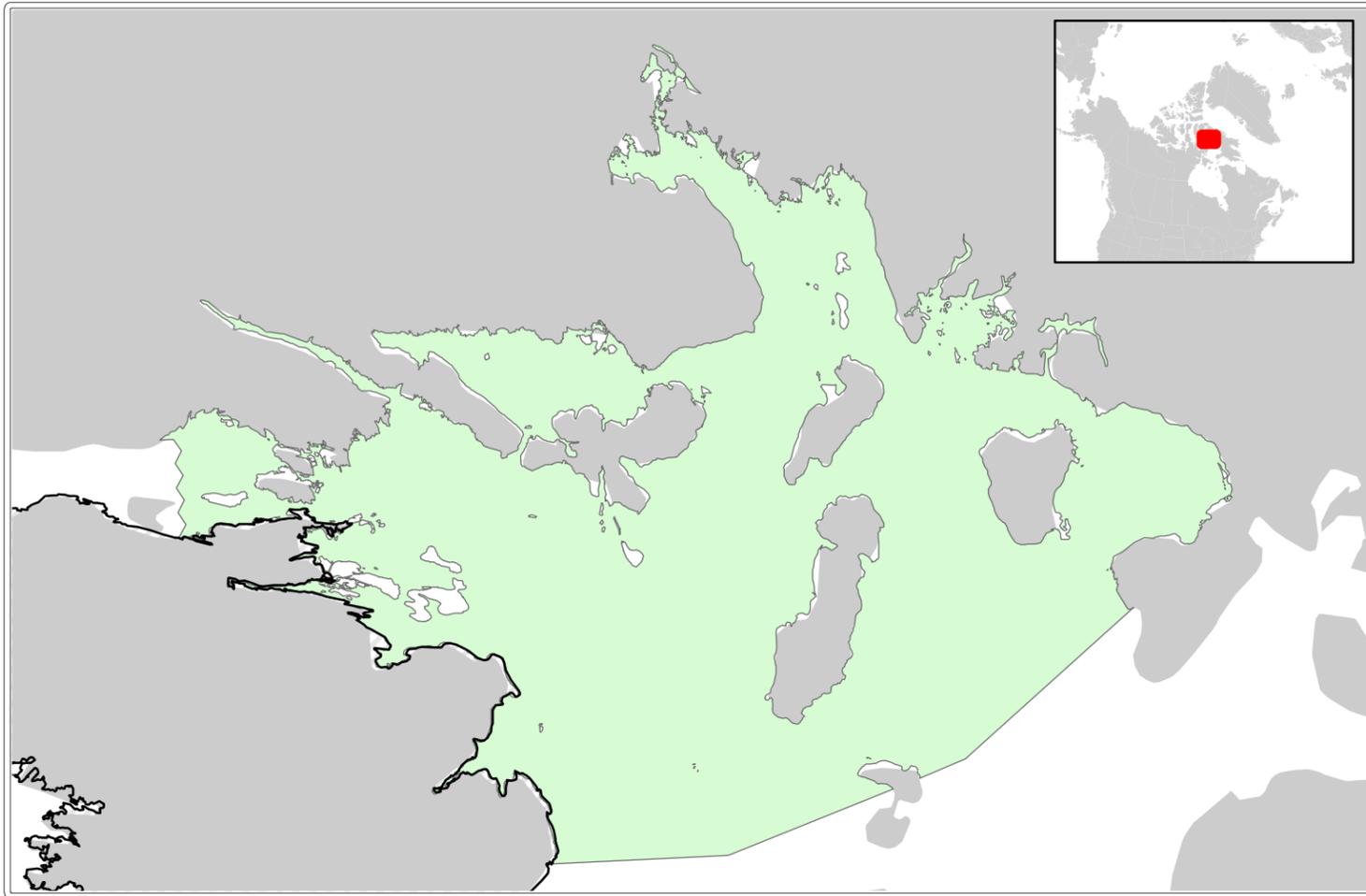
Management Unit: Western Hudson Bay

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: Seasonal use areas were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Species experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups based on their expertise. Beluga ranges were delineated based on synthesis of 28 years of aerial surveys, 20 years of satellite tracking, as well as reports from local Inuit communities. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially by stock and marine bioregion.

Associated Links

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Data Summary

Management Unit: Eastern High Arctic-Baffin Bay

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: Seasonal use areas were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Species experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups based on their expertise. Beluga ranges were delineated based on synthesis of 28 years of aerial surveys, 20 years of satellite tracking, as well as reports from local Inuit communities. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially by stock and marine bioregion.

Beluga summer range, Eastern High Arctic-Baffin Bay (HB)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

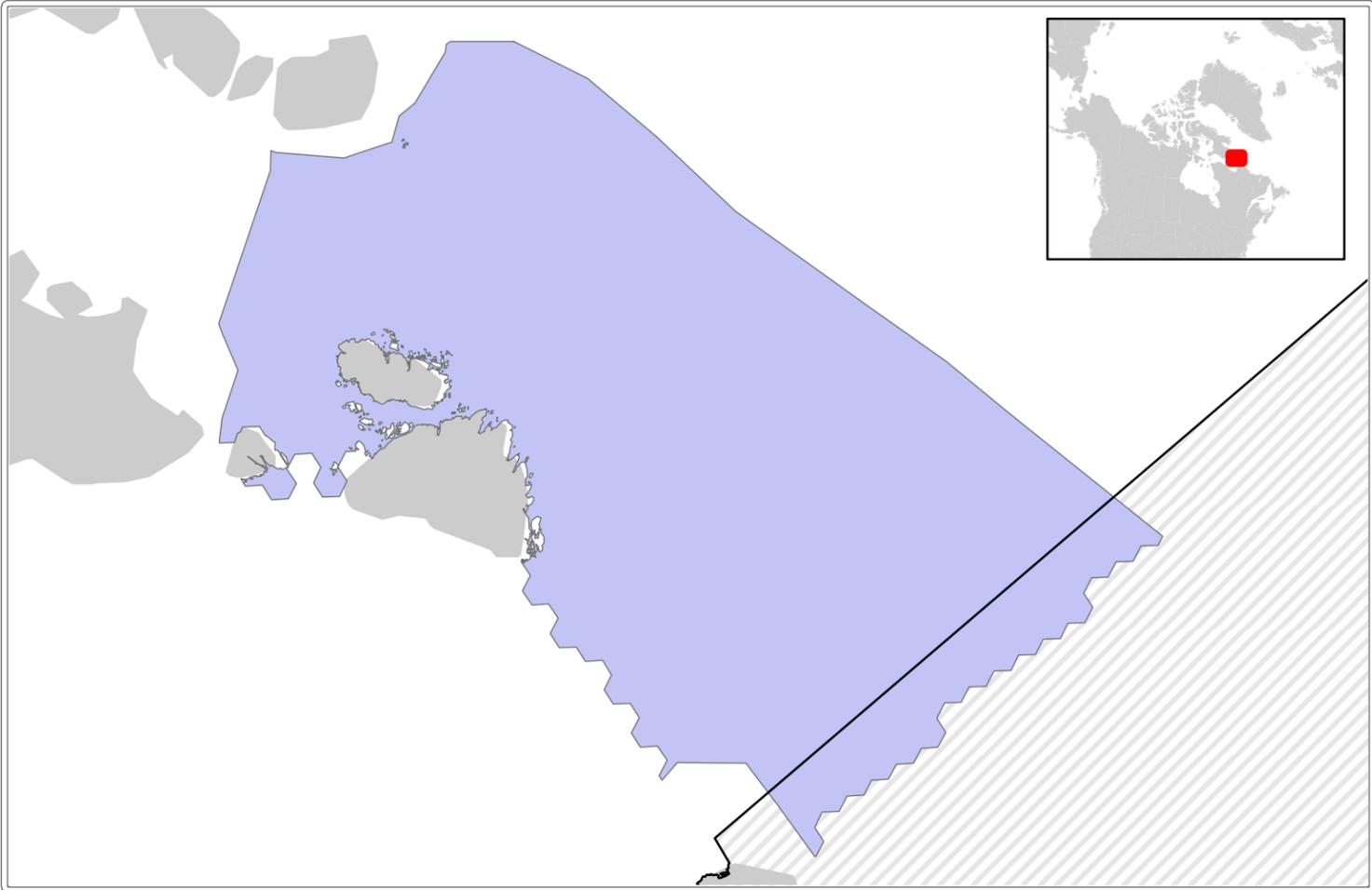
Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Associated Links

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1133: Beluga key habitats



Beluga winter range, Western Hudson Bay (EA)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

Management Unit: Western Hudson Bay

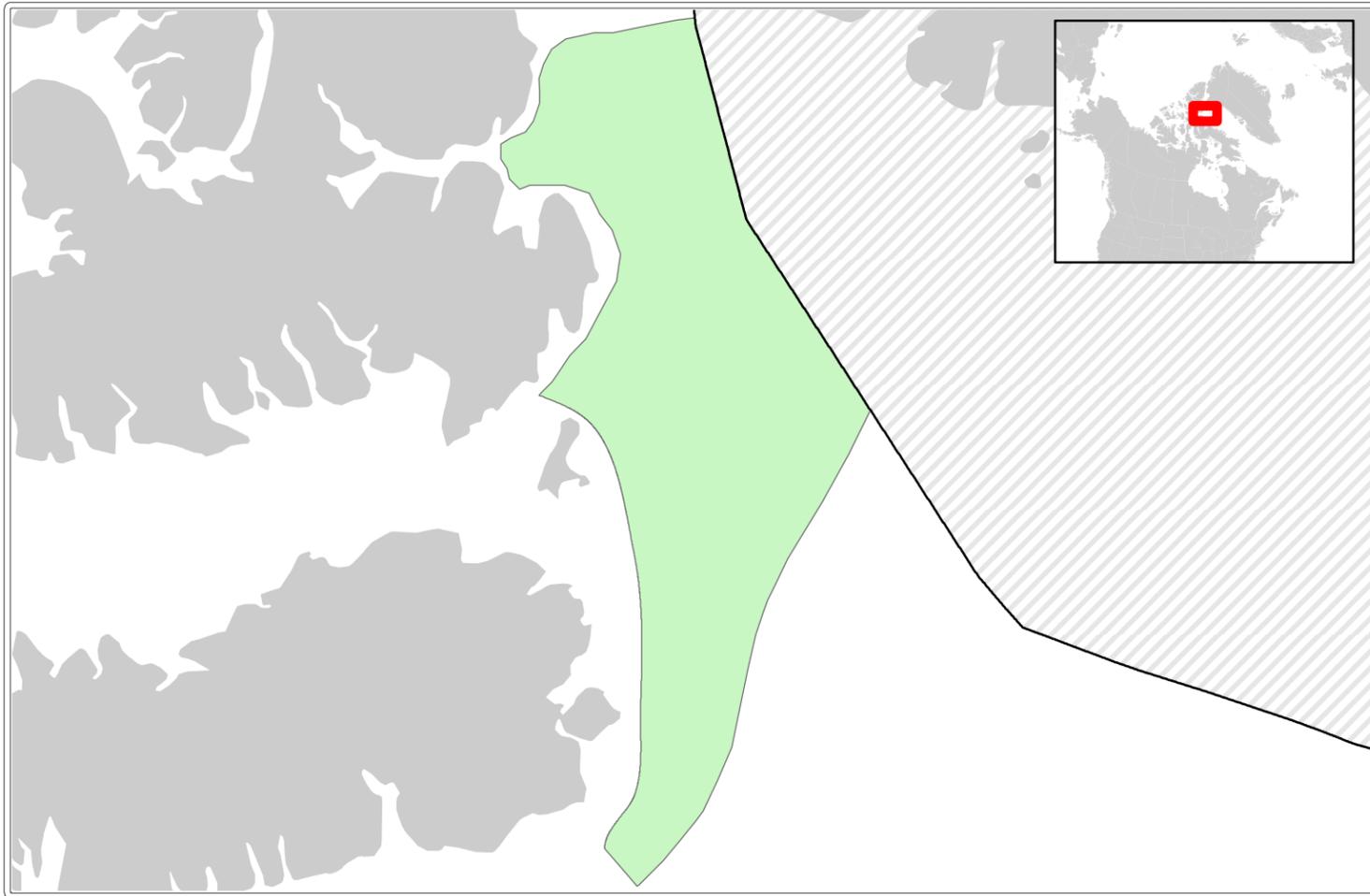
Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Seasonal use areas were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Species experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups based on their expertise. Beluga ranges were delineated based on synthesis of 28 years of aerial surveys, 20 years of satellite tracking, as well as reports from local Inuit communities. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially by stock and marine bioregion.

Associated Links

https://epe.lac-bac.gc.ca/100/200/301/dfo-mpo/cdn_manuscript_report/no2934/Fs97-4-2934-eng.pdf

1134: Beluga key habitats



Beluga winter range, Eastern High Arctic-Baffin Bay (EA)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

Management Unit: Eastern High Arctic-Baffin Bay

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Seasonal use areas were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Species experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups based on their expertise. Beluga ranges were delineated based on synthesis of 28 years of aerial surveys, 20 years of satellite tracking, as well as reports from local Inuit communities. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially by stock and marine bioregion.

Associated Links

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Beluga locally identified habitat, Coastal Baffin Island (EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

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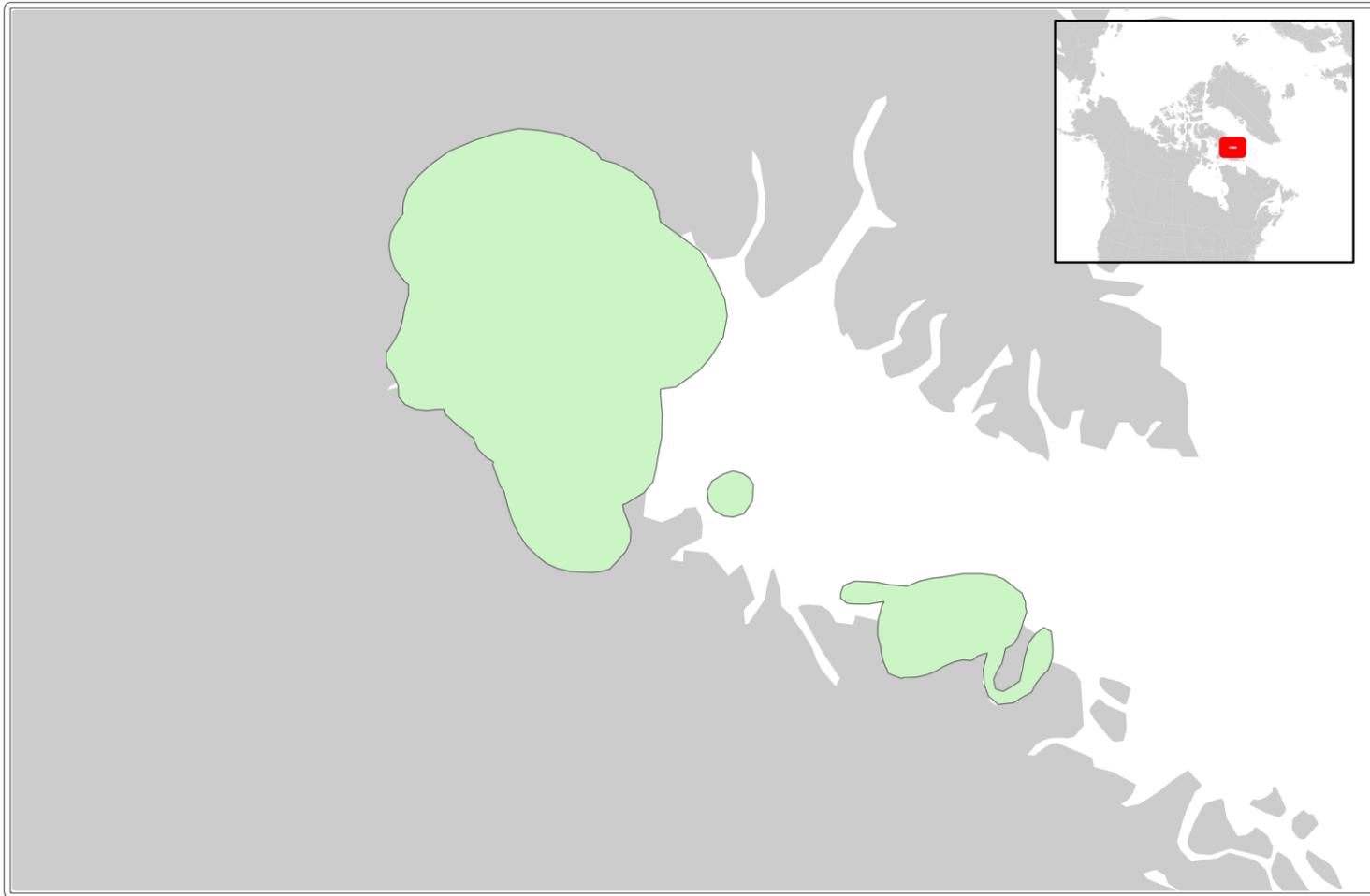
Management Unit: Multiple

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses beluga data from NCRI reports from Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, and Sanikiluaq.

Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>



Beluga locally identified habitat, Cumberland Sound (EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

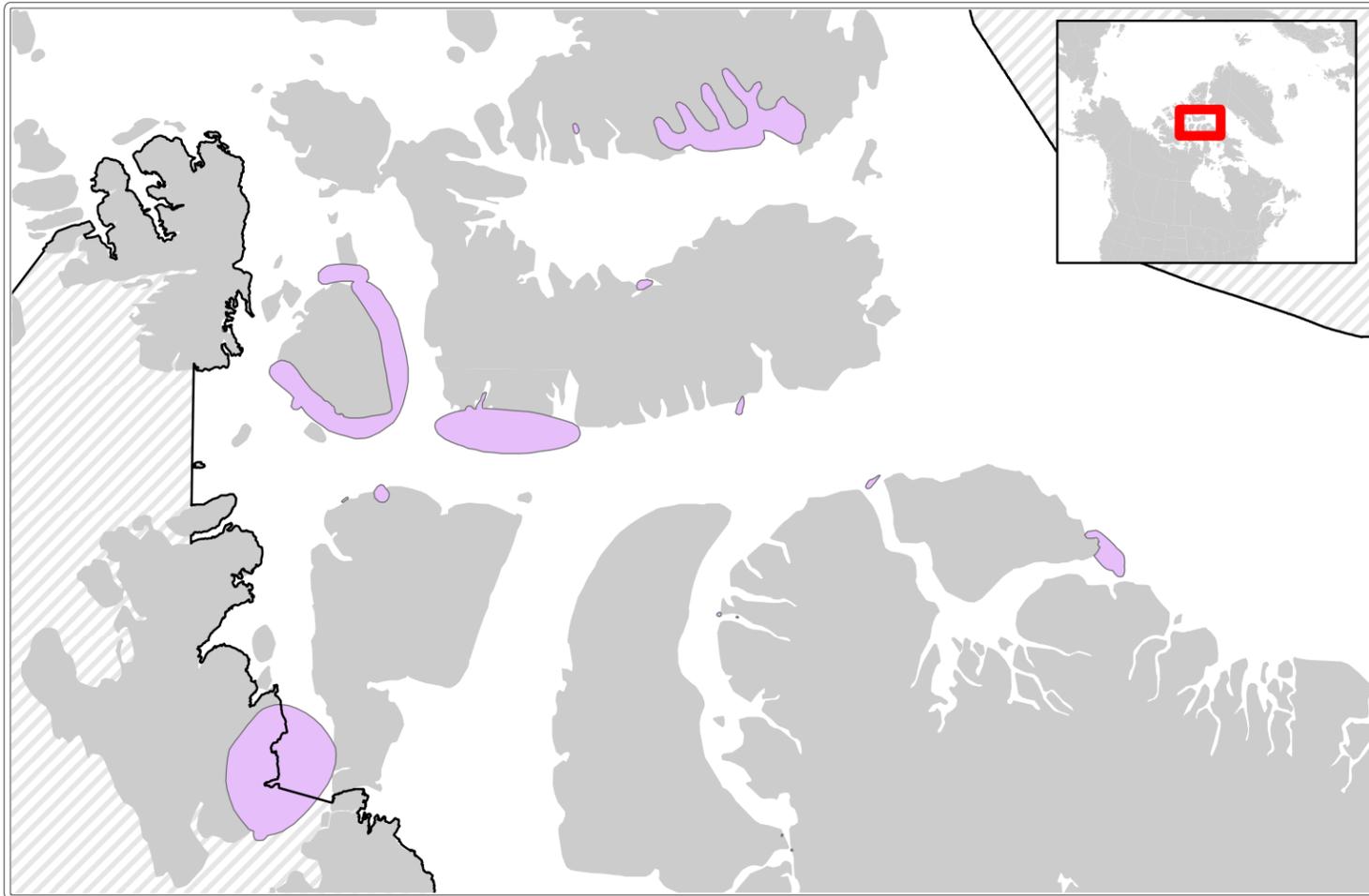
Management Unit: Cumberland Sound

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses beluga data from NCRI reports from Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, and Sanikiluaq.

Associated Links

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Beluga locally identified habitat, Eastern High Arctic Baffin Bay (EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

Management Unit: Eastern High Arctic Baffin Bay

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

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Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>



Beluga locally identified habitat, Eastern Hudson Bay (HB)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

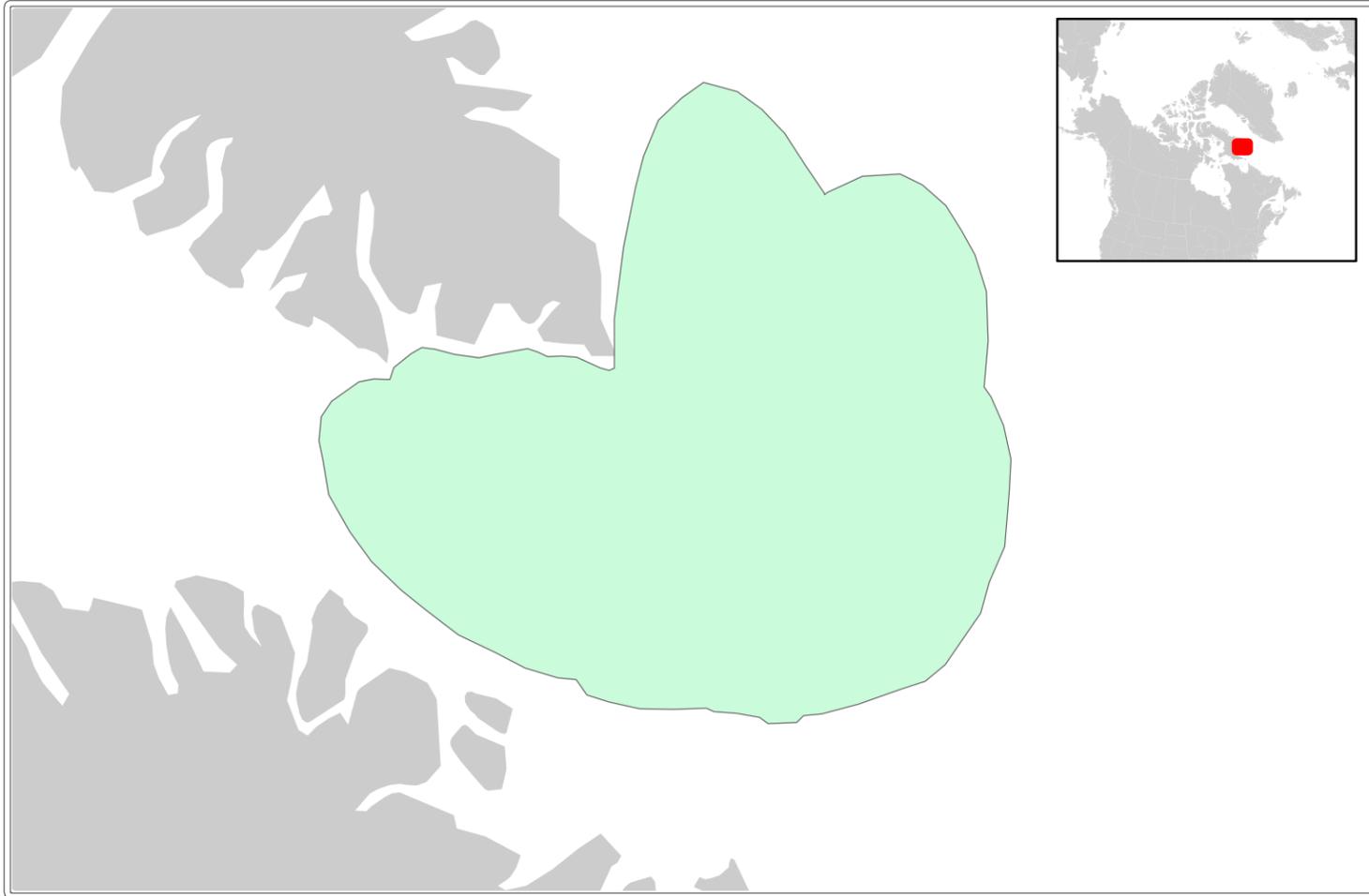
Management Unit: Eastern Hudson Bay

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses beluga data from NCRI reports from Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, and Sanikiluaq.

Associated Links

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Beluga locally identified winter habitat, Cumberland Sound (EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

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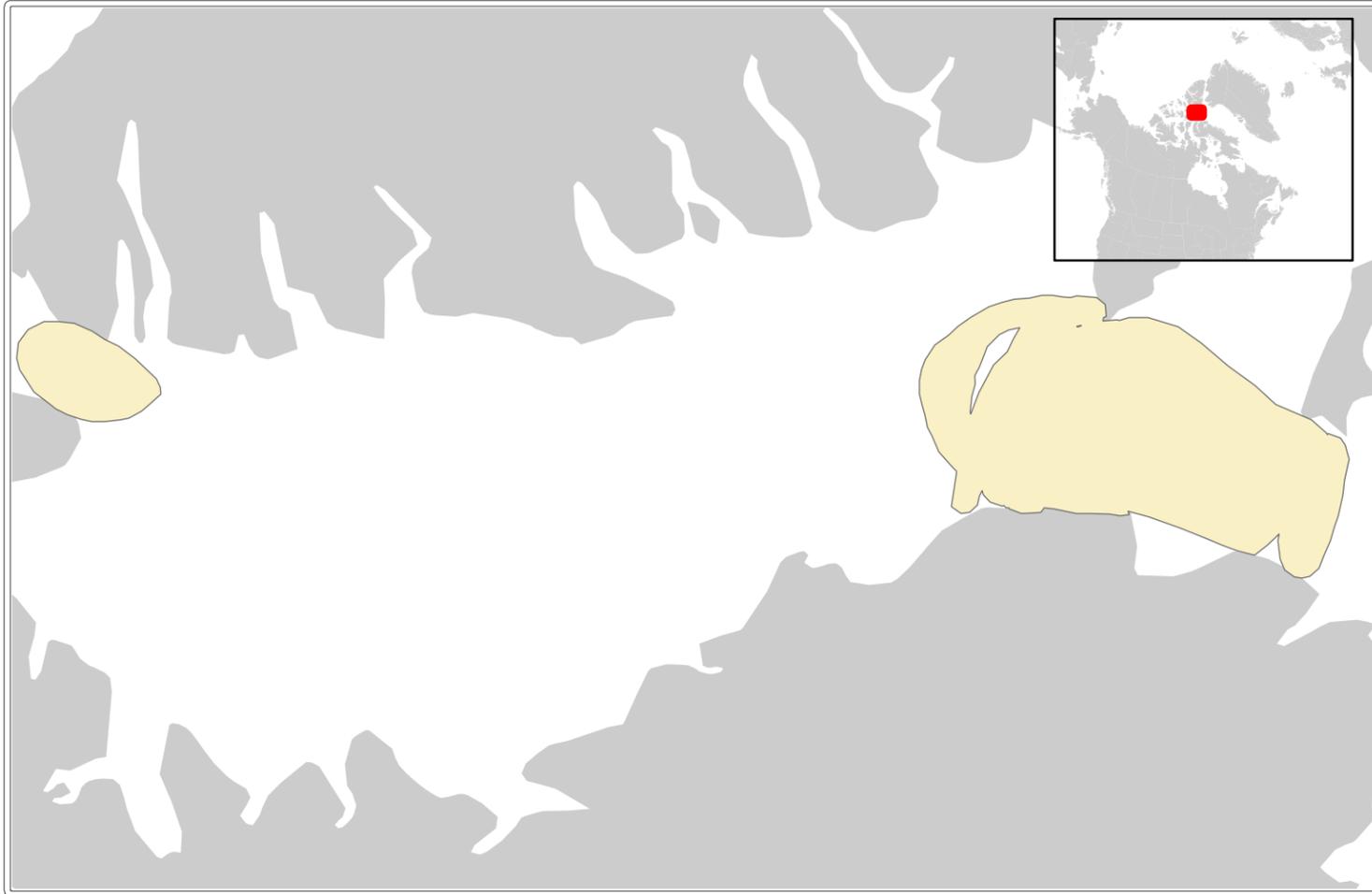
Management Unit: Cumberland Sound

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses beluga data from NCRI reports from Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, and Sanikiluaq.

Associated Links

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Beluga locally identified winter habitat, Eastern High Arctic baffin Bay (EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

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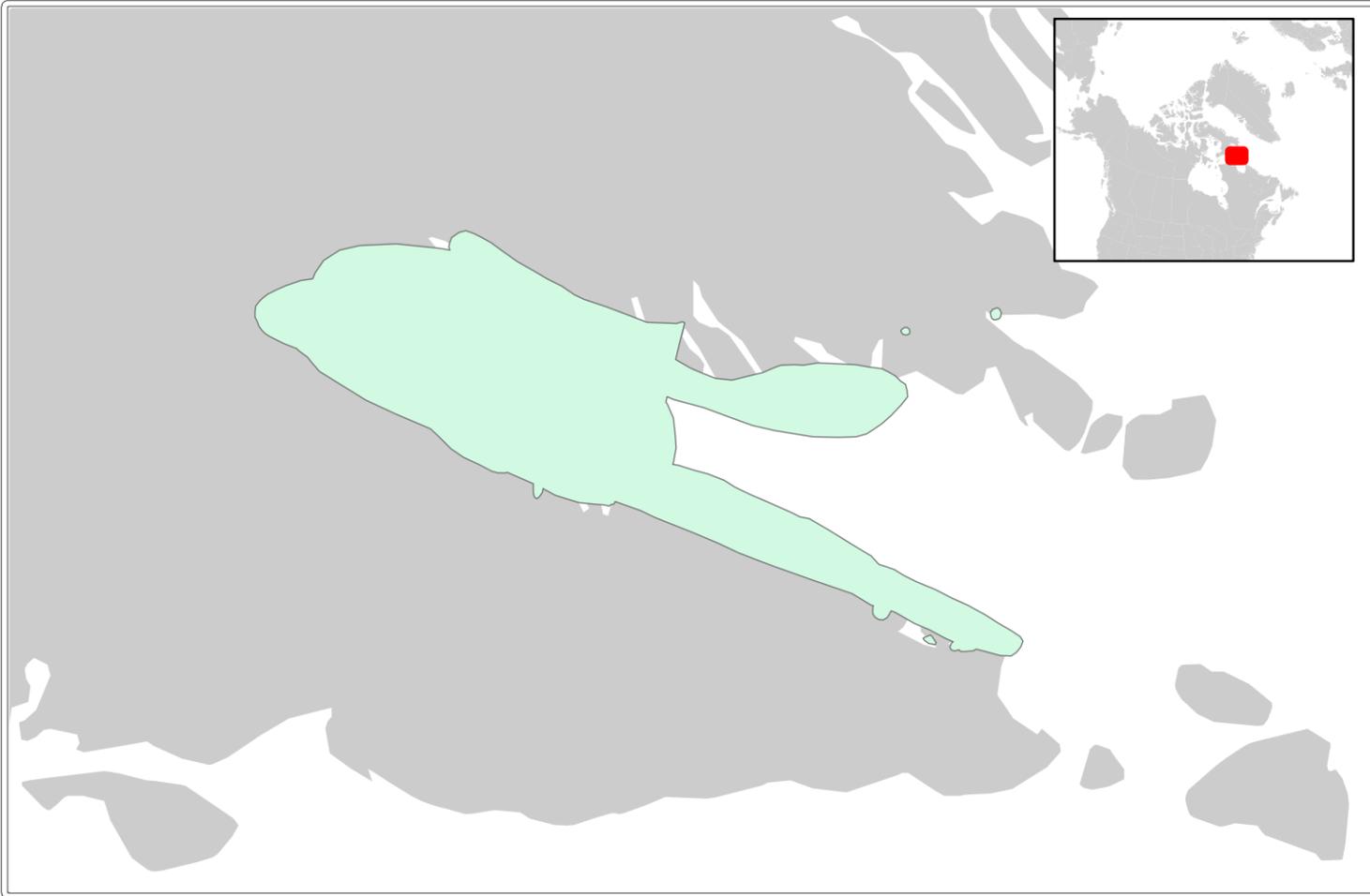
Management Unit: Eastern High Arctic - Baffin Bay

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses beluga data from NCRI reports from Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, and Sanikiluaq.

Associated Links

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Data Summary

Management Unit: Western Hudson Bay

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses beluga data from NCRI reports from Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, and Sanikiluaq.

Beluga locally identified habitat, Western Hudson Bay (EA)

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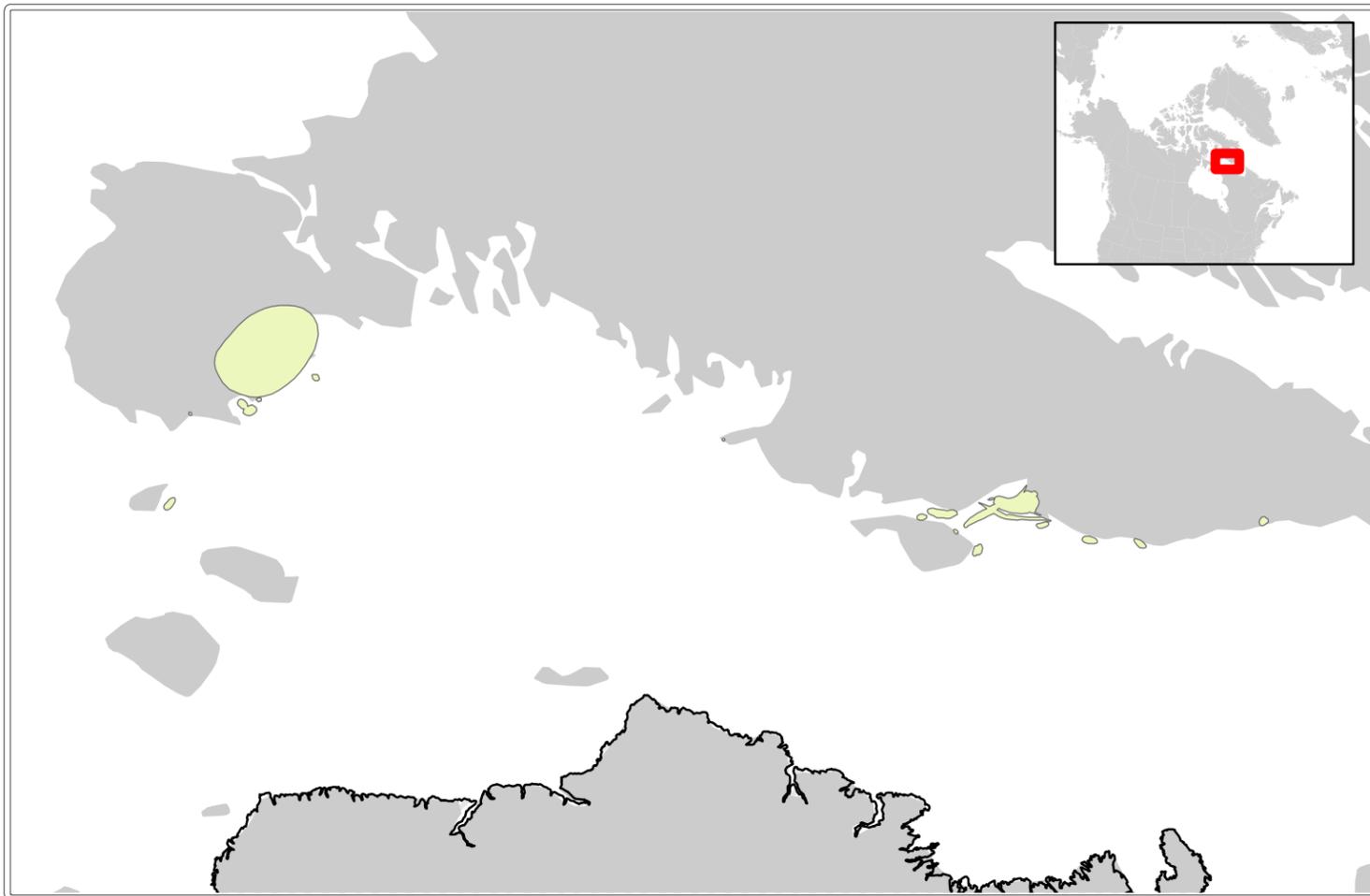
Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Associated Links

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Beluga locally identified habitat, Eastern Hudson Bay/Western Hudson Bay

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

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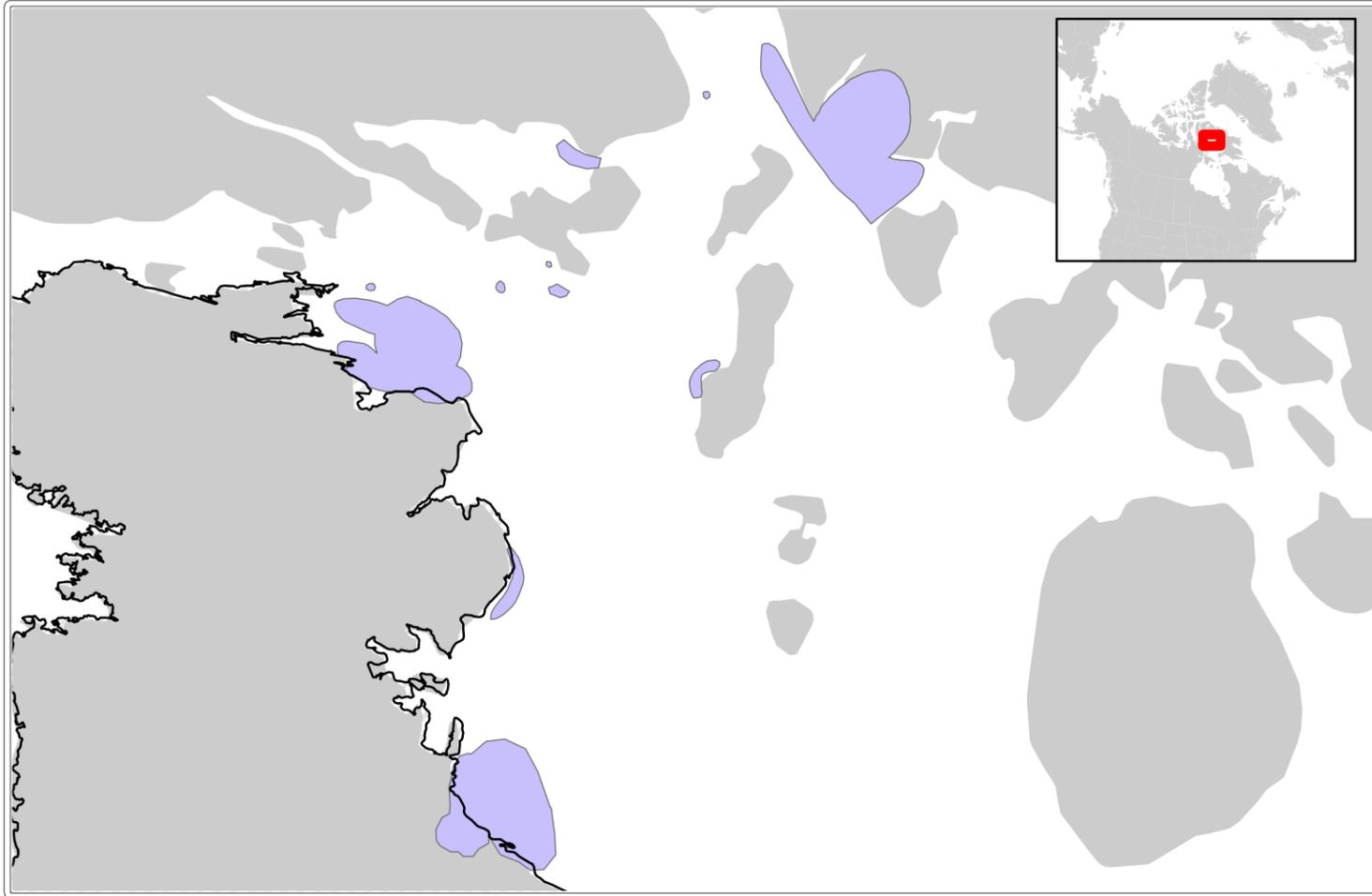
Management Unit: Eastern Hudson Bay, Western Hudson Bay

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses beluga data from NCRI reports from Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, and Sanikiluaq.

Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>



Beluga locally identified habitat, Eastern High Arctic-Baffin Bay (HB)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

Management Unit: Eastern High Arctic-Baffin Bay

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses beluga data from NCRI reports from Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, and Sanikiluaq.

Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>

1159: Beluga key habitats



Beluga locally identified habitat, Western Hudson Bay

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

Management Unit: Western Hudson Bay

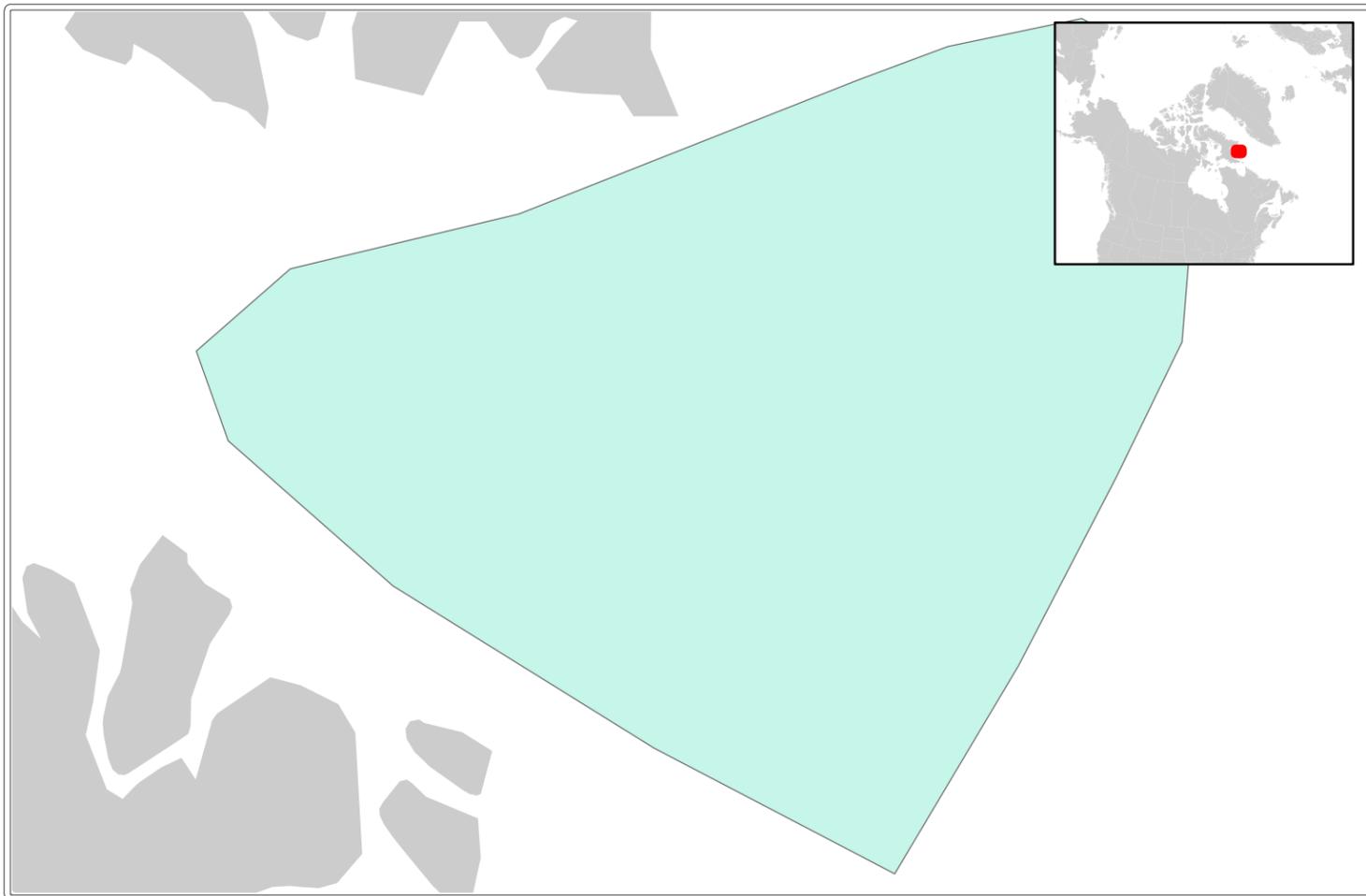
Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses beluga data from NCRI reports from Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, and Sanikiluaq.

Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>

1200: Bowhead key habitats



Bowhead overwintering, East Canada-West Greenland (EA)

Date: 2017

Open Source: No

Organization: Higdon Wildlife Consulting, for WWF-Canada

Associated Report: Mapping Critical Whale Habitat in the Nunavut Settlement Area

Authors: Jeff W. Higdon

Data Summary

Management Unit: East Canada-West Greenland

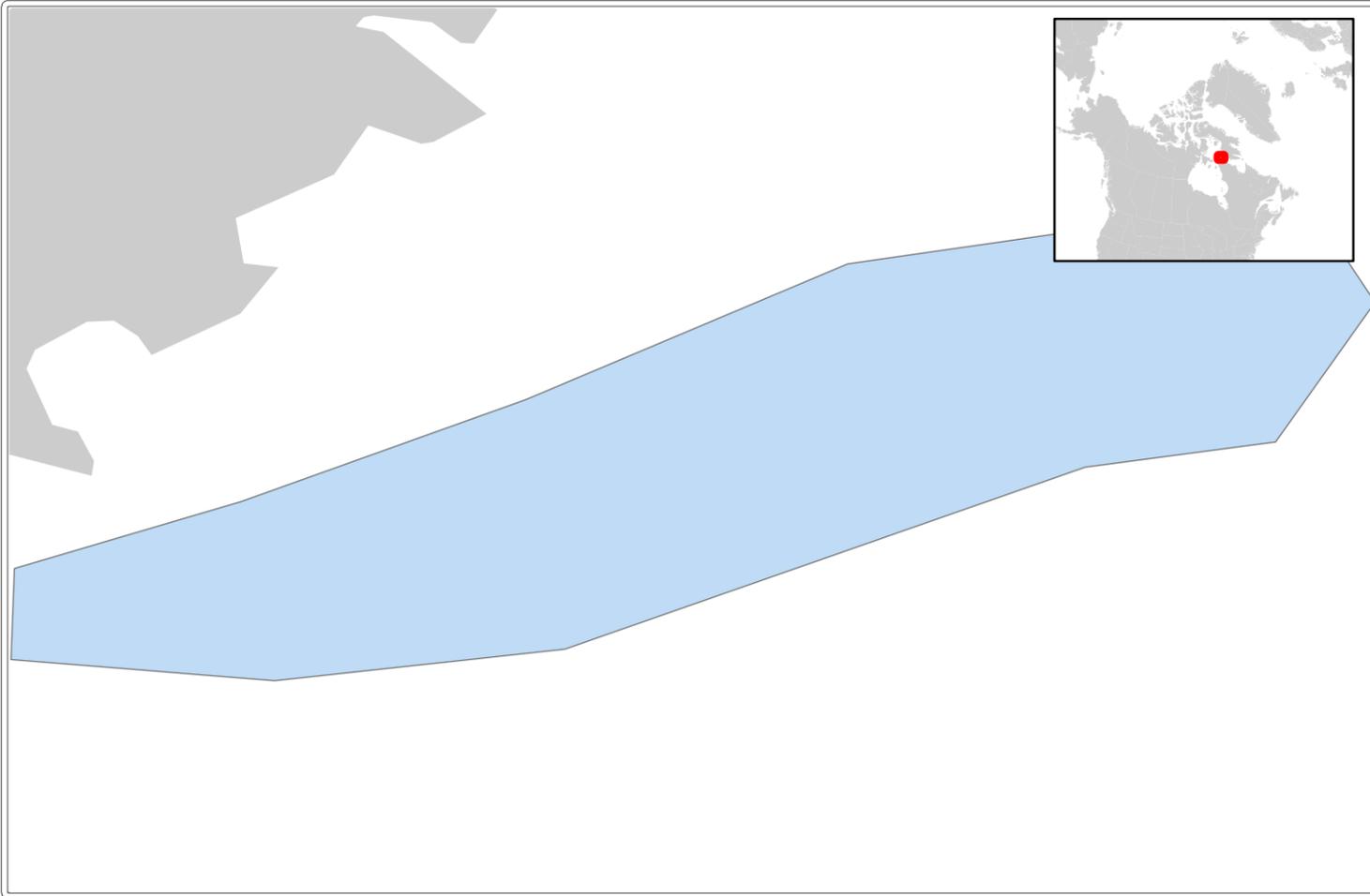
Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: WWF commissioned Higdon Wildlife Consulting to compile existing knowledge on critical cetacean habitat within Nunavut. Overwintering areas were delineated, representing more specific habitat than general winter range areas. These areas were split by marine bioregion.

Associated Links

N/A

1201: Bowhead key habitats



Data Summary

Management Unit: East Canada-West Greenland

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: WWF commissioned Higdon Wildlife Consulting to compile existing knowledge on critical cetacean habitat within Nunavut, including overwintering sites. These areas represent more specific use areas than the general winter ranges of the species/ stocks. Polygons were split by marine bioregion.

Bowhead spring foraging/calving (HB)

Date: 2017

Open Source: No

Organization: Higdon Wildlife Consulting, for WWF-Canada

Associated Report: Mapping Critical Whale Habitat in the Nunavut Settlement Area

Authors: Jeff W. Higdon

Associated Links

N/A



Data Summary

Management Unit: East Canada-West Greenland

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: WWF commissioned Higdon Wildlife Consulting to compile existing knowledge on critical cetacean habitat within Nunavut. Reviewed sources for bowhead calving and foraging showed areas important for both activities. Separate polygons for summer foraging and calving were dissolved as they were nested within each other. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially based on stocks and marine bioregion.

Bowhead summer foraging/calving, East Canada-West Greenland (Lancaster-Gulf of Boothia -

Date: 2017

Open Source: No

Organization: Higdon Wildlife Consulting, for WWF-Canada

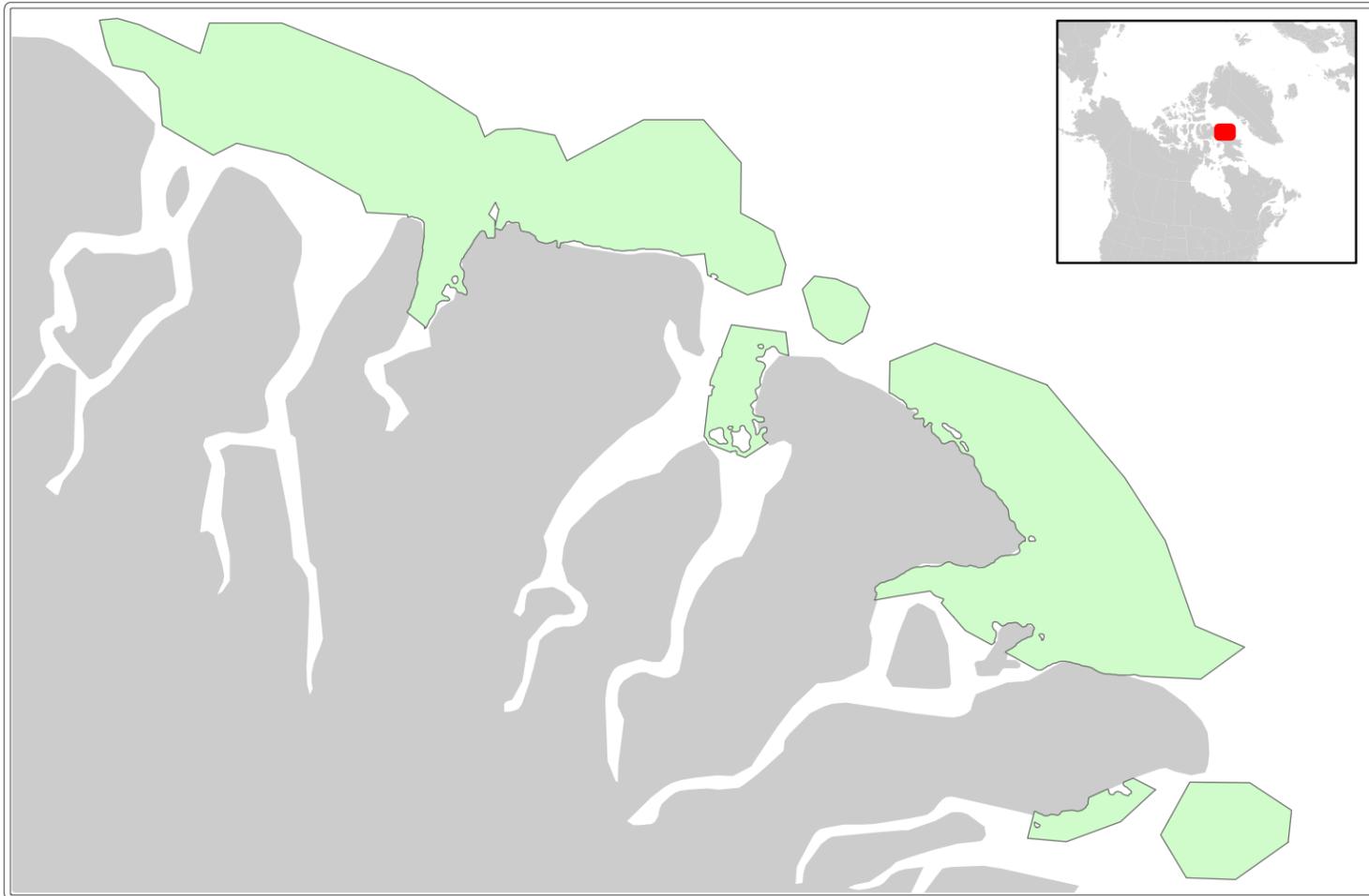
Associated Report: Mapping Critical Whale Habitat in the Nunavut Settlement Area

Authors: Jeff W. Higdon

Associated Links

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1203: Bowhead key habitats



Data Summary

Management Unit: East Canada-West Greenland

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: WWF commissioned Higdon Wildlife Consulting to compile existing knowledge on critical cetacean habitat within Nunavut. Reviewed sources for bowhead calving and foraging showed areas important for both activities. Separate polygons for summer foraging and calving were dissolved as they were nested within each other. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially based on stocks and marine bioregion.

Bowhead summer foraging/calving, East Canada-West Greenland (Coastal Baffin Island - EA)

Date: 2017

Open Source: No

Organization: Higdon Wildlife Consulting, for WWF-Canada

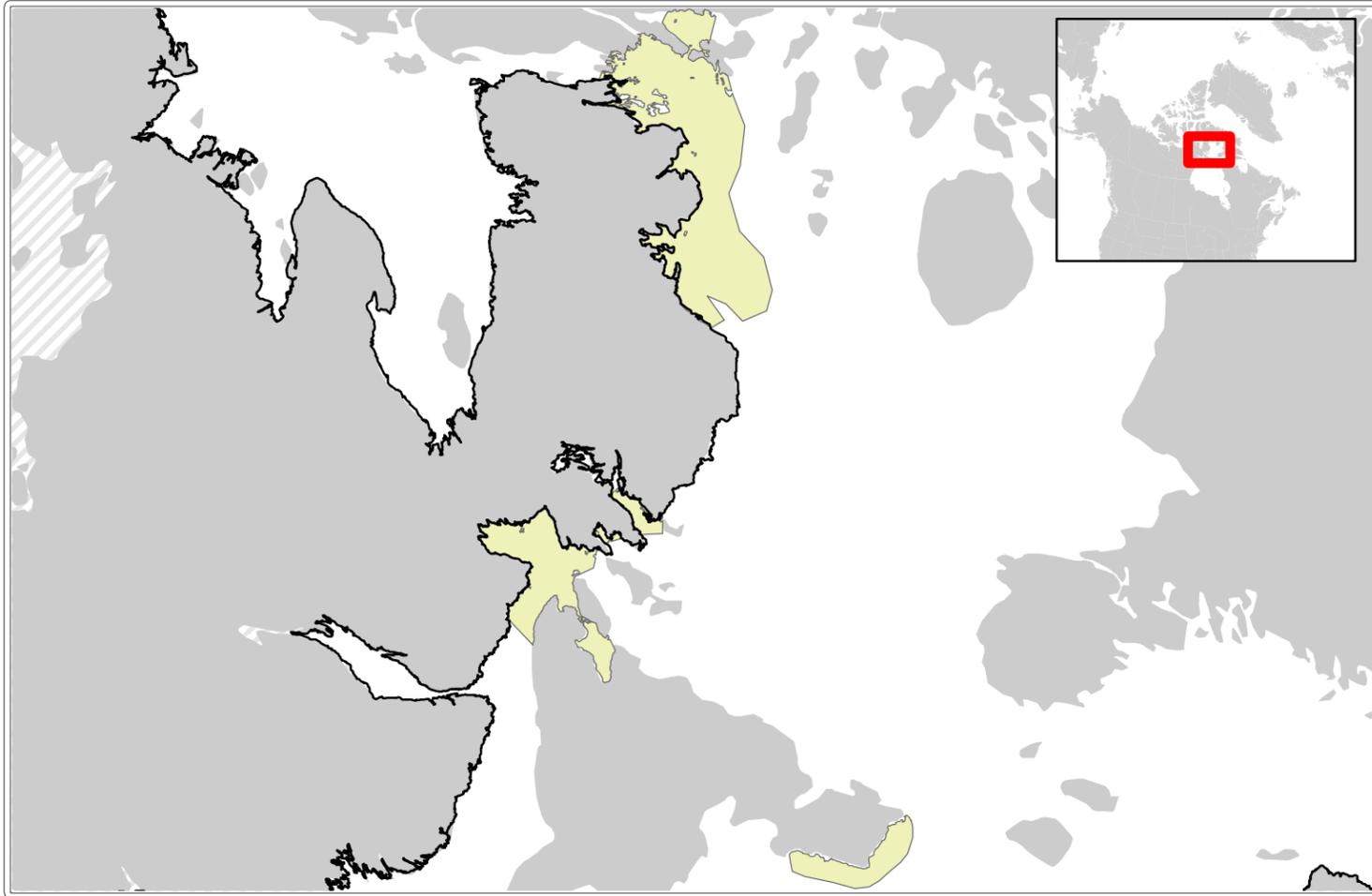
Associated Report: Mapping Critical Whale Habitat in the Nunavut Settlement Area

Authors: Jeff W. Higdon

Associated Links

N/A

1204: Bowhead key habitats



Data Summary

Management Unit: East Canada-West Greenland

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: WWF commissioned Higdon Wildlife Consulting to compile existing knowledge on critical cetacean habitat within Nunavut. Reviewed sources for bowhead calving and foraging showed areas important for both activities. Separate polygons for summer foraging and calving were dissolved as they were nested within each other. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially based on stocks and marine bioregion.

Bowhead summer foraging /calving (HB)

Date: 2017

Open Source: No

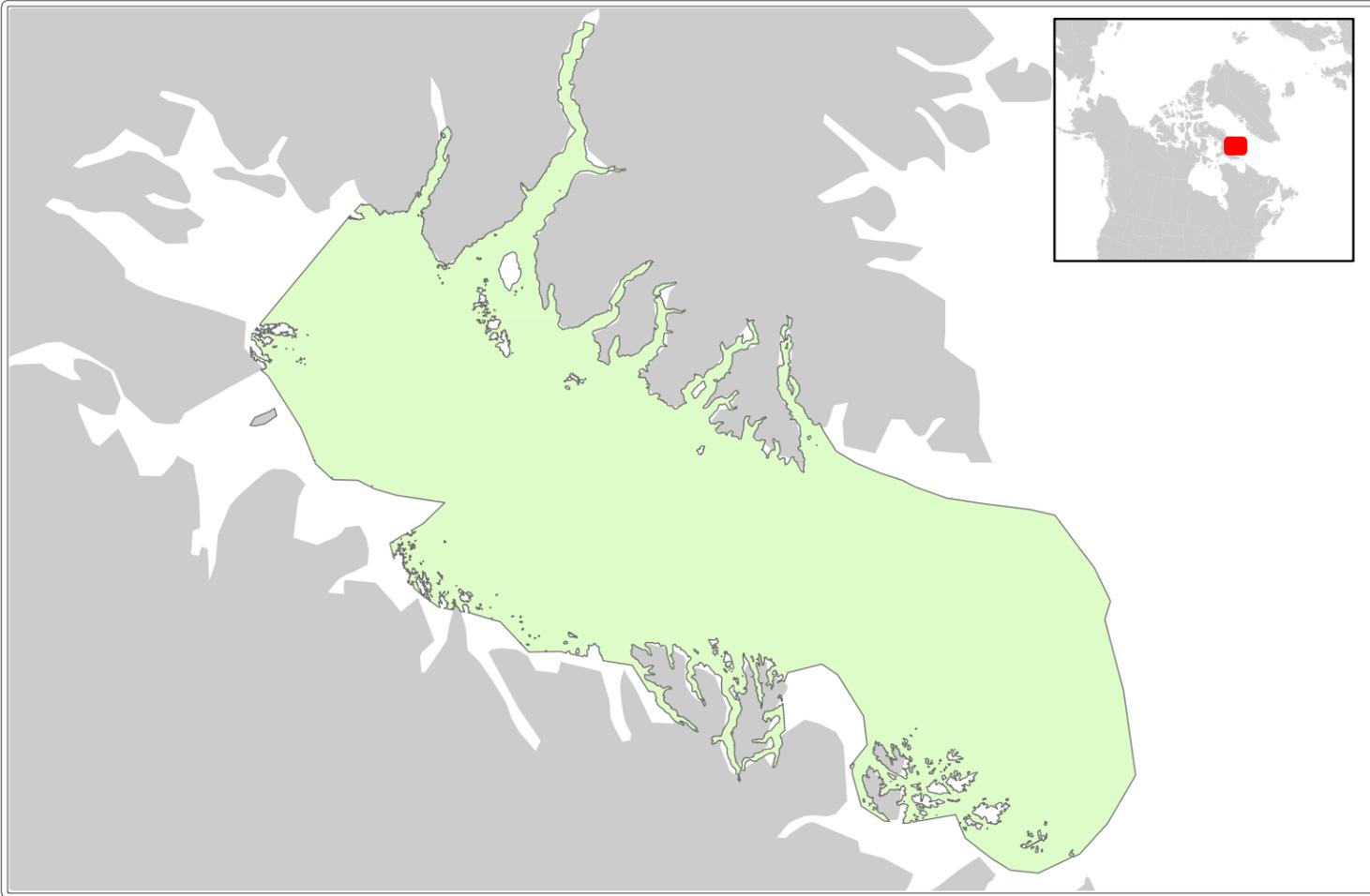
Organization: Higdon Wildlife Consulting, for WWF-Canada

Associated Report: Mapping Critical Whale Habitat in the Nunavut Settlement Area

Authors: Jeff W. Higdon

Associated Links

N/A



Data Summary

Management Unit: East Canada-West Greenland

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: As means of investigating feeding patterns of Canada-West Greenland Bowheads, 25 adult individuals were tagged with satellite loggers. Through analysis of bowhead movements logged by the tags, area restricted movement (ARM) was identified from transit movement. Areas of ARM were collated with diet/ prey information and Cumberland Sound was identified as being of high importance for feeding. A generalized polygon was manually constructed to capture the concentration of ARM telemetry points present in Cumberland Sound.

Bowhead summer foraging, East Canada-West Greenland (Cumberland Sound - EA)

Date: 2018

Open Source: No

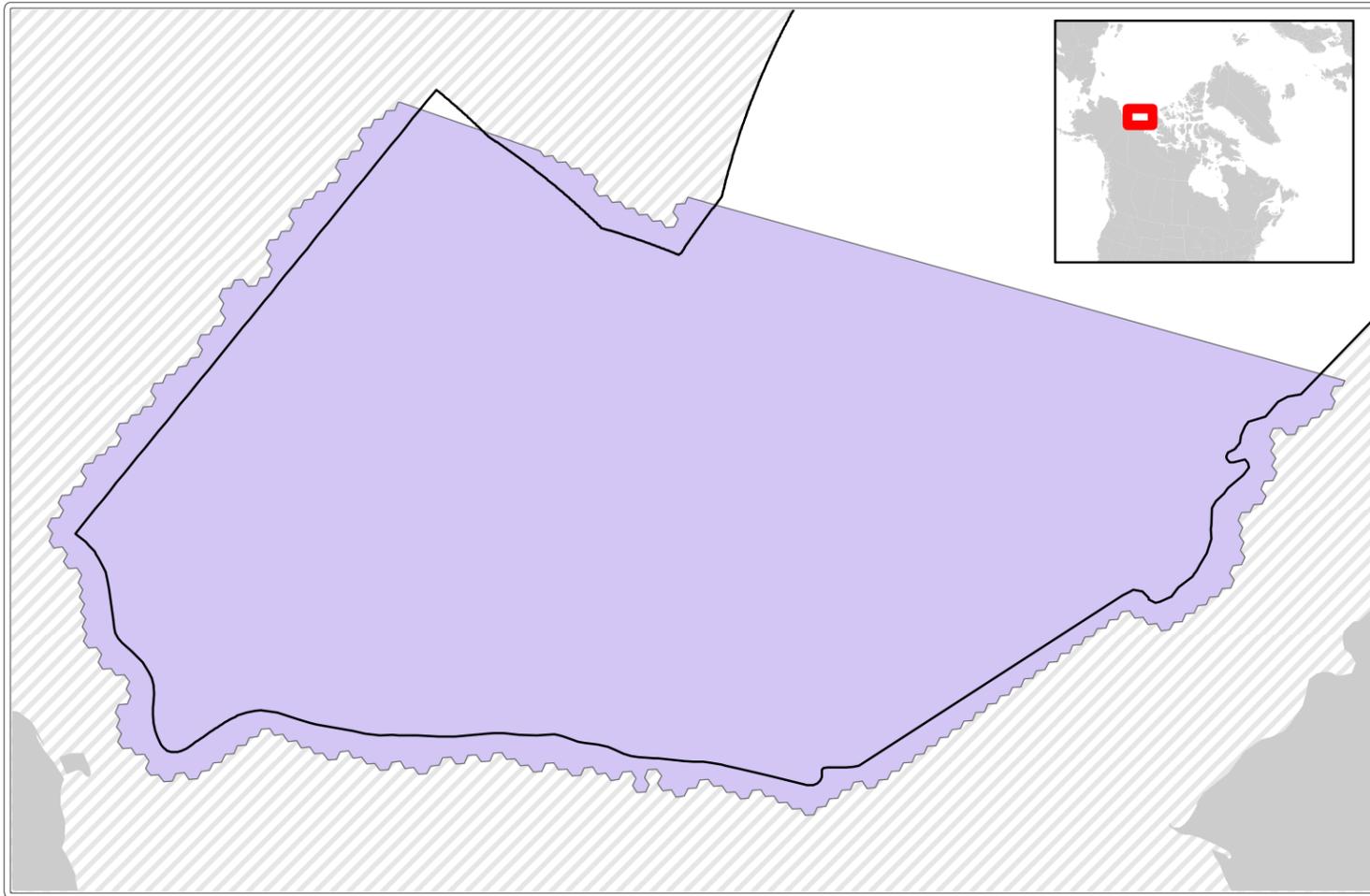
Organization: University of British Columbia

Associated Report: Diet, feeding behaviour and habitat-use patterns of bowhead whales in the Eastern Canadian Arctic

Authors: Sarah Marie Elizabeth Fortune

Associated Links

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Bowhead summer distribution, Bering-Chukchi-Beaufort (AB)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

Management Unit: Bering-Chukchi-Beaufort

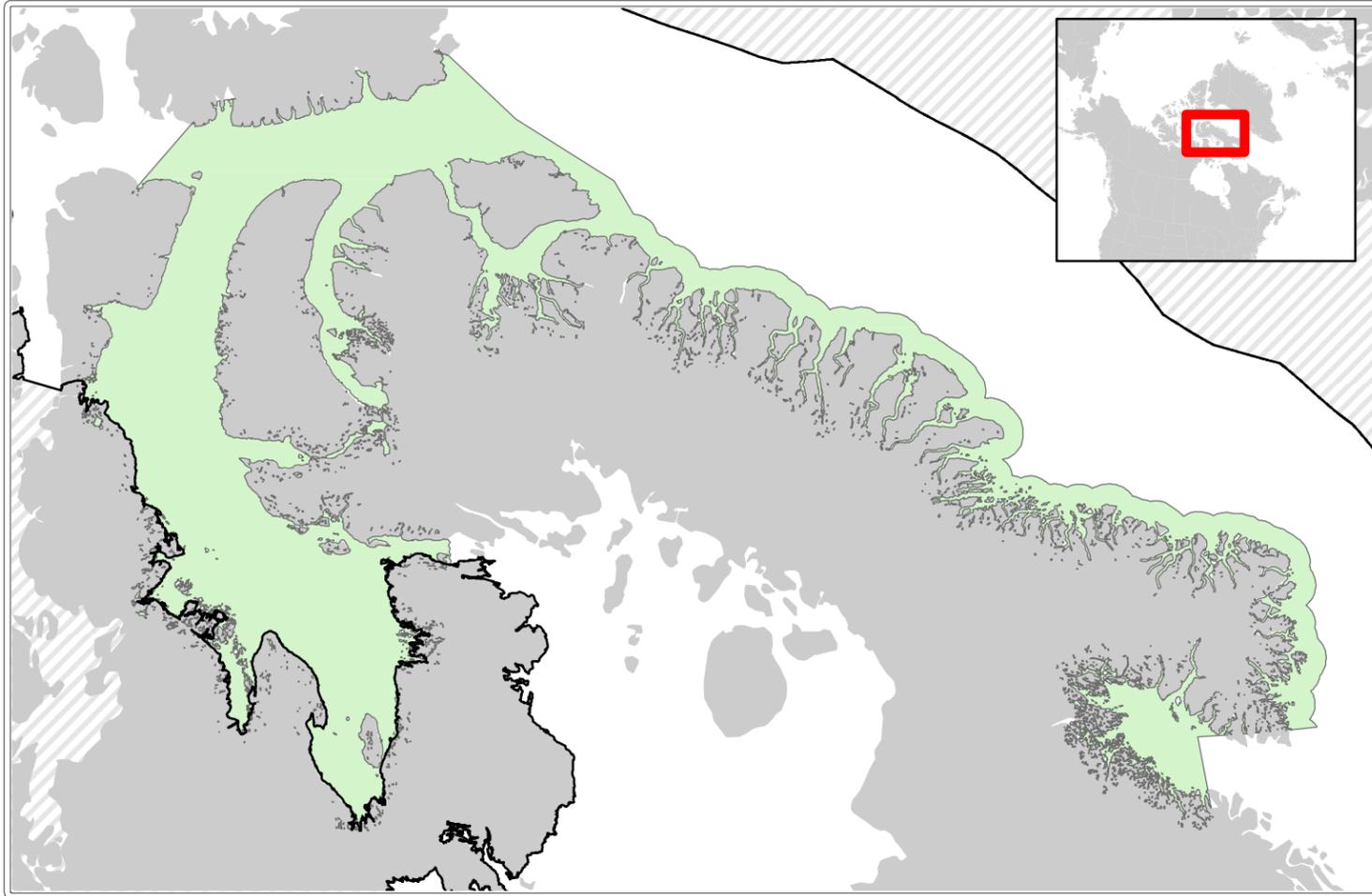
Marine Bioregion: Arctic Basin

Description: Seasonal bowhead ranges were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups, which were reviewed by the workshop. The report notes that Bowhead range is based on scientific survey data, IK and reports from communities with very little extrapolation of range distribution. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially by stock and marine bioregion.

Associated Links

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1226: Bowhead key habitats



Data Summary

Management Unit: East Canada-West Greenland

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Seasonal bowhead ranges were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups, which were reviewed by the workshop. The report notes that Bowhead range is based on scientific survey data, IK and reports from communities with very little extrapolation of range distribution. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially by stock and marine bioregion.

Bowhead summer distribution, East Canada-West Greenland (EA)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

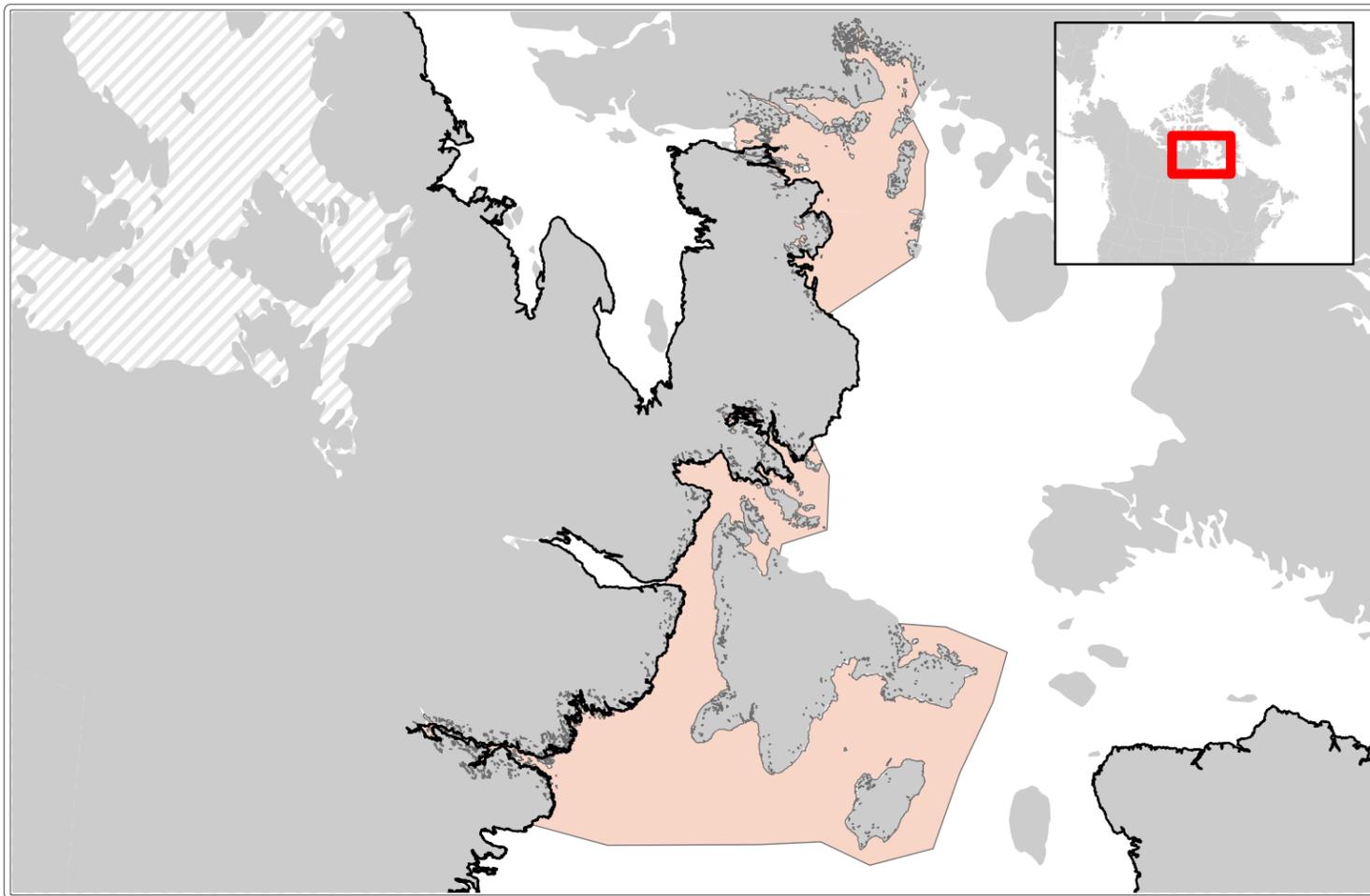
Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Associated Links

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1227: Bowhead key habitats



Bowhead summer distribution, East Canad-West Greenland (HB)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

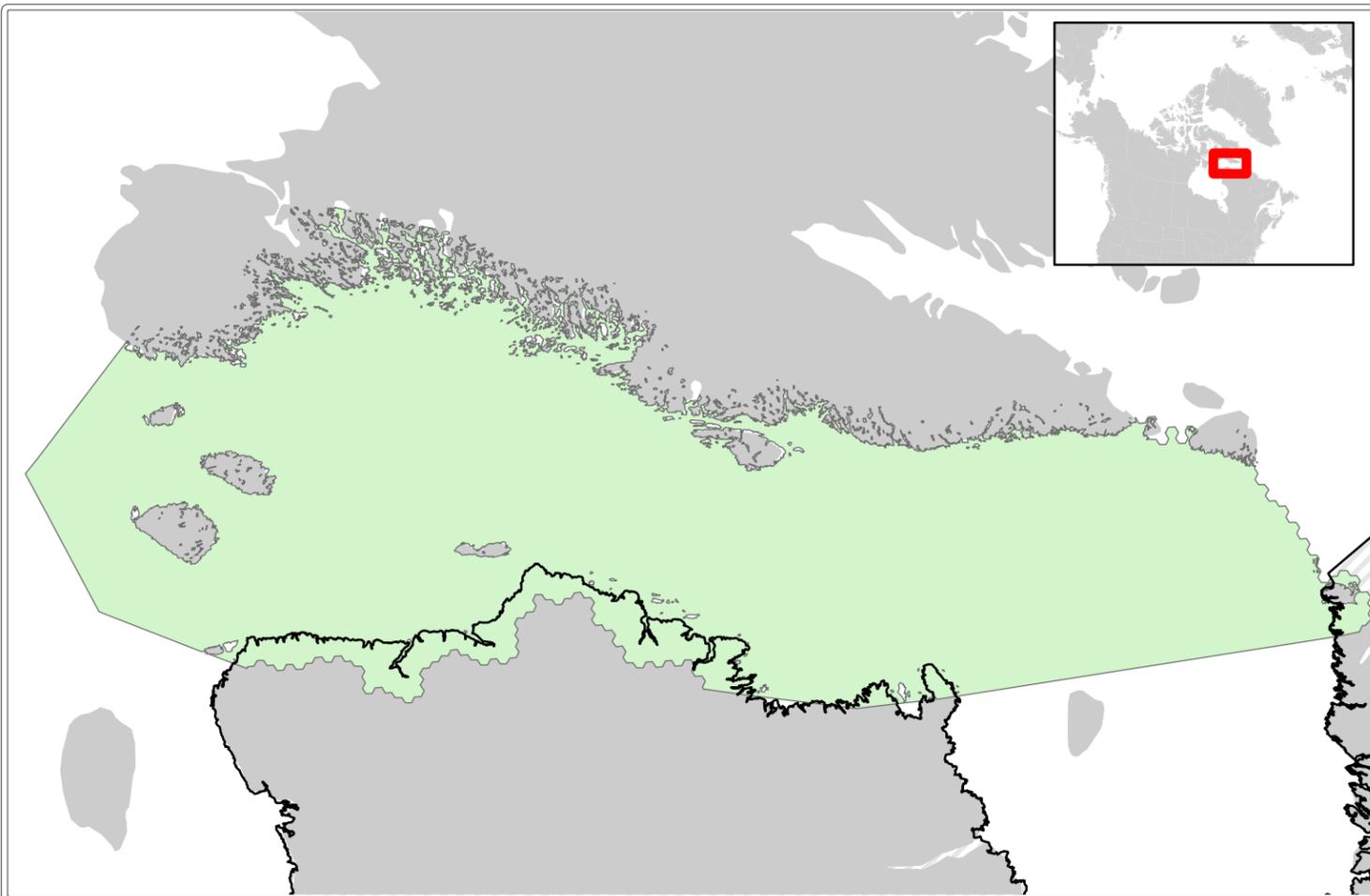
Management Unit: East Canada-West Greenland

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: Seasonal bowhead ranges were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups, which were reviewed by the workshop. The report notes that Bowhead range is based on scientific survey data, IK and reports from communities with very little extrapolation of range distribution. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially by stock and marine bioregion.

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Data Summary

Management Unit: East Canada-West Greenland

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: Seasonal bowhead ranges were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups, which were reviewed by the workshop. The report notes that Bowhead range is based on scientific survey data, IK and reports from communities with very little extrapolation of range distribution. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially by stock and marine bioregion.

Bowhead winter distribution, East Canada-West Greenland (HB)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

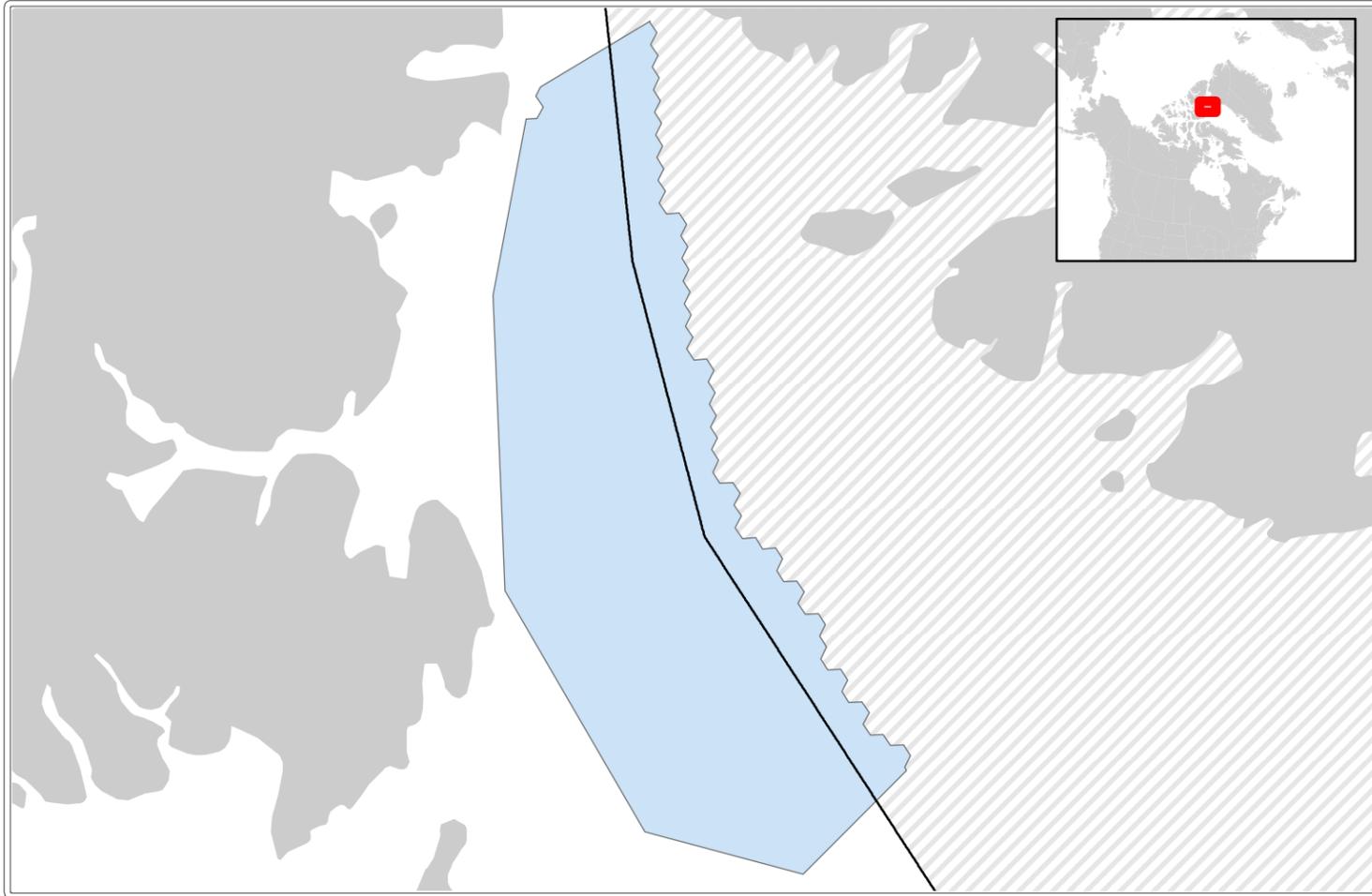
Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Associated Links

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Bowhead winter distribution, East Canada-West Greenland (North Baffin Bay - EA)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

Management Unit: East Canada-West Greenland

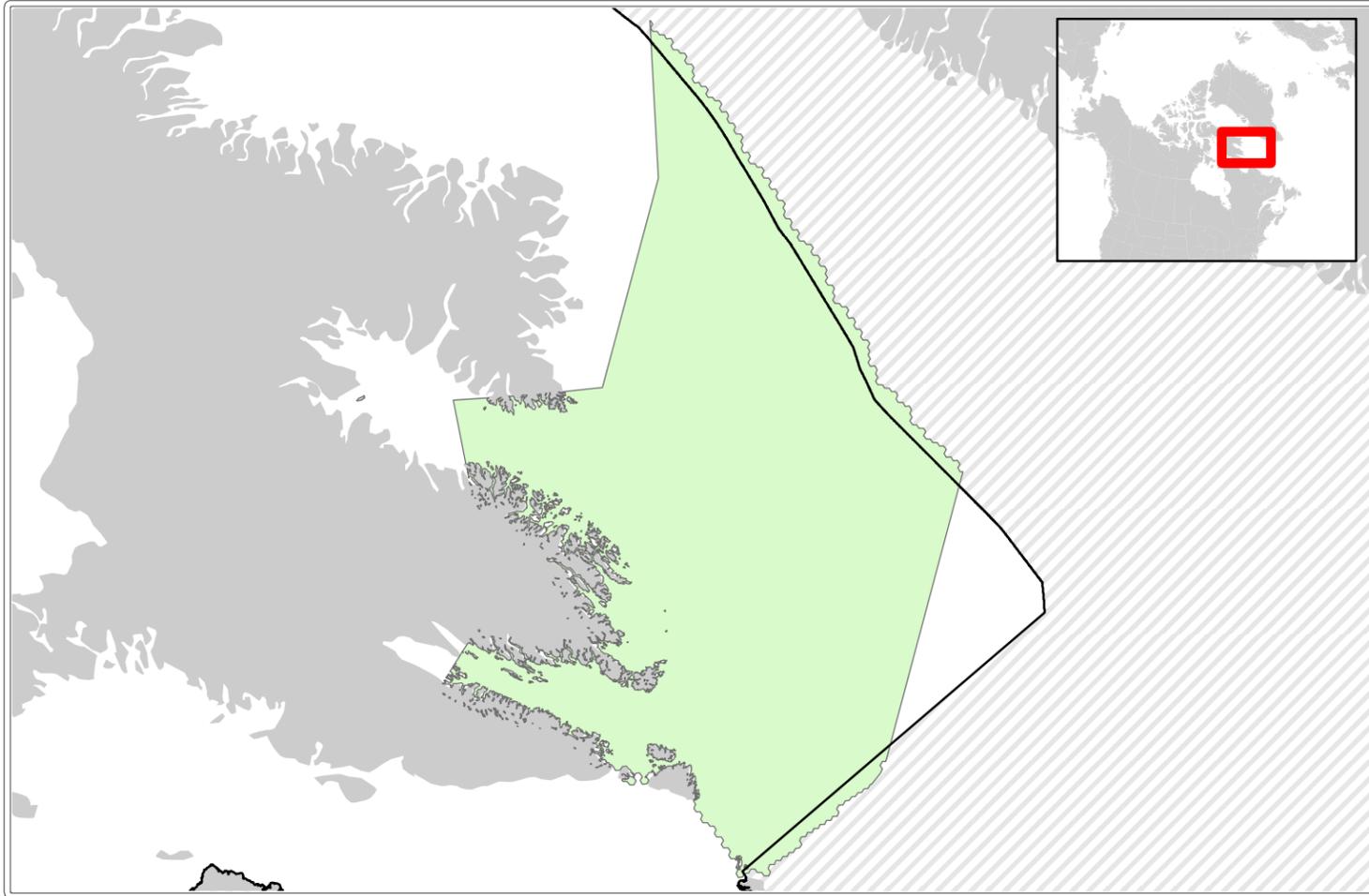
Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Seasonal bowhead ranges were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups, which were reviewed by the workshop. The report notes that Bowhead range is based on scientific survey data, IK and reports from communities with very little extrapolation of range distribution. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially by stock and marine bioregion.

Associated Links

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1230: Bowhead key habitats



Bowhead winter distribution, East Canada-West Greenland (Davis Strait - EA)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

Management Unit: East Canada-West Greenland

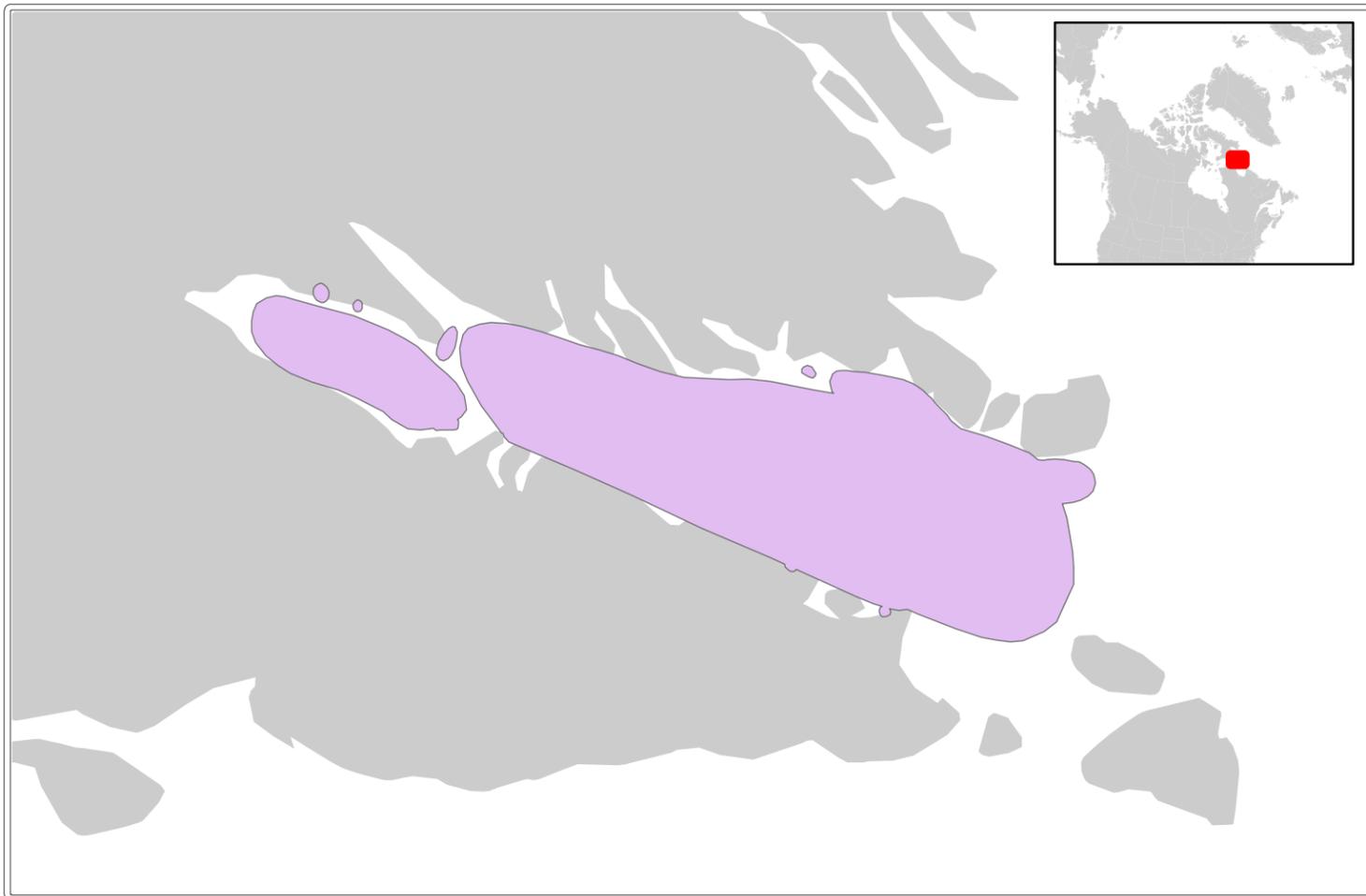
Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Seasonal bowhead ranges were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups, which were reviewed by the workshop. The report notes that Bowhead range is based on scientific survey data, IK and reports from communities with very little extrapolation of range distribution. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially by stock and marine bioregion.

Associated Links

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1250: Bowhead key habitats



Data Summary

Management Unit: East Canada-West Greenland

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses bowhead data from NCRI reports from Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, and Taloyoak.

Bowhead locally identified habitat (Davis Strait - EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

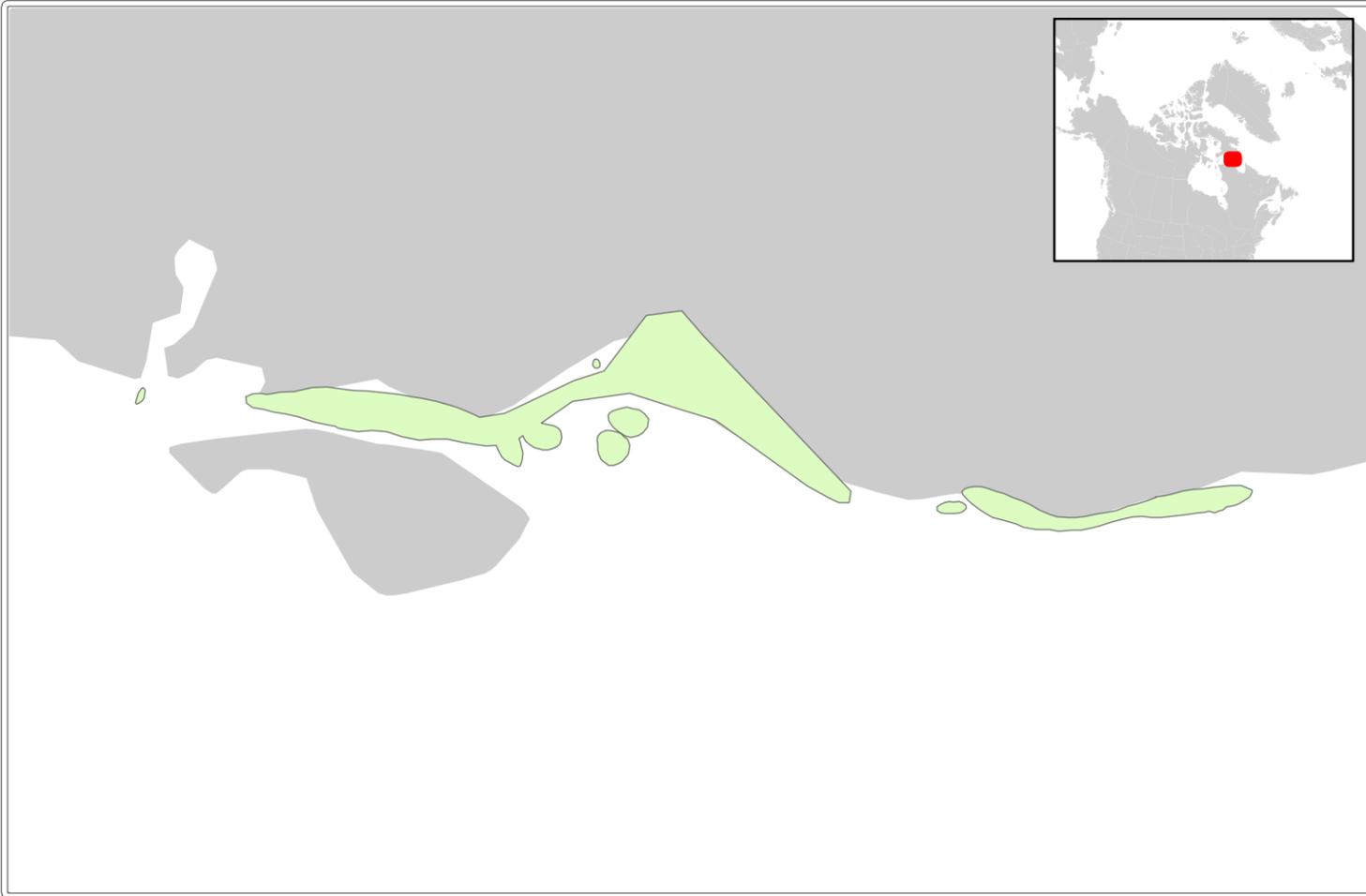
Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>

1251: Bowhead key habitats



Data Summary

Management Unit: East Canada-West Greenland

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses bowhead data from NCRI reports from Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, and Taloyoak.

Bowhead locally identified habitat (HB)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

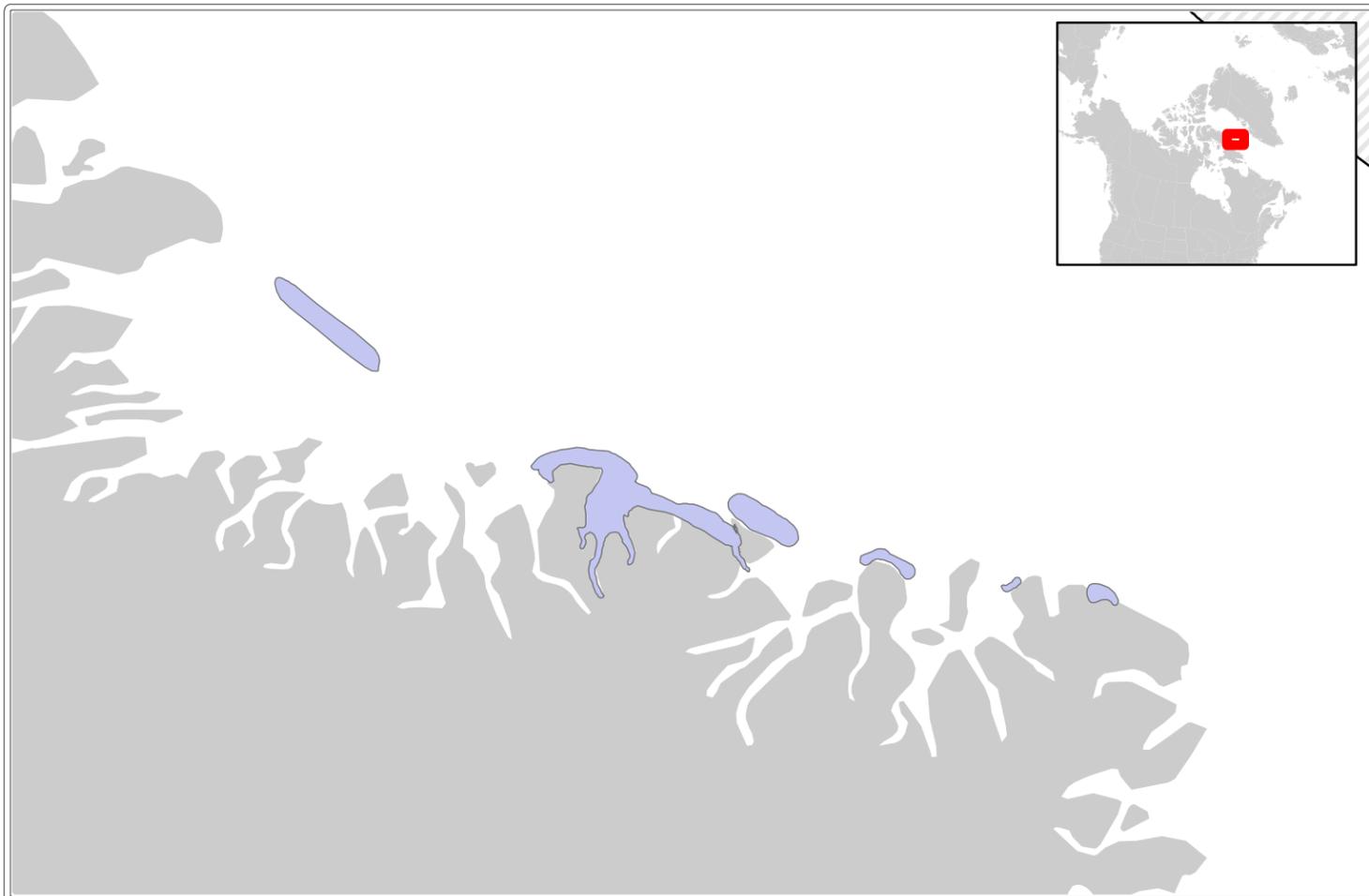
Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>

1252: Bowhead key habitats



Data Summary

Management Unit: East Canada-West Greenland

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses bowhead data from NCRI reports from Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, and Taloyoak.

Bowhead locally identified habitat, (Coastal Baffin Bay - EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>

1253: Bowhead key habitats



Bowhead locally identified habitat, East Canada-West Greenland (EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

Management Unit: East Canada-West Greenland

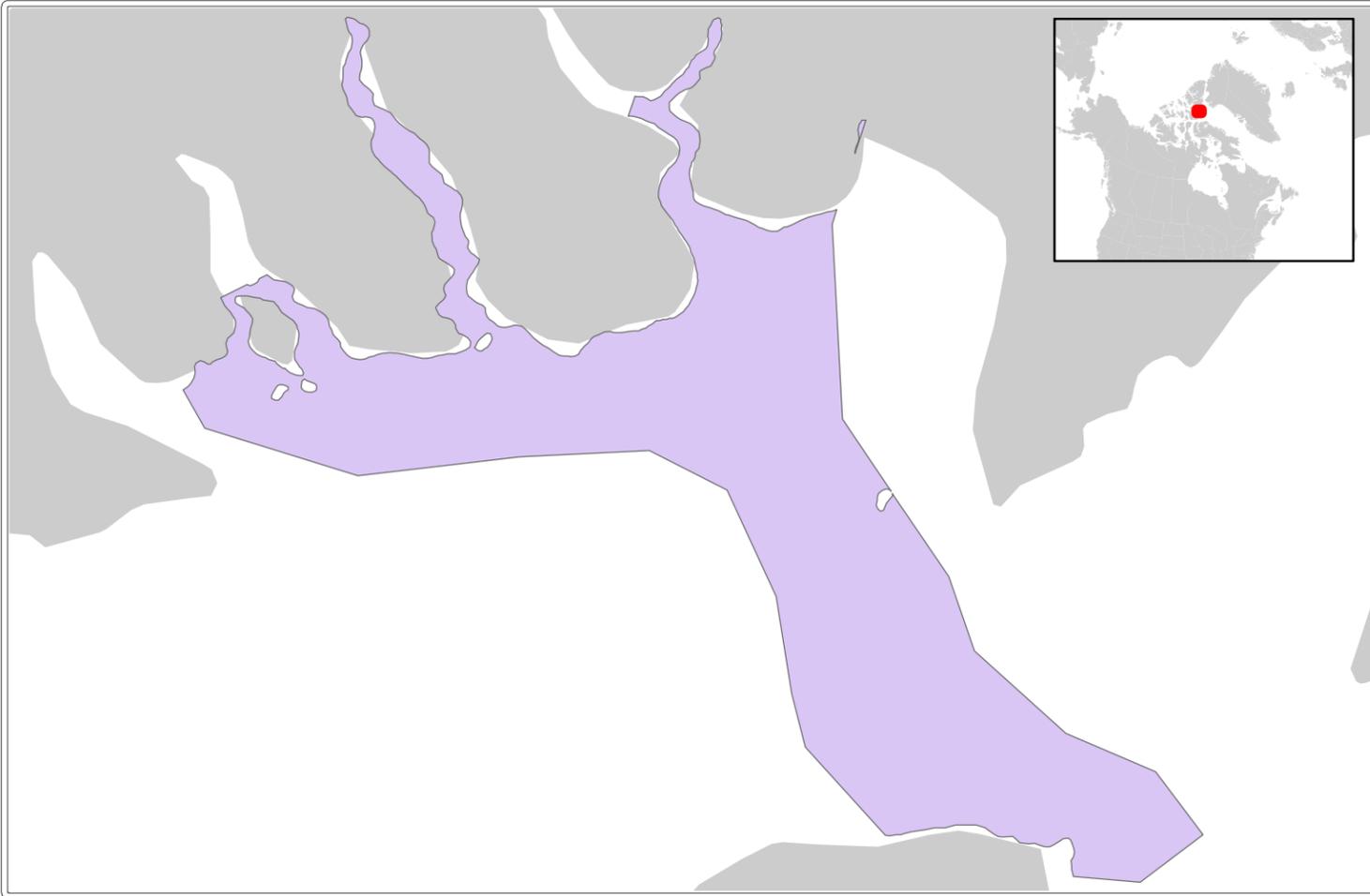
Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses bowhead data from NCRI reports from Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, and Taloyoak.

Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>

1300: Narwhal key habitats



Data Summary

Management Unit: Jones Sound

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: WWF commissioned Higdon Wildlife Consulting to compile existing knowledge on critical cetacean habitat within Nunavut. Narwhal calving areas were identified from existing spatial data and corroborating descriptive sources. Evidence from 24 different studies were used to identify important areas. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially based on stocks.

Narwhal summer calving, Jones Sound (EA)

Date: 2017

Open Source: No

Organization: Higdon Wildlife Consulting, for WWF-Canada

Associated Report: Mapping Critical Whale Habitat in the Nunavut Settlement Area

Authors: Jeff W. Higdon

Associated Links

N/A

1301: Narwhal key habitats



Data Summary

Management Unit: Somerset Island

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: WWF commissioned Higdon Wildlife Consulting to compile existing knowledge on critical cetacean habitat within Nunavut. Narwhal calving areas were identified from existing spatial data and corroborating descriptive sources. Evidence from 24 different studies were used to identify important areas. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially based on stocks.

Narwhal summer calving, Somerset Island (EA)

Date: 2017

Open Source: No

Organization: Higdon Wildlife Consulting, for WWF-Canada

Associated Report: Mapping Critical Whale Habitat in the Nunavut Settlement Area

Authors: Jeff W. Higdon

Associated Links

N/A



Data Summary

Management Unit: Admiralty Inlet

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: WWF commissioned Higdon Wildlife Consulting to compile existing knowledge on critical cetacean habitat within Nunavut. Narwhal foraging areas were identified from existing spatial data and corroborating descriptive sources. Evidence from 9 different studies were used to identify important areas. Separate polygons for summer foraging and calving in Peel & Eclipse Sound were dissolved as they were nested within each other. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially based on stocks and marine bioregion.

Narwhal summer foraging/calving, Admiralty Inlet (EA)

Date: 2017

Open Source: No

Organization: Higdon Wildlife Consulting, for WWF-Canada

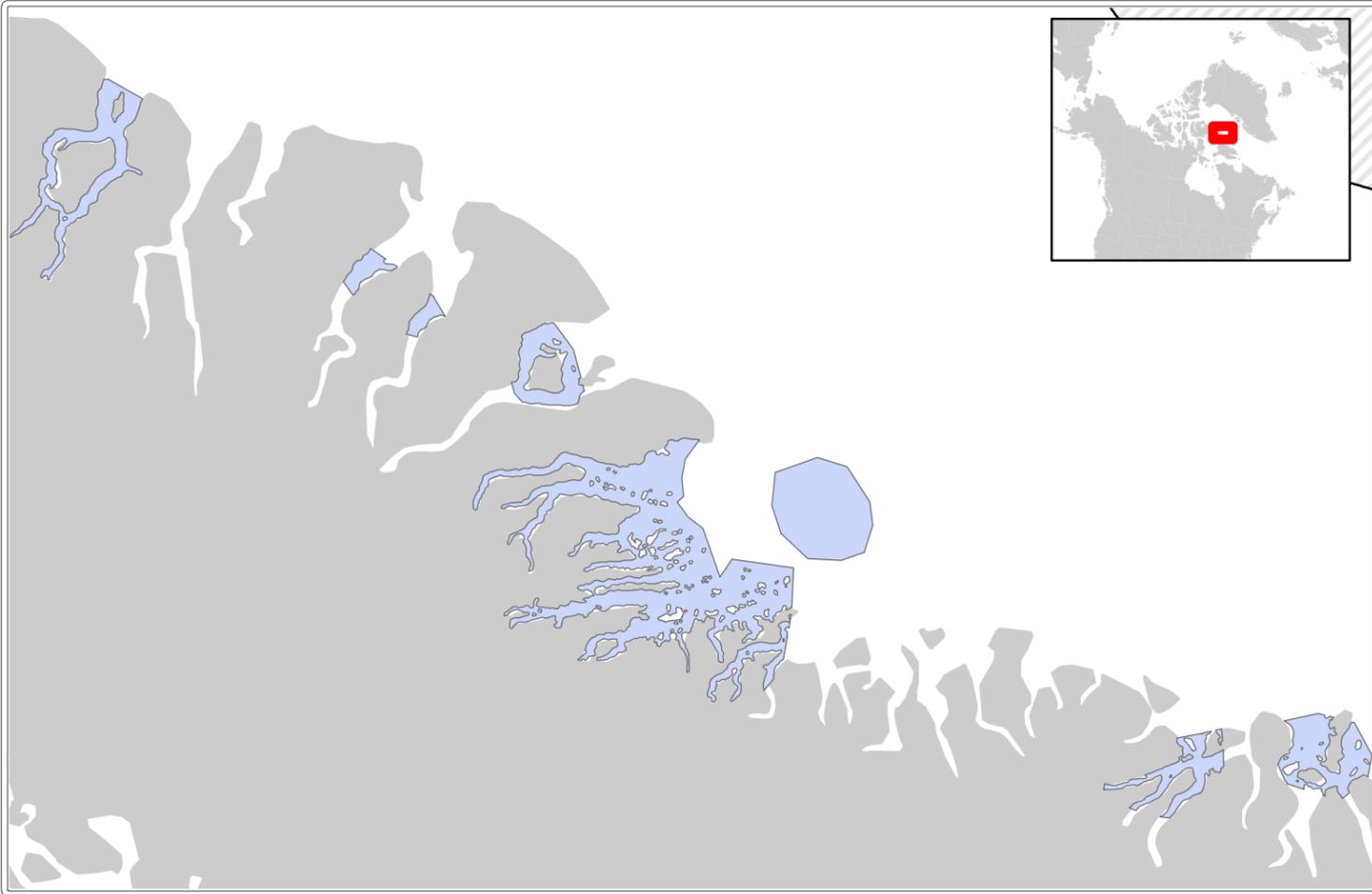
Associated Report: Mapping Critical Whale Habitat in the Nunavut Settlement Area

Authors: Jeff W. Higdon

Associated Links

N/A

1303: Narwhal key habitats



Data Summary

Management Unit: East Baffin Island

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: WWF commissioned Higdon Wildlife Consulting to compile existing knowledge on critical cetacean habitat within Nunavut. Narwhal foraging areas were identified from existing spatial data and corroborating descriptive sources. Evidence from 9 different studies were used to identify important areas. Separate polygons for summer foraging and calving in Peel & Eclipse Sound were dissolved as they were nested within each other. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially based on stocks and marine bioregion.

Narwhal summer foraging/calving, East Baffin Island (EA)

Date: 2017

Open Source: No

Organization: Higdon Wildlife Consulting, for WWF-Canada

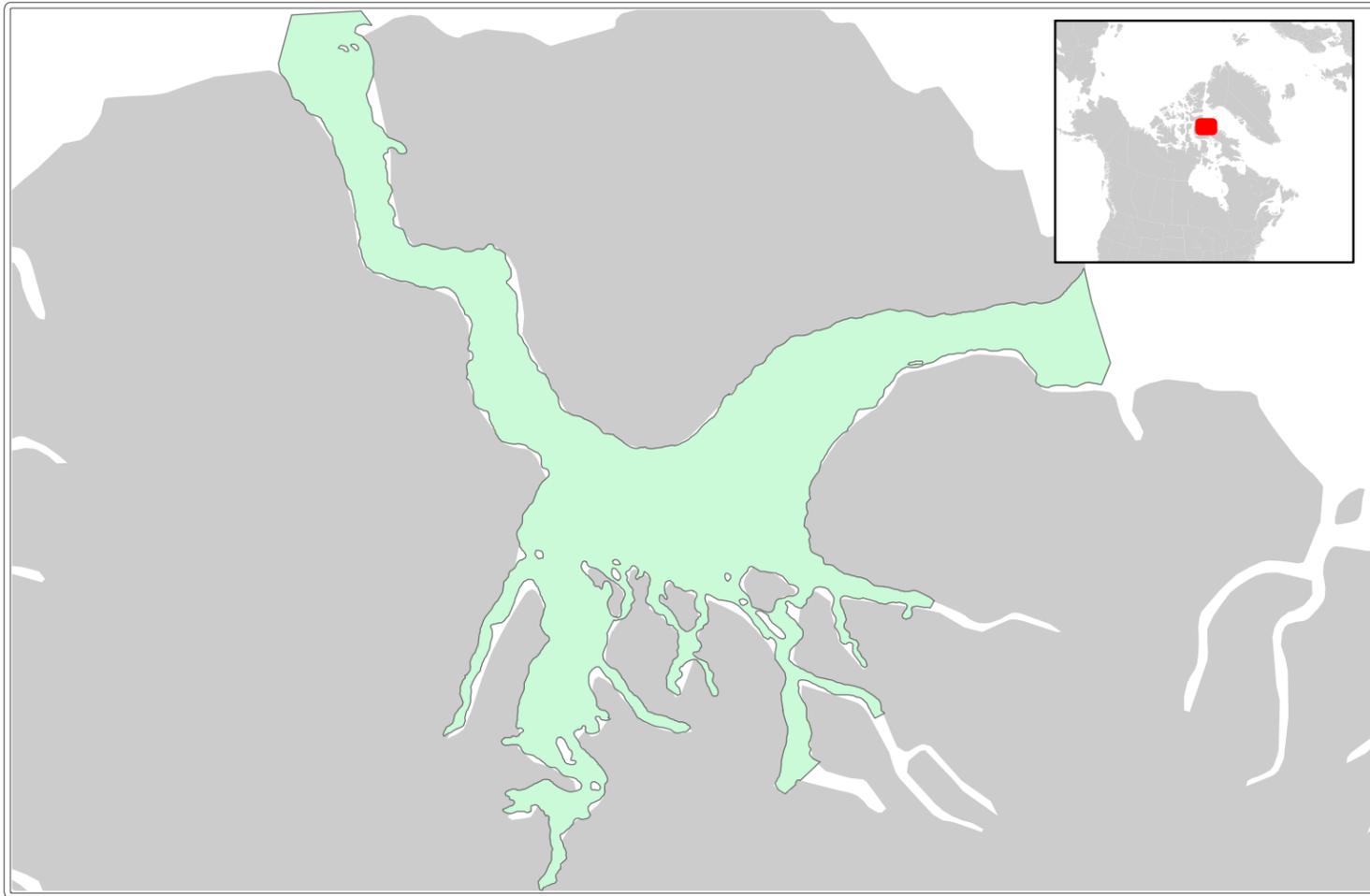
Associated Report: Mapping Critical Whale Habitat in the Nunavut Settlement Area

Authors: Jeff W. Higdon

Associated Links

N/A

1304: Narwhal key habitats



Data Summary

Management Unit: Eclipse Sound

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: WWF commissioned Higdon Wildlife Consulting to compile existing knowledge on critical cetacean habitat within Nunavut. Narwhal foraging areas were identified from existing spatial data and corroborating descriptive sources. Evidence from 9 different studies were used to identify important areas. Separate polygons for summer foraging and calving in Peel & Eclipse Sound were dissolved as they were nested within each other. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially based on stocks and marine bioregion.

Narwhal summer foraging/calving, Eclipse Sound (EA)

Date: 2017

Open Source: No

Organization: Higdon Wildlife Consulting, for WWF-Canada

Associated Report: Mapping Critical Whale Habitat in the Nunavut Settlement Area

Authors: Jeff W. Higdon

Associated Links

N/A

1305: Narwhal key habitats



Data Summary

Management Unit: Northern Hudson Bay

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: WWF commissioned Higdon Wildlife Consulting to compile existing knowledge on critical cetacean habitat within Nunavut. Narwhal foraging areas were identified from existing spatial data and corroborating descriptive sources. Evidence from 9 different studies were used to identify important areas. Separate polygons for summer foraging and calving in Peel & Eclipse Sound were dissolved as they were nested within each other. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially based on stocks and marine bioregion.

Narwhal summer foraging/calving, Northern Hudson Bay (HB)

Date: 2017

Open Source: No

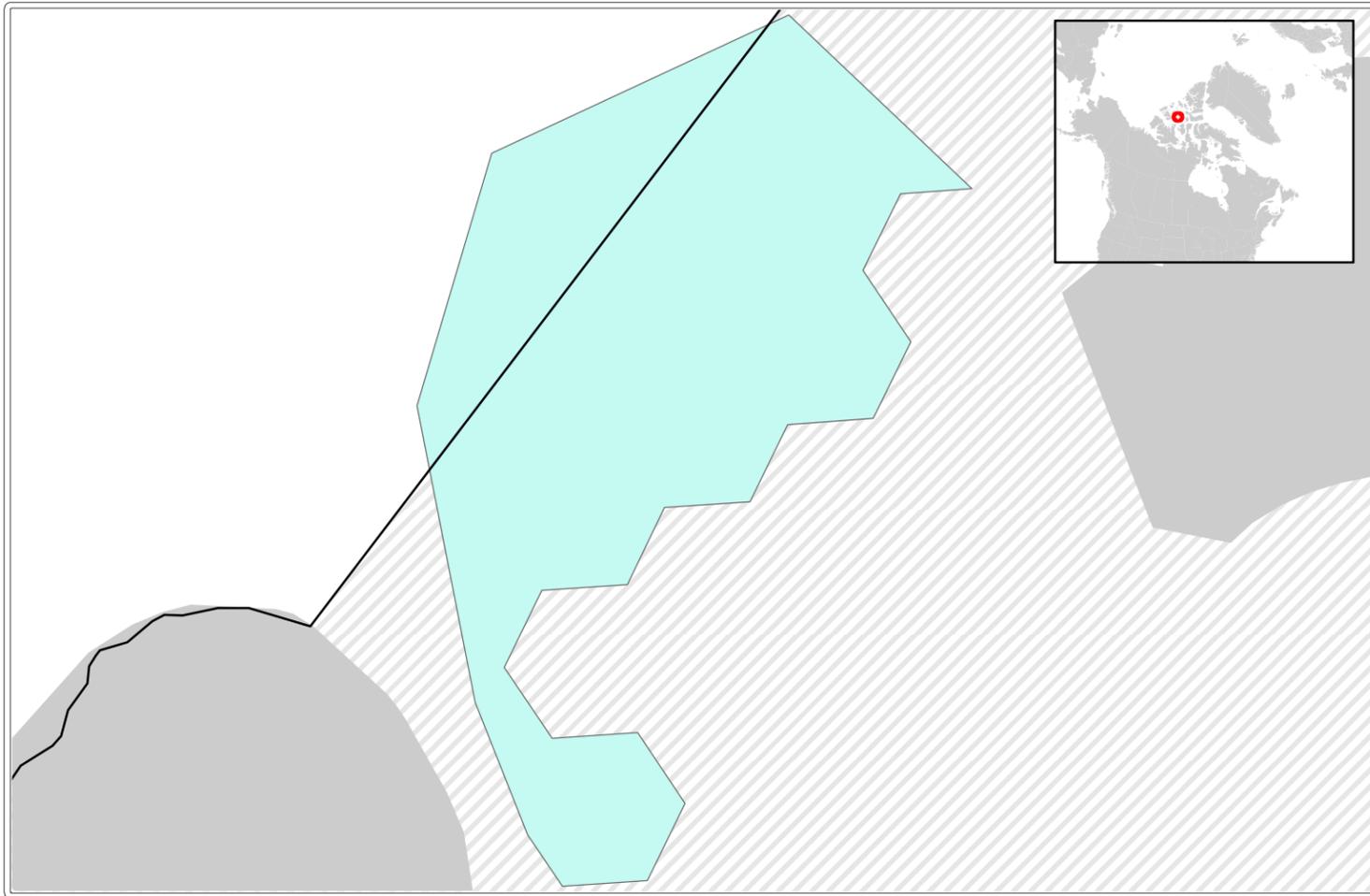
Organization: Higdon Wildlife Consulting, for WWF-Canada

Associated Report: Mapping Critical Whale Habitat in the Nunavut Settlement Area

Authors: Jeff W. Higdon

Associated Links

N/A



Narwhal summer foraging/calving, Somerset Island (AA)

Date: 2017

Open Source: No

Organization: Higdon Wildlife Consulting, for WWF-Canada

Associated Report: Mapping Critical Whale Habitat in the Nunavut Settlement Area

Authors: Jeff W. Higdon

Data Summary

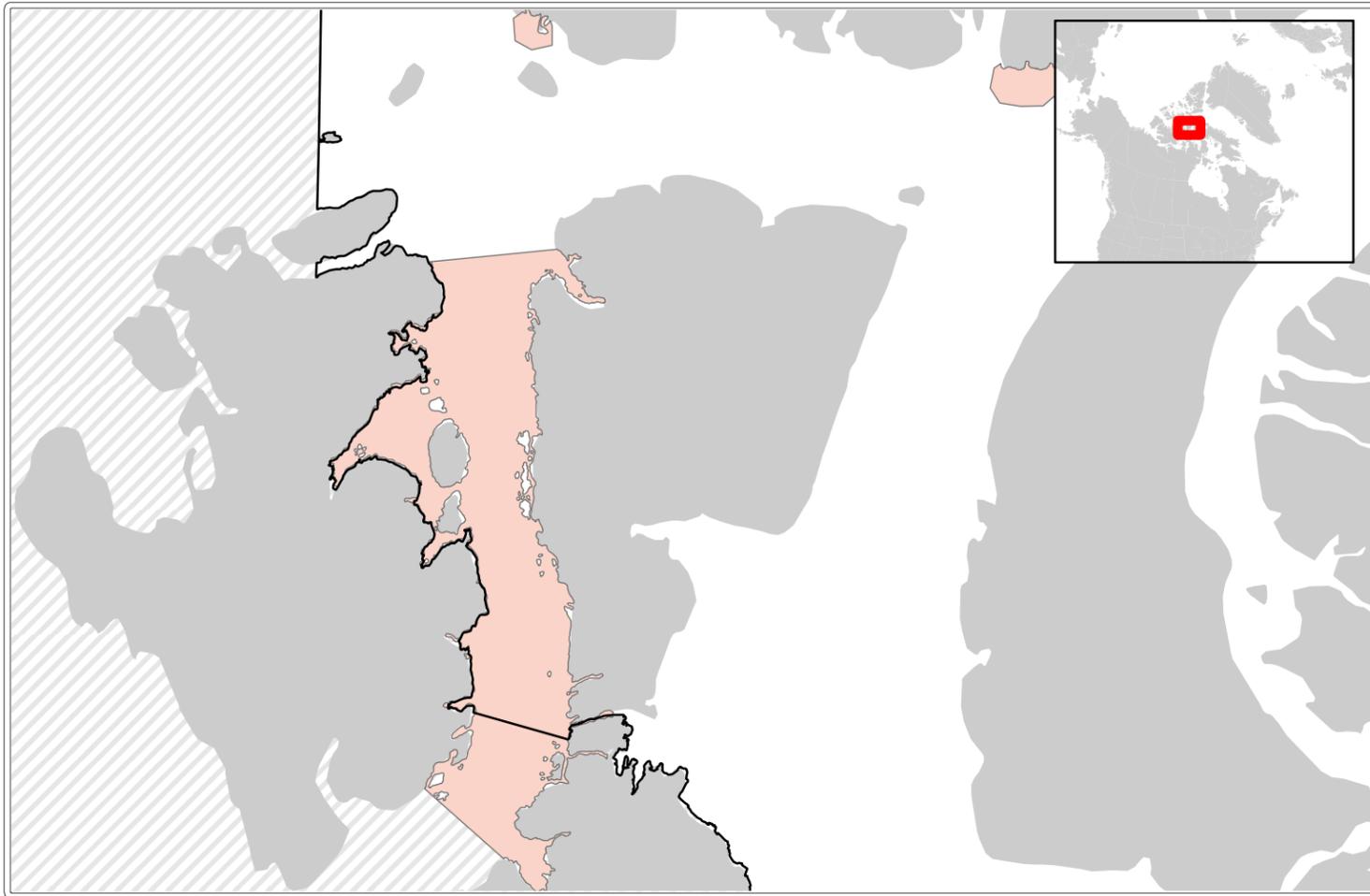
Management Unit: Somerset Island

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago

Description: WWF commissioned Higdon Wildlife Consulting to compile existing knowledge on critical cetacean habitat within Nunavut. Narwhal foraging areas were identified from existing spatial data and corroborating descriptive sources. Evidence from 9 different studies were used to identify important areas. Separate polygons for summer foraging and calving in Peel & Eclipse Sound were dissolved as they were nested within each other. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially based on stocks and marine bioregion.

Associated Links

N/A



Narwhal summer foraging/calving, Somerset Island (EA)

Date: 2017

Open Source: No

Organization: Higdon Wildlife Consulting, for WWF-Canada

Associated Report: Mapping Critical Whale Habitat in the Nunavut Settlement Area

Authors: Jeff W. Higdon

Data Summary

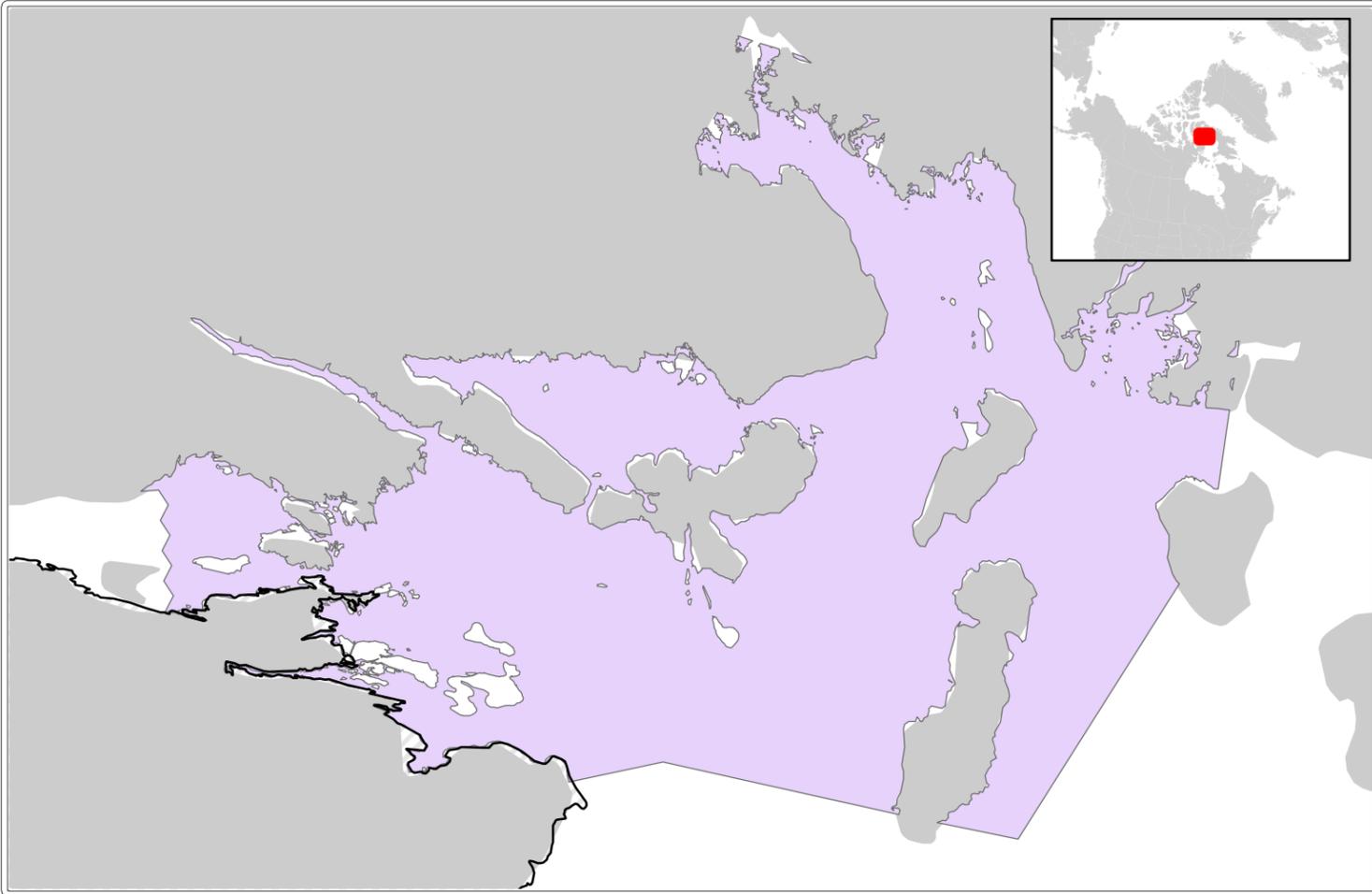
Management Unit: Somerset Island

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: WWF commissioned Higdon Wildlife Consulting to compile existing knowledge on critical cetacean habitat within Nunavut. Narwhal foraging areas were identified from existing spatial data and corroborating descriptive sources. Evidence from 9 different studies were used to identify important areas. Separate polygons for summer foraging and calving in Peel & Eclipse Sound were dissolved as they were nested within each other. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially based on stocks and marine bioregion.

Associated Links

N/A



Narwhal summer range, Baffin Bay stocks (HB)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

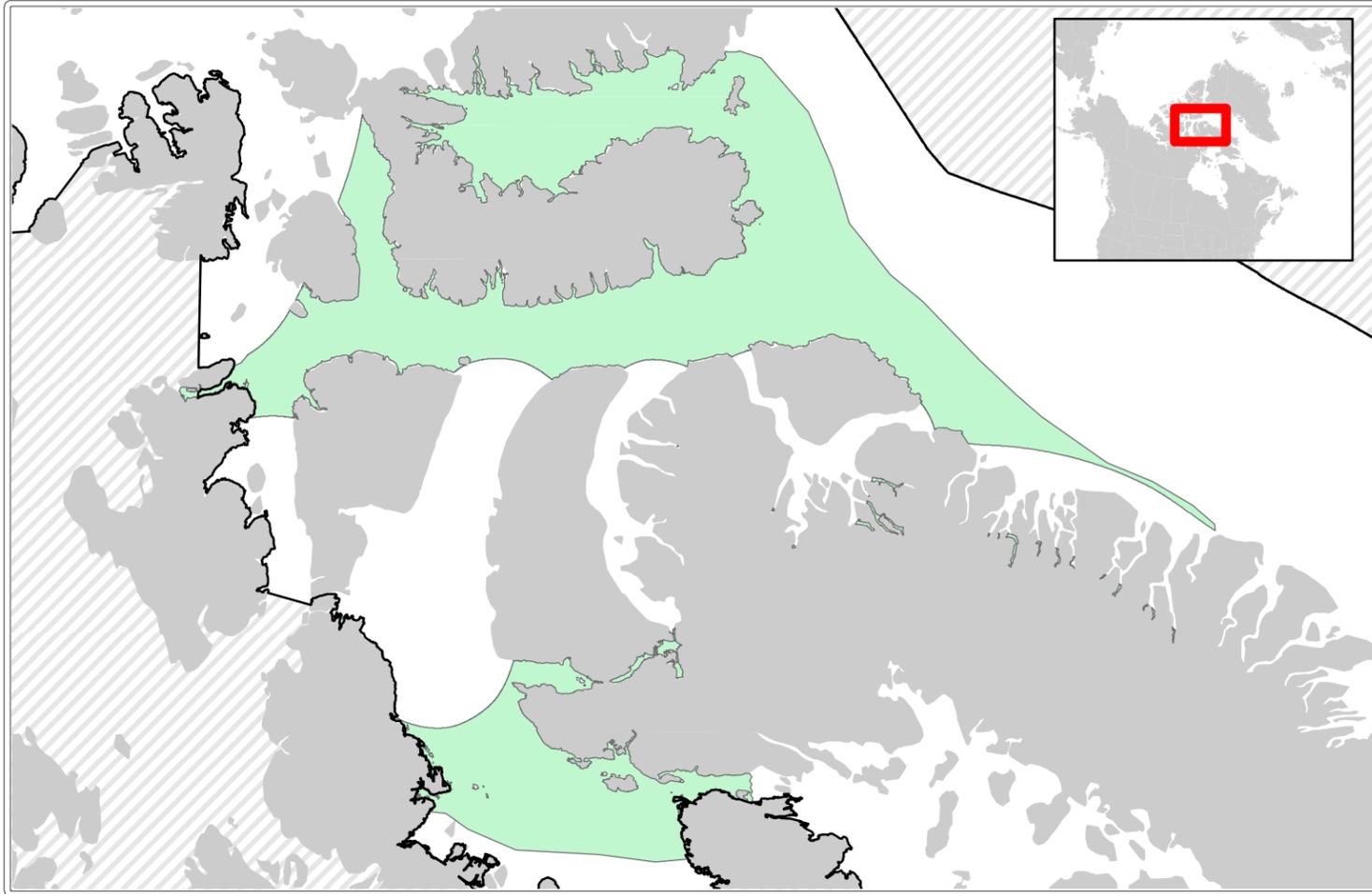
Management Unit: Baffin Bay stocks

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: Seasonal narwhal use areas were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups, which were reviewed by the workshop. Narwhal ranges were delineated based on a synthesis of summer/ winter aerial surveys, and satellite tagging studies. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially based on stocks and marine bioregion.

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Narwhal summer range, Baffin Bay stocks, (Lancaster Sound area - EA)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

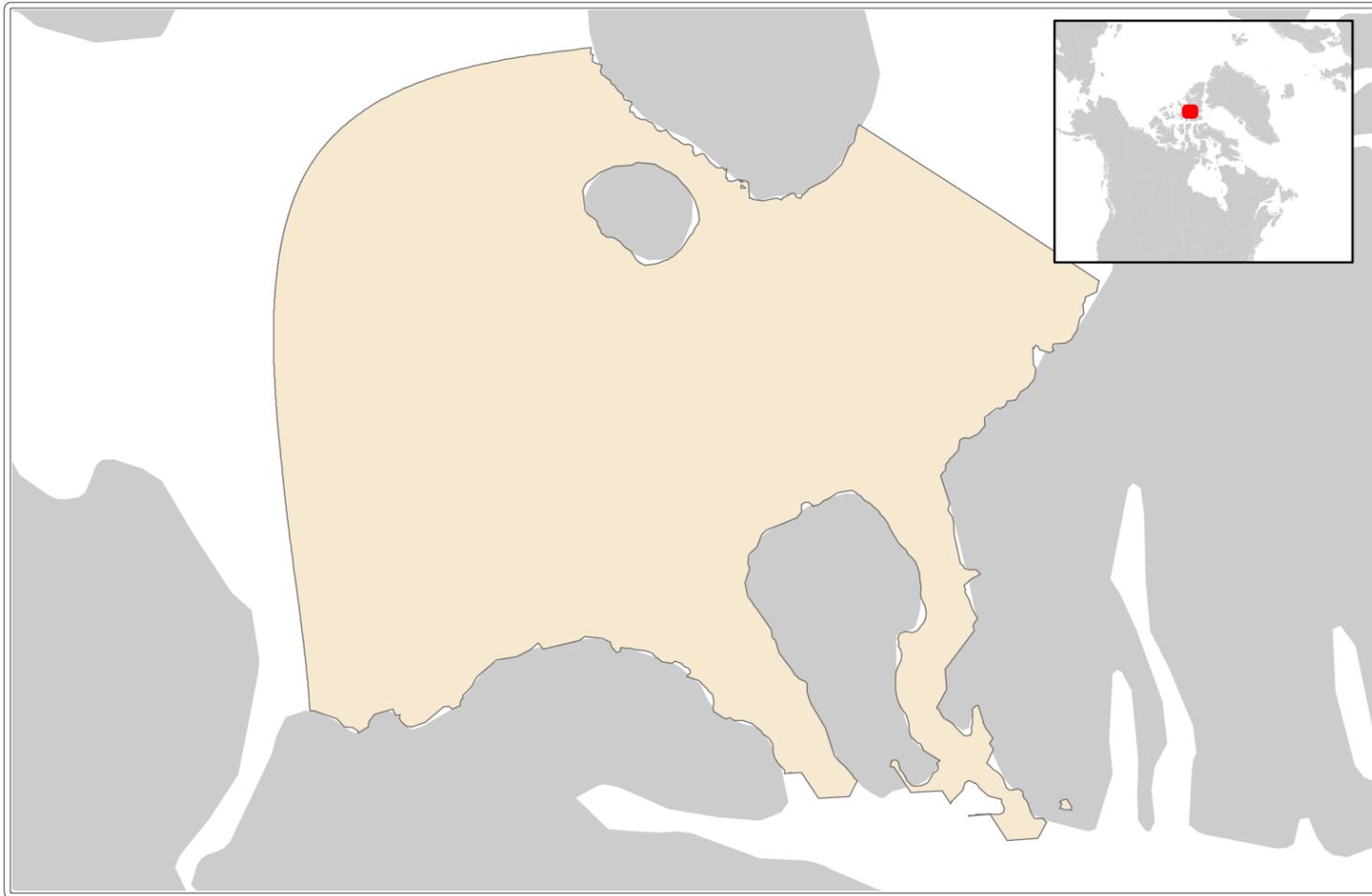
Management Unit: Baffin Bay stocks

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Seasonal narwhal use areas were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups, which were reviewed by the workshop. Narwhal ranges were delineated based on a synthesis of summer/ winter aerial surveys, and satellite tagging studies. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially based on stocks and marine bioregion.

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Narwhal summer range, Baffin Bay stocks (AA)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

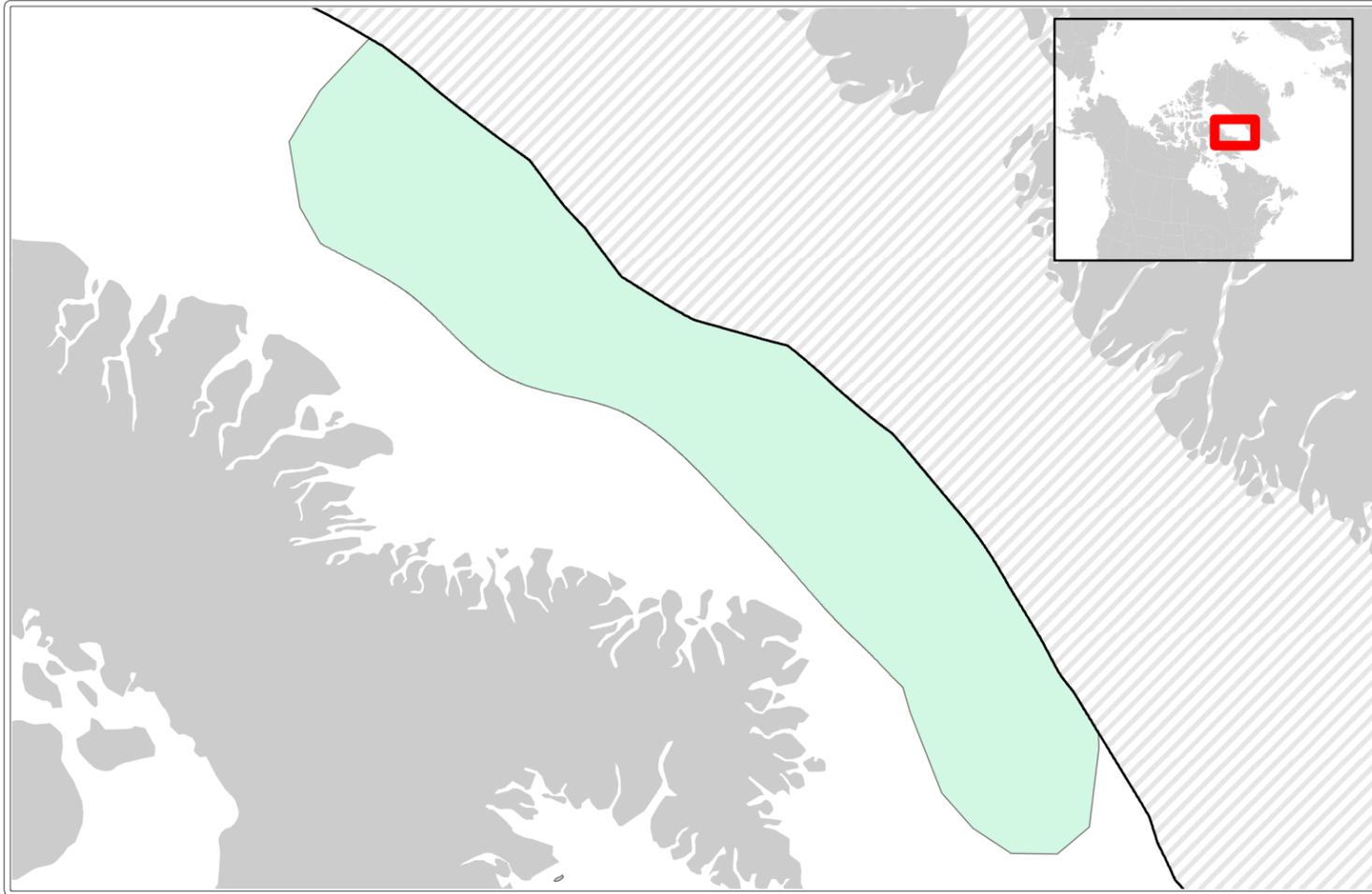
Management Unit: Baffin Bay stocks

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago

Description: Seasonal narwhal use areas were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups, which were reviewed by the workshop. Narwhal ranges were delineated based on a synthesis of summer/ winter aerial surveys, and satellite tagging studies. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially based on stocks and marine bioregion.

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Narwhal winter high density areas, Baffin Bay stocks (EA)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

Management Unit: Baffin Bay stocks

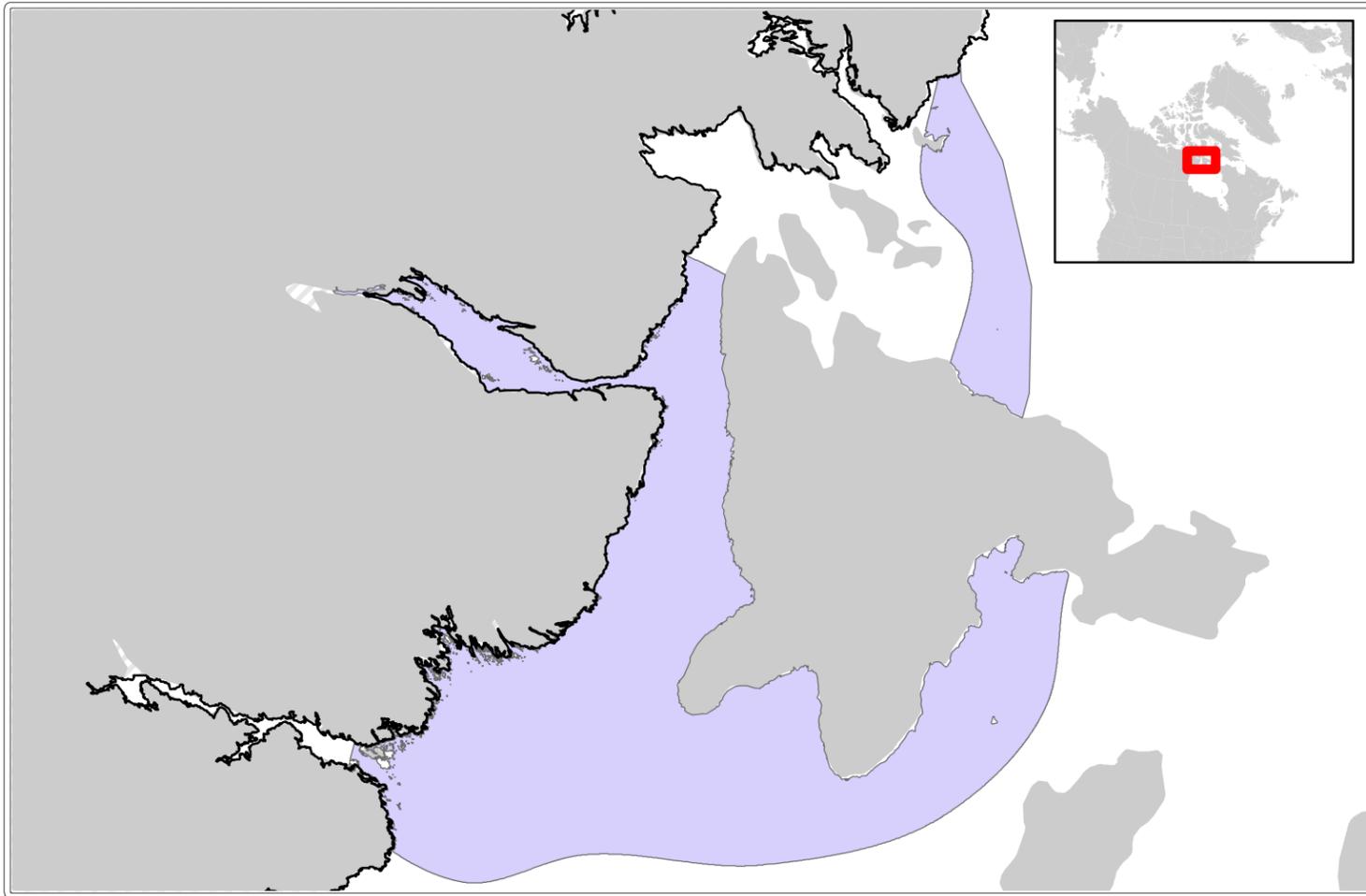
Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Seasonal narwhal use areas were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups, which were reviewed by the workshop. Narwhal ranges were delineated based on a synthesis of summer/ winter aerial surveys, and satellite tagging studies. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially based on stocks and marine bioregion.

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1329: Narwhal key habitats



Narwhal summer range, Northern Hudson Bay (HB)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

Management Unit: Northern Hudson Bay

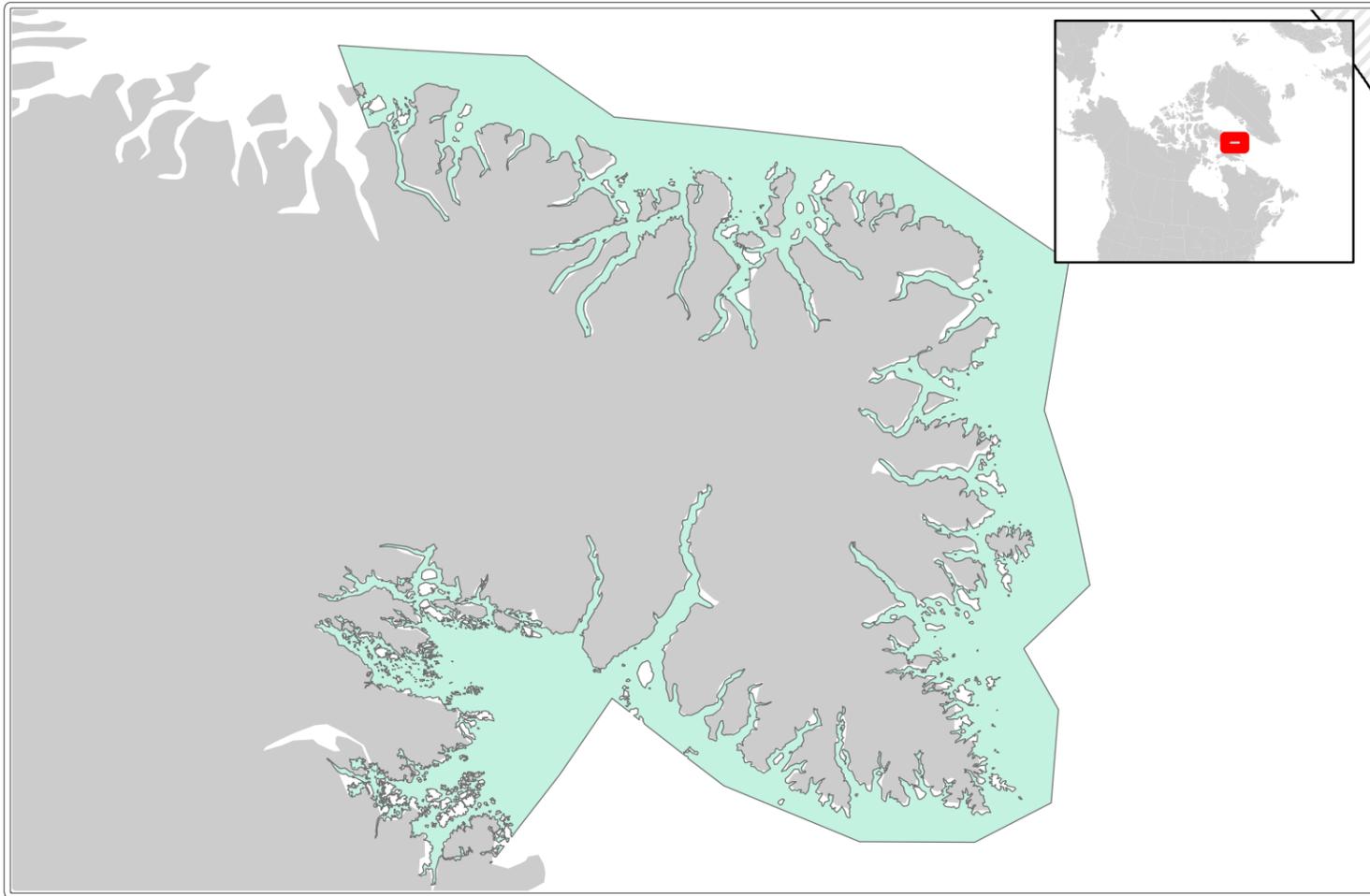
Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: Seasonal narwhal use areas were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups, which were reviewed by the workshop. Narwhal ranges were delineated based on a synthesis of summer/ winter aerial surveys, and satellite tagging studies. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially based on stocks and marine bioregion.

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1330: Narwhal key habitats



Data Summary

Management Unit: Baffin Bay stocks

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Seasonal narwhal use areas were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups, which were reviewed by the workshop. Narwhal ranges were delineated based on a synthesis of summer/ winter aerial surveys, and satellite tagging studies. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially based on stocks and marine bioregion.

Narwhal summer range, Baffin Bay stocks (South - EA)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

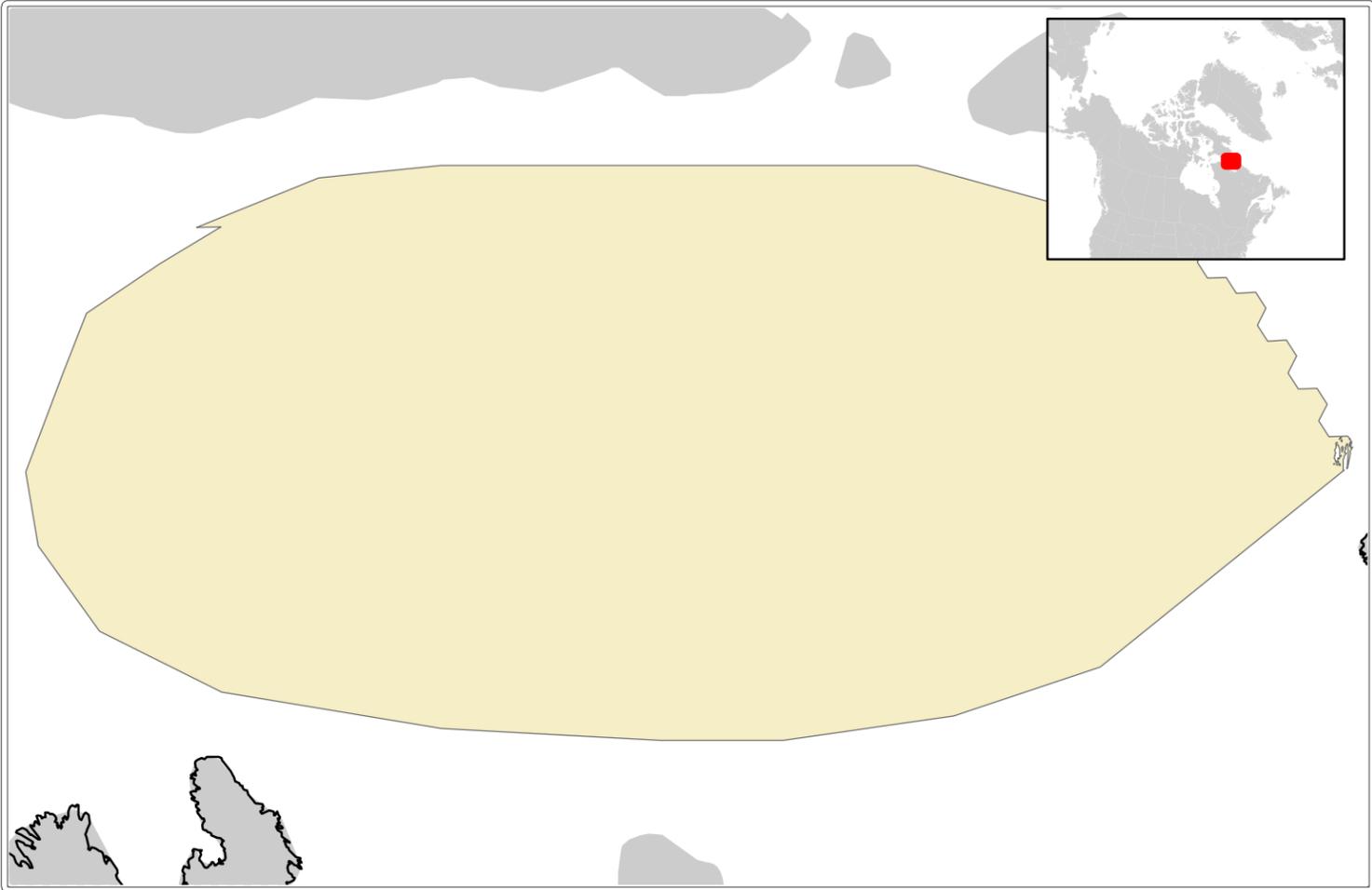
Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Associated Links

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1331: Narwhal key habitats



Data Summary

Management Unit: Northern Hudson Bay

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: Seasonal narwhal use areas were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups, which were reviewed by the workshop. Narwhal ranges were delineated based on a synthesis of summer/ winter aerial surveys, and satellite tagging studies. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially based on stocks and marine bioregion.

Narwhal winter range, Northern Hudson Bay (HB)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

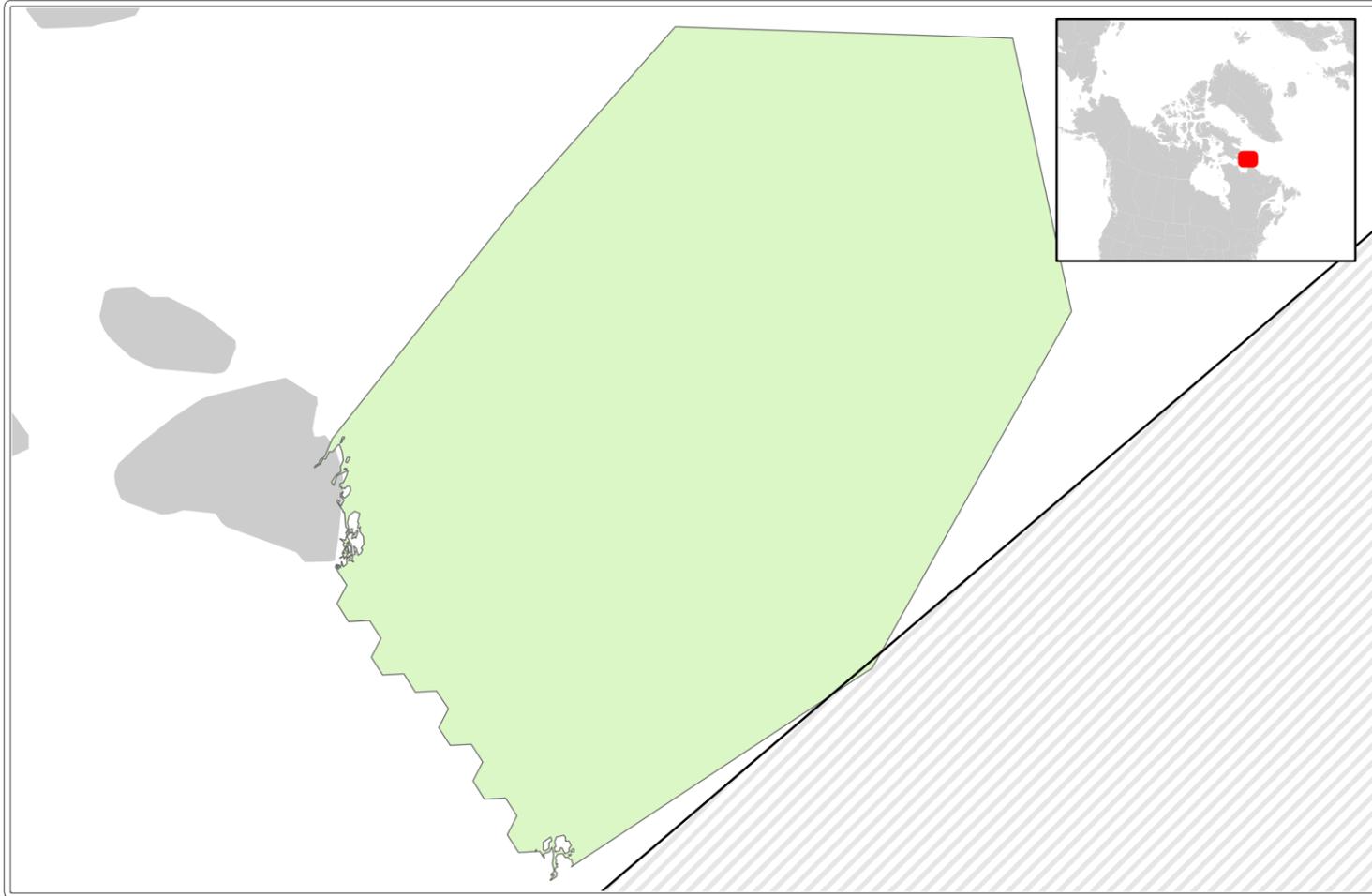
Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

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Narwhal winter range, Northern Hudson Bay (EA)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

Management Unit: Northern Hudson Bay

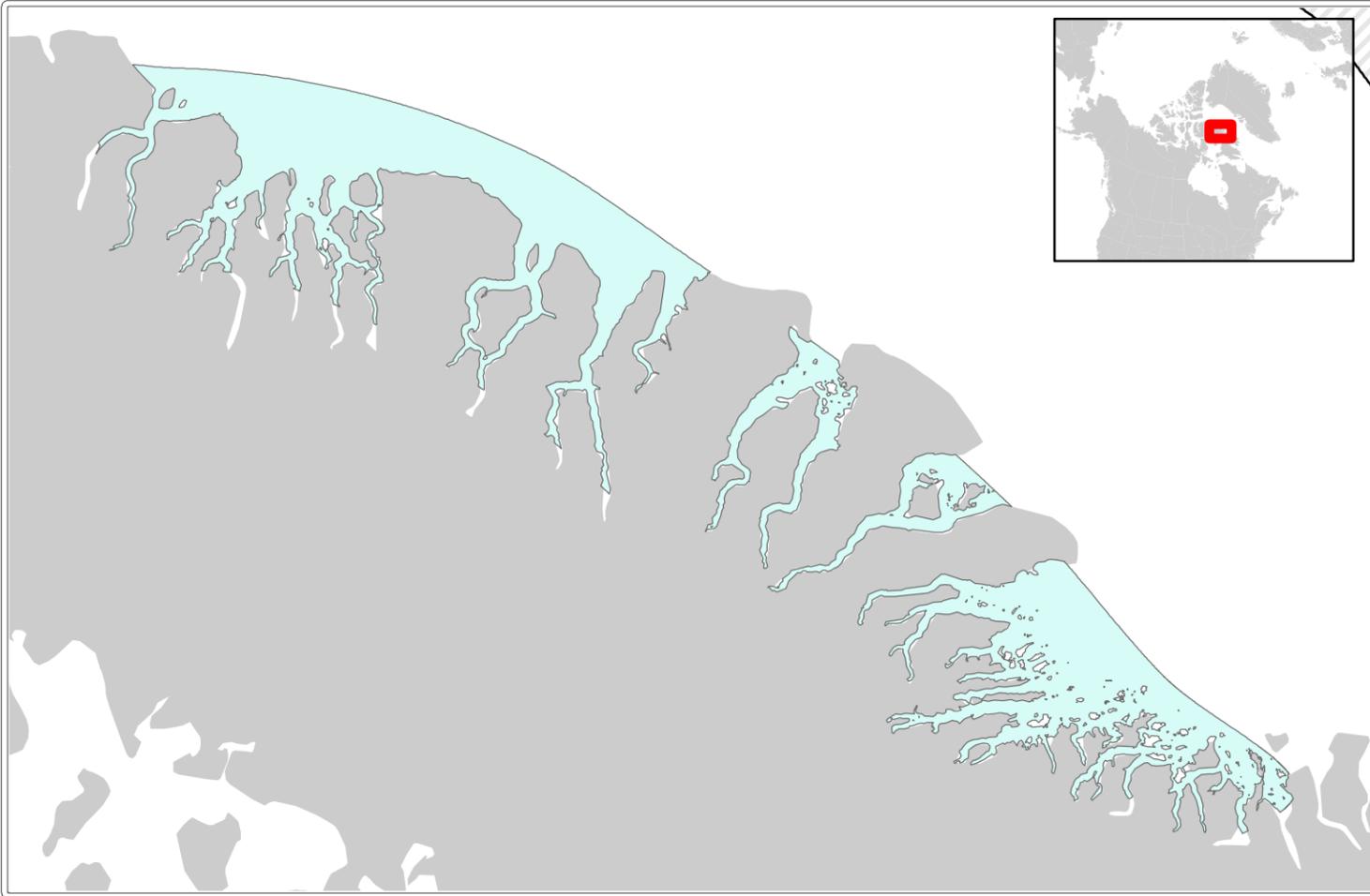
Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Seasonal narwhal use areas were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups, which were reviewed by the workshop. Narwhal ranges were delineated based on a synthesis of summer/ winter aerial surveys, and satellite tagging studies. Polygons were split into separate conservation features spatially based on stocks and marine bioregion.

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1333: Narwhal key habitats



Narwhal summer high density areas, East Baffin Island (EA)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

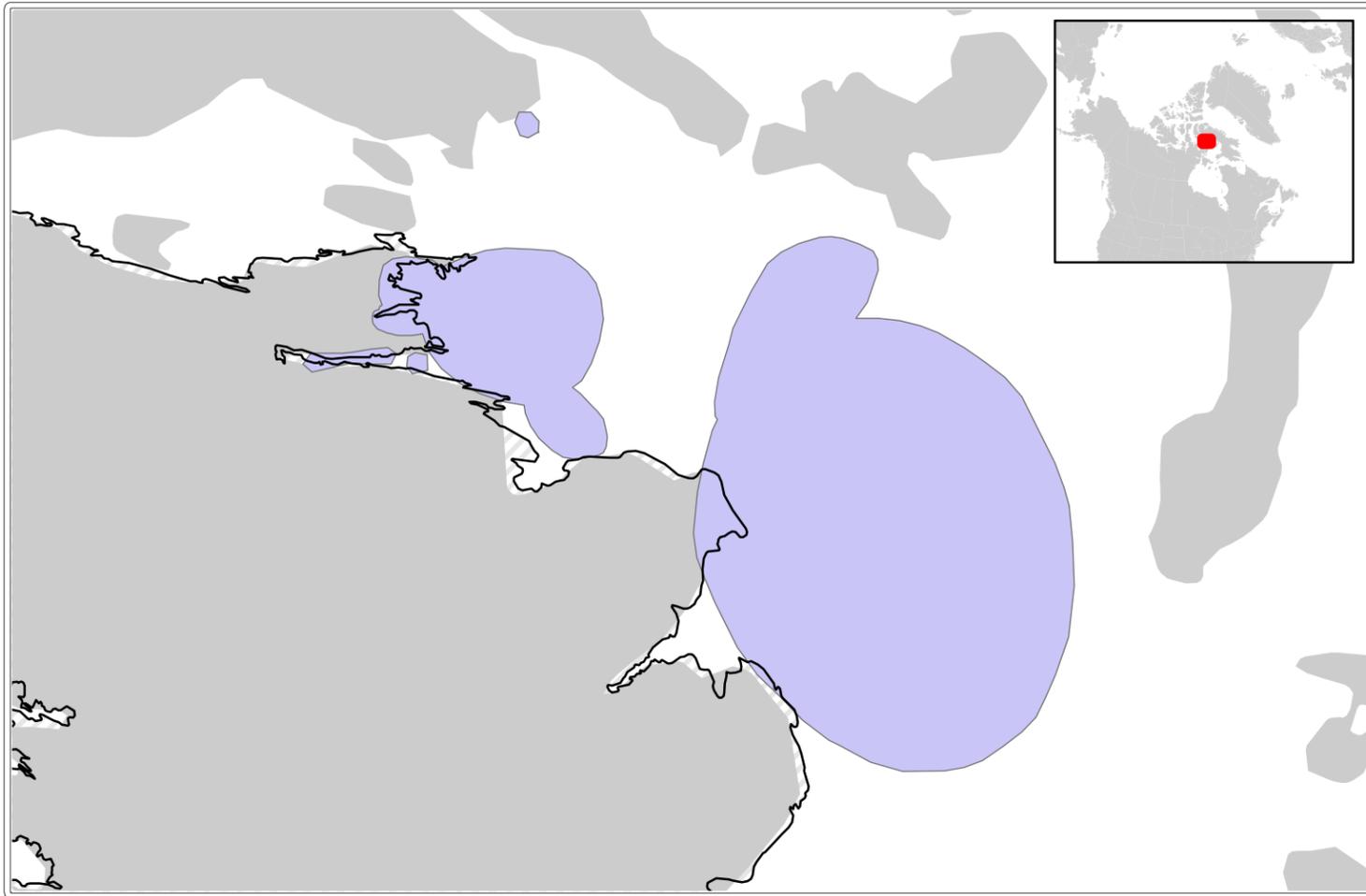
Management Unit: East Baffin Island

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Seasonal narwhal use areas were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups, which were reviewed by the workshop. Narwhal ranges were delineated based on a synthesis of summer/ winter aerial surveys, and satellite tagging studies.

Associated Links

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Data Summary

Management Unit: Baffin Bay stocks

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses narwhal data from NCRI reports from Grise Fiord, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, and Rankin Inlet.

Narwhal locally identified habitat, Baffin Bay stocks (HB)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

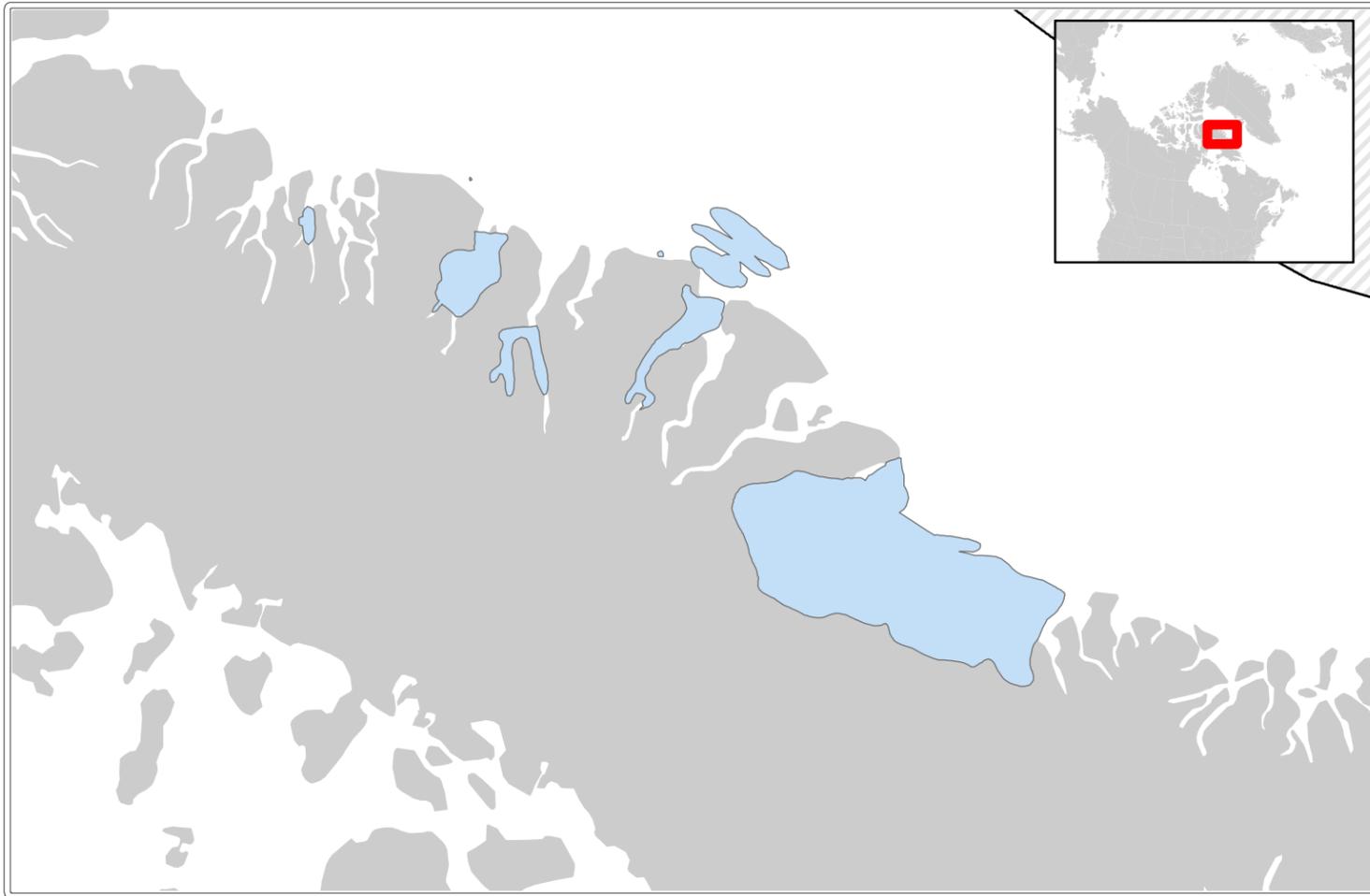
Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>



Narwhal locally identified habitat, Baffin Bay stocks (East Baffin Island - EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

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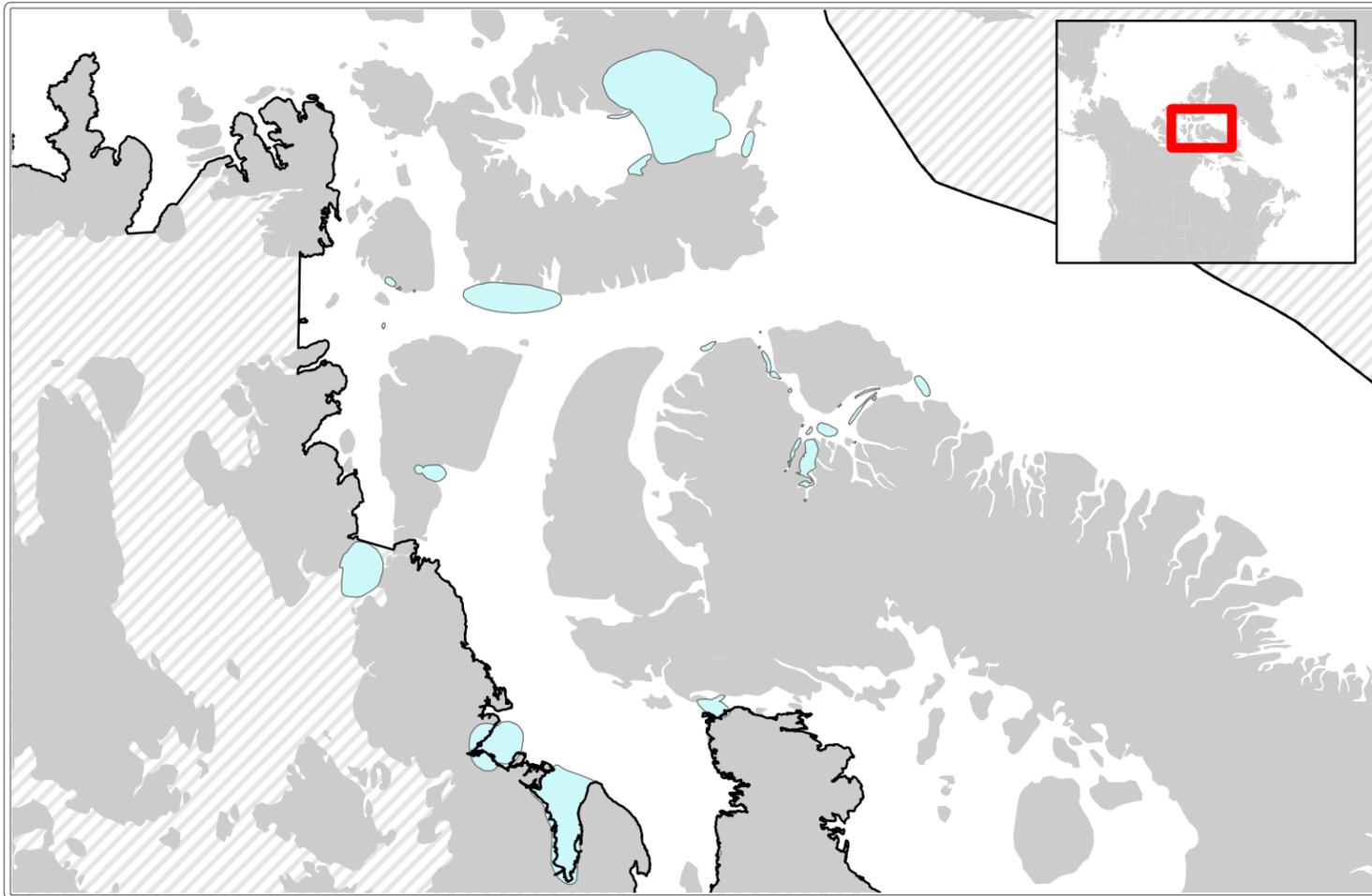
Management Unit: Baffin Bay stocks

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses narwhal data from NCRI reports from Grise Fiord, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, and Rankin Inlet.

Associated Links

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Narwhal locally identified habitat, Baffin Bay stocks (Lancaster Sound Area Baffin Bay - EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

Management Unit: Baffin Bay stocks

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses narwhal data from NCRI reports from Grise Fiord, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, and Rankin Inlet.

Associated Links

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Narwhal locally identified habitat, Northern Hudson Bay (HB)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

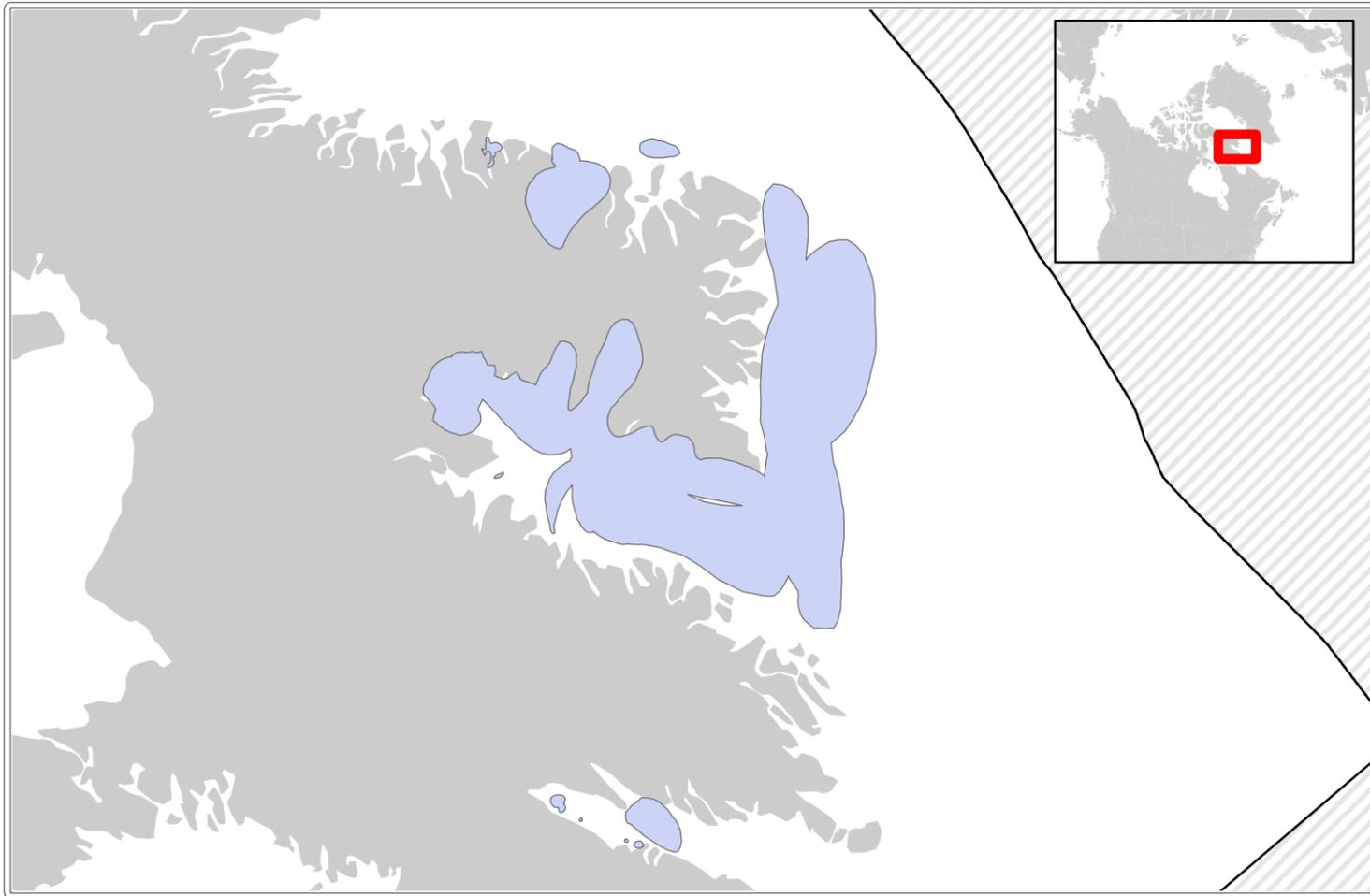
Management Unit: Northern Hudson Bay

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses narwhal data from NCRI reports from Grise Fiord, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, and Rankin Inlet.

Associated Links

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Narwhal locally identified habitat, Baffin Bay stocks (South Baffin Bay - EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

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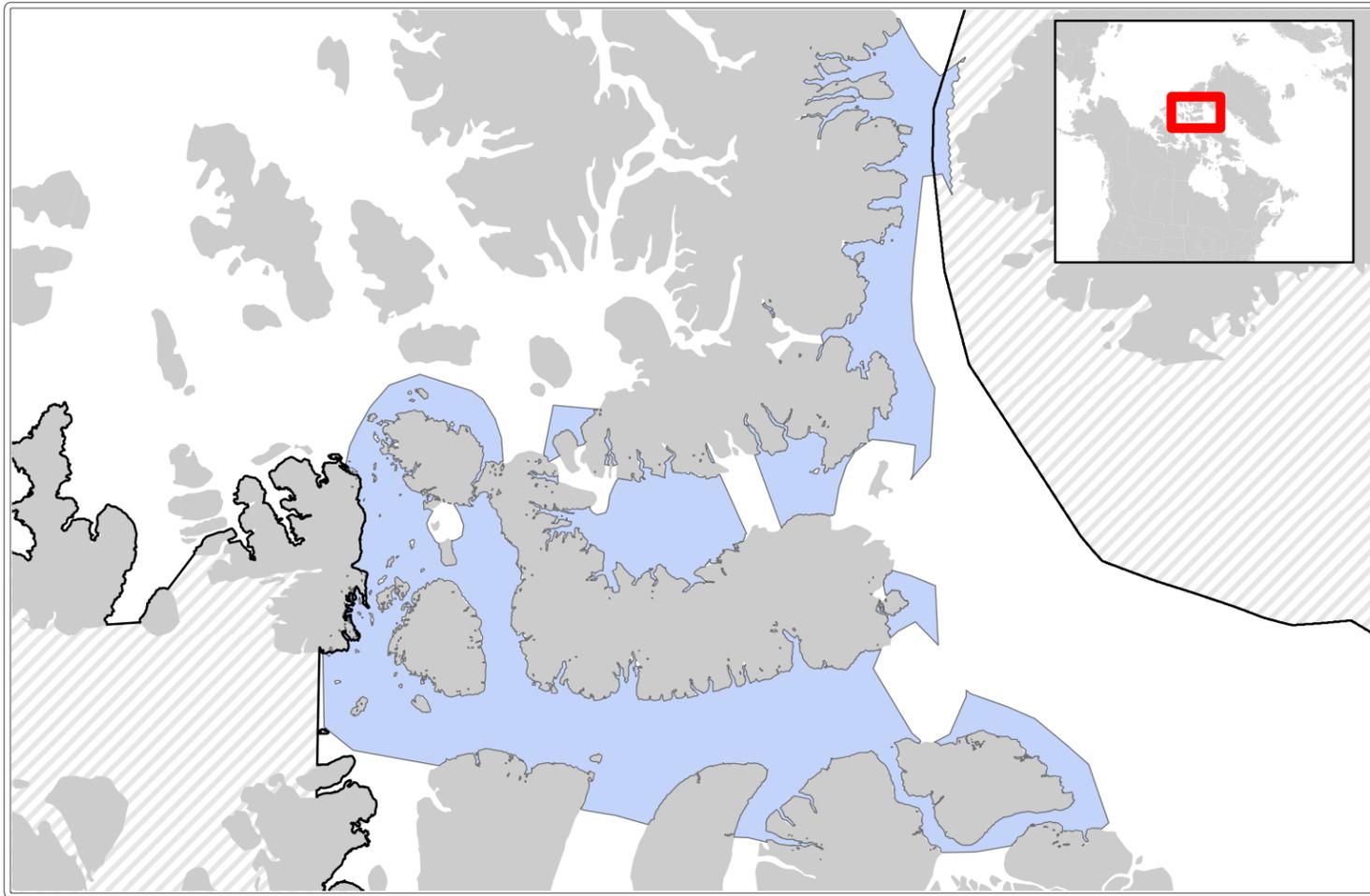
Management Unit: Baffin Bay stocks

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses narwhal data from NCRI reports from Grise Fiord, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, and Rankin Inlet.

Associated Links

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Data Summary

Management Unit: Canadian High Arctic

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago, Eastern Arctic

Description: Seasonal Walrus use areas and walrus distributions were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Species experts prepared reports and maps, which were reviewed by the workshop. Walrus stock ranges were developed based on synthesis of scientific research and IK surveys conducted between 1995-2010, organized by subpopulation.

Walrus distribution, Canadian High Arctic

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

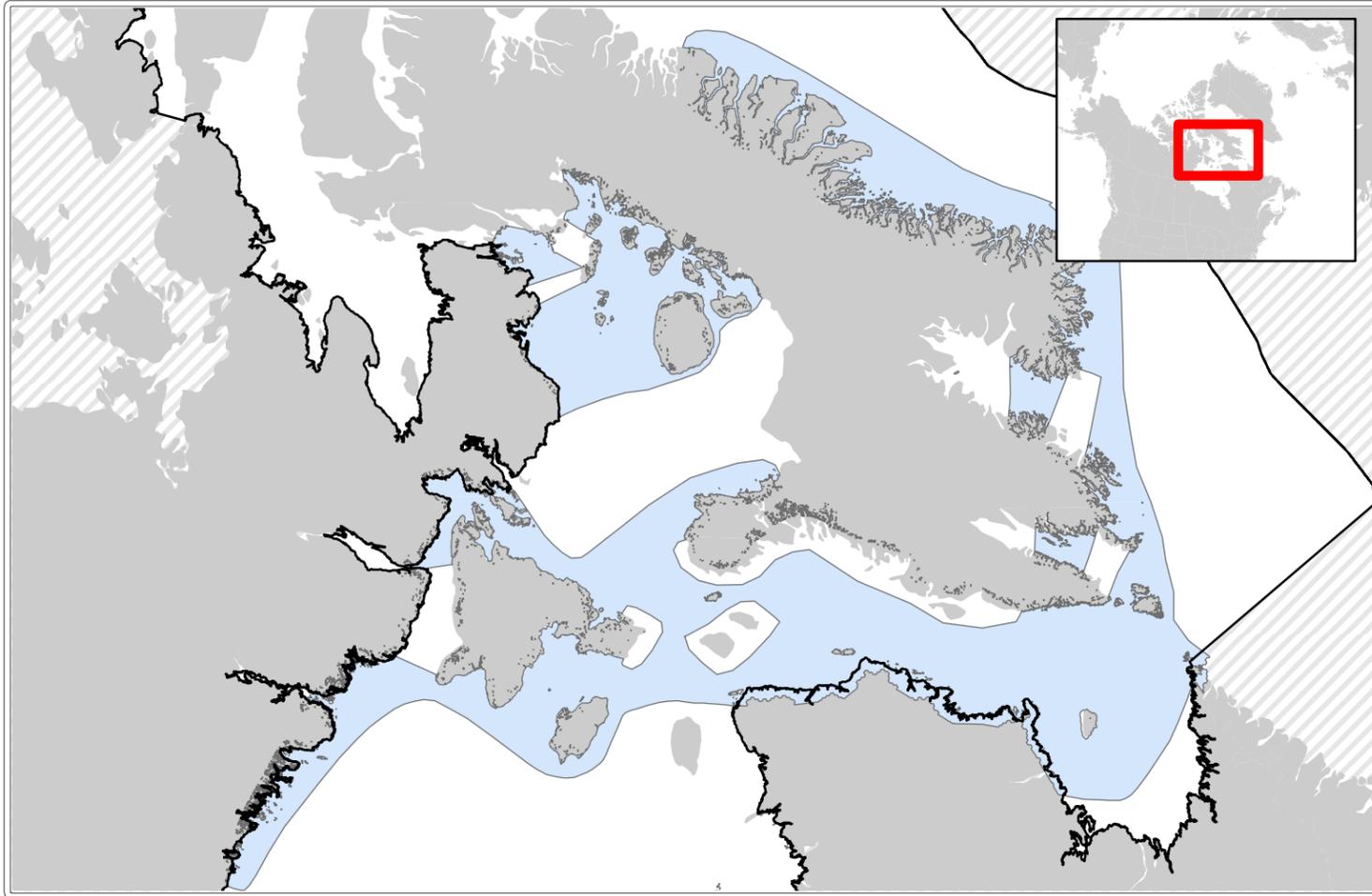
Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Associated Links

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Walrus distribution, Canadian Central Arctic

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

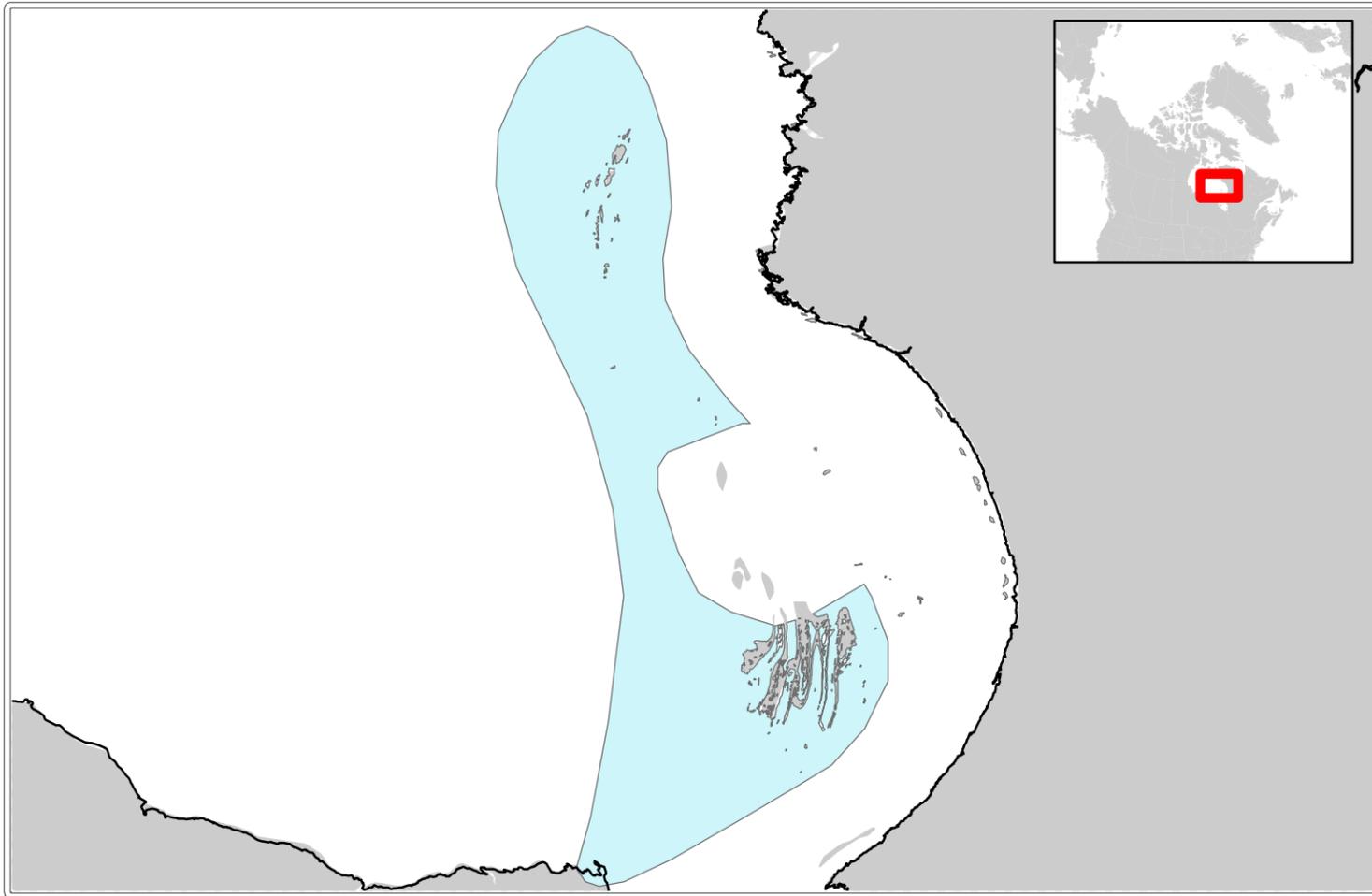
Management Unit: Canadian Central Arctic

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic, Hudson Bay Complex

Description: Seasonal Walrus use areas and walrus distributions were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Species experts prepared reports and maps, which were reviewed by the workshop. Walrus stock ranges were developed based on synthesis of scientific research and IK surveys conducted between 1995-2010, organized by subpopulation.

Associated Links

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Walrus distribution, Canadian Low Arctic

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

Management Unit: Canadian Low Arctic

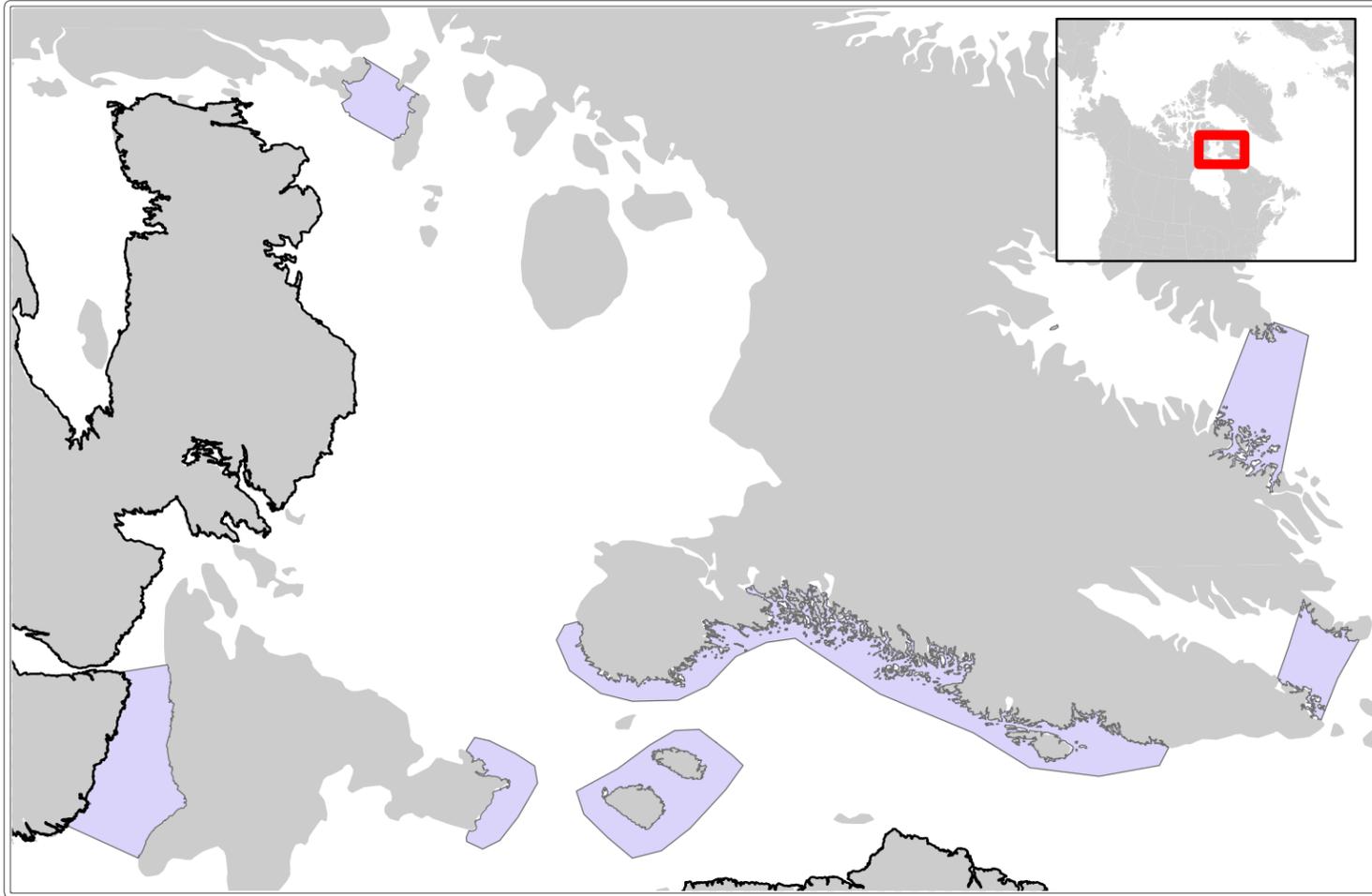
Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: Seasonal Walrus use areas and walrus distributions were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Species experts prepared reports and maps, which were reviewed by the workshop. Walrus stock ranges were developed based on synthesis of scientific research and IK surveys conducted between 1995-2010, organized by subpopulation.

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1413: Walrus key habitats



Data Summary

Management Unit: Canadian Low Arctic

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: Seasonal Walrus use areas and walrus distributions were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Species experts prepared reports and maps, which were reviewed by the workshop. Walrus stock ranges were developed based on synthesis of scientific research and IK surveys conducted between 1995-2010, organized by subpopulation.

Walrus wintering areas, Canadian Low Arctic (HB)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

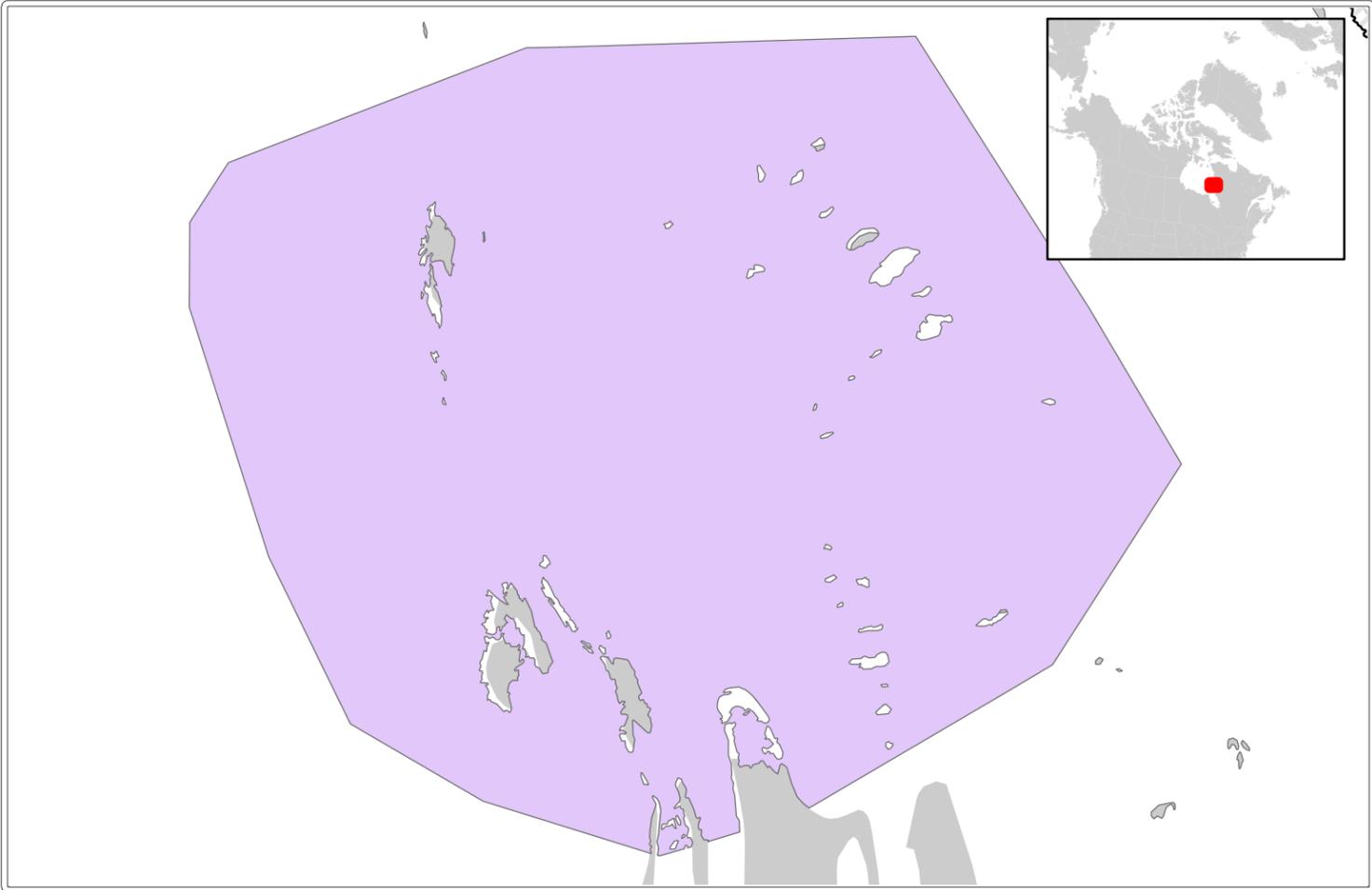
Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Associated Links

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Walrus wintering areas, Central Arctic (EA)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

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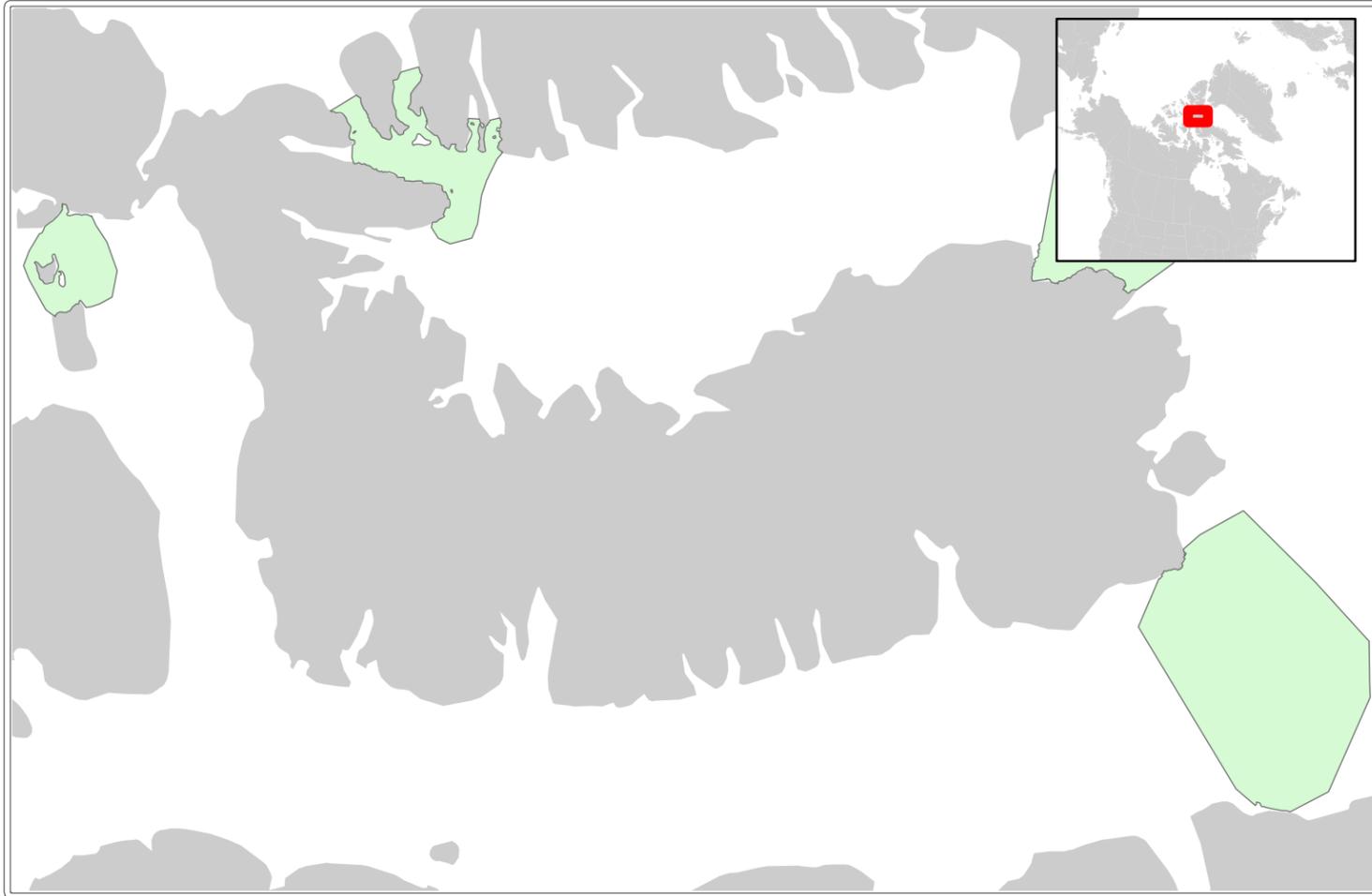
Management Unit: Canadian Central Arctic

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Seasonal Walrus use areas and walrus distributions were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Species experts prepared reports and maps, which were reviewed by the workshop. Walrus stock ranges were developed based on synthesis of scientific research and IK surveys conducted between 1995-2010, organized by subpopulation.

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Walrus wintering areas, Canadian High Arctic (EA)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

Management Unit: Canadian High Arctic

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Seasonal Walrus use areas and walrus distributions were obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Species experts prepared reports and maps, which were reviewed by the workshop. Walrus stock ranges were developed based on synthesis of scientific research and IK surveys conducted between 1995-2010, organized by subpopulation.

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1420: Walrus key habitats



Walrus locally identified year-round habitat, Canadian Central Arctic (HB)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

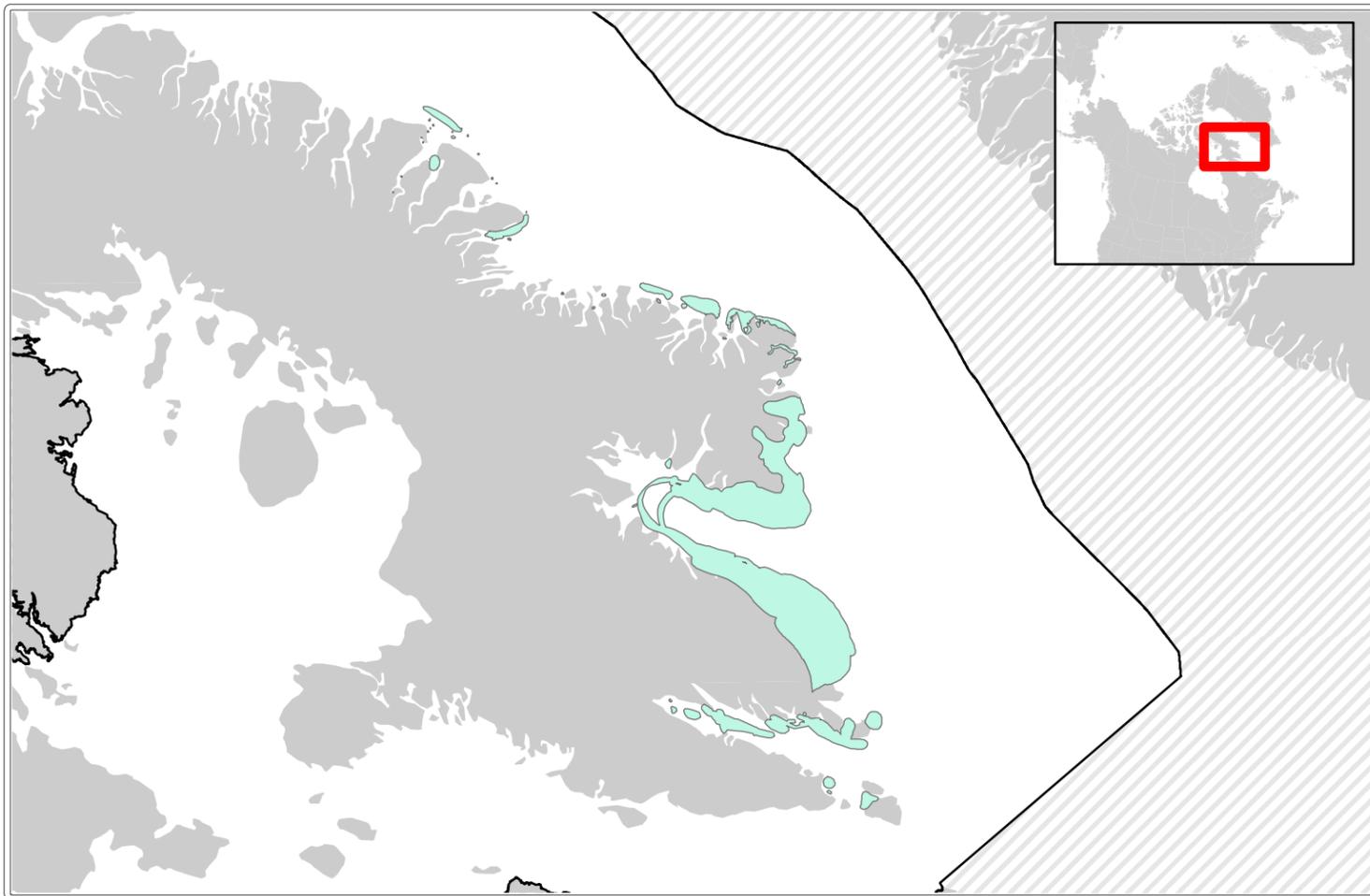
Management Unit: Canadian Central Arctic

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses walrus data from NCRI reports from Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, and Taloyoak.

Associated Links

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Walrus locally identified habitat, Canadian Central Arctic (EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

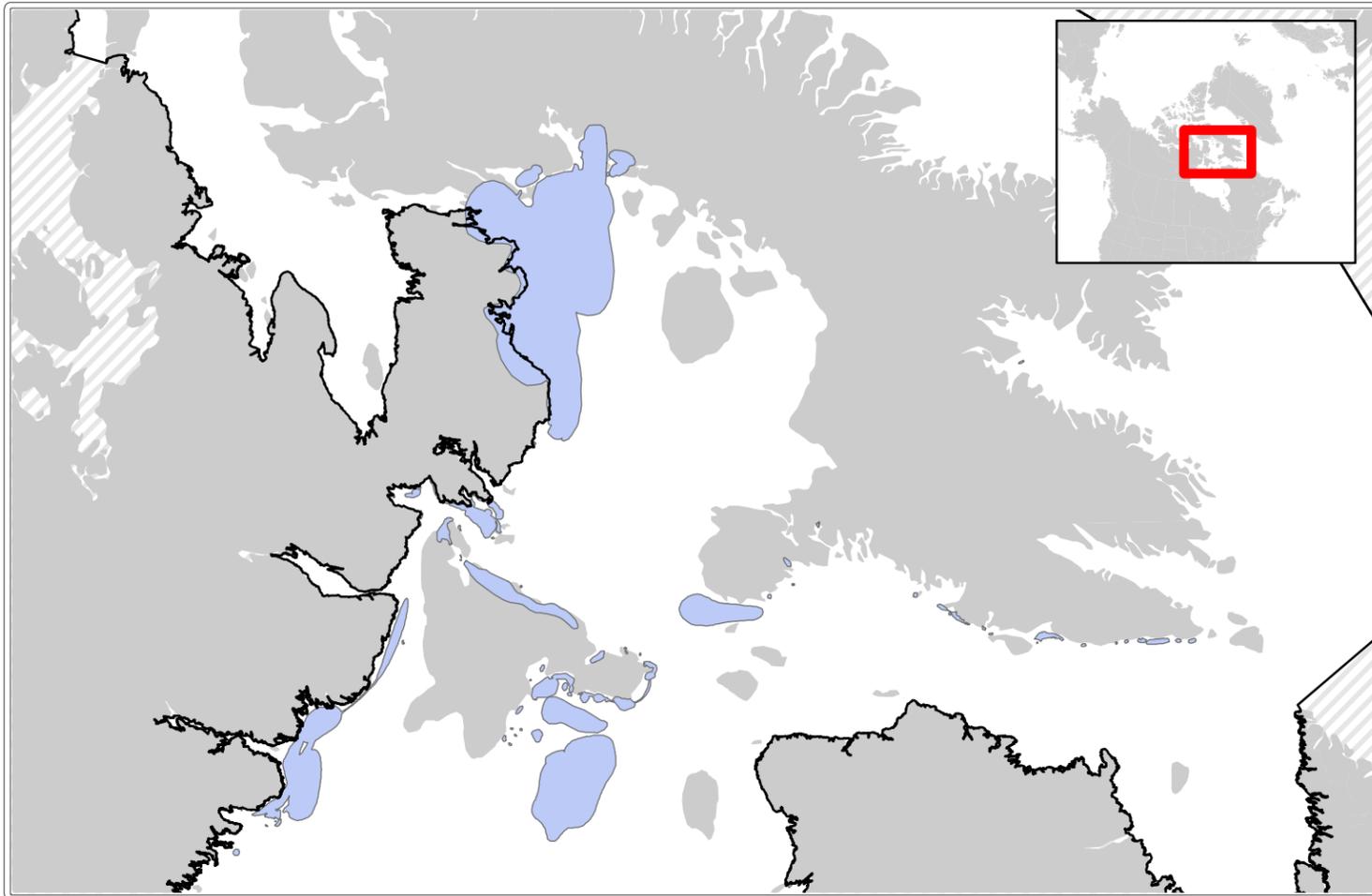
Management Unit: Canadian Central Arctic

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses walrus data from NCRI reports from Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, and Taloyoak.

Associated Links

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Walrus locally identified habitat, Canadian Central Arctic (HB)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

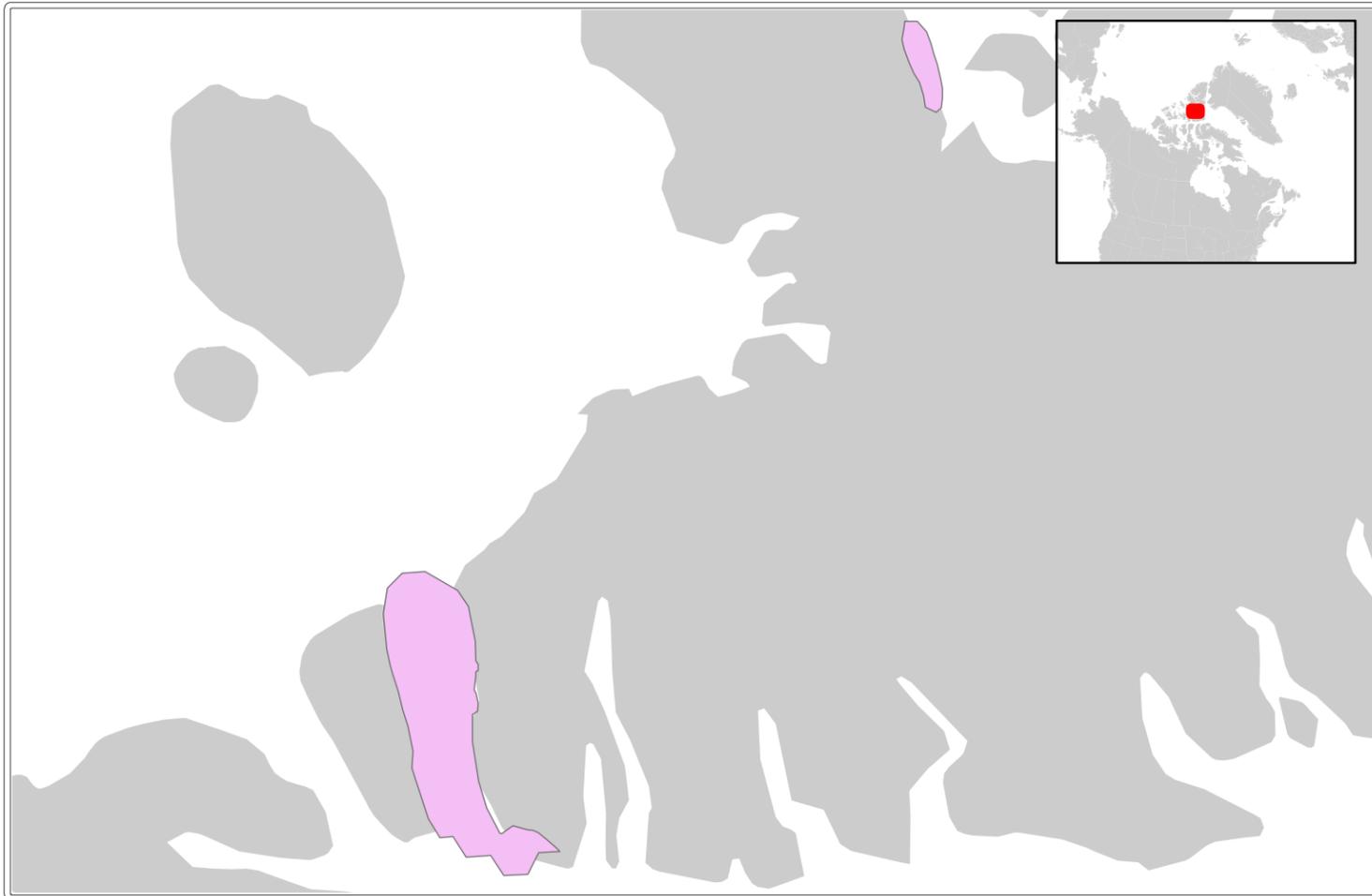
Management Unit: Canadian Central Arctic

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses walrus data from NCRI reports from Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, and Taloyoak.

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Walrus locally identified habitat, Canadian High Arctic (AA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

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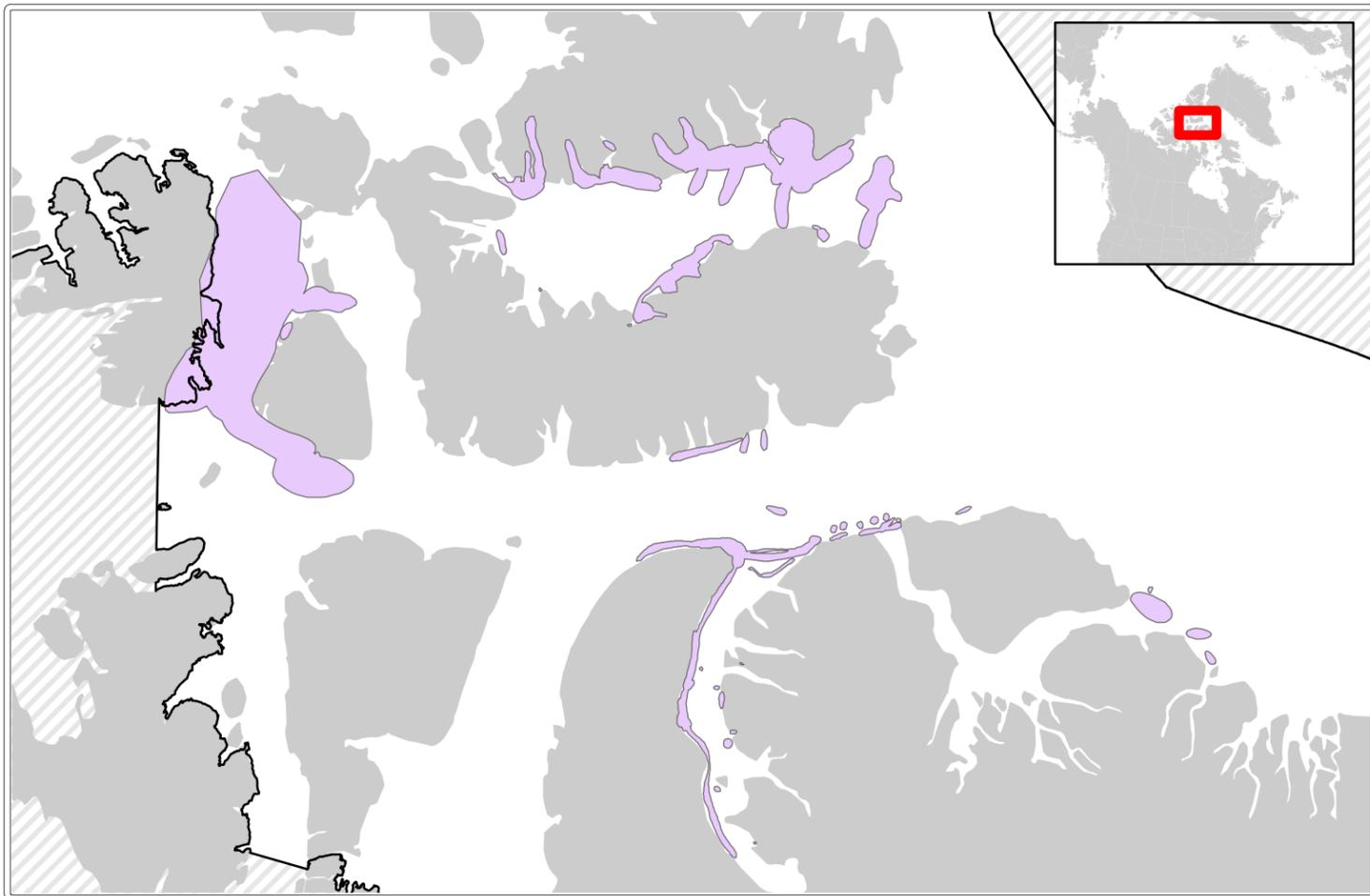
Management Unit: Canadian High Arctic

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses walrus data from NCRI reports from Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, and Taloyoak.

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Walrus locally identified habitat, Canadian High Arctic (EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

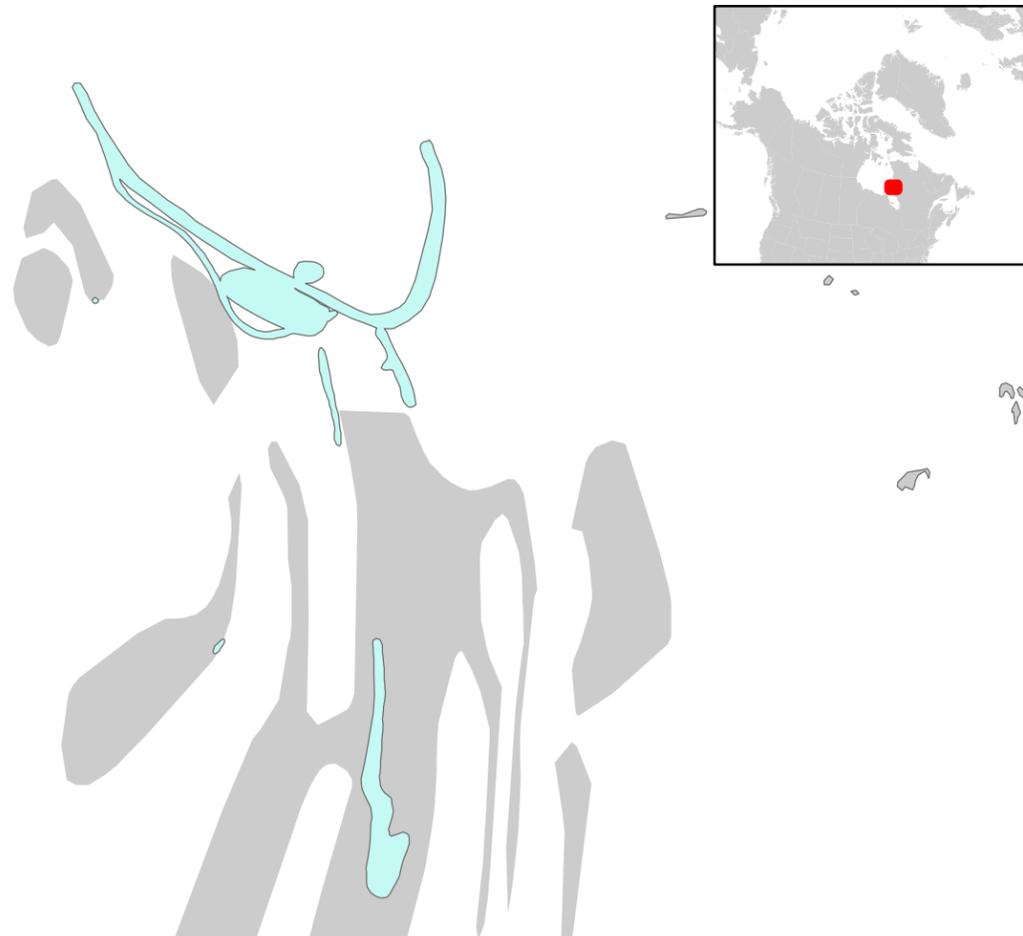
Management Unit: Canadian High Arctic

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses walrus data from NCRI reports from Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, and Taloyoak.

Associated Links

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Walrus locally identified habitat, Canadian Low Arctic (HB)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

Management Unit: Canadian Low Arctic

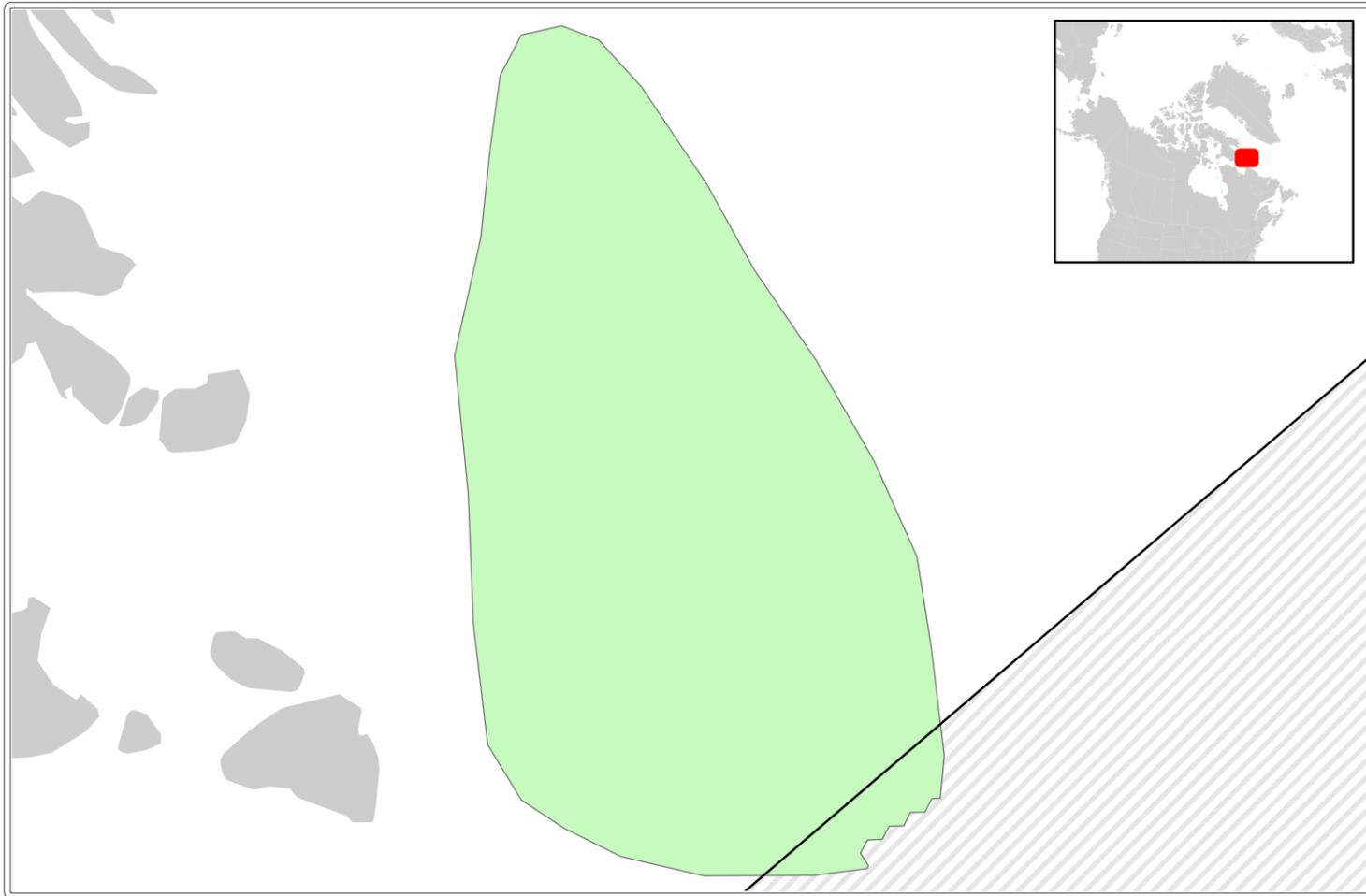
Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses walrus data from NCRI reports from Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, and Taloyoak.

Associated Links

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1430: Hooded seal key habitats



Hooded seal whelping patch (EA)

Date: 2010

Open Source: No

Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: The Arctic Marine Workshop, 2010

Authors: S.A. Stephenson and L. Hartwig

Data Summary

Management Unit: Northwest Atlantic

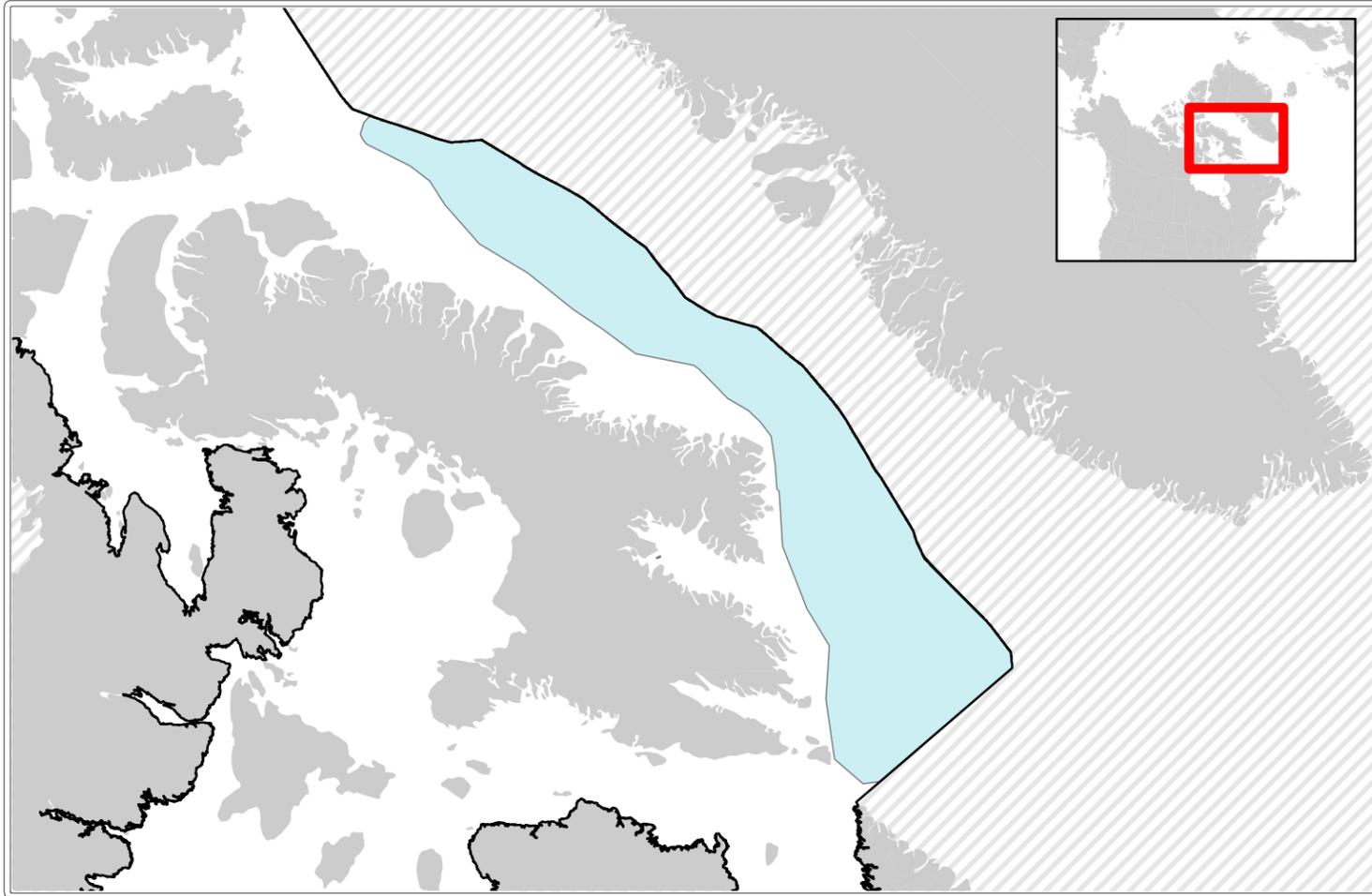
Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Hooded seal whelping patch was obtained from data produced at the 2010 DFO Arctic Marine Workshop. Species experts prepared reports and maps for species/groups, which were reviewed by the workshop. Hooded seals are known to whelp on the pack-ice of southern Davis Strait. The report notes that exact location and shape varies annually with ice conditions.

Associated Links

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1431: Hooded seal key habitats



Data Summary

Management Unit: Northwest Atlantic

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Through use of Satellite Relay Loggers, 51 adult seals were tagged between 2004-2008. Changes in dive rates were mapped spatially and can be used as a proxy of feeding behavior/success. A generalized polygon was manually constructed to capture the concentration of telemetry points present in the known summer feeding range of the species. After delineation, polygons were reviewed by the data provider for accuracy.

Hooded seal feeding area (EA)

Date: 2014

Open Source: No

Organization: Multiple

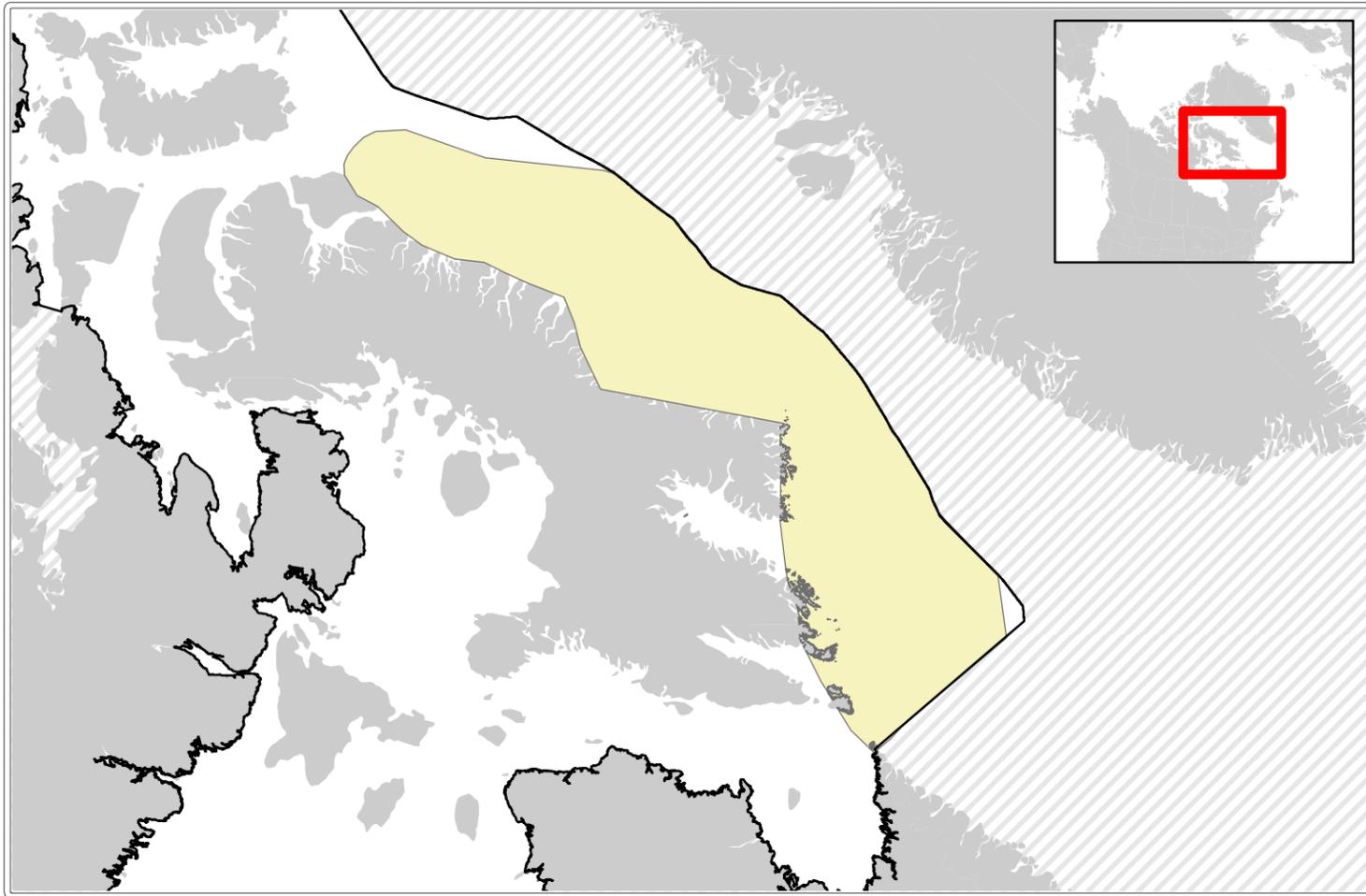
Associated Report: Drift Diving by Hooded Seals (*Cystophora cristata*) in the Northwest Atlantic Ocean

Authors: Julie M. Andersen, Garry B. Stenson, Mette Skern-Maurizen, Yolanda F. Wiersma, Aqqalu Rosing-Asvid, Mike O. Hammill, Lars Boehme

Associated Links

<https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0103072>

1441: Harp seal key habitats



Data Summary

Management Unit: Northwest Atlantic

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: Time-series spatial location data from tagged harp seals in the Northeast Atlantic was obtained from the DFO. Tagging occurred in 1995-97 (n= 21) & 2004-05 (n =13). Individuals were tagged in the Maritimes and tracked to their summer feeding zones in Baffin Bay. A generalized polygon was manually constructed to capture the concentration of telemetry points present in the known summer feeding range of the species. After delineation, polygons were reviewed by the data provider for accuracy.

Harp seal feeding area (EA)

Date: 2005

Open Source: No

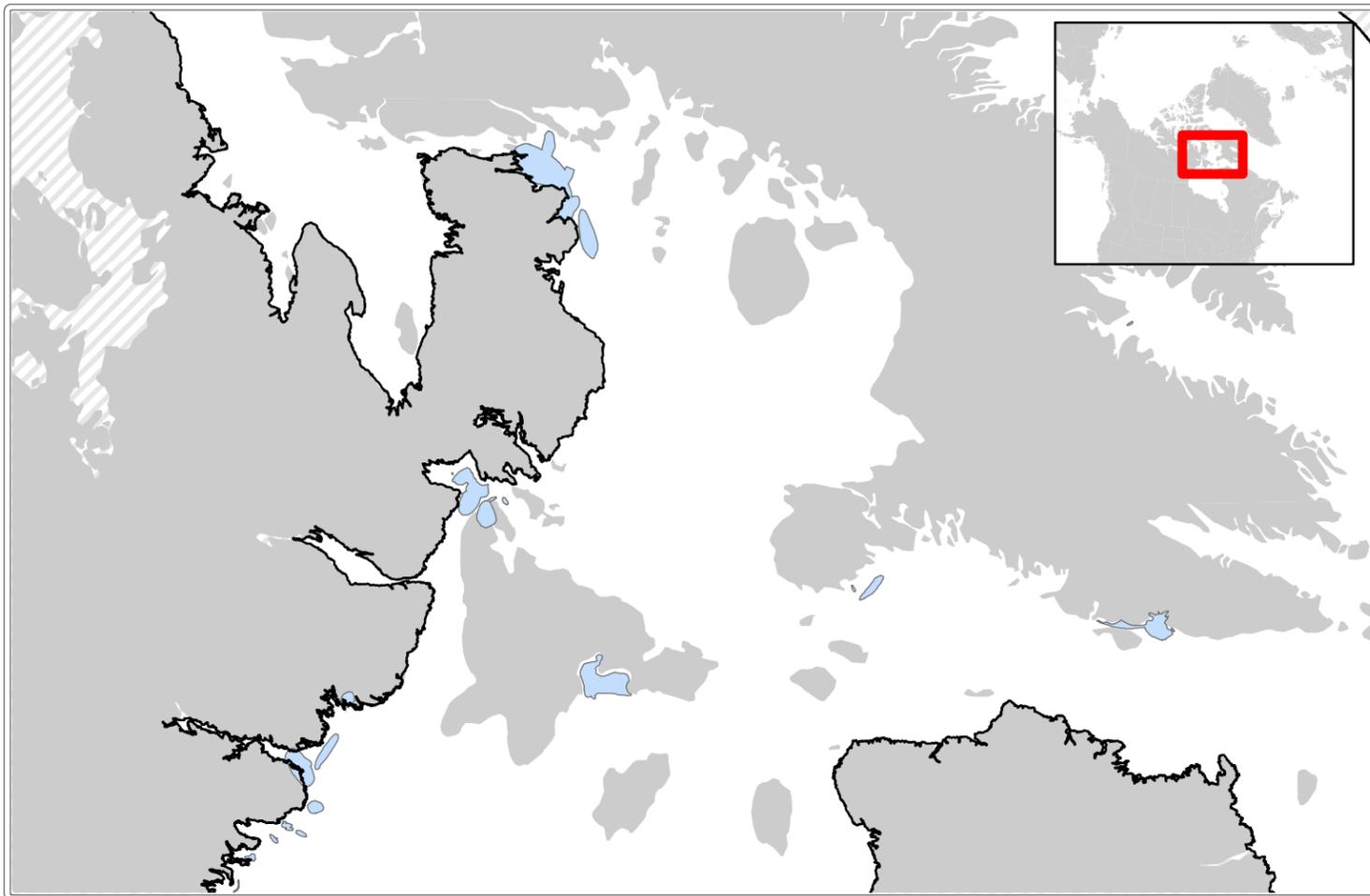
Organization: Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Associated Report: Unpublished harp seal tagging data

Authors: Garry B. Stenson

Associated Links

N/A



Harp seal locally identified habitat (HB)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

Management Unit: Northwest Atlantic

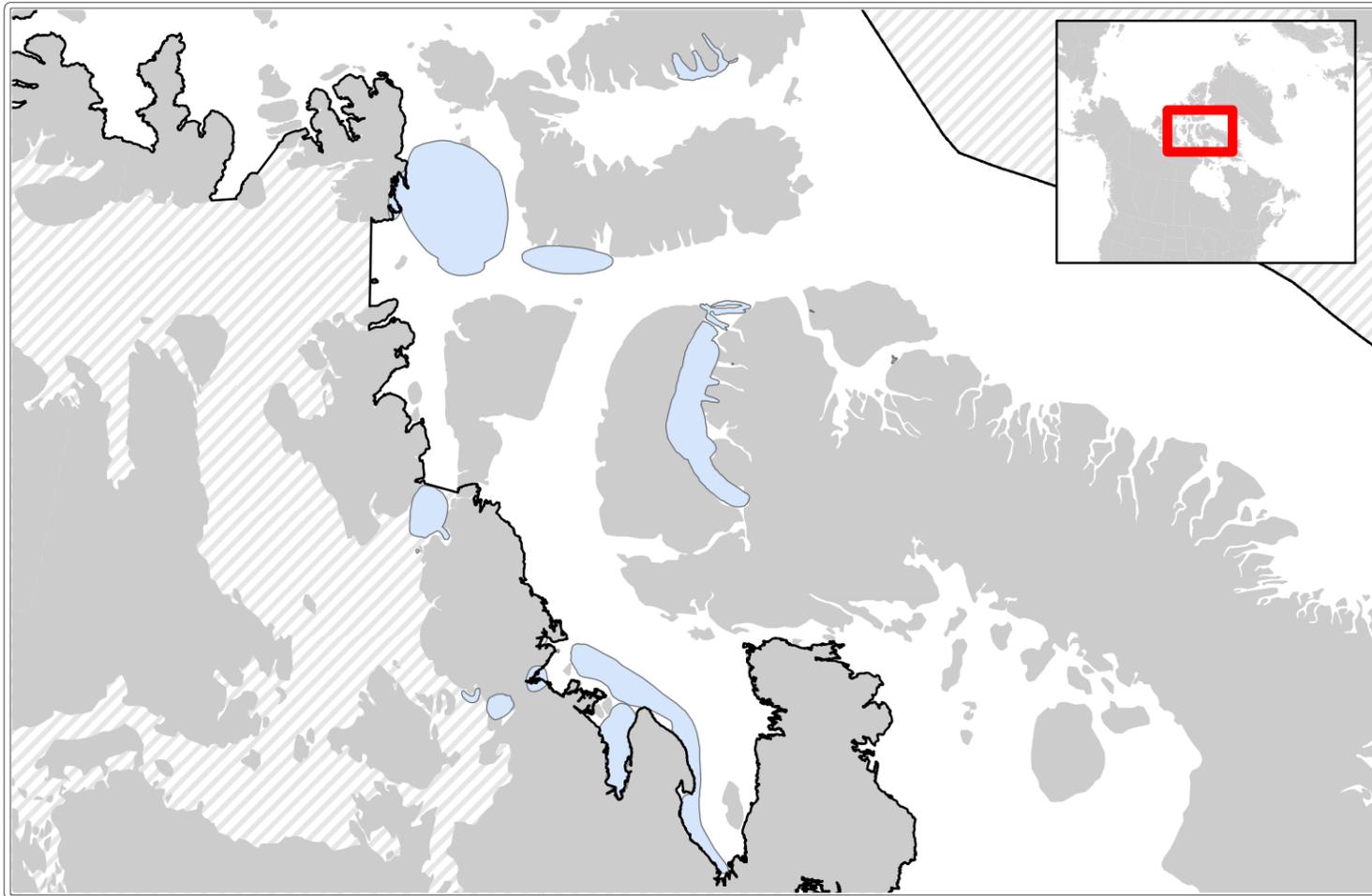
Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses harp seal data from NCRI reports from KInngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, Sanikiluaq, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, and Taloyoak.

Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>

1443: Harp seal key habitats



Harp seal locally identified habitat (Lancaster-Boothia Area - EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

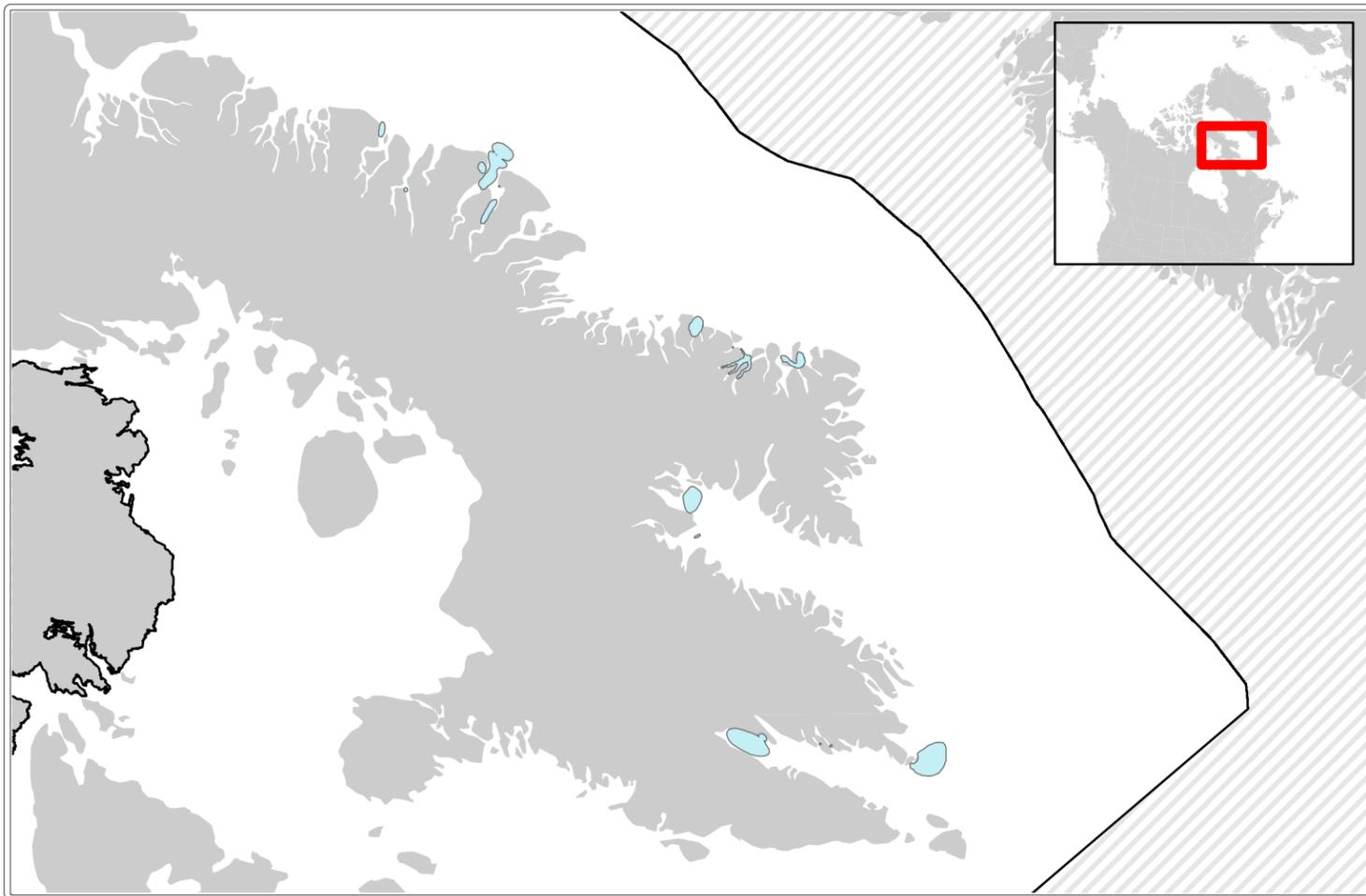
Management Unit: Northwest Atlantic

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses harp seal data from NCRI reports from KInngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, Sanikiluaq, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, and Taloyoak.

Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>



Data Summary

Management Unit: Northwest Atlantic

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses harp seal data from NCRI reports from KInngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, Sanikiluaq, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, and Taloyoak.

Harp seal locally identified Habitat (South Baffin Bay - EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

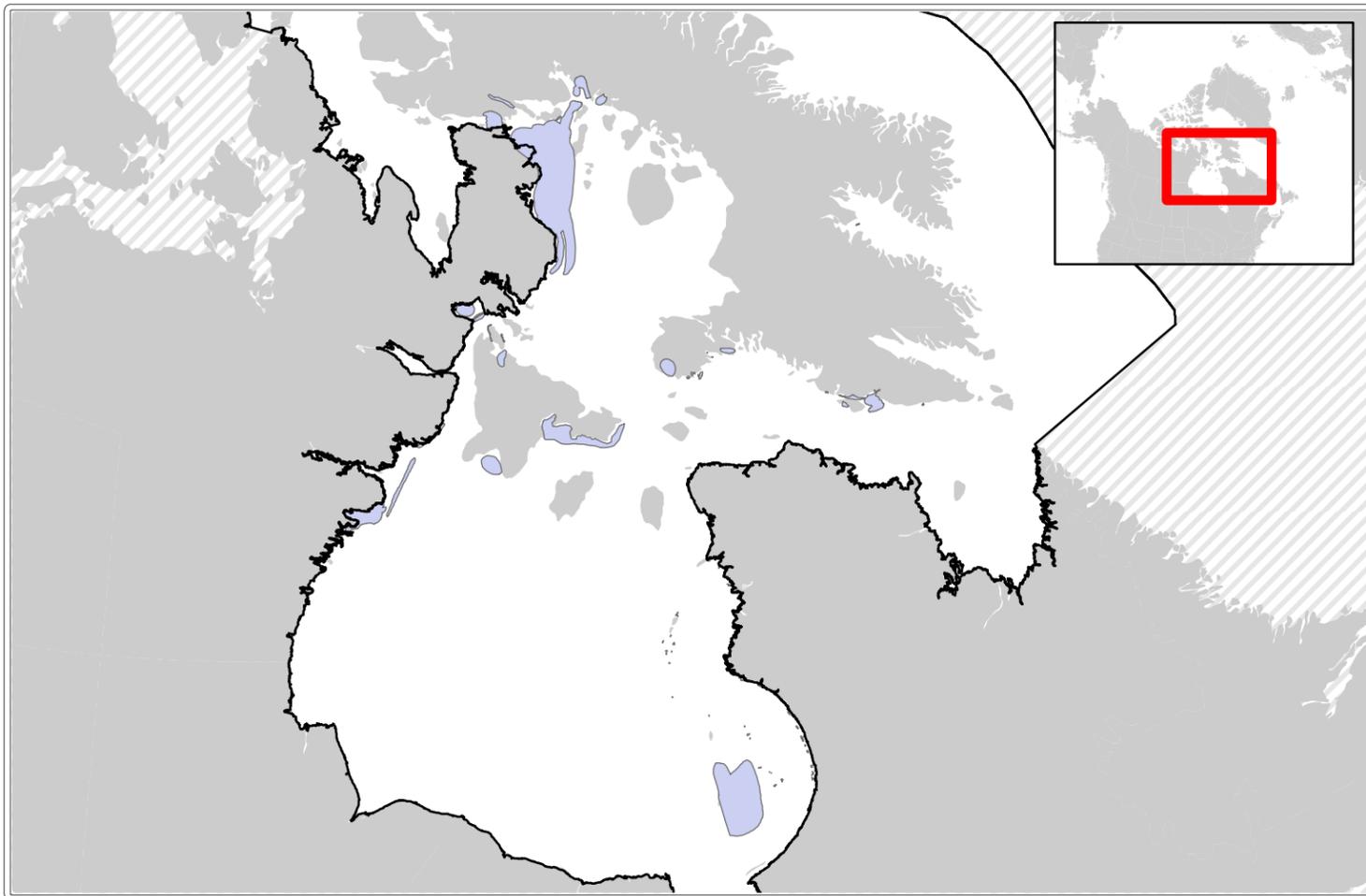
Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Associated Links

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1450: Bearded seal key habitats



Bearded seal locally identified habitat (HB)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

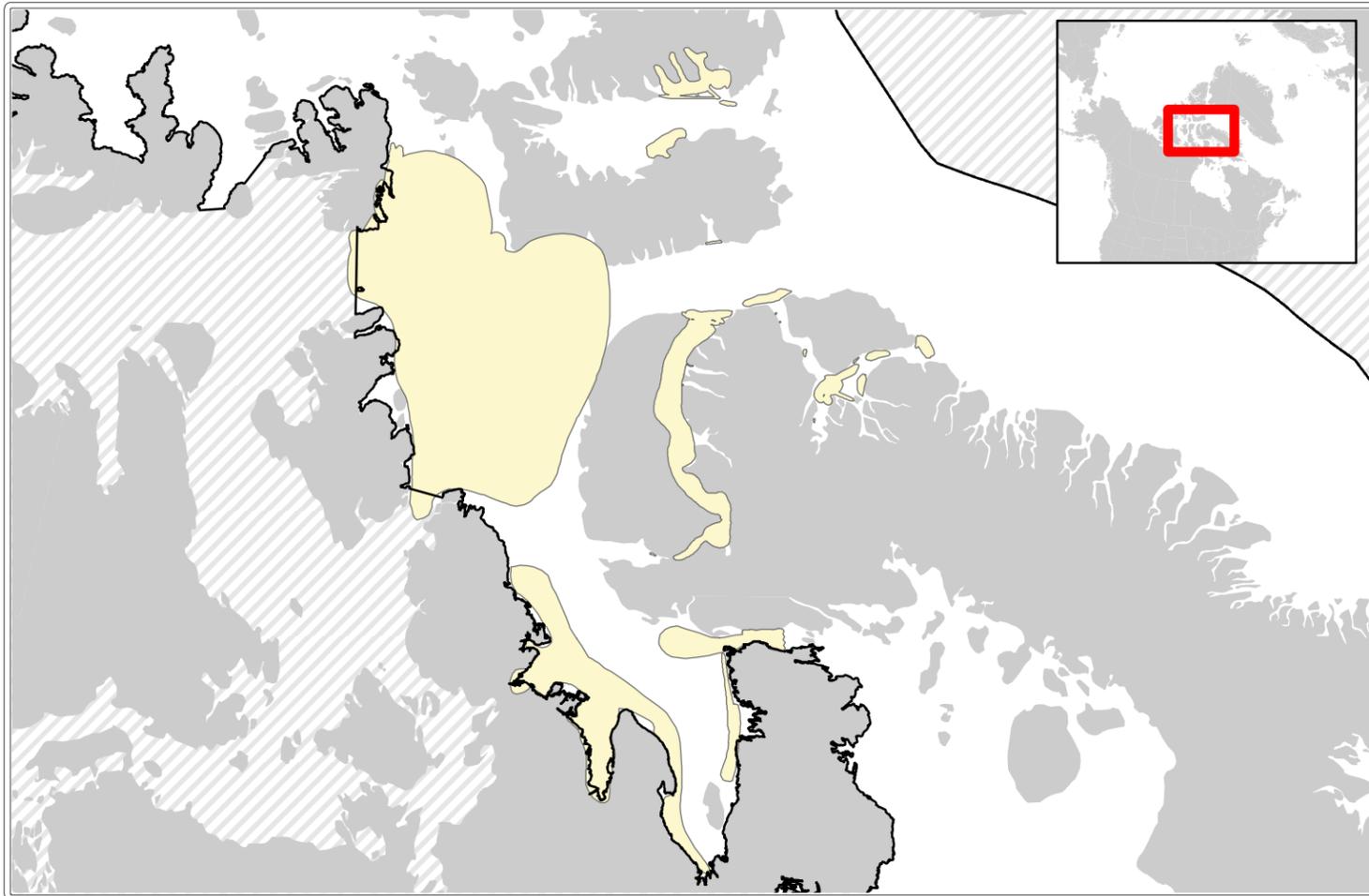
Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses bearded seal data from NCRI reports from Kugaaruk, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloolik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, and Sanikiluaq.

Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>

1451: Bearded seal key habitats



Bearded seal locally identified habitat (Lancaster-Boothia Area - EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

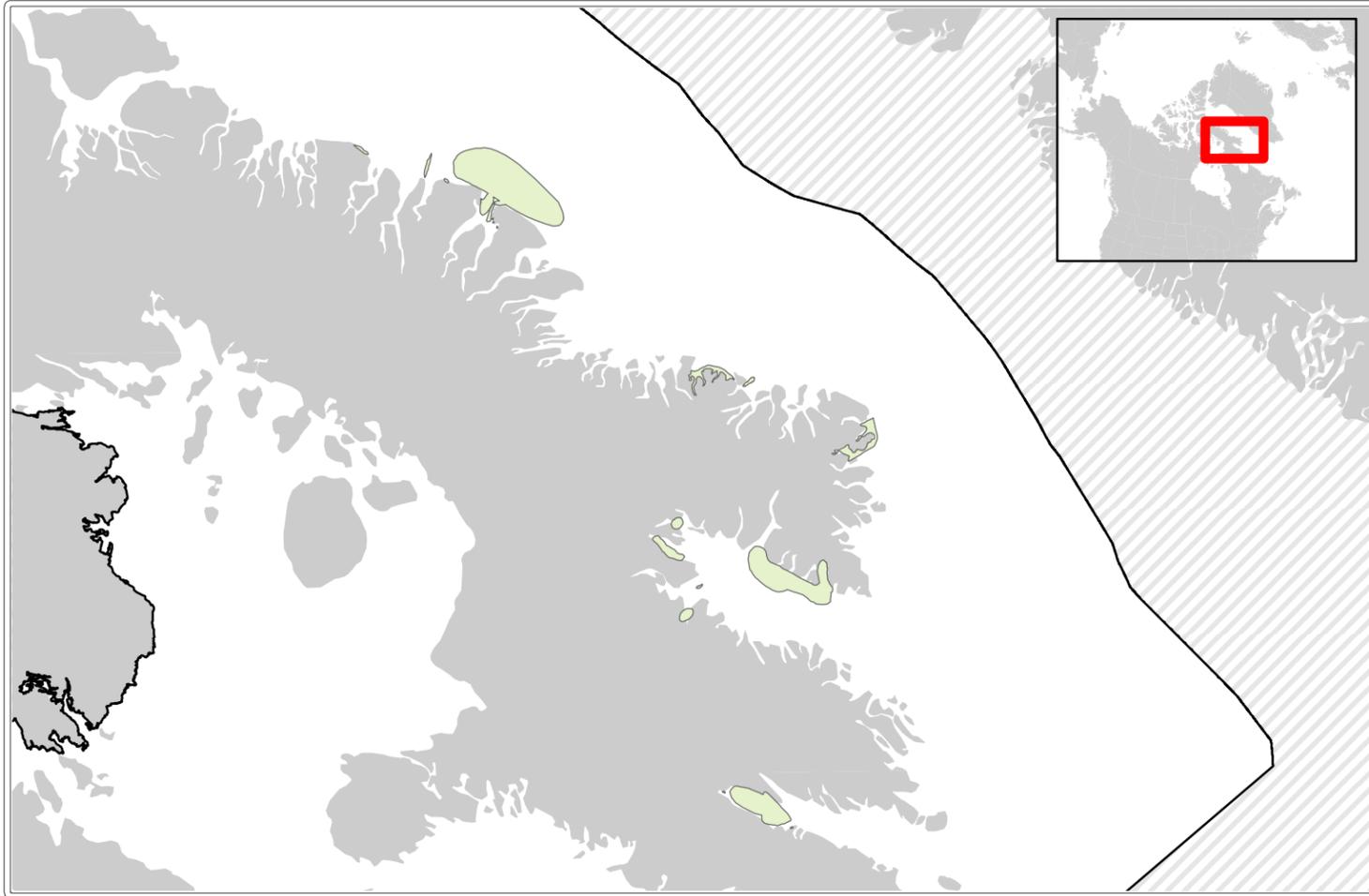
Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses bearded seal data from NCRI reports from Kugaaruk, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloolik, Kimmirut, Nauyasat, Rankin Inlet, and Sanikiluaq.

Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>

1452: Bearded seal key habitats



Bearded seal locally identified habitat (South Baffin Bay - EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses bearded seal data from NCRI reports from Kugaaruk, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, Taloyoak, Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloolik, Kimmirut, Nauyasat, Rankin Inlet, and Sanikiluaq.

Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>

1460: Ringed seal key habitats



Ringed seal locally identified habitat (AA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses ringed seal data from NCRI reports from Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloolik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, and Taloyoak.

Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>

1461: Ringed seal key habitats



Ringed seal locally identified habitat (HB)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

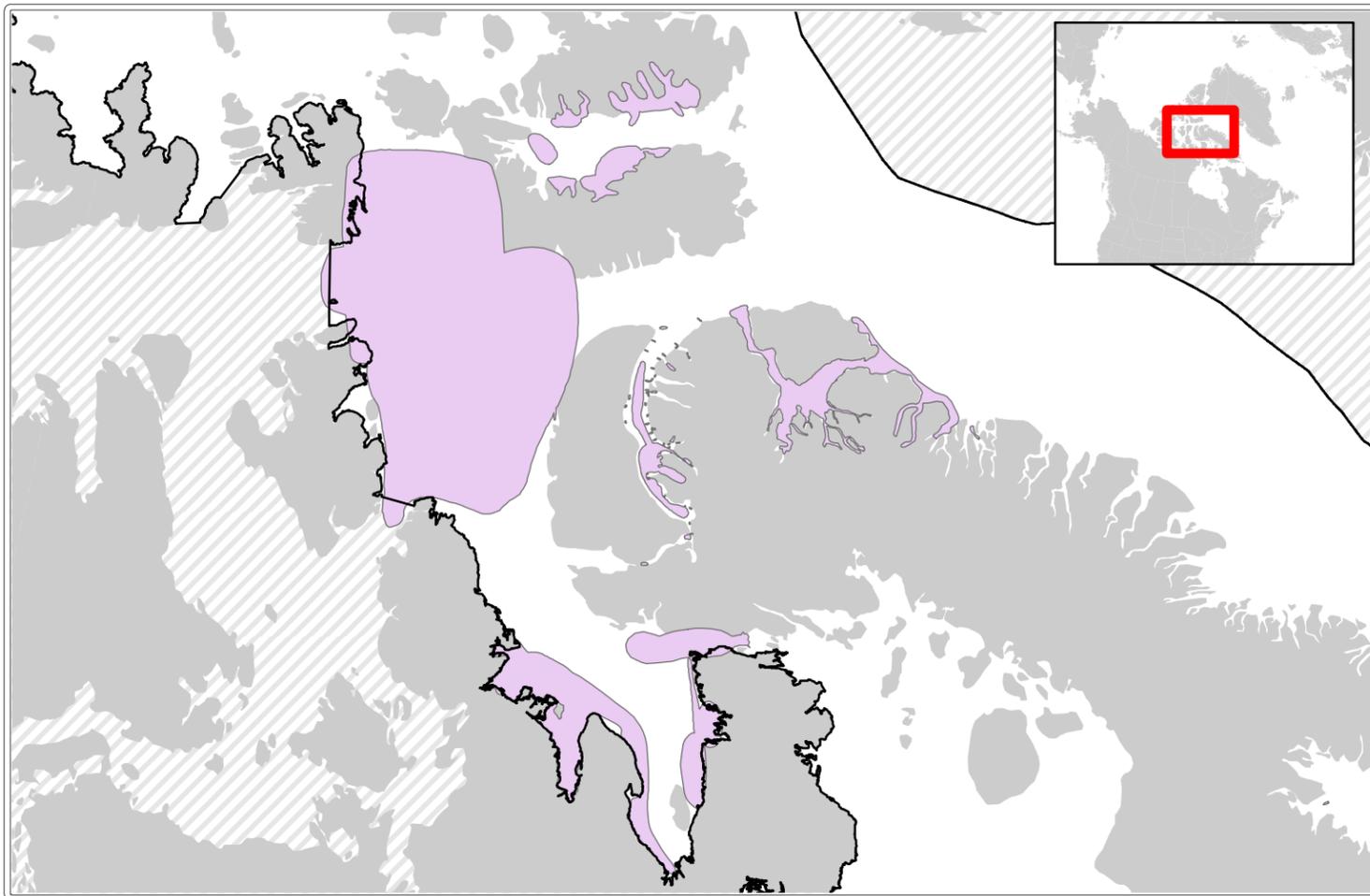
Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses ringed seal data from NCRI reports from Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloolik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, and Taloyoak.

Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>

1462: Ringed seal key habitats



Ringed seal locally identified habitat, Lancaster-Boothia area (EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

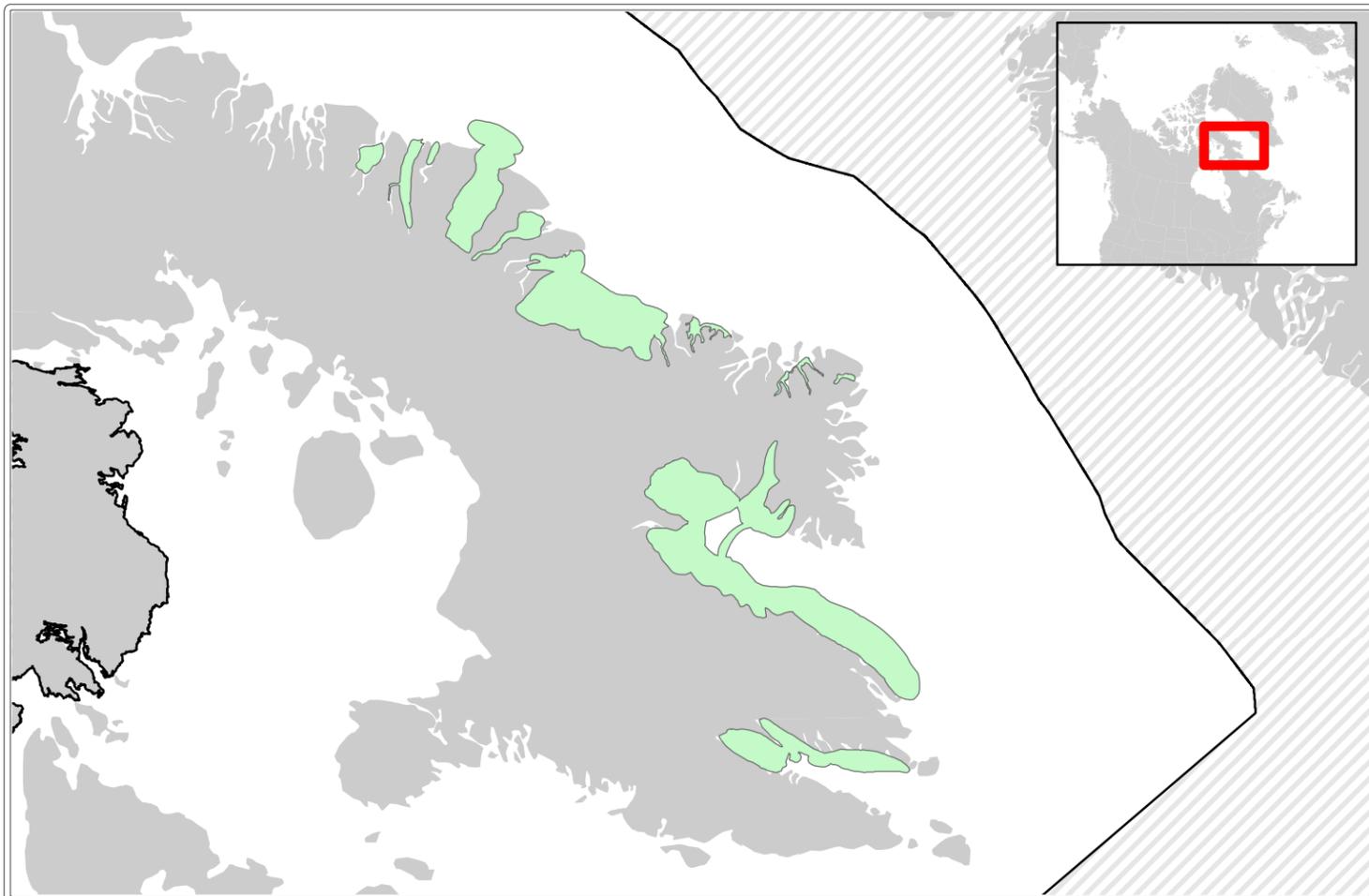
Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses ringed seal data from NCRI reports from Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloolik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, and Taloyoak.

Associated Links

<https://www.gov.nu.ca/environment/information/nunavut-coastal-resource-inventory>

1463: Ringed seal key habitats



Ringed seal locally identified habitat (AA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

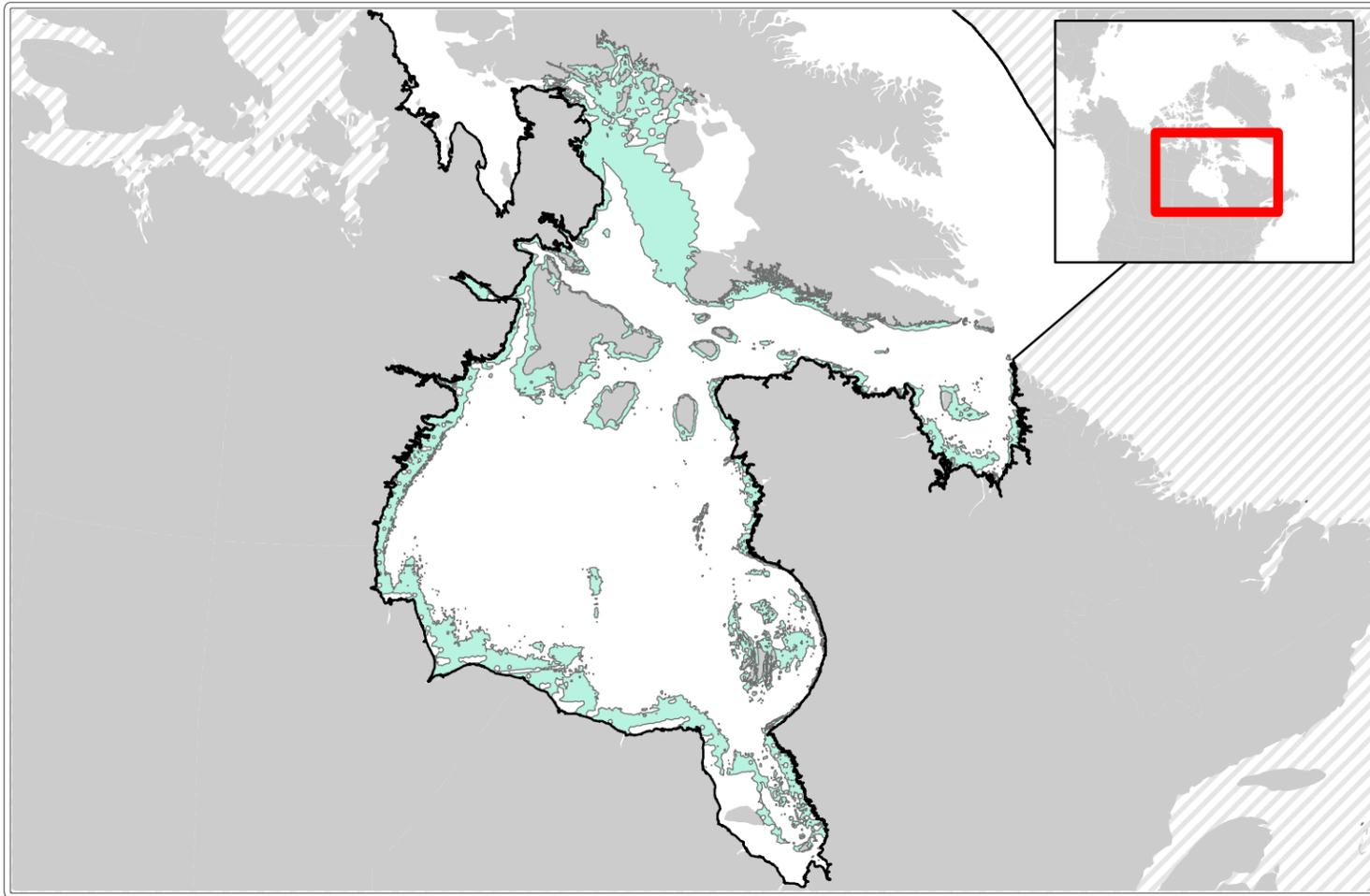
Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago

Description: The NCRI datasets (e.g. Government of Nunavut, 2008) include information on a broad range of species. Data from the communities within the MECCEA study area where inventories were completed between 2008 and 2017 were used to create layers of locally identified habitats for each species included in MECCEA. These layers were then divided by bioregion and, where relevant, by sub-population/management unit. Some layers were subdivided into clusters within marine bioregions to enhance replicability of the feature in the network design. MECCEA uses ringed seal data from NCRI reports from Kinngait, Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Sanirajak, Igloodik, Kimmirut, Naujaat, Rankin Inlet, Arctic Bay, Clyde River, Grise Fiord, Iqaluit, Kugaaruk, Pangnirtung, Pond Inlet, Qikiqtarjuaq, Resolute Bay, and Taloyoak.

Associated Links

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Arctic Char habitat (HB)

Date: (1) 2018; (2) Accessed June 2018; (3) Accessed June 2018

Open Source: (1) No; (2) Yes; (3) Yes

Organization: (1) University of Toronto Press; (2) Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission of UNESCO; (3)

Associated Report: (1) Marine Fishes of Arctic Canada; (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

Authors: (1) Brian W. Coad & James D. Reist (eds.); (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

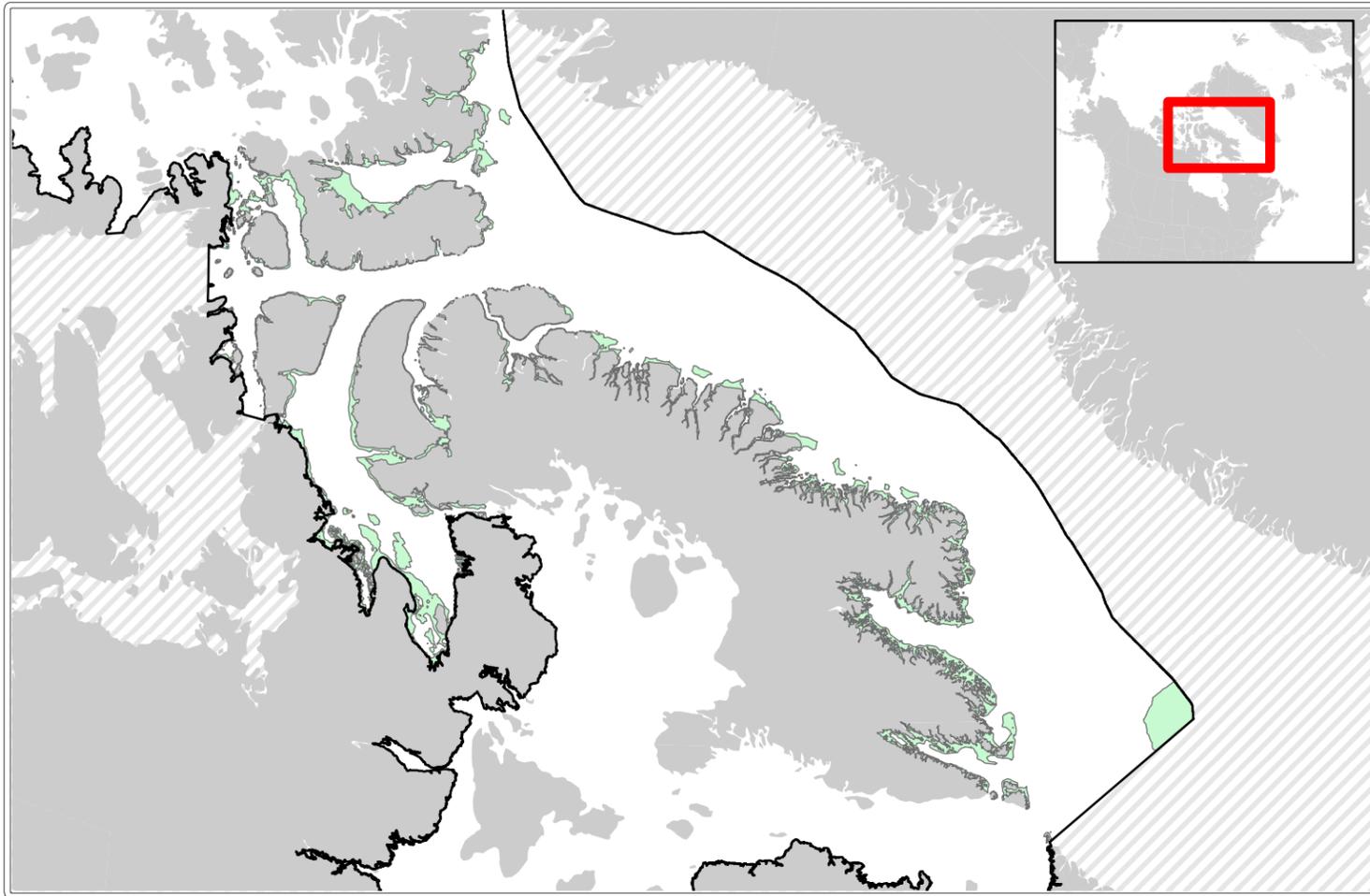
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Associated Links

(1): Marine Fishes of Arctic Canada: <https://utorontopress.com/ca/marine-fishes-of-arctic-canada-1>;

(2) OBIS: <https://obis.org/>;

(3) GBIF: <https://www.gbif.org/>



Arctic Char habitat (EA)

Date: (1) 2018; (2) Accessed June 2018; (3) Accessed June 2018

Open Source: (1) No; (2) Yes; (3) Yes

Organization: (1) University of Toronto Press; (2) Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission of UNESCO; (3)

Associated Report: (1) Marine Fishes of Arctic Canada; (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

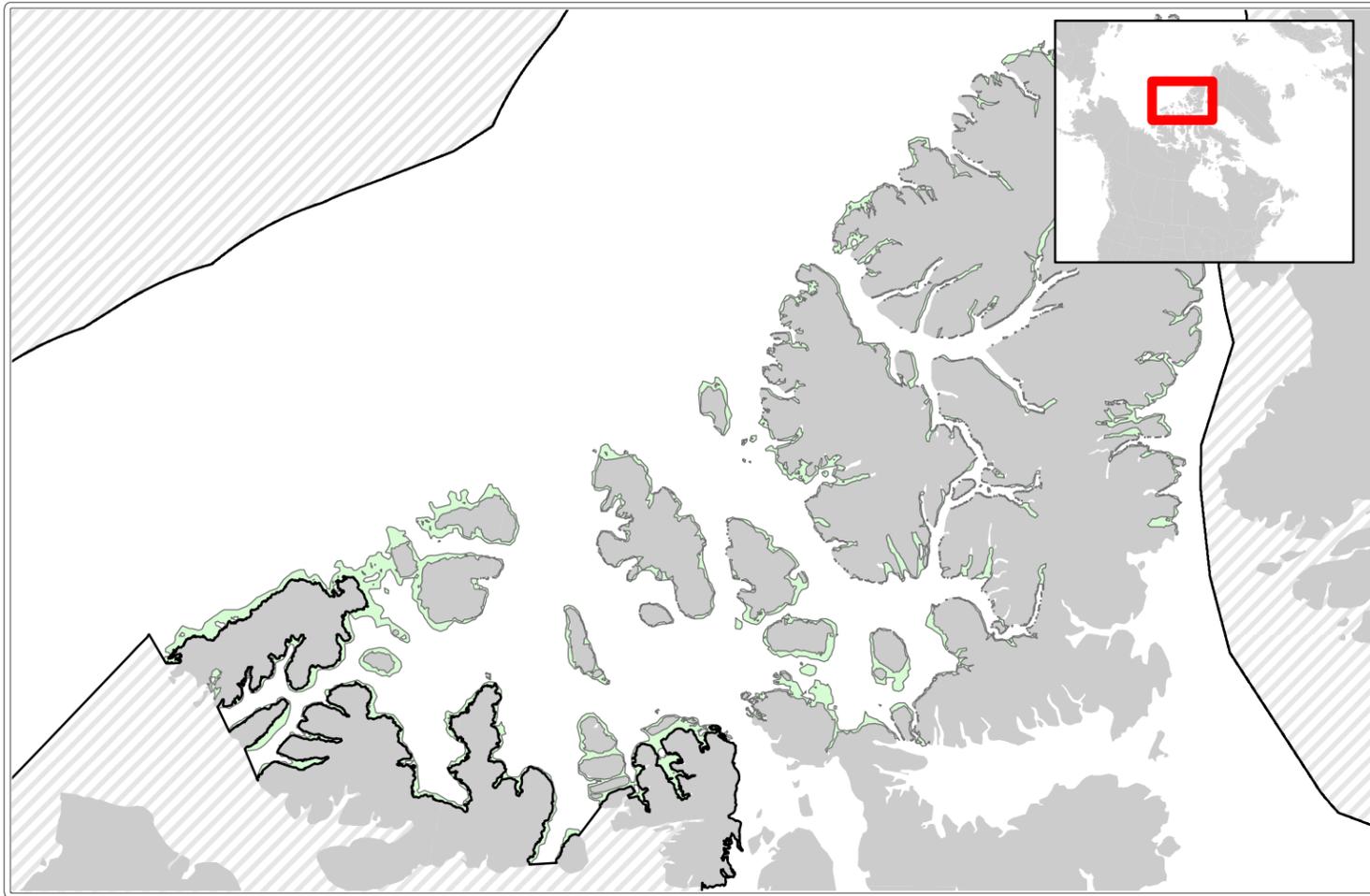
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Arctic Char habitat (AA)

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Organization: (1) University of Toronto Press; (2) Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission of UNESCO; (3)

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago

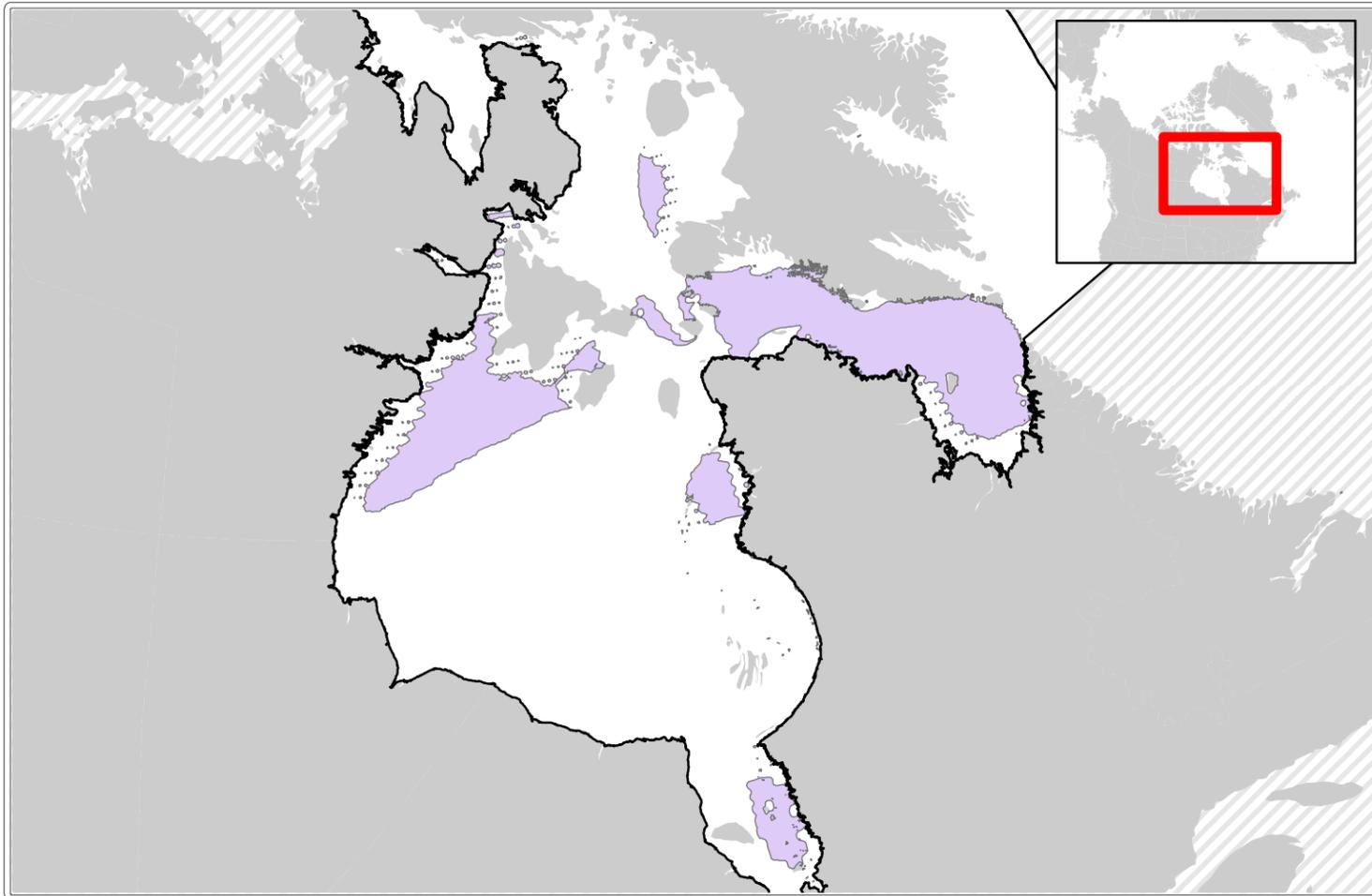
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(2) OBIS: [https://obis.org/;](https://obis.org/)

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Lumpfish (*Cyclopterus lumpus*) habitat (HB)

Date: (1) 2018; (2) Accessed June 2018; (3) Accessed June 2018

Open Source: (1) No; (2) Yes; (3) Yes

Organization: (1) University of Toronto Press; (2) Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission of UNESCO; (3)

Associated Report: (1) Marine Fishes of Arctic Canada; (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

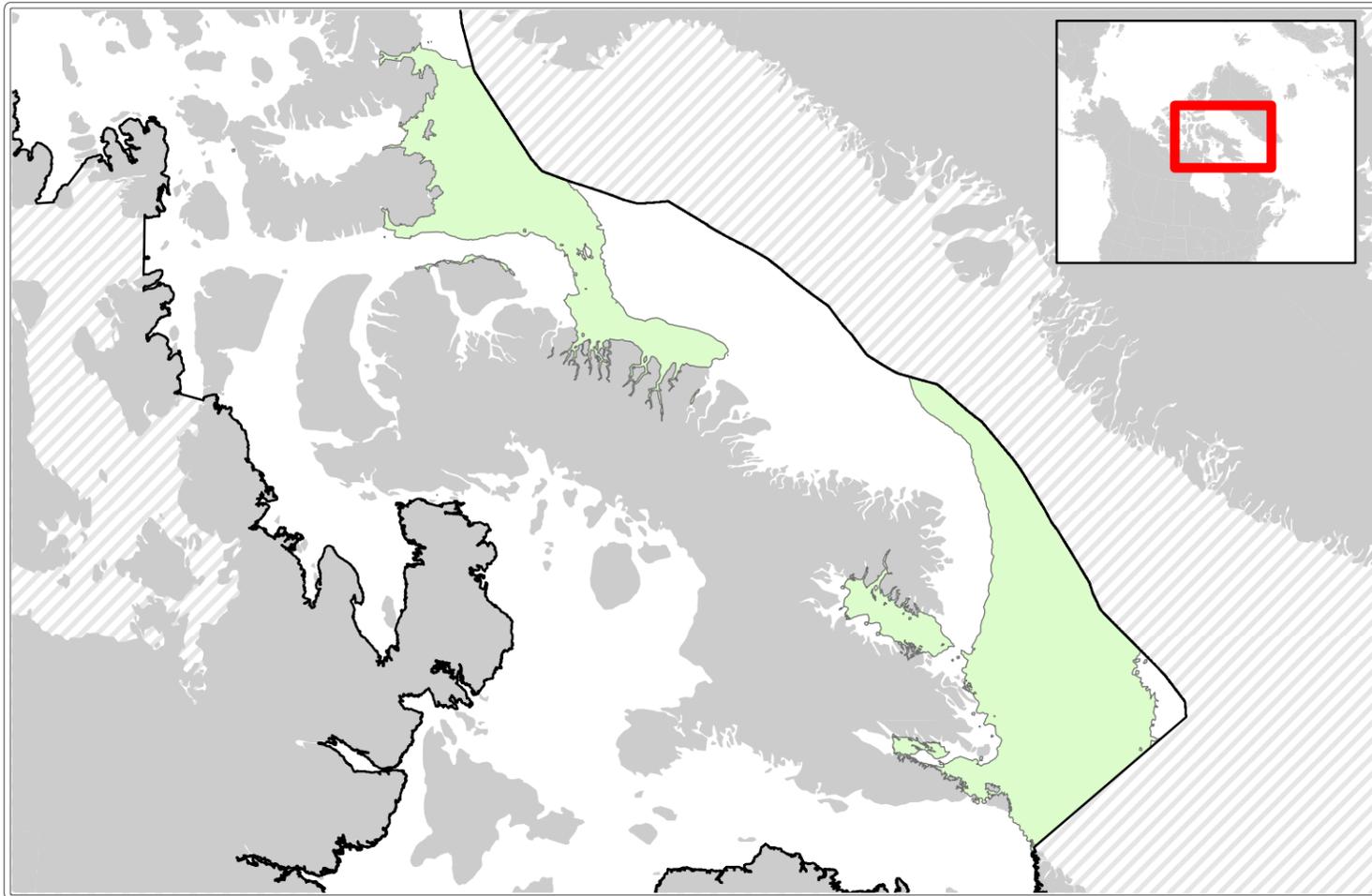
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Lumpfish (*Cyclopterus lumpus*) habitat (EA)

Date: (1) 2018; (2) Accessed June 2018; (3) Accessed June 2018

Open Source: (1) No; (2) Yes; (3) Yes

Organization: (1) University of Toronto Press; (2) Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission of UNESCO; (3)

Associated Report: (1) Marine Fishes of Arctic Canada; (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

Authors: (1) Brian W. Coad & James D. Reist (eds.); (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

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(2) OBIS: <https://obis.org/>;

(3) GBIF: <https://www.gbif.org/>



Lumpfish (*Cyclopterus lumpus*) (AA)

Date: (1) 2018; (2) Accessed June 2018; (3) Accessed June 2018

Open Source: (1) No; (2) Yes; (3) Yes

Organization: (1) University of Toronto Press; (2) Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission of UNESCO; (3)

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago

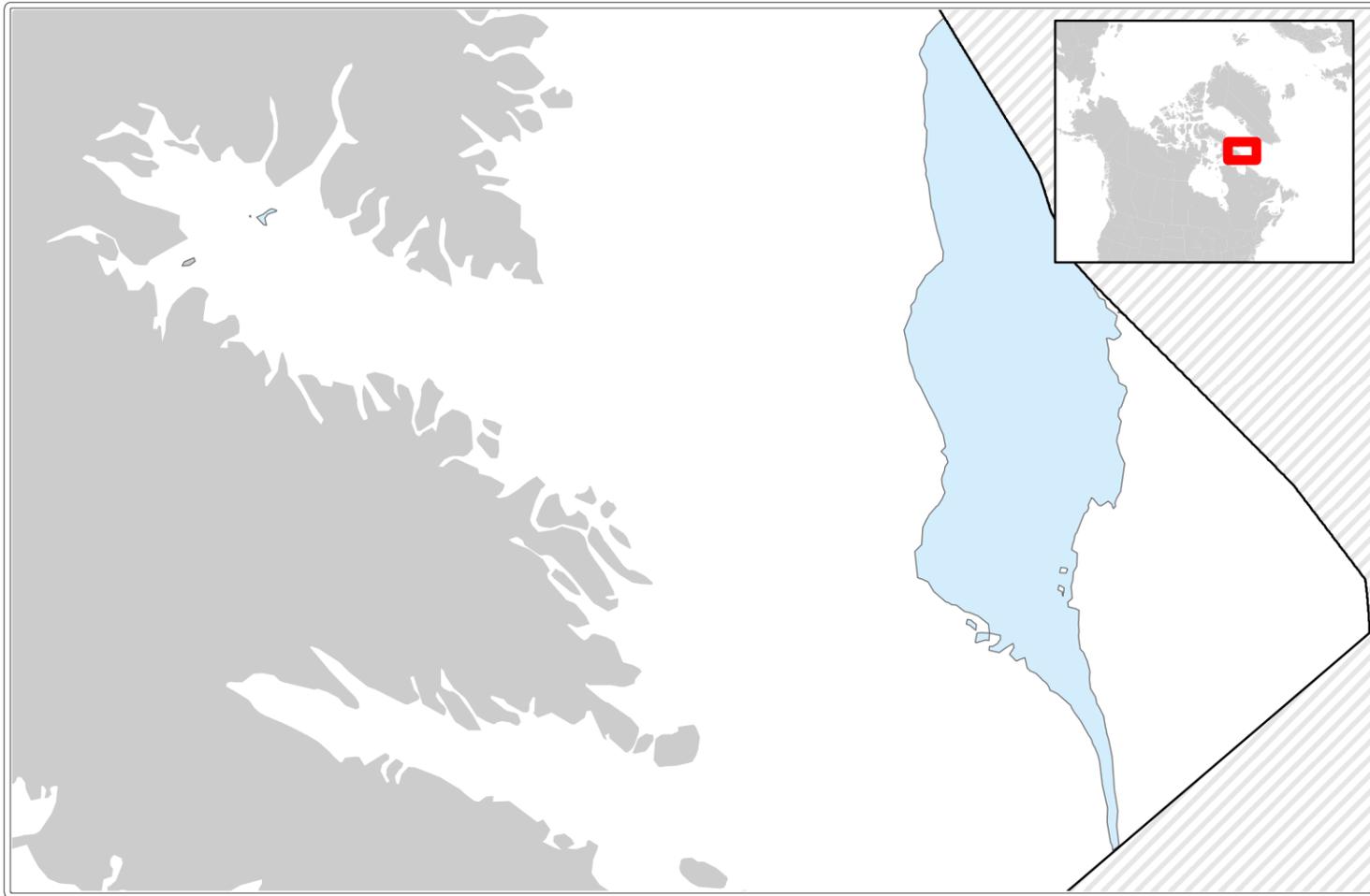
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Rock grenadier (*Coryphaenoides rupestris*) habitat (EA)

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Open Source: (1) No; (2) Yes; (3) Yes

Organization: (1) University of Toronto Press; (2) Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission of UNESCO; (3)

Associated Report: (1) Marine Fishes of Arctic Canada; (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

Authors: (1) Brian W. Coad & James D. Reist (eds.); (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

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Associated Links

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(2) OBIS: [https://obis.org/;](https://obis.org/)

(3) GBIF: <https://www.gbif.org/>



Arctic Cod habitat (HB)

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Open Source: (1) No; (2) Yes; (3) Yes

Organization: (1) University of Toronto Press; (2) Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission of UNESCO; (3)

Associated Report: (1) Marine Fishes of Arctic Canada; (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

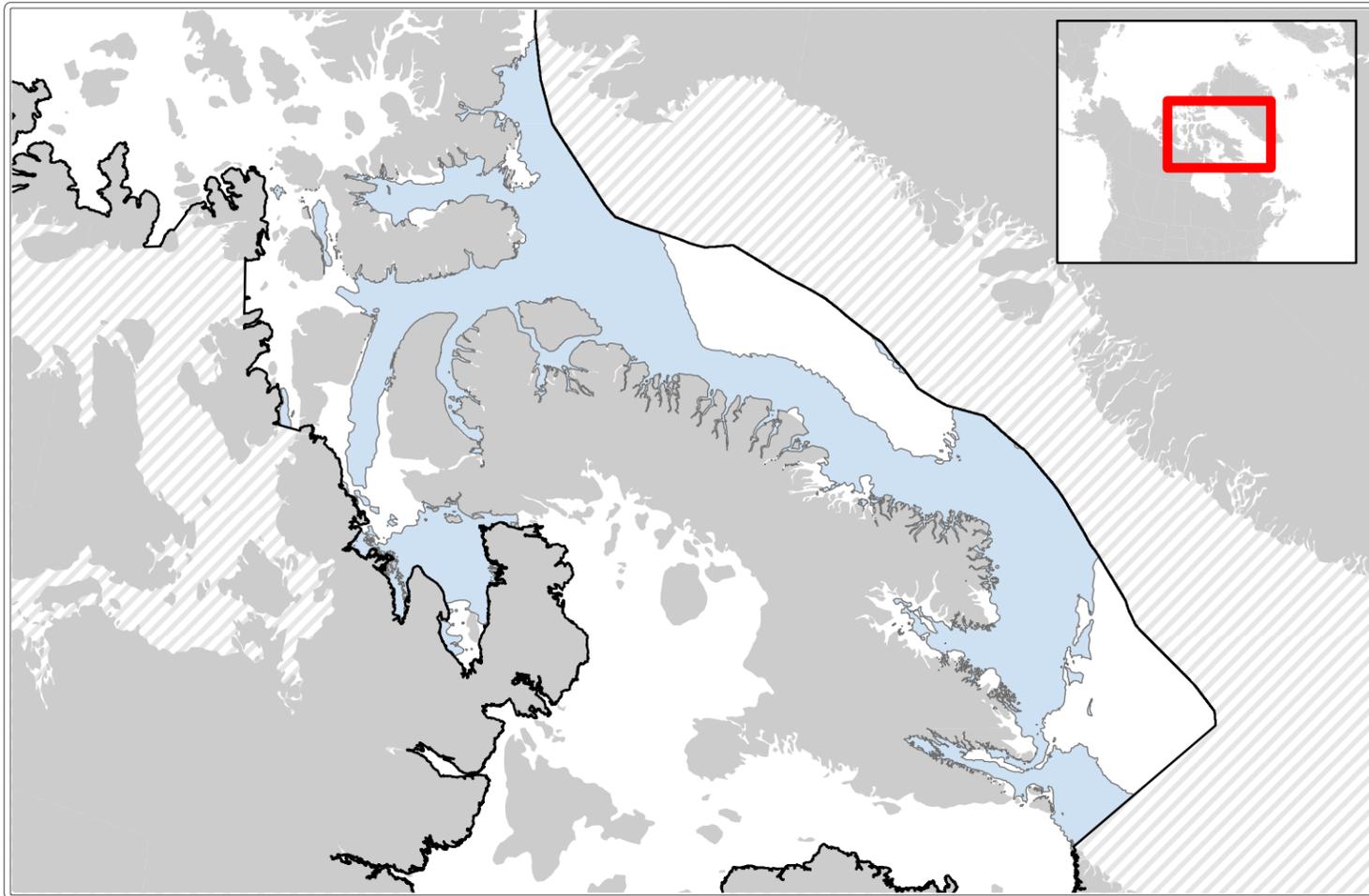
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Associated Links

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Arctic Cod habitat (EA)

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Associated Report: (1) Marine Fishes of Arctic Canada; (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

Authors: (1) Brian W. Coad & James D. Reist (eds.); (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

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Associated Links

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(2) OBIS: <https://obis.org/>;

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Arctic Cod habitat (AA)

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Authors: (1) Brian W. Coad & James D. Reist (eds.); (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago

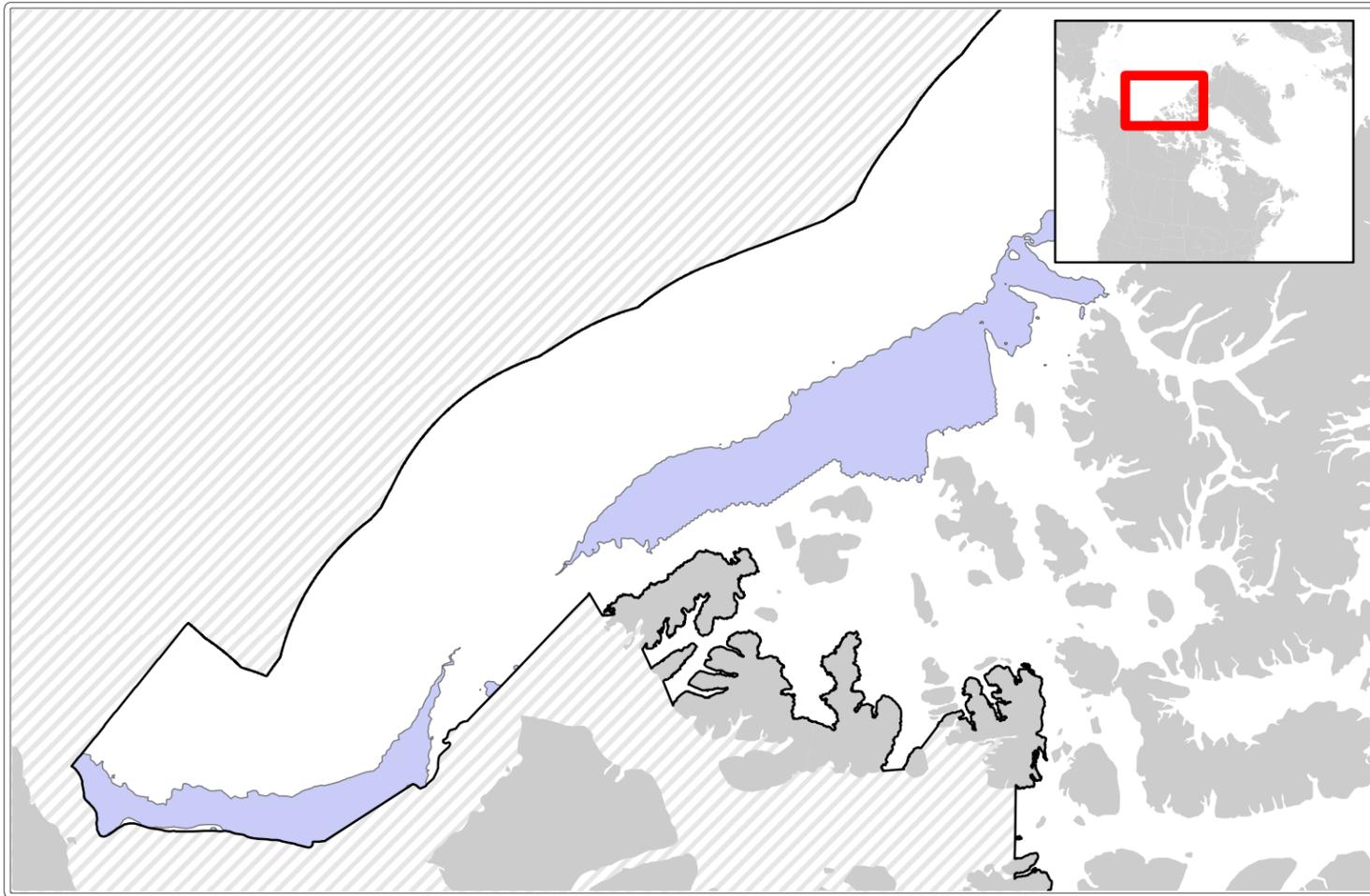
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Arctic Cod habitat (AB)

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Associated Report: (1) Marine Fishes of Arctic Canada; (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

Authors: (1) Brian W. Coad & James D. Reist (eds.); (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Basin

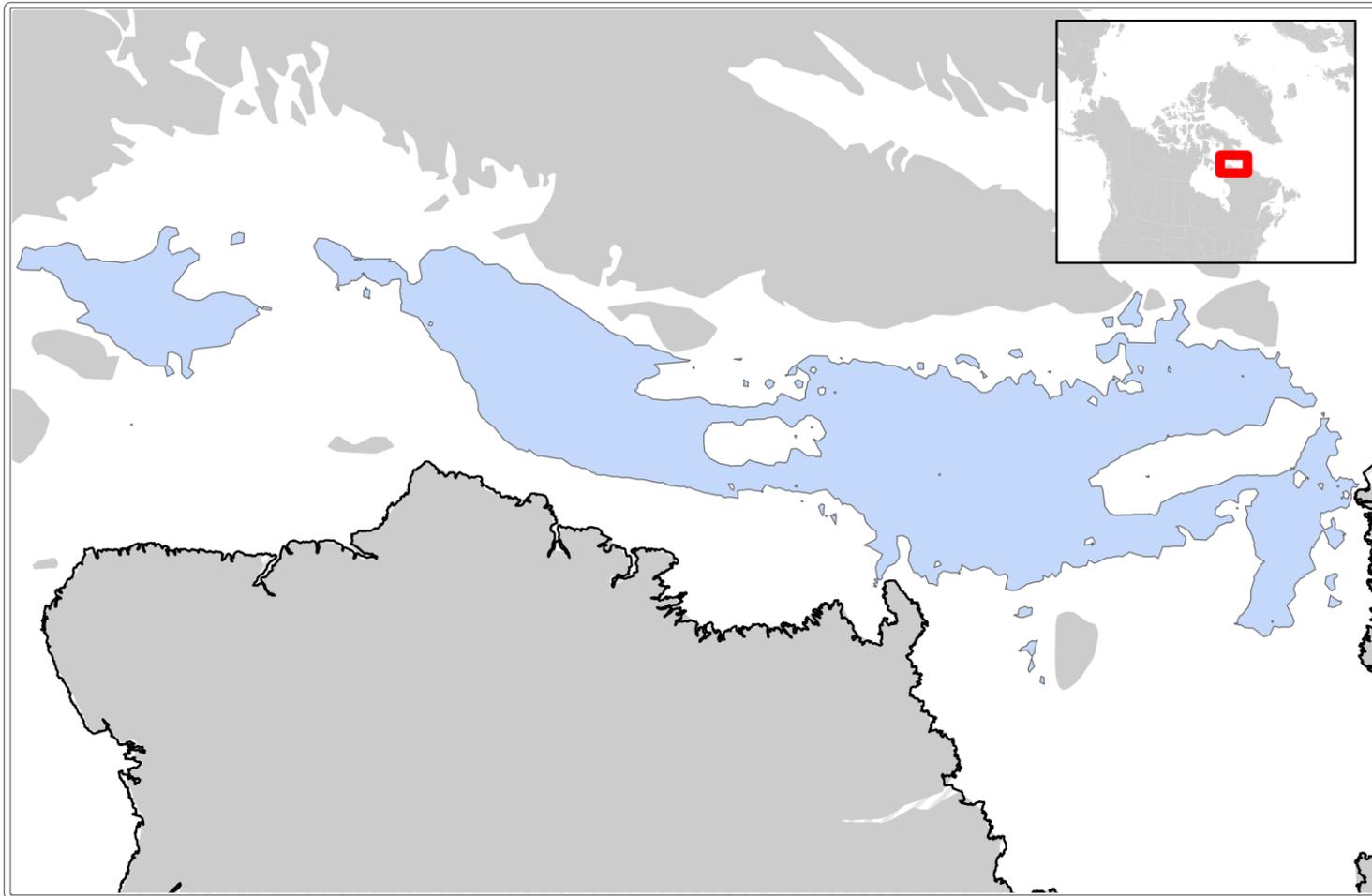
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Spotted wolffish (*Anarhichas minor*) habitat (HB)

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Associated Report: (1) Marine Fishes of Arctic Canada; (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

Authors: (1) Brian W. Coad & James D. Reist (eds.); (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

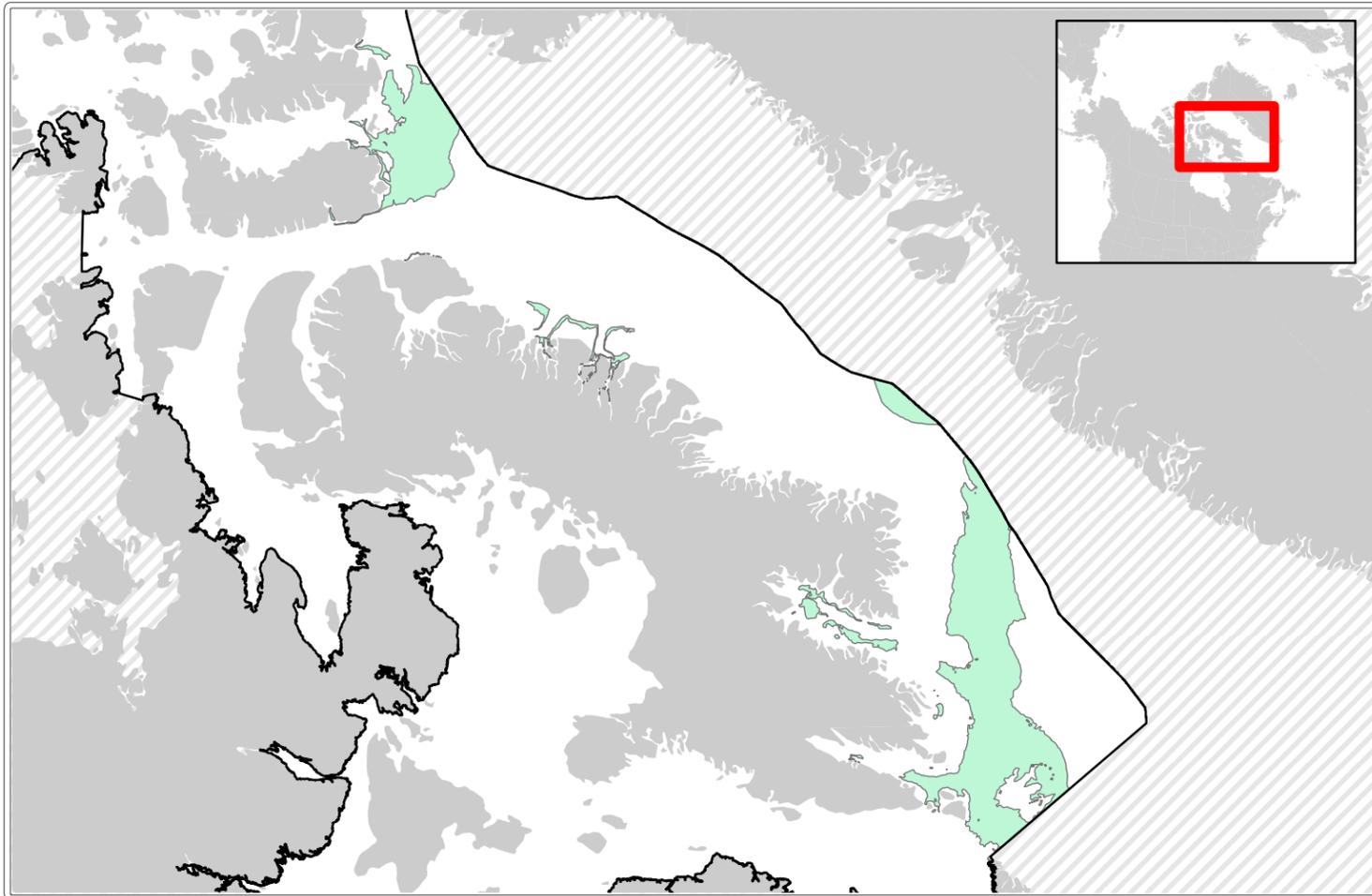
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Spotted wolffish (*Anarhichas minor*) habitat (EA)

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Associated Report: (1) Marine Fishes of Arctic Canada; (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

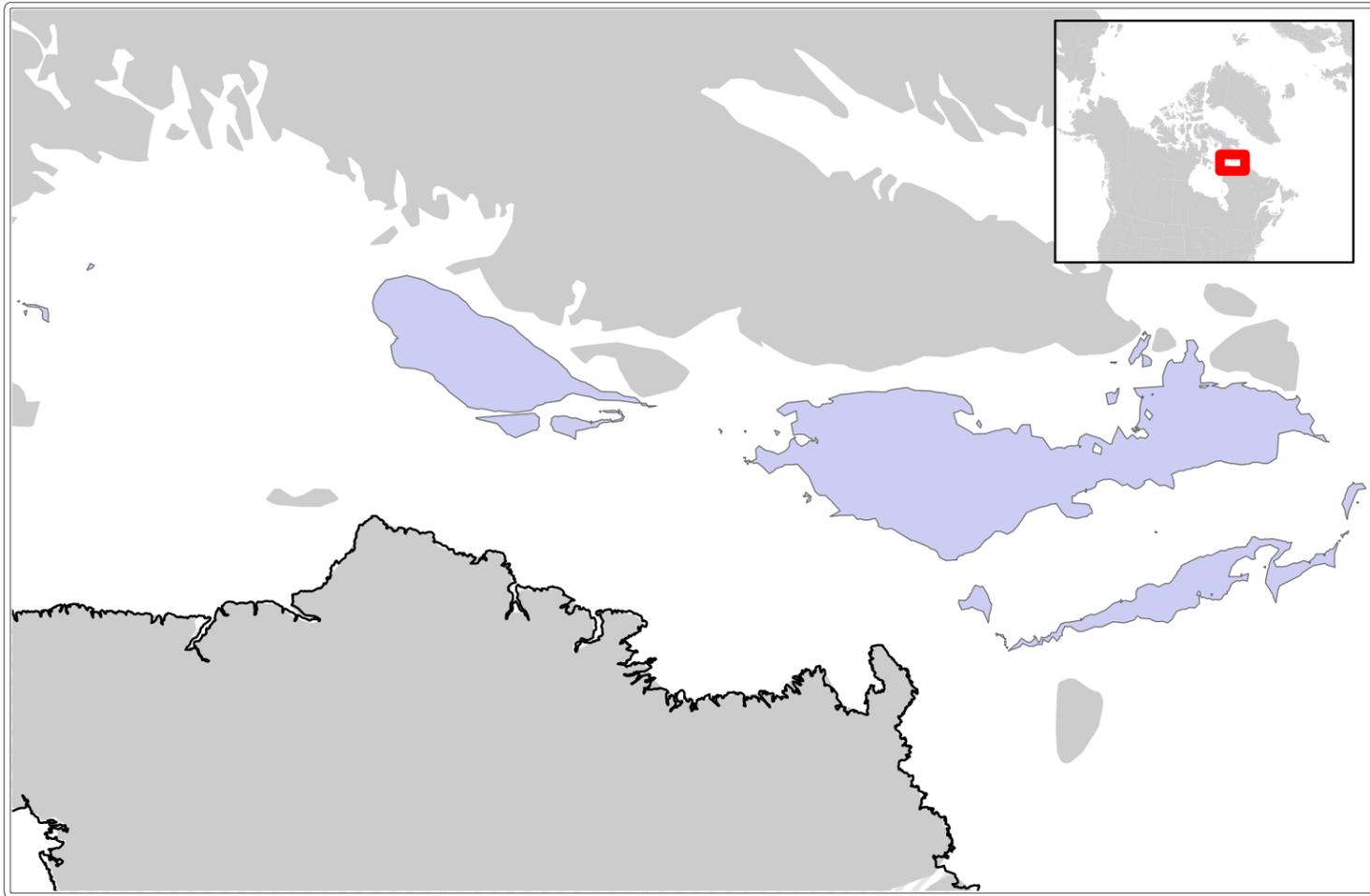
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Atlantic wolffish (*Anarhichas lupus*) habitat (HB)

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Associated Report: (1) Marine Fishes of Arctic Canada; (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

Authors: (1) Brian W. Coad & James D. Reist (eds.); (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

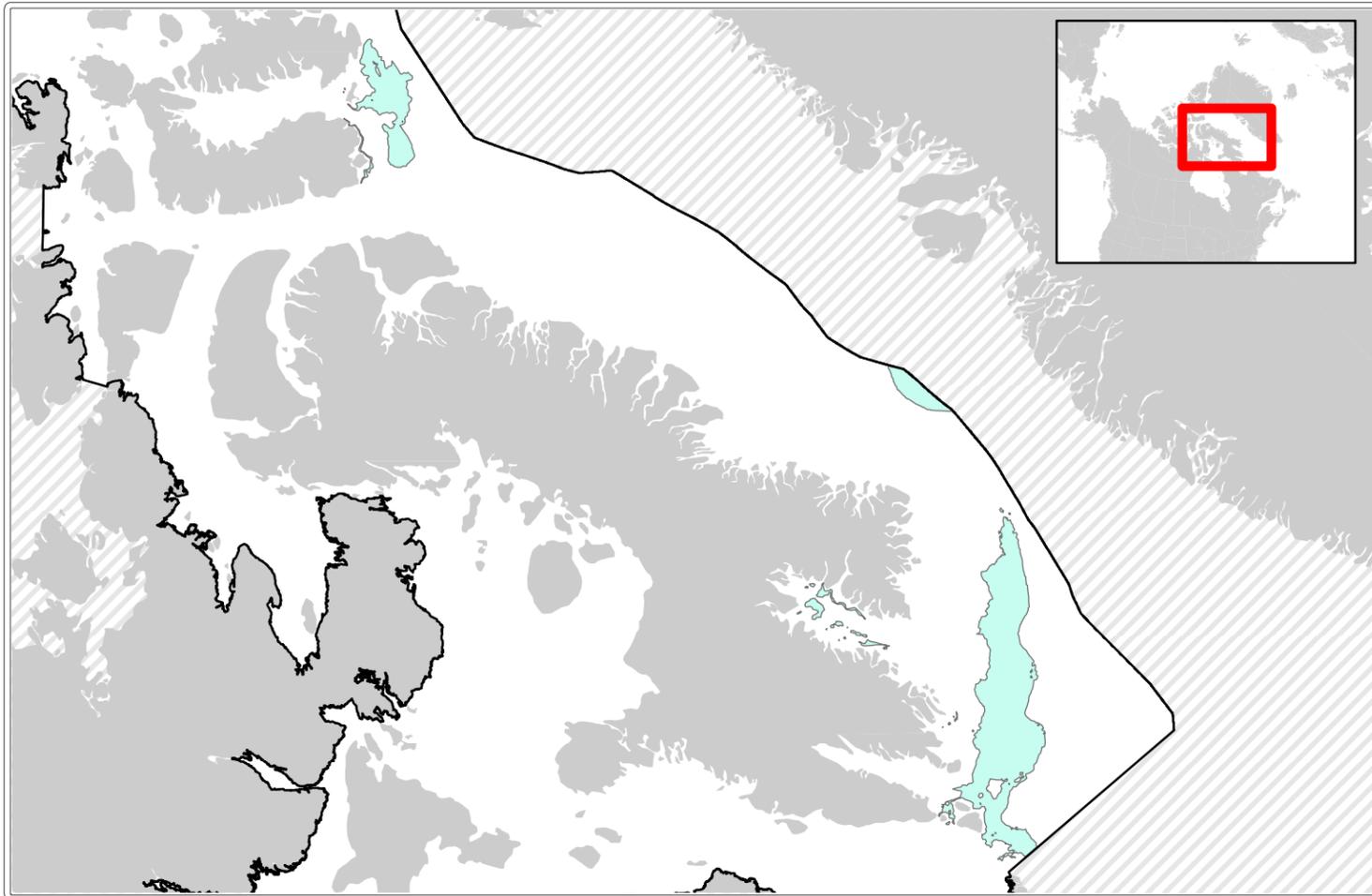
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Atlantic wolffish (*Anarhichas lupus*) habitat (EA)

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

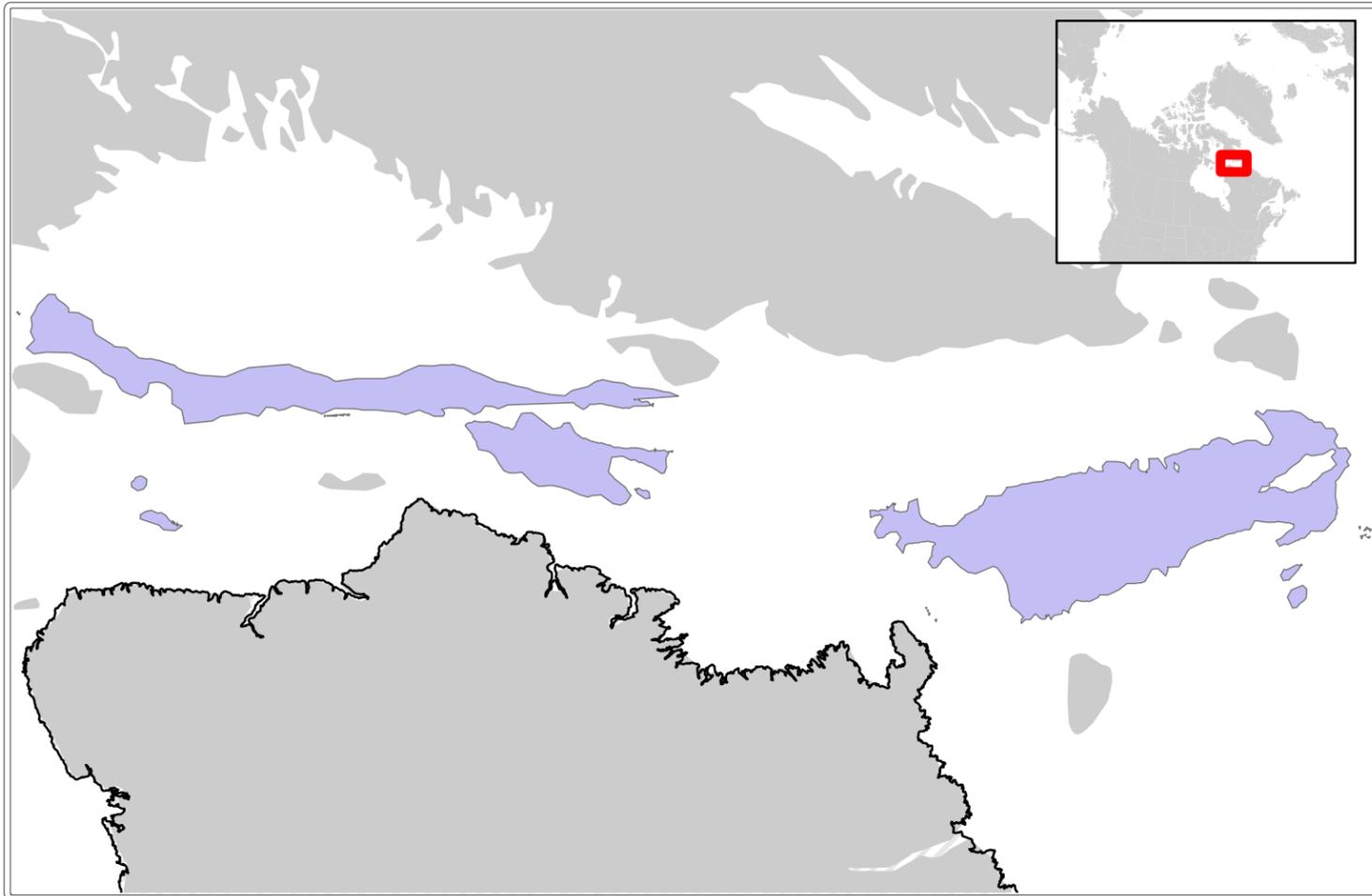
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Northern wolffish (*Anarhichadidae denticulatus*) habitat (HB)

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

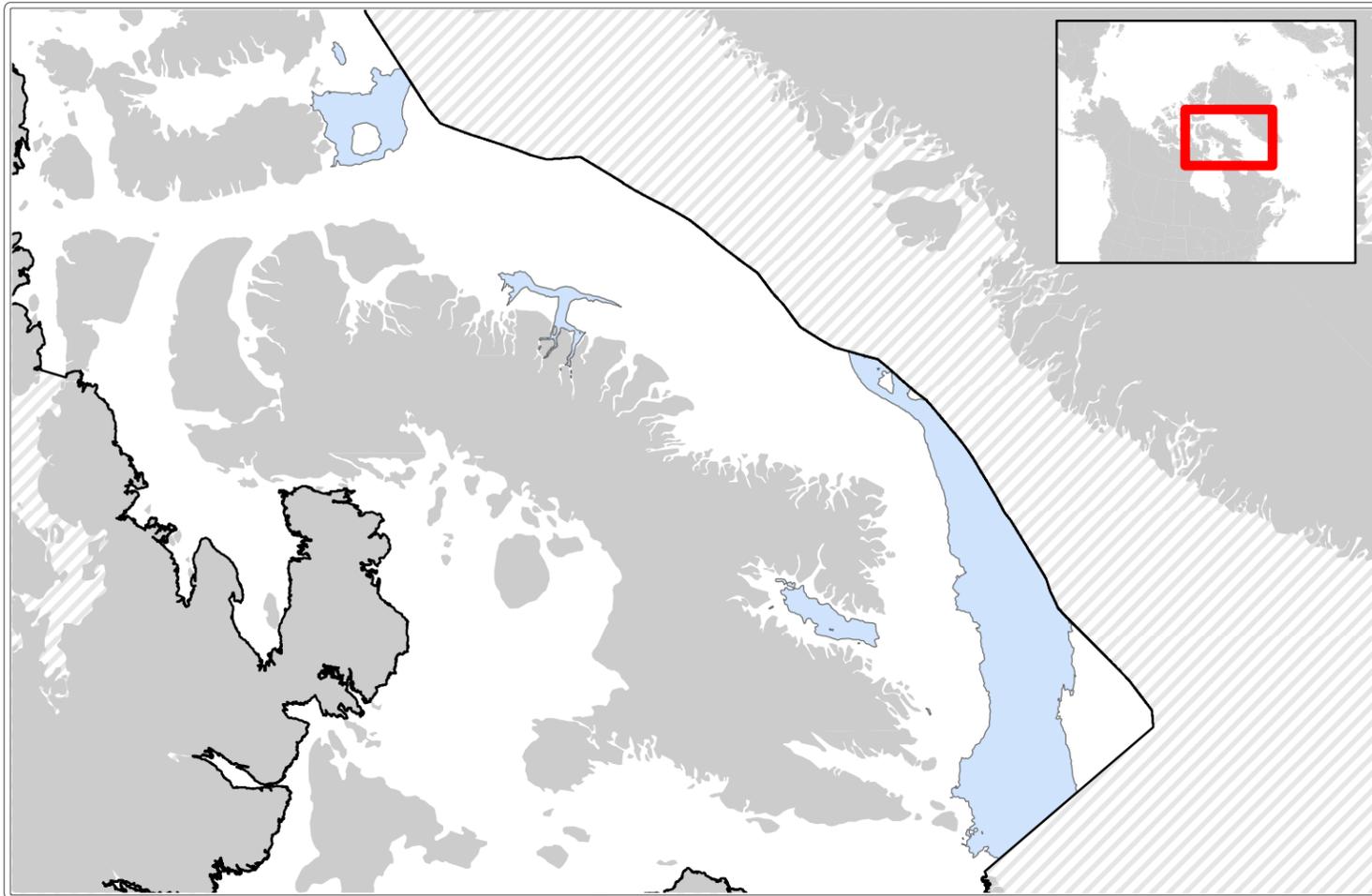
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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

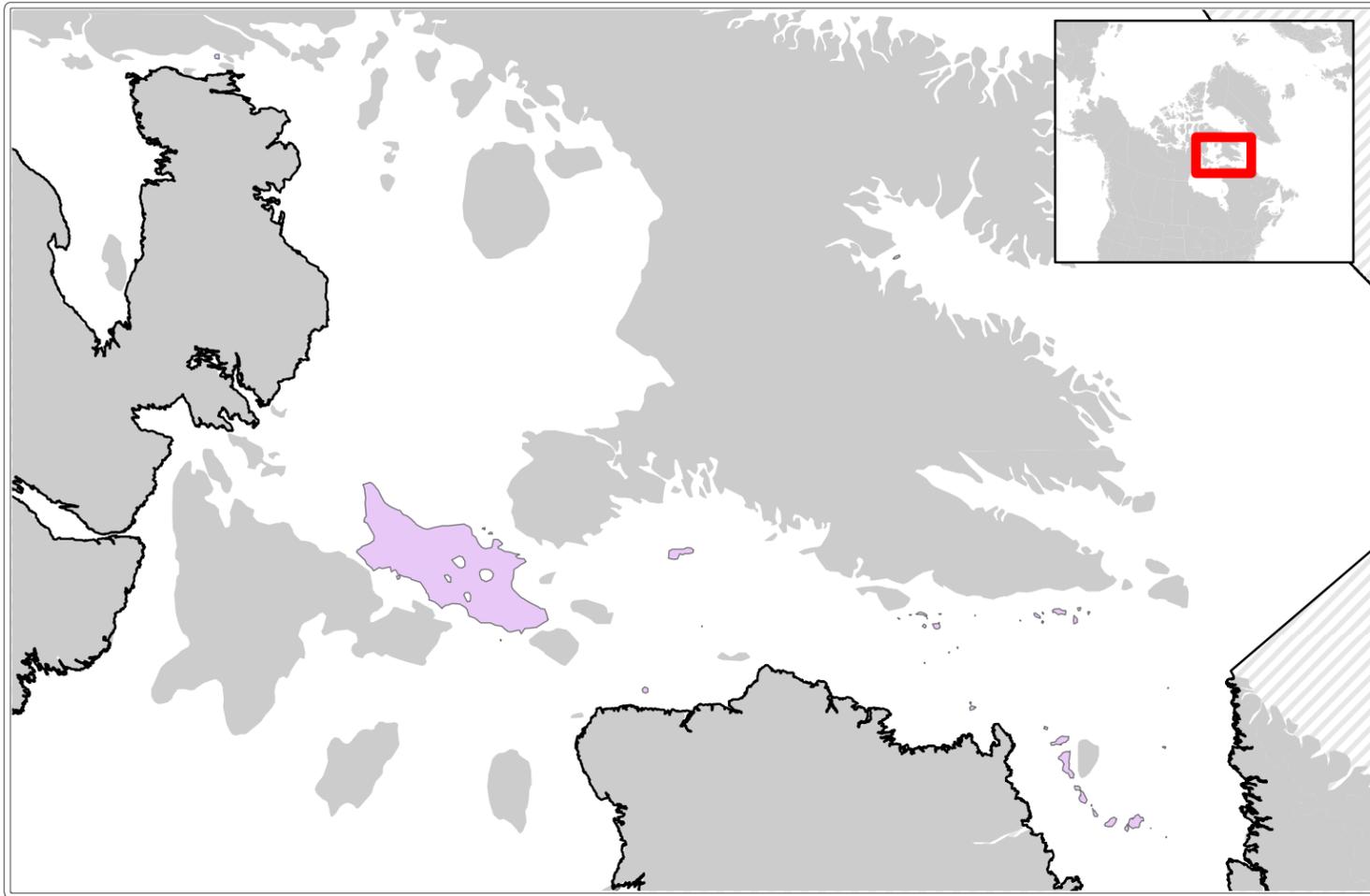
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Rajiformes (order) habitat (HB)

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

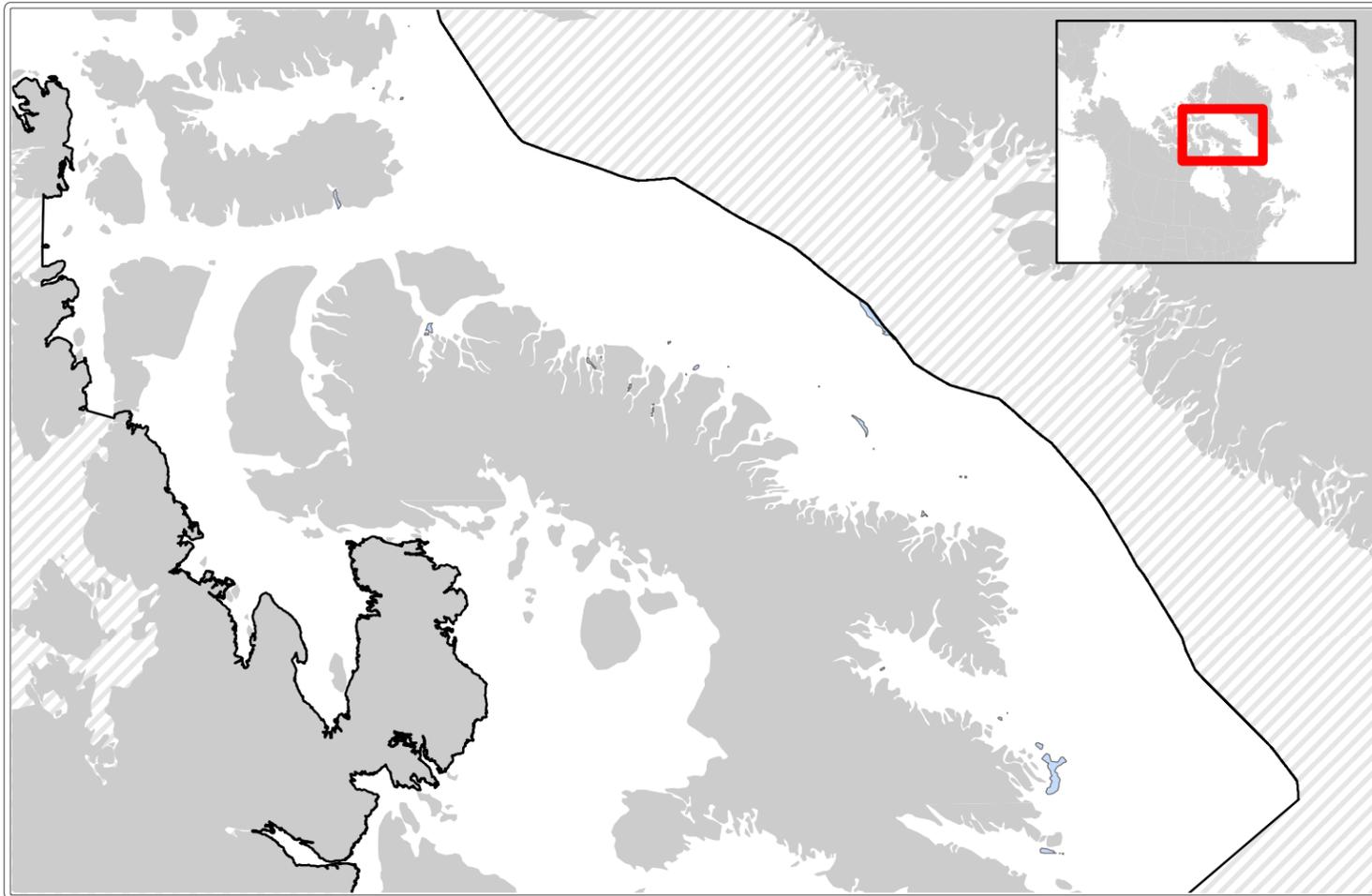
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Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

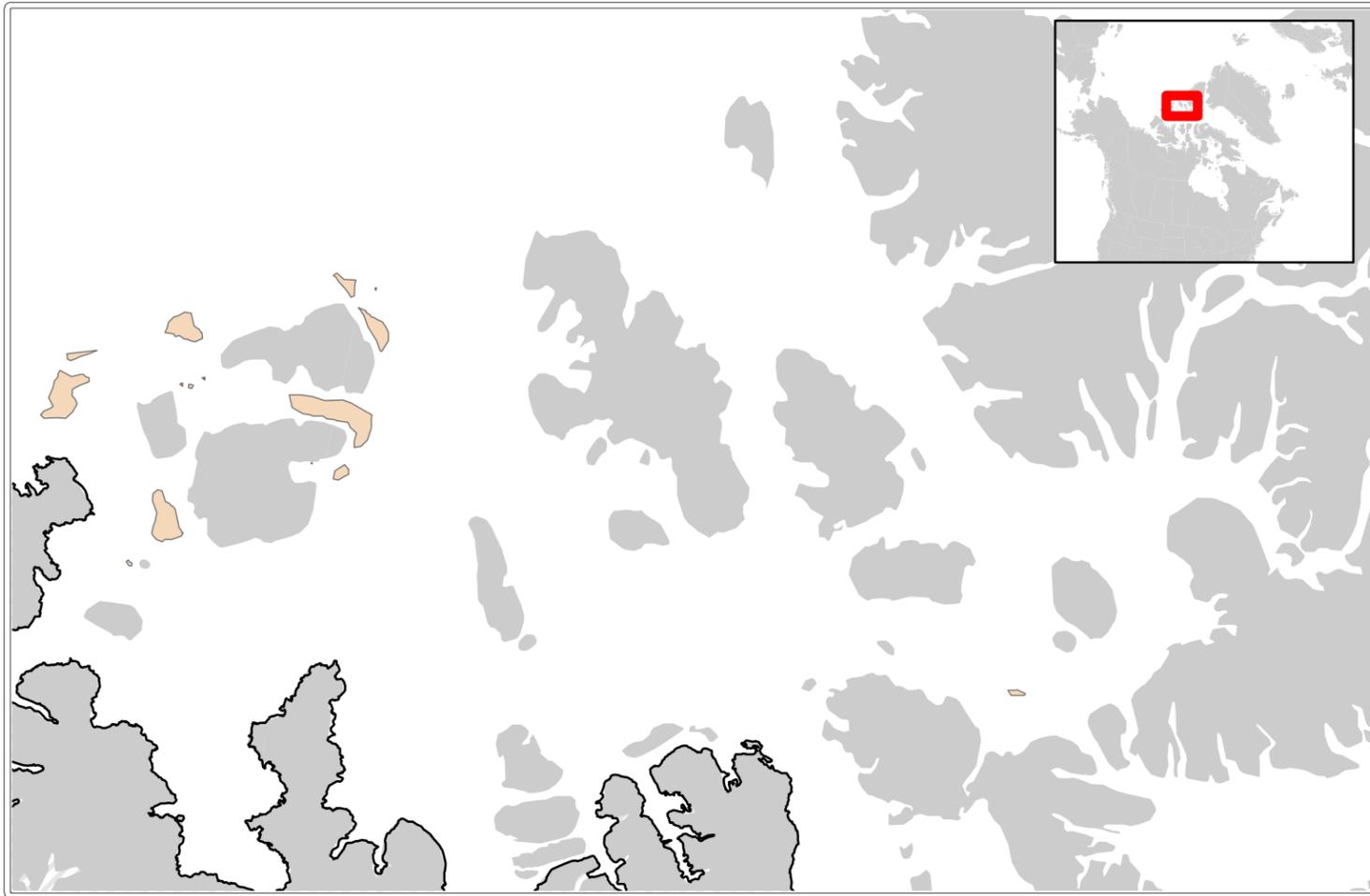
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Rajiformes (order) habitat (AA)

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago

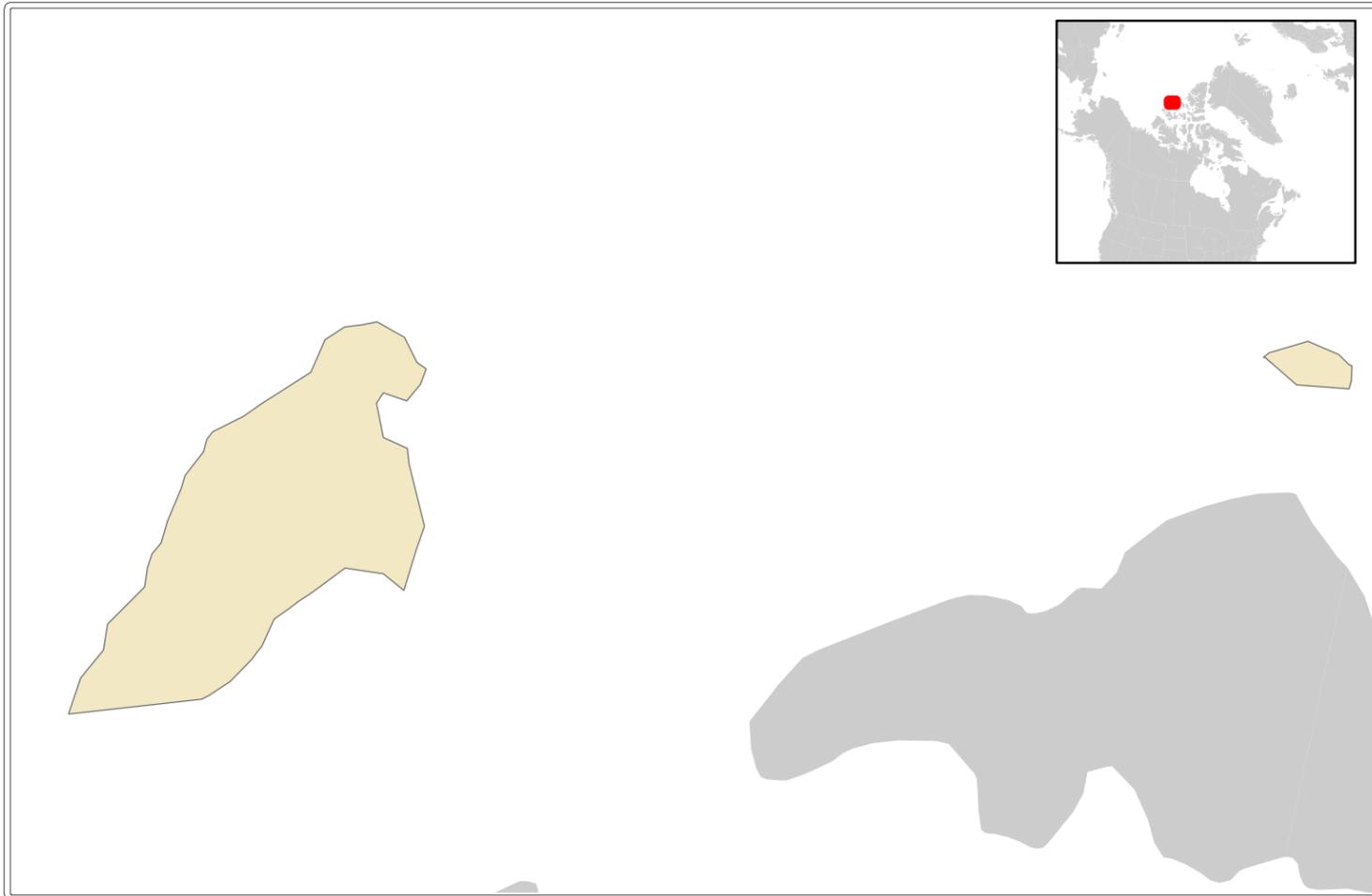
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Rajiformes (order) habitat (AB)

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Basin

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Coregonus (genus) habitat (HB)

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

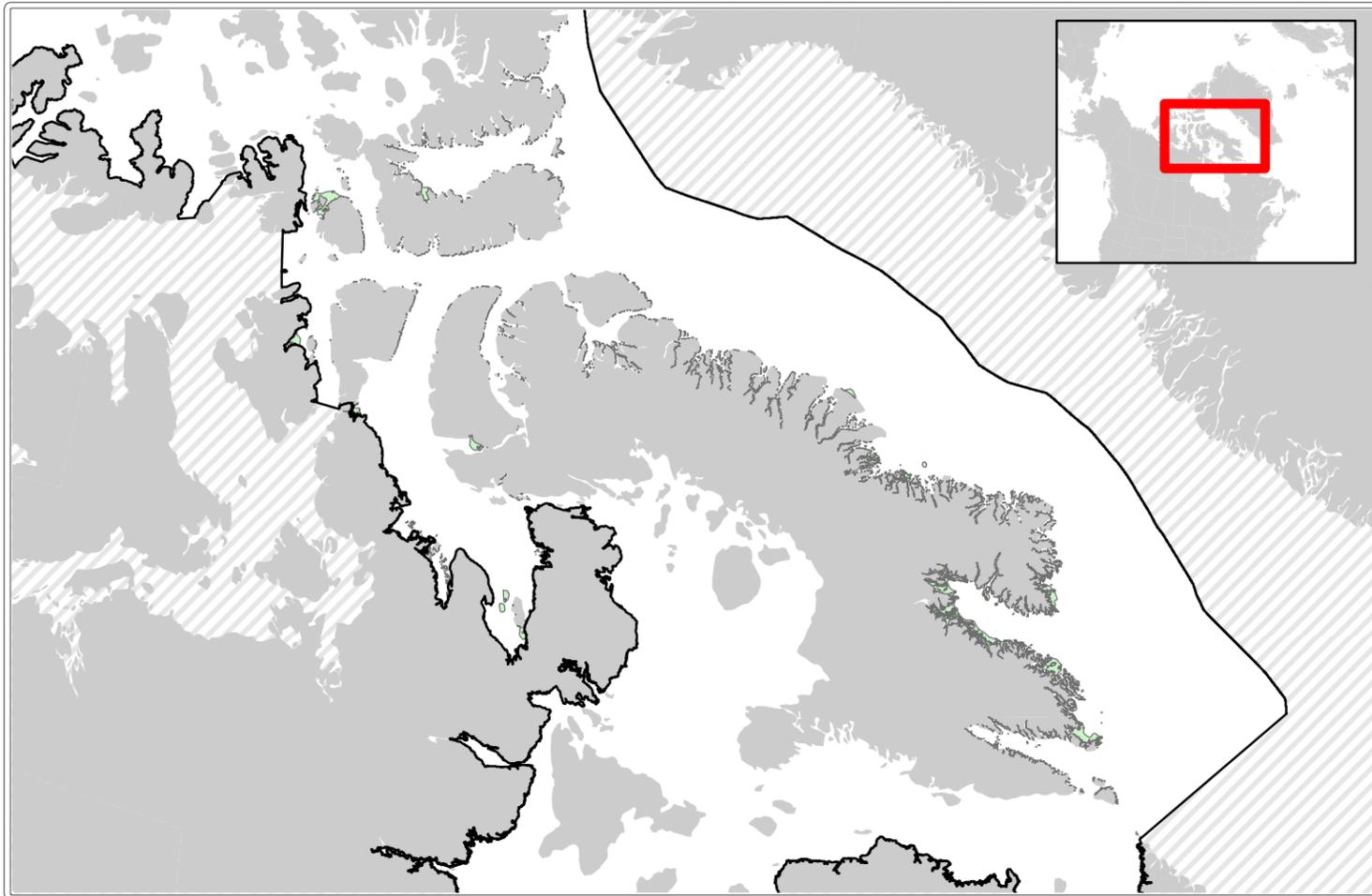
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Coregonus (genus) habitat (EA)

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

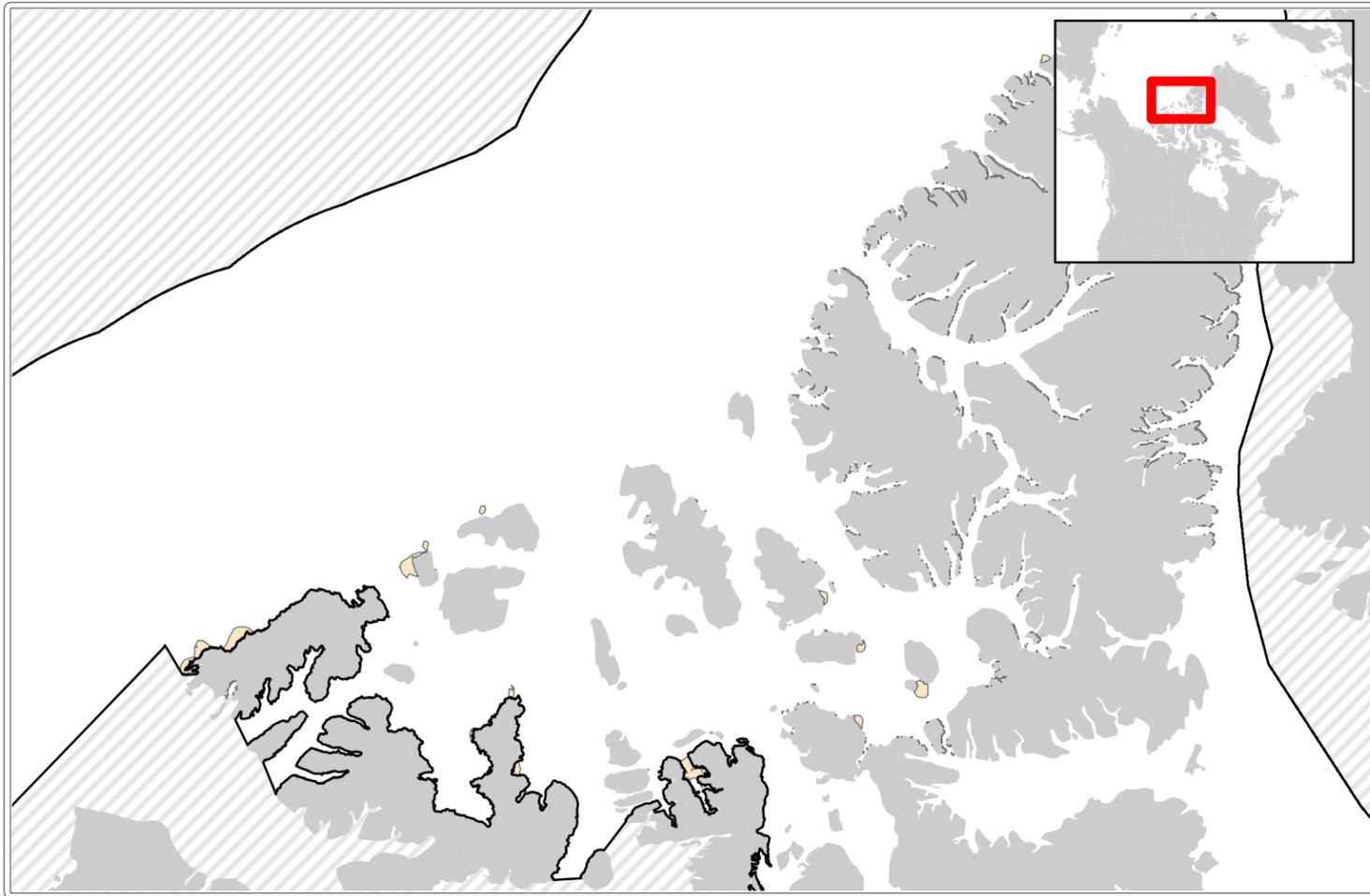
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Coregonus (genus) habitat (AA)

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Associated Report: (1) Marine Fishes of Arctic Canada; (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago

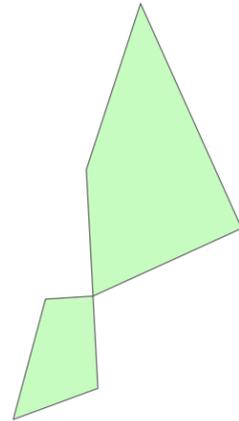
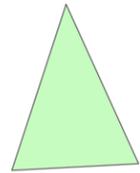
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Coregonus (genus) habitat (AB)

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Basin

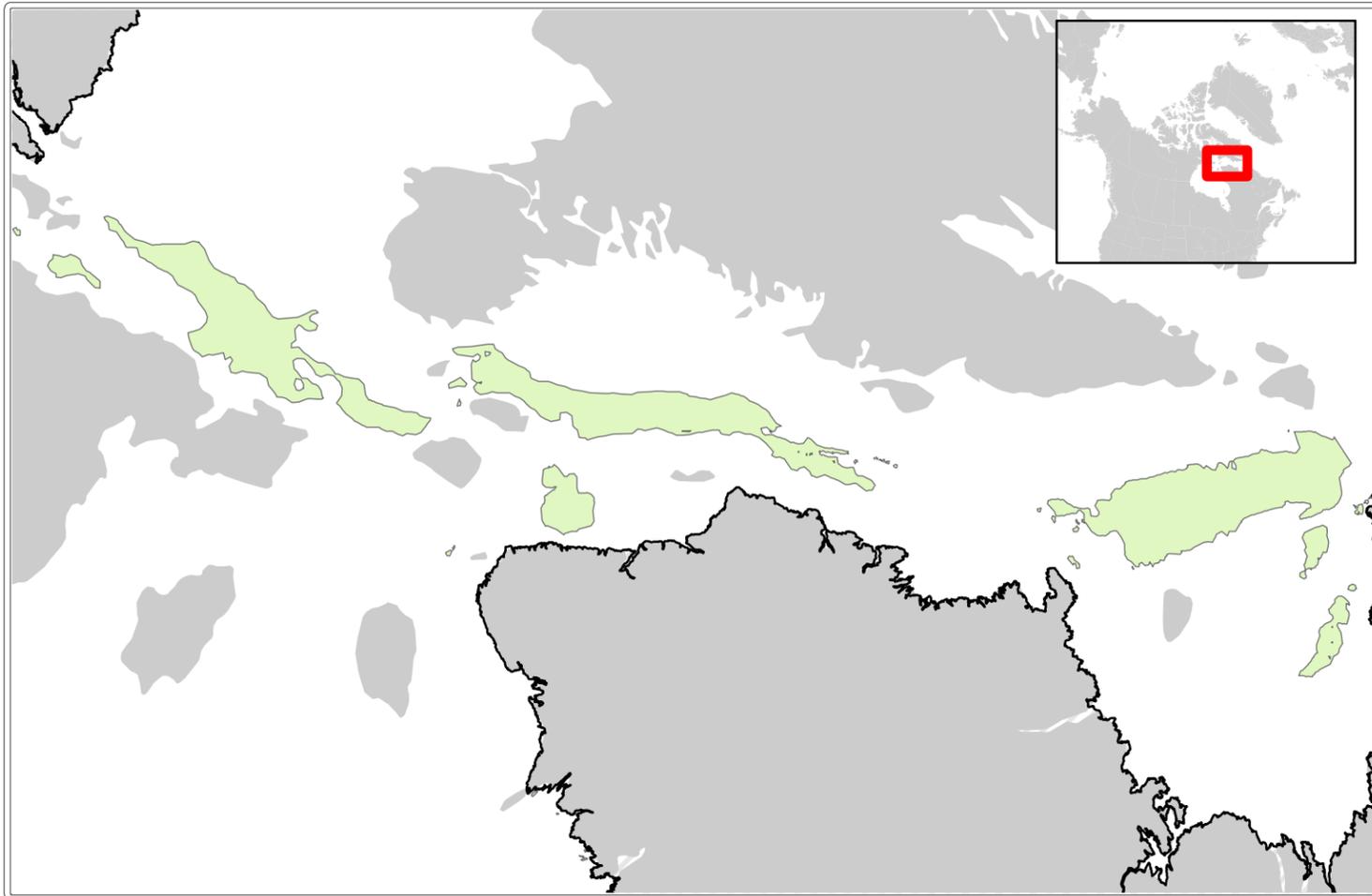
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Glacier lanternfish (*Benthoosema glaciale*) habitat (HB)

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

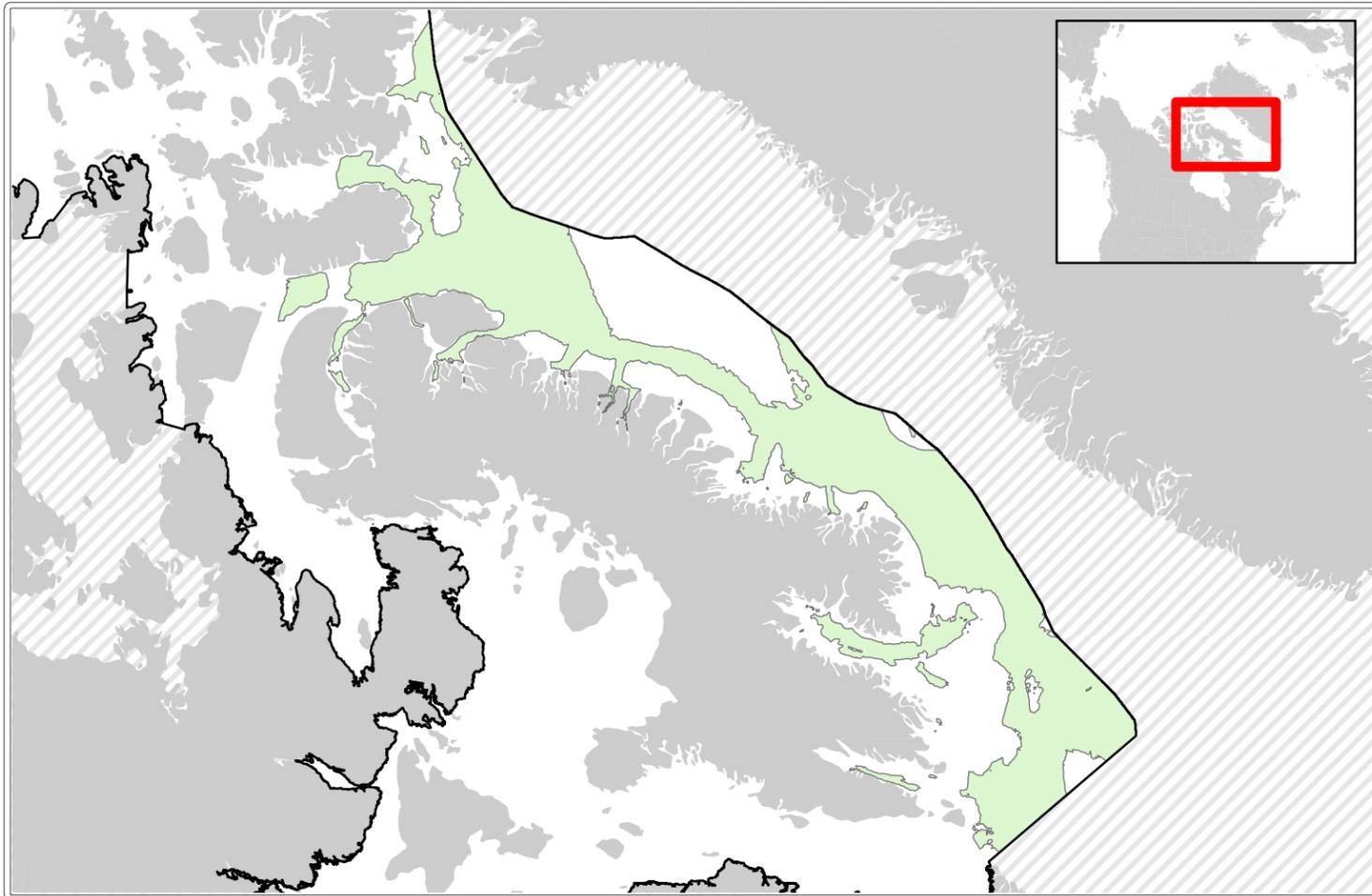
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Glacier lanternfish (*Benthoosema glaciale*) habitat (EA)

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

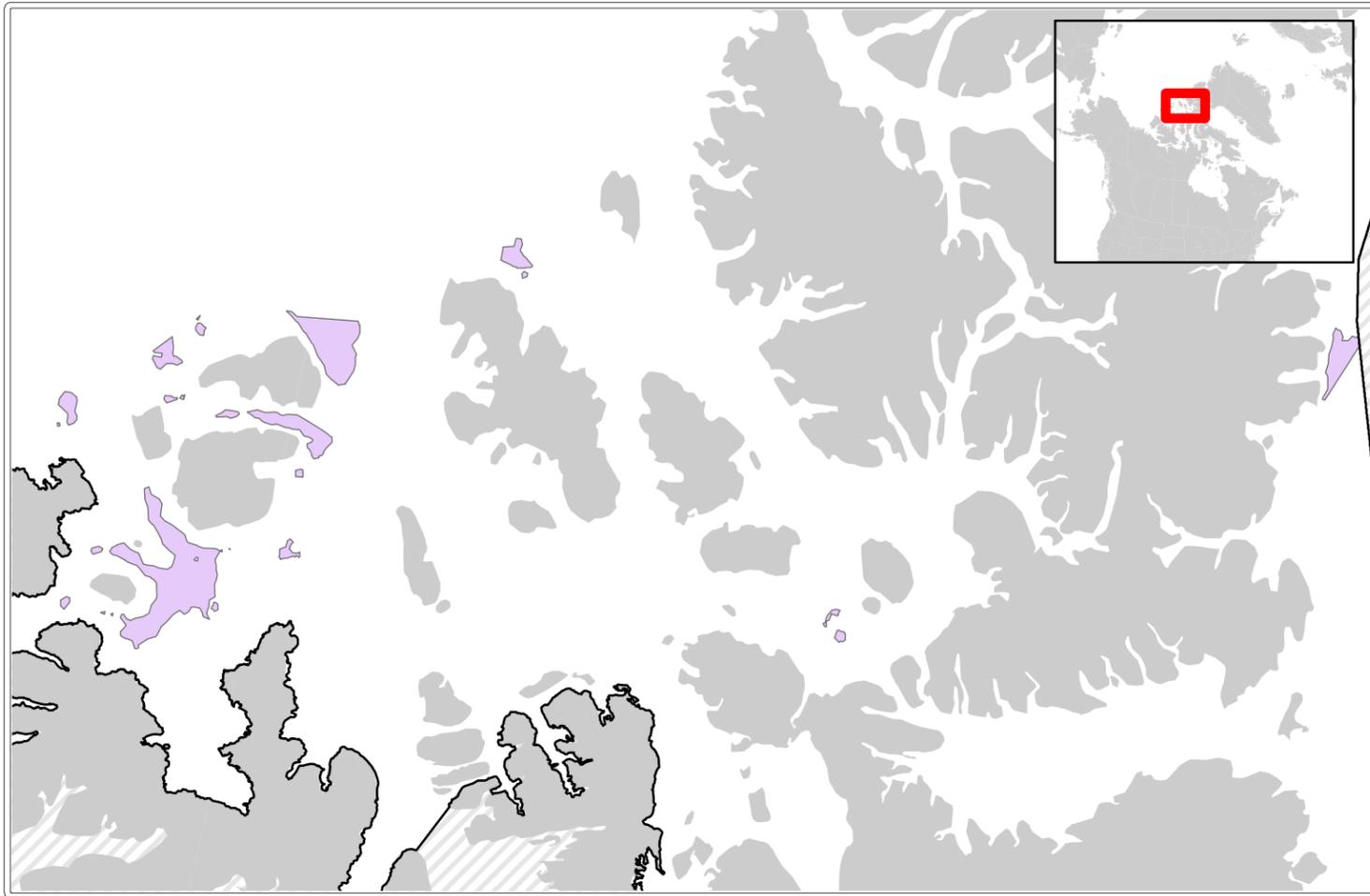
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Glacier lanternfish (*Bentosema glaciale*) habitat (AA)

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago

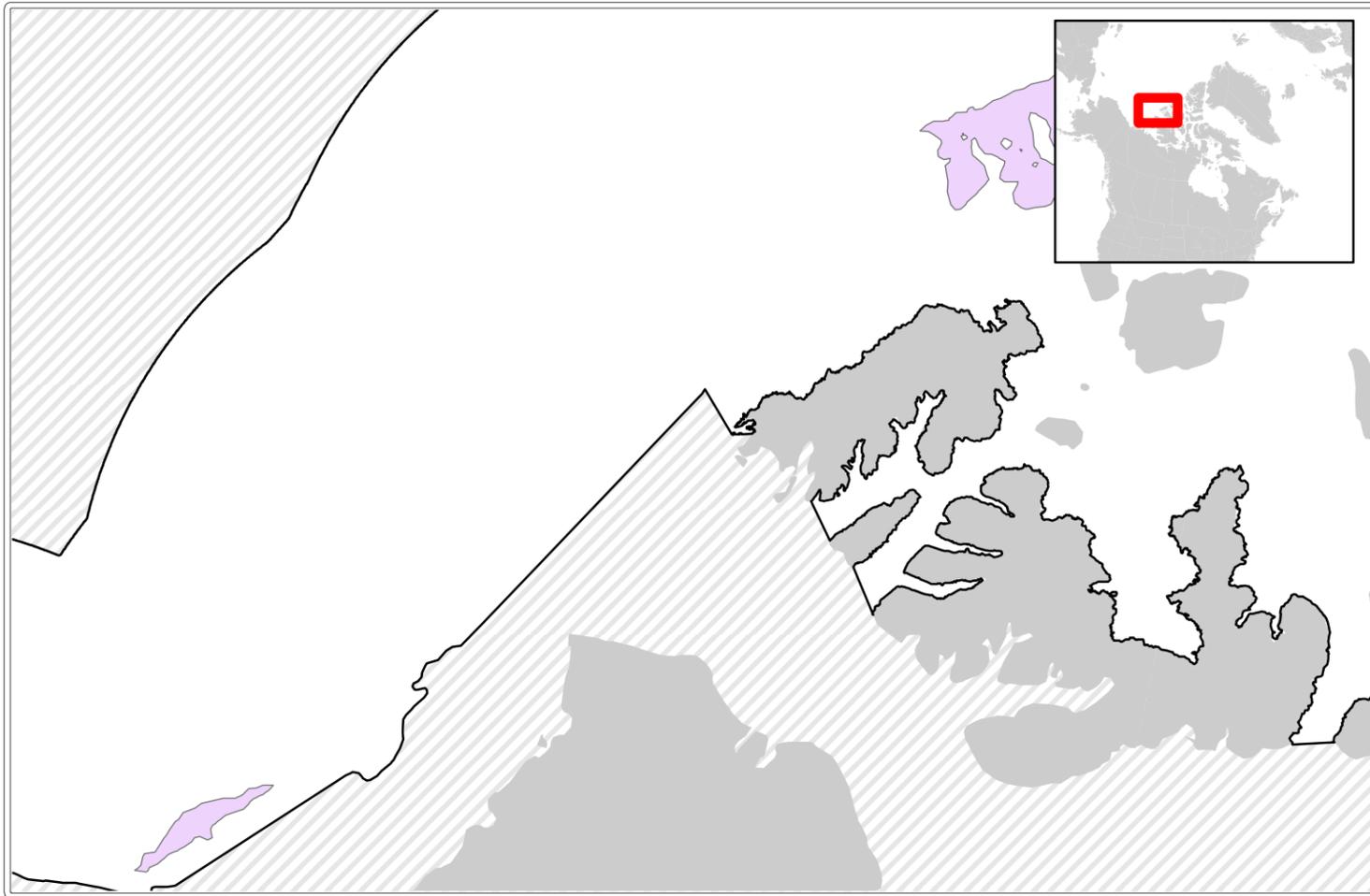
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Glacier lanternfish (*Benthosema glaciale*) habitat (AB)

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Basin

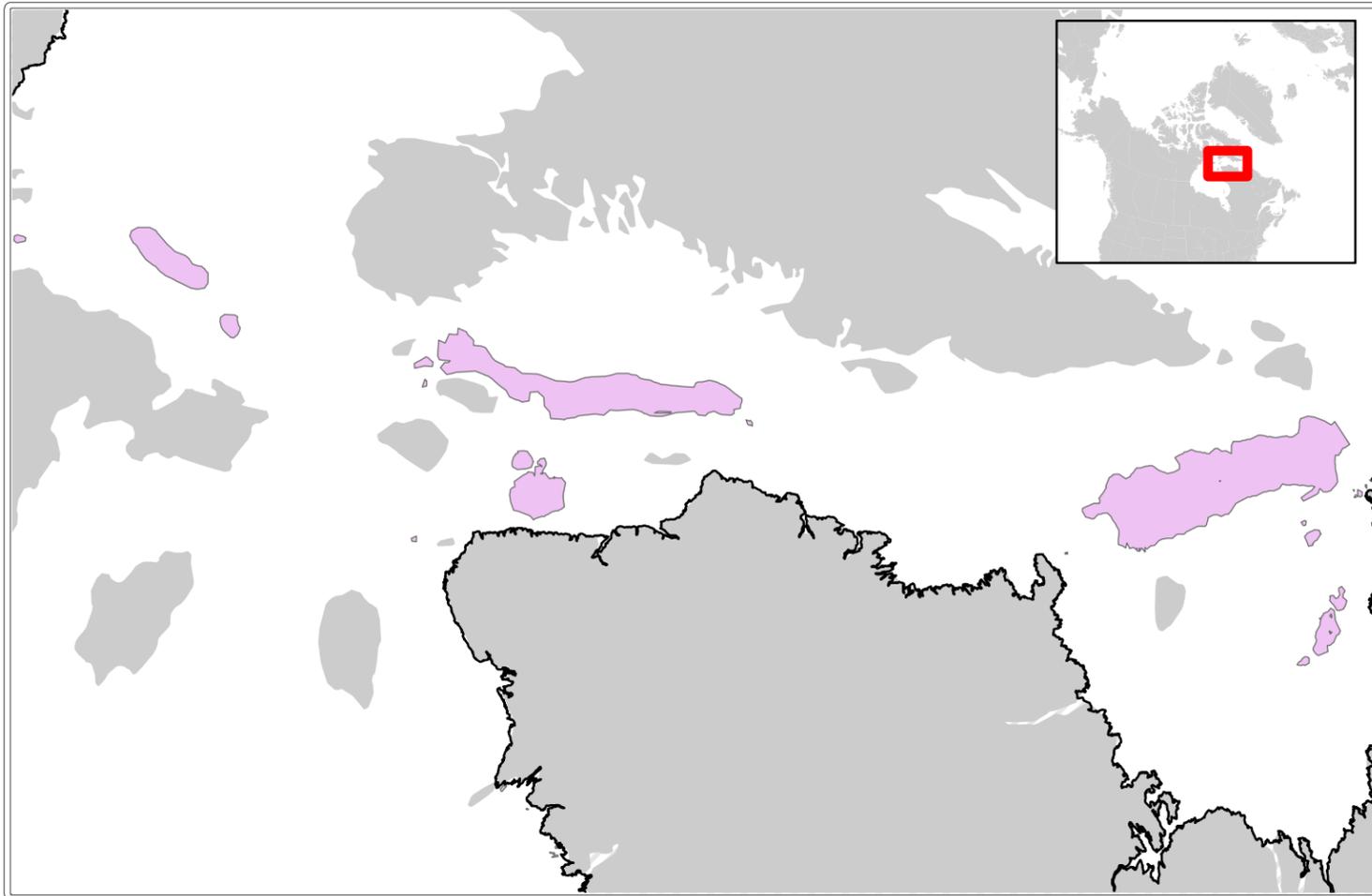
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Arctic skate (*Amblyraja hyperborea*) habitat (HB)

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

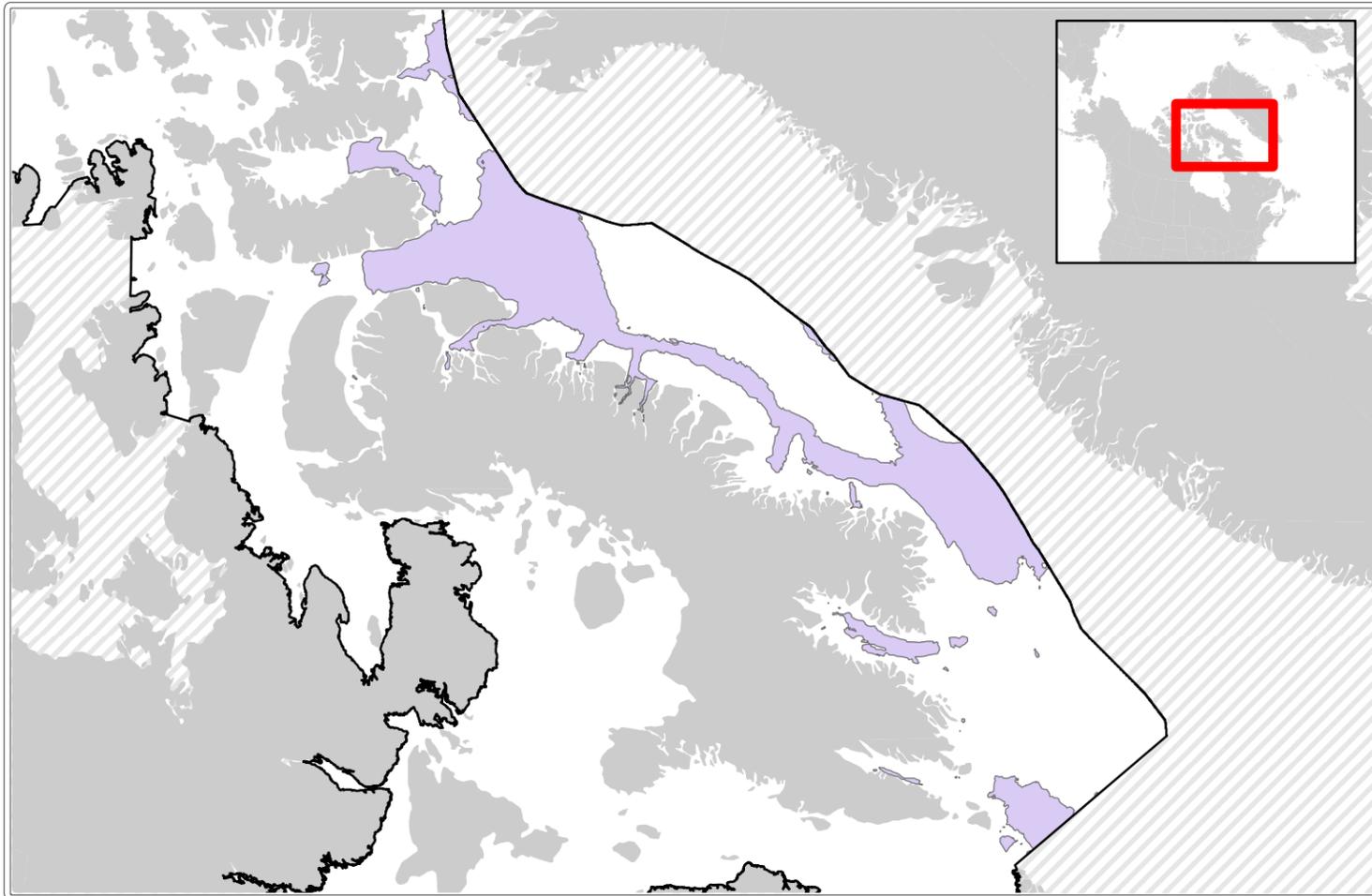
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Arctic skate (*Amblyraja hyperborea*) habitat (EA)

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

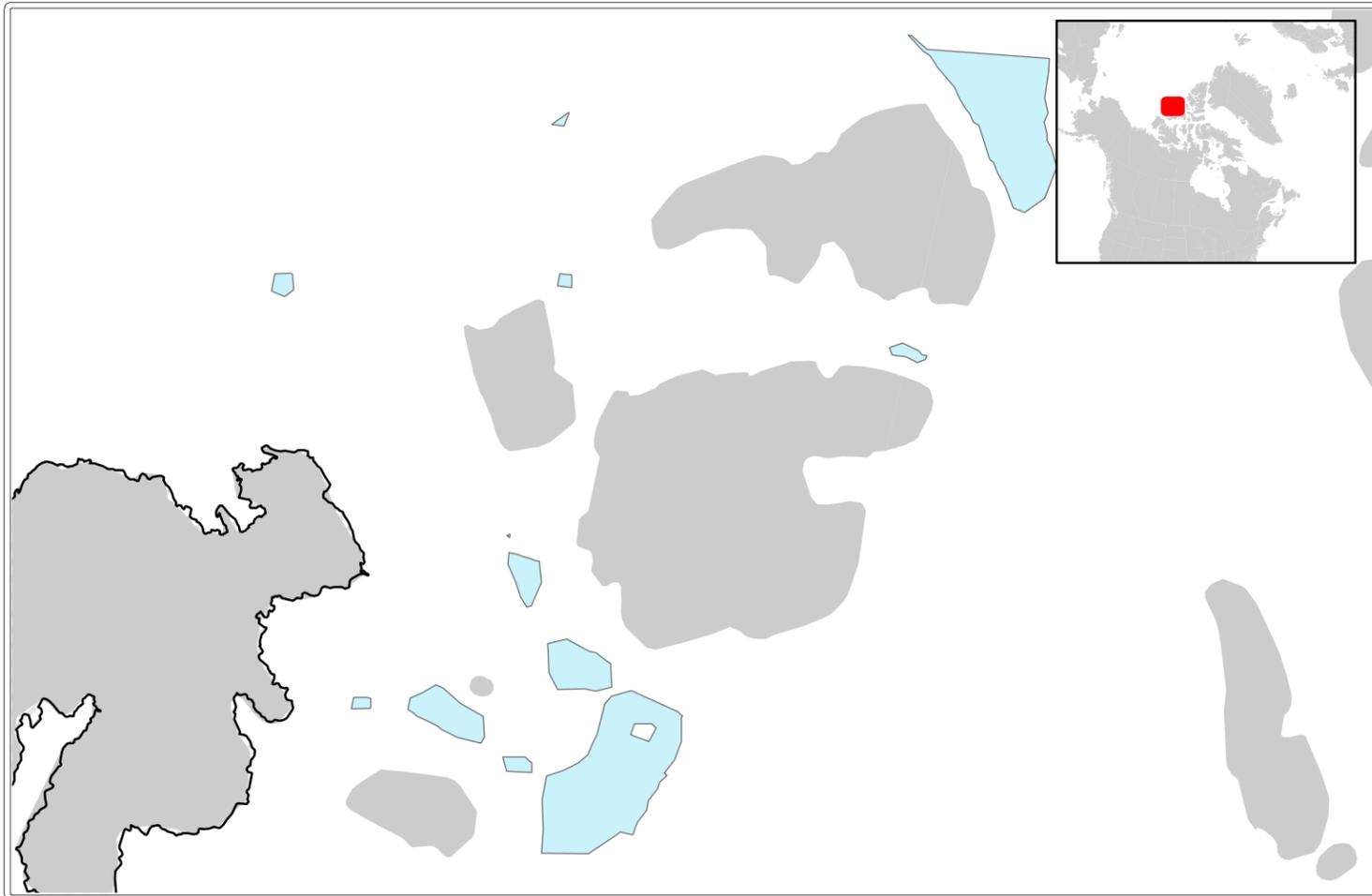
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Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago

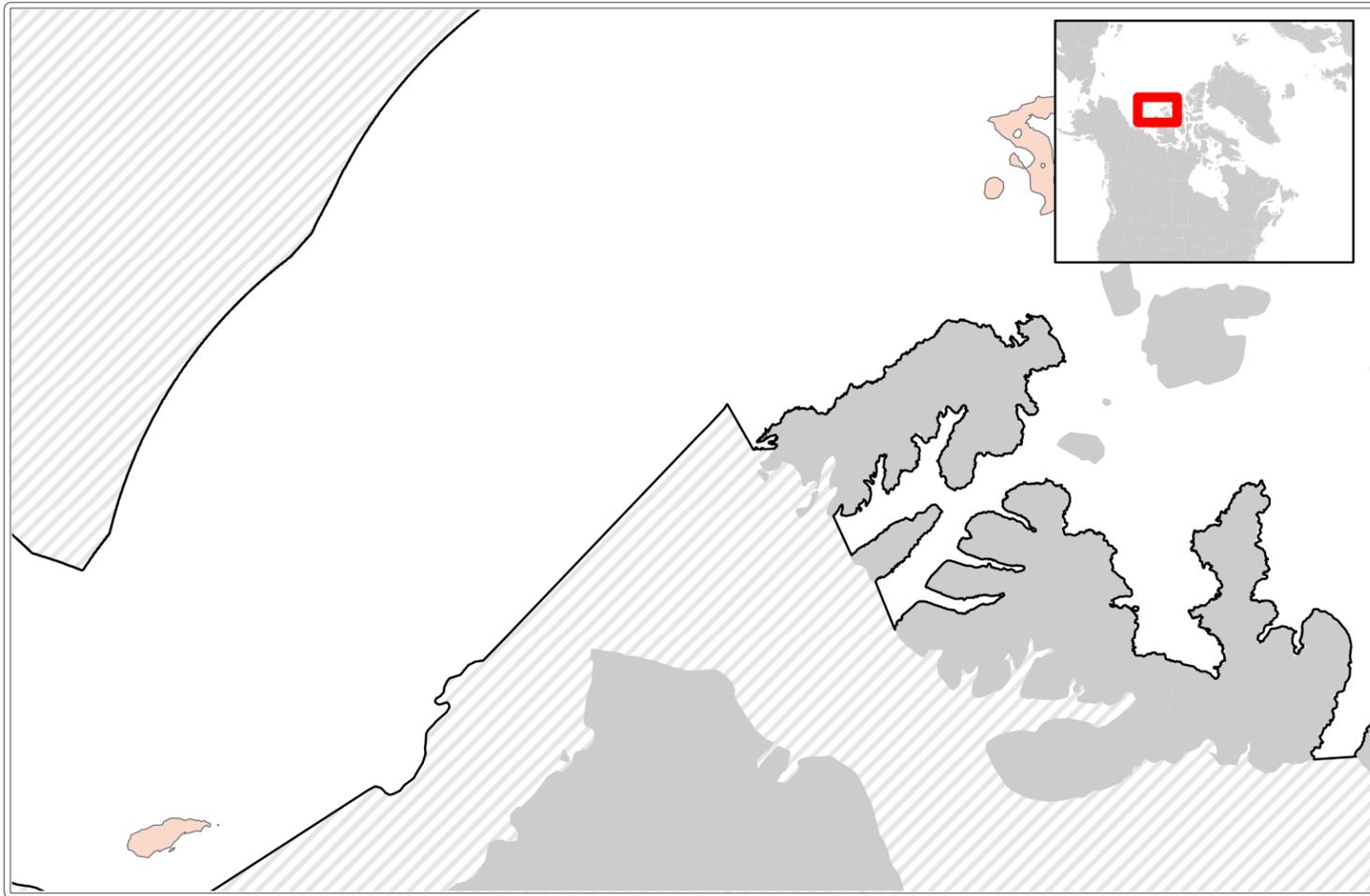
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Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Basin

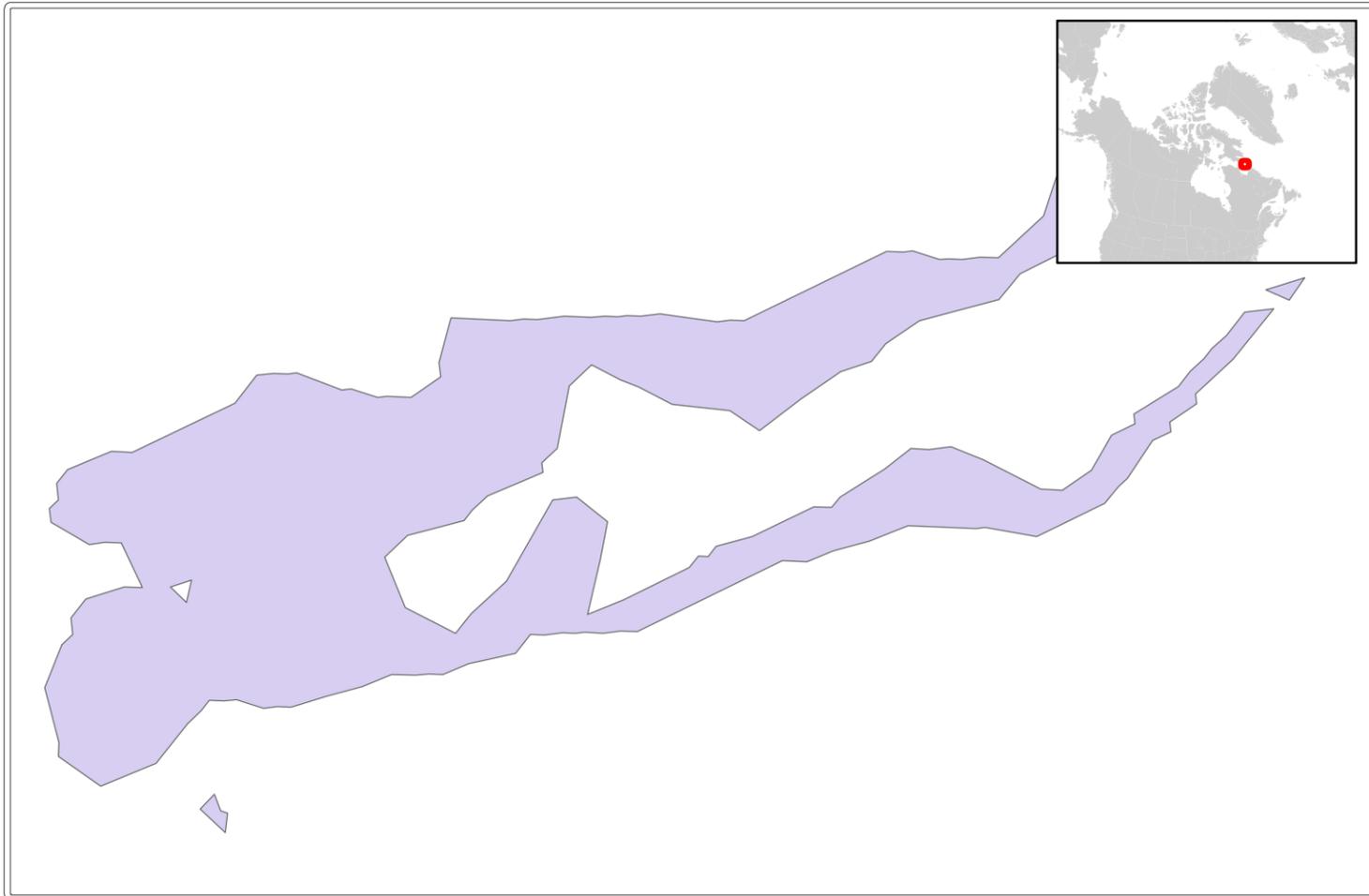
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Spinytail skate (*Bathyraja spinicauda*) habitat (HB)

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Associated Report: (1) Marine Fishes of Arctic Canada; (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

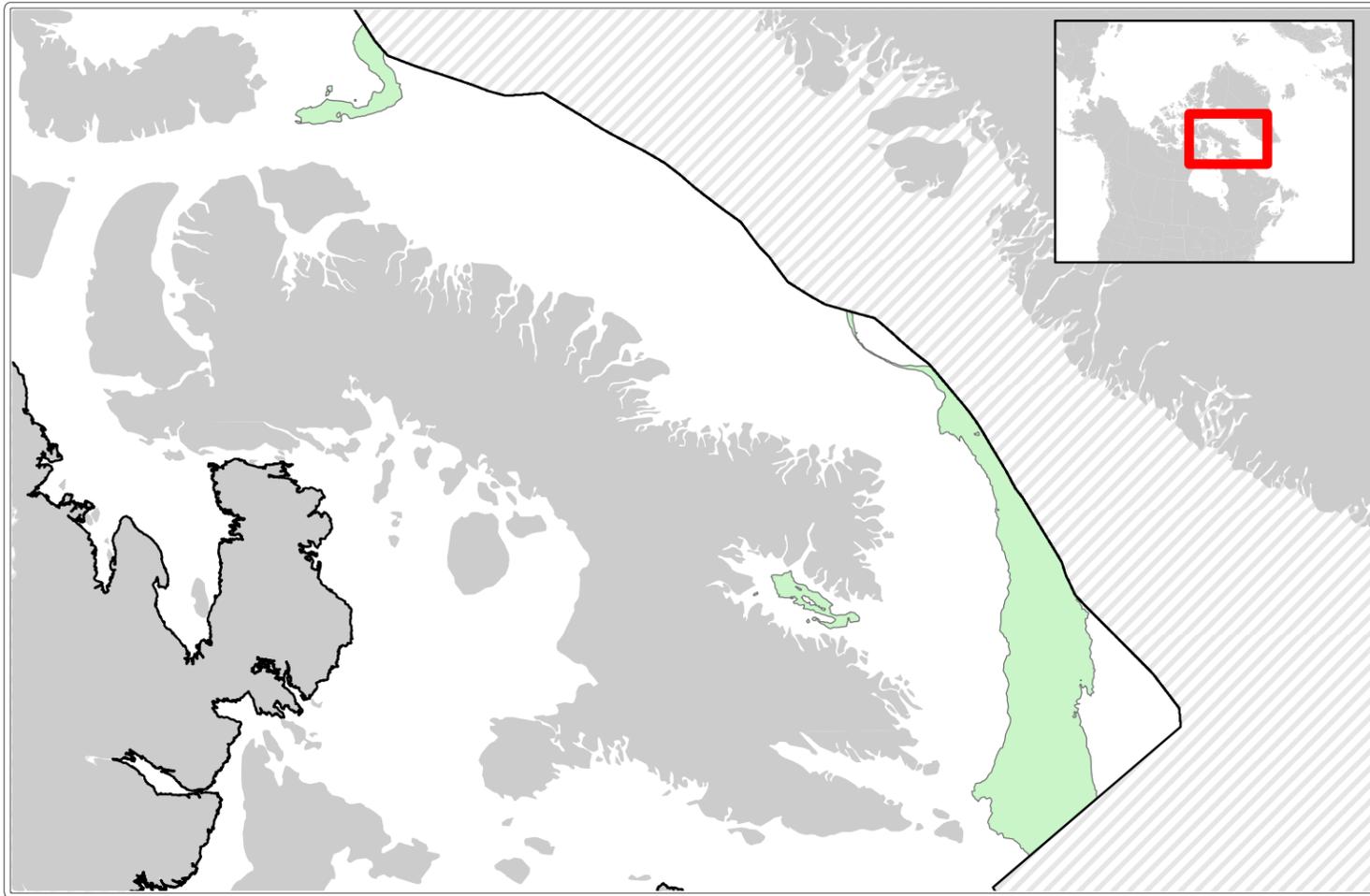
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Spinytail skate (*Bathyraja spinicauda*) habitat (EA)

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

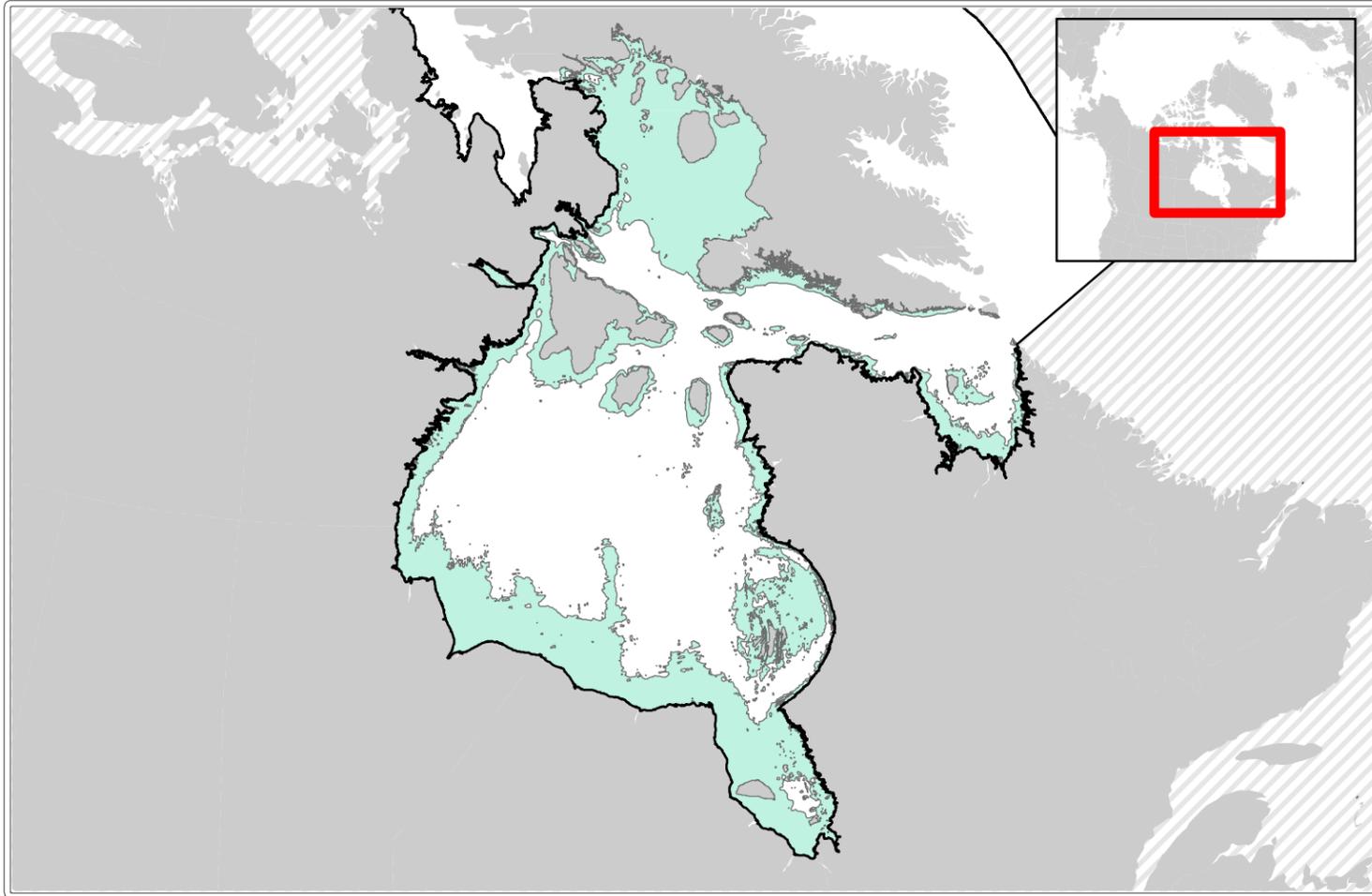
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Fourhorn sculpin (*Myoxocephalus quadricornis*) habitat (HB)

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

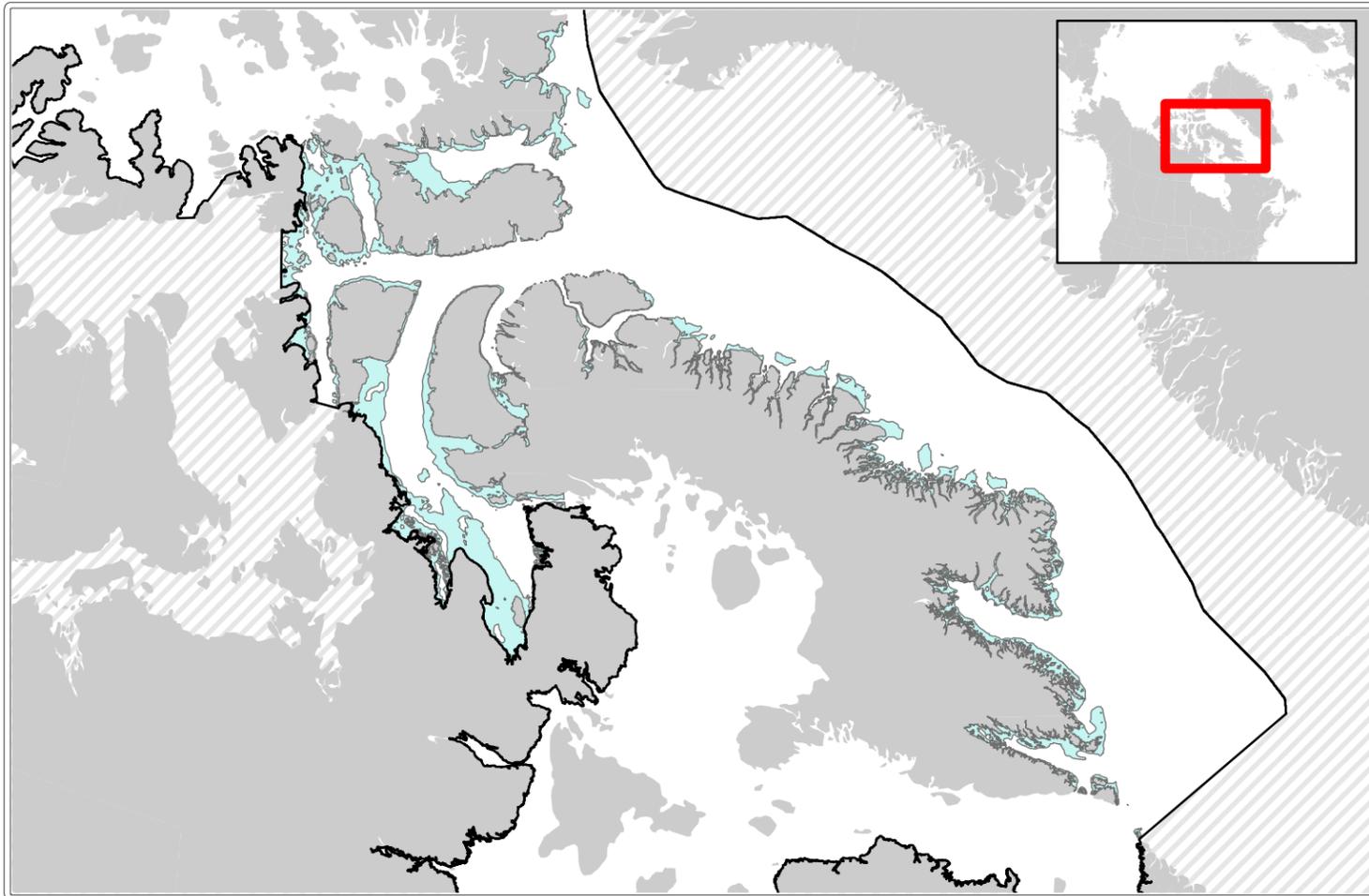
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Fourhorn sculpin (*Myoxocephalus quadricornis*) habitat (EA)

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Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

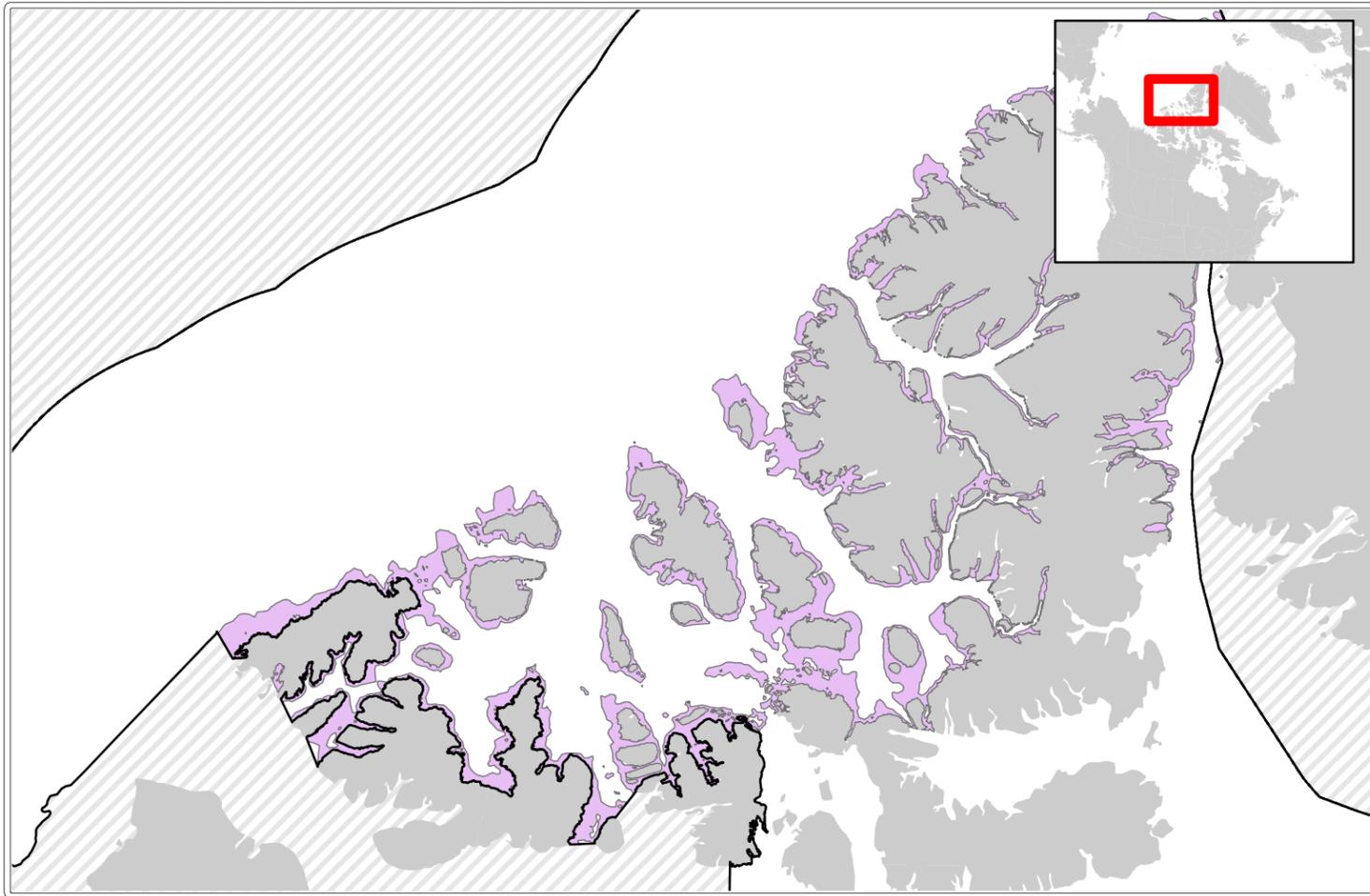
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Fourhorn sculpin (*Myoxocephalus quadricornis*) habitat (AA)

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Marine Bioregion: Arctic Archipelago

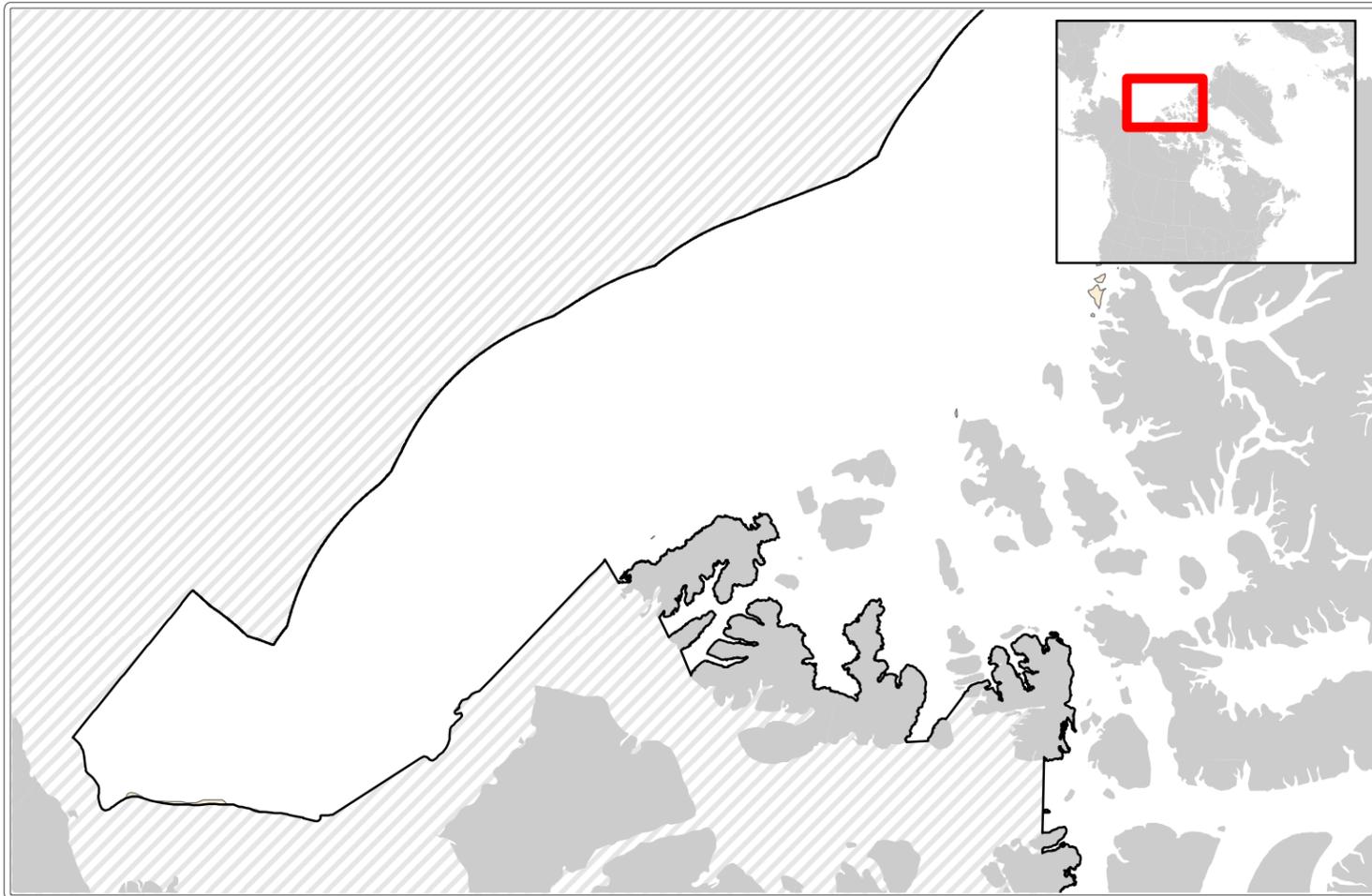
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Associated Links

(1) Marine Fishes of Arctic Canada: <https://utorontopress.com/ca/marine-fishes-of-arctic-canada-1>;

(2) OBIS: <https://obis.org/>;

(3) GBIF: <https://www.gbif.org/>



Fourhorn sculpin (*Myoxocephalus quadricornis*) habitat (AB)

Date: (1) 2018; (2) Accessed June 2018; (3) Accessed June 2018

Open Source: (1) No; (2) Yes; (3) Yes

Organization: (1) University of Toronto Press; (2) Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission of UNESCO; (3)

Associated Report: (1) Marine Fishes of Arctic Canada; (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

Authors: (1) Brian W. Coad & James D. Reist (eds.); (2) OBIS; (3) GBIF

Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Arctic Basin

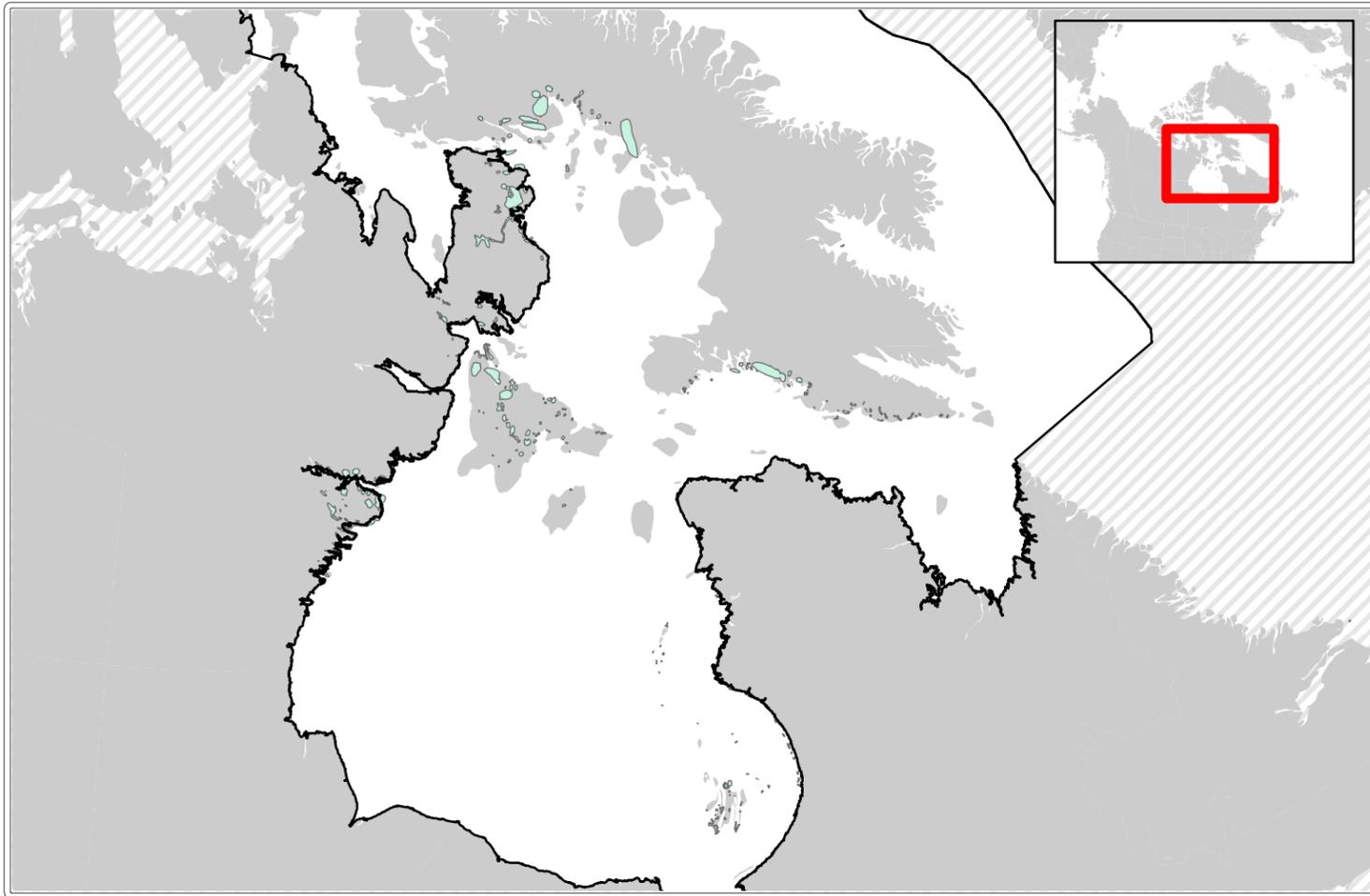
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Arctic char locally identified habitat (HB)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

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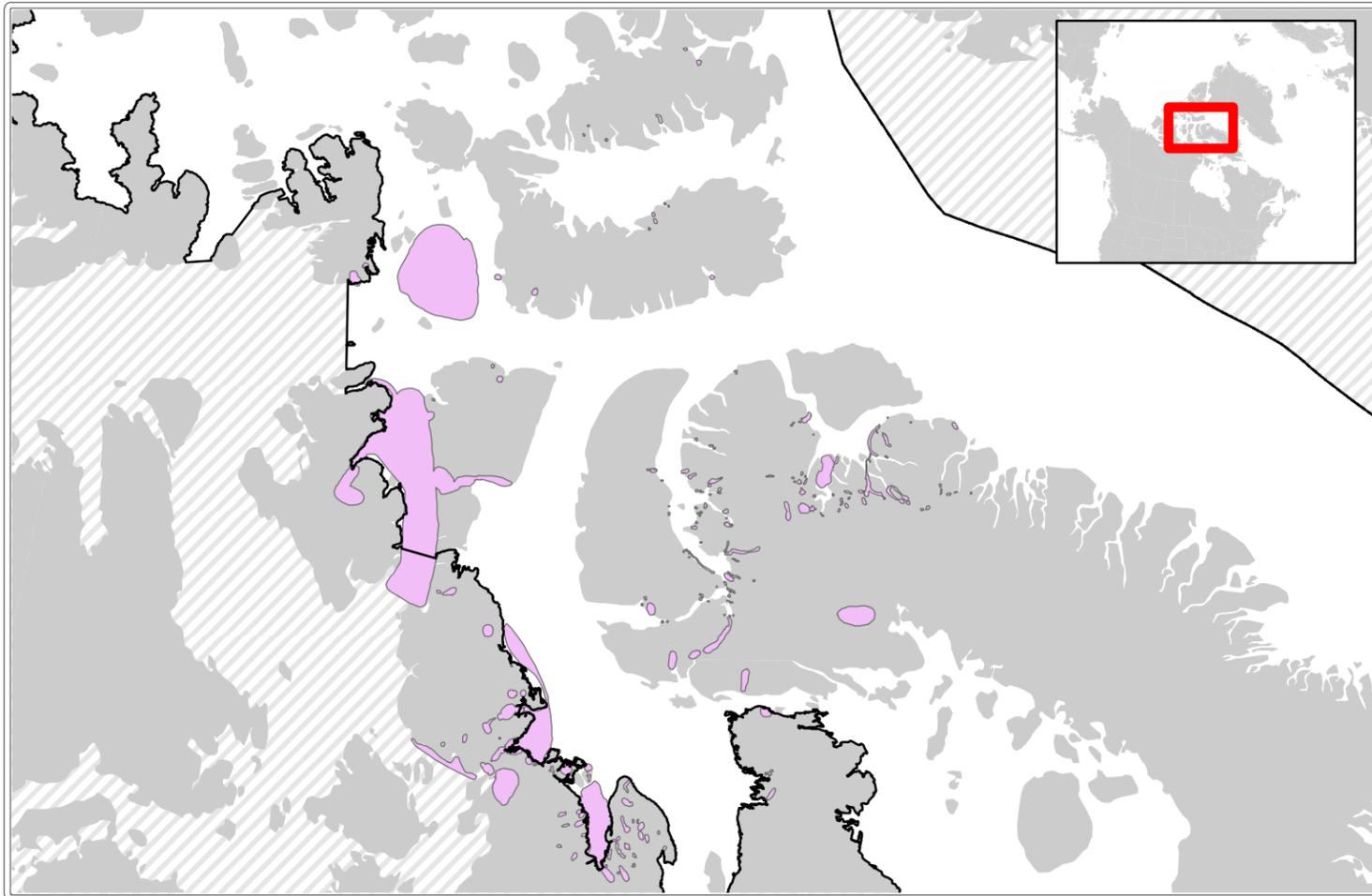
Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

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Associated Links

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Arctic char locally identified habitat (Lancaster-Boothia Area - EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

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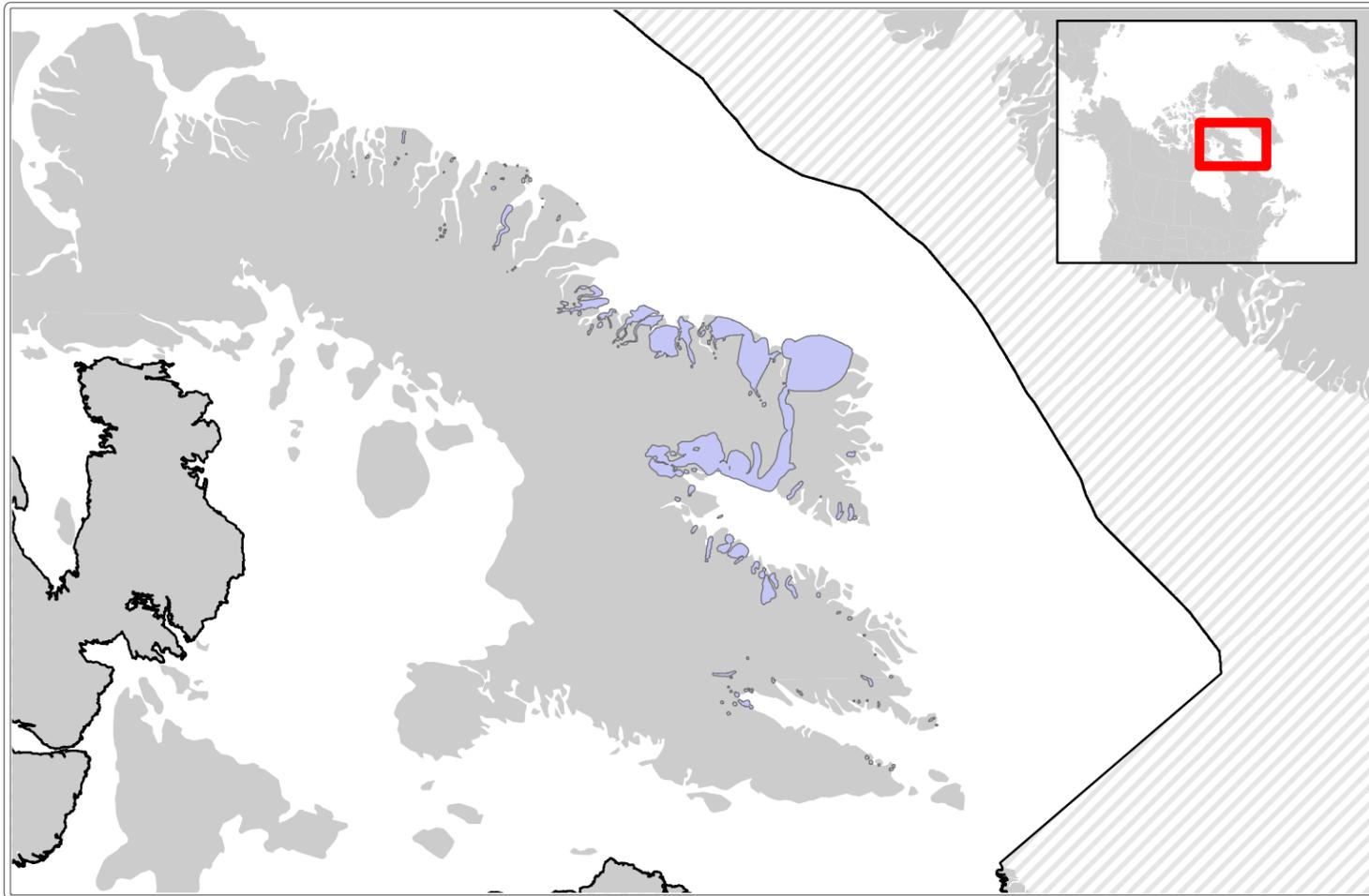
Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Eastern Arctic

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Arctic char locally identified habitat, South Baffin Bay (EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

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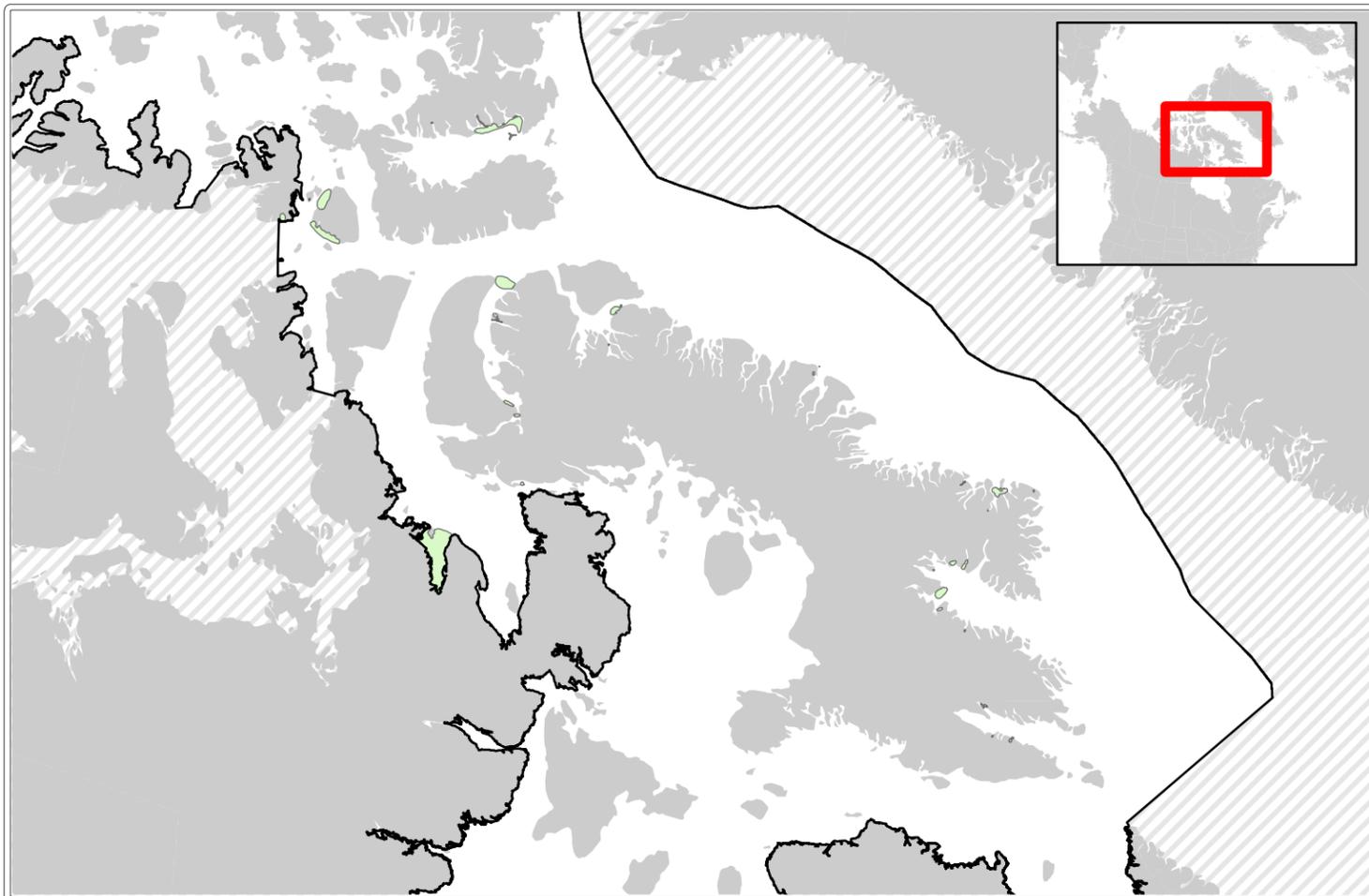
Management Unit: N/A

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Arctic cod locally identified habitat (EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

Data Summary

Management Unit: N/A

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Arctic cod locally identified habitat (HB)

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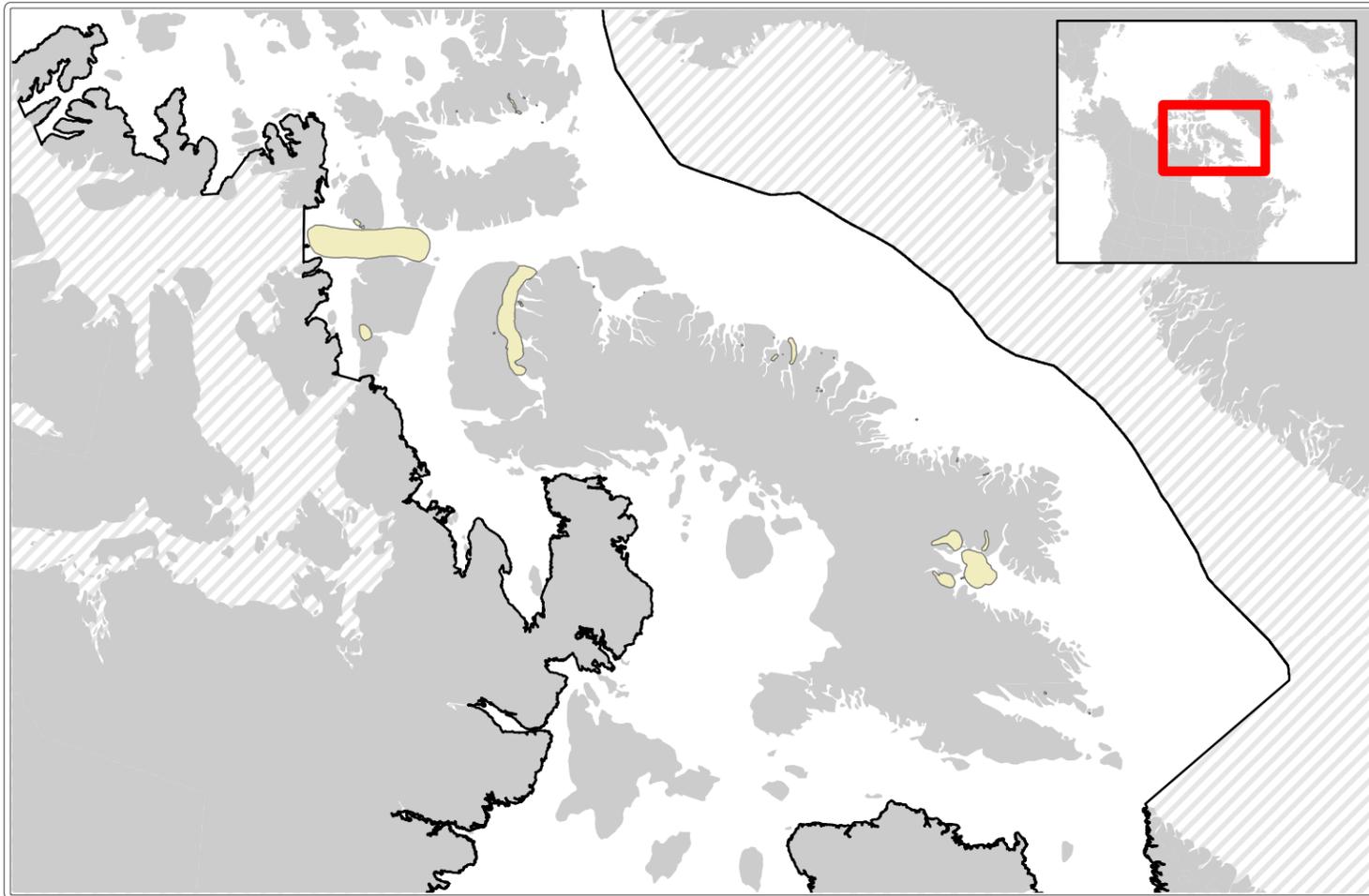
Management Unit: N/A

Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

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Greenland shark locally identified habitat (EA)

Date: Community-specific inventories developed between 2008-2017.

Open Source: No

Organization: Government of Nunavut Department of Environment, Fisheries and Sealing Division

Associated Report: Nunavut Coastal Resource Inventory

Authors: Government of Nunavut

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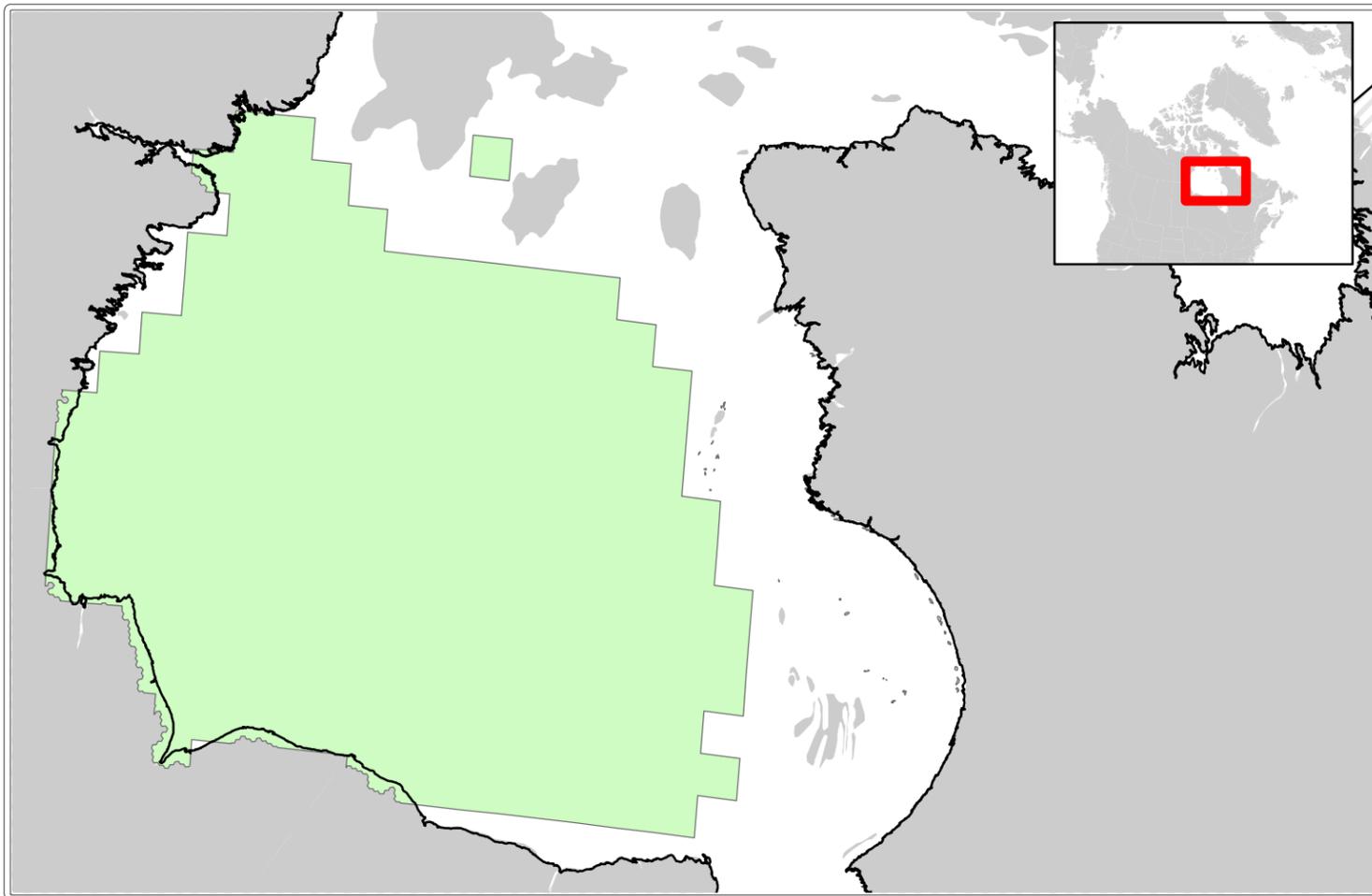
Management Unit: N/A

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Polar bear hotspots, winter (HB)

Date: 2018

Open Source: No

Organization: Multiple

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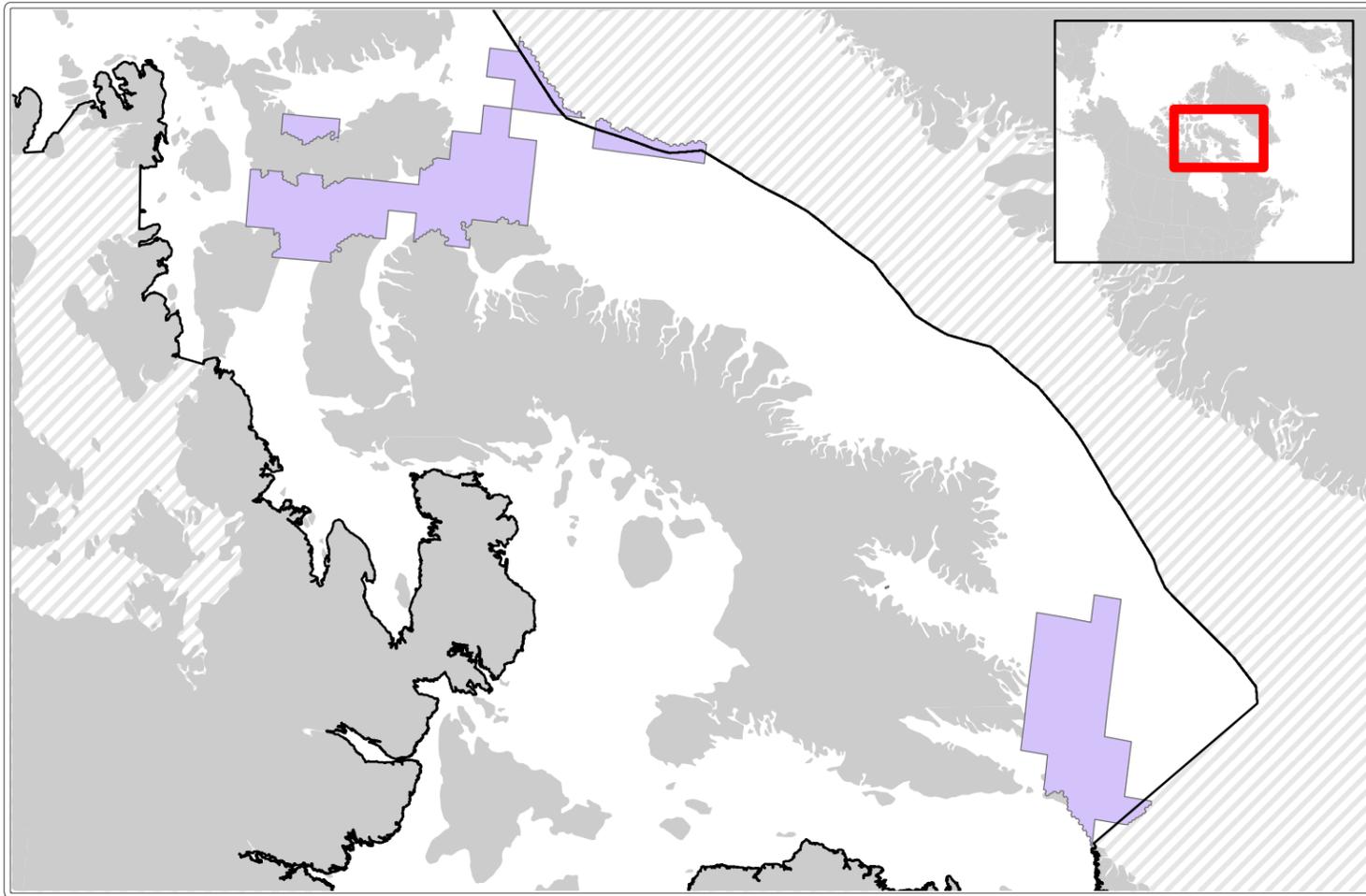
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2001: Polar bear key habitats



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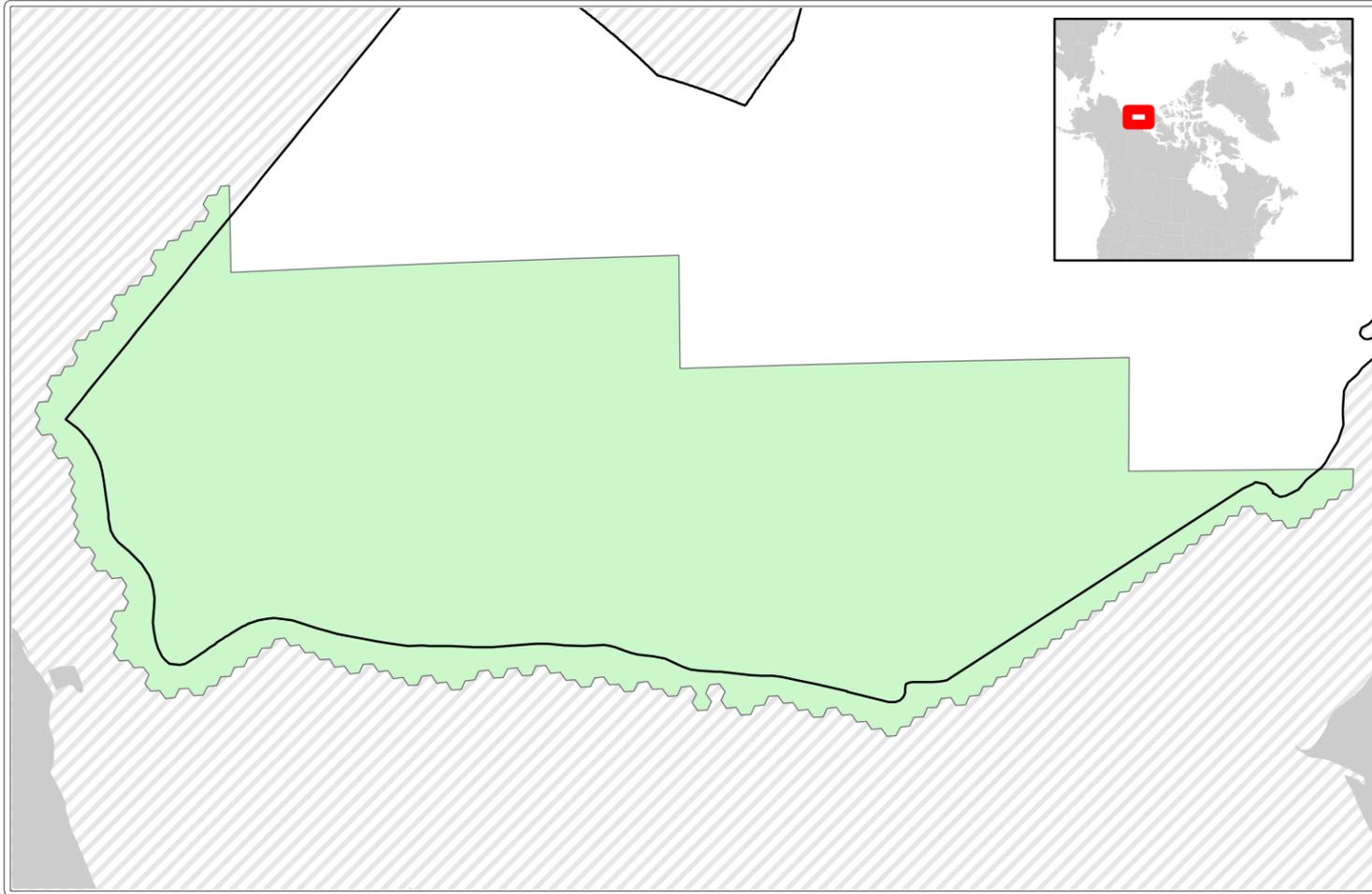
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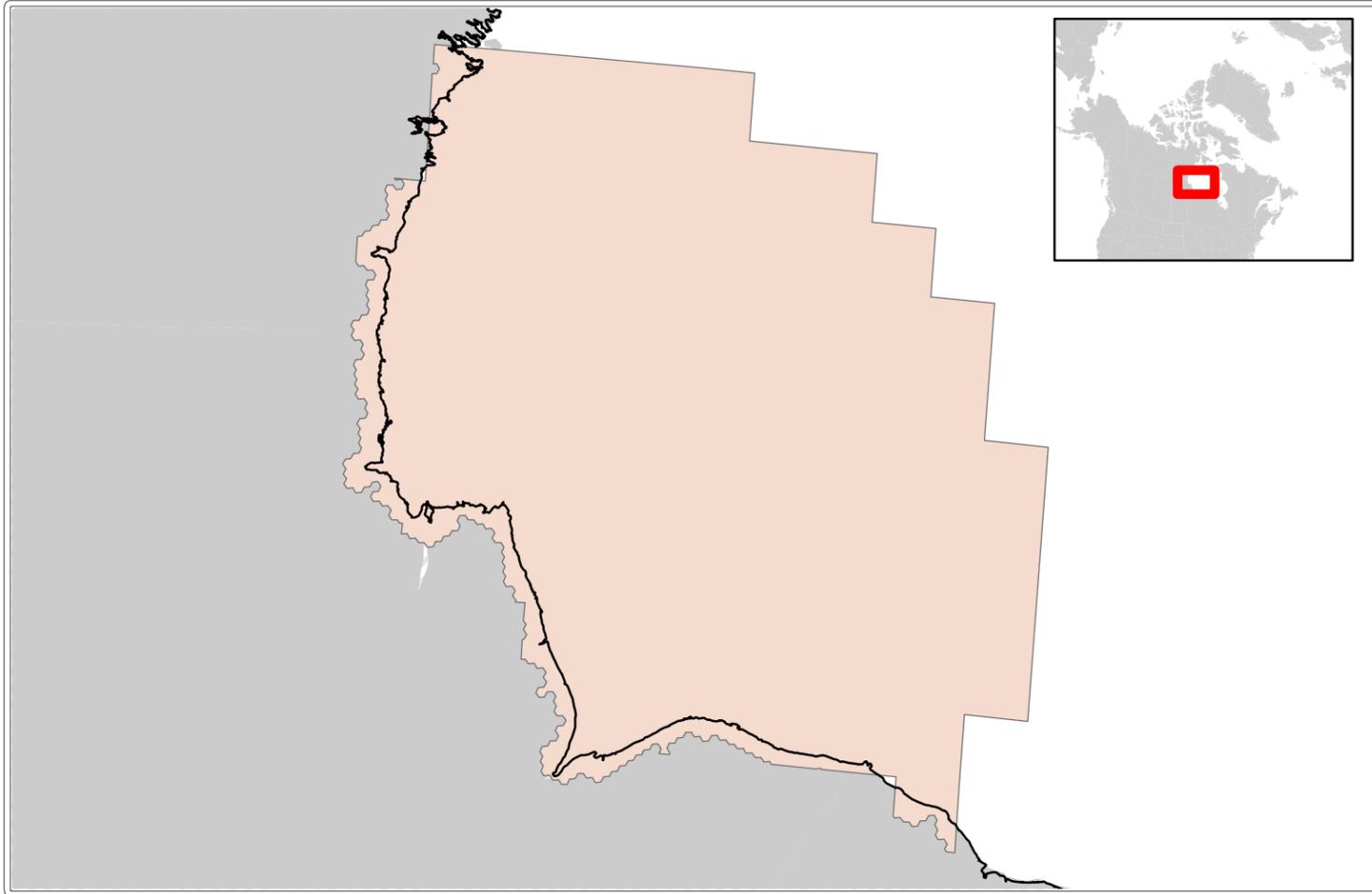
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Data Summary

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Marine Bioregion: Hudson Bay Complex

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Polar bear hotspots, summer (HB)

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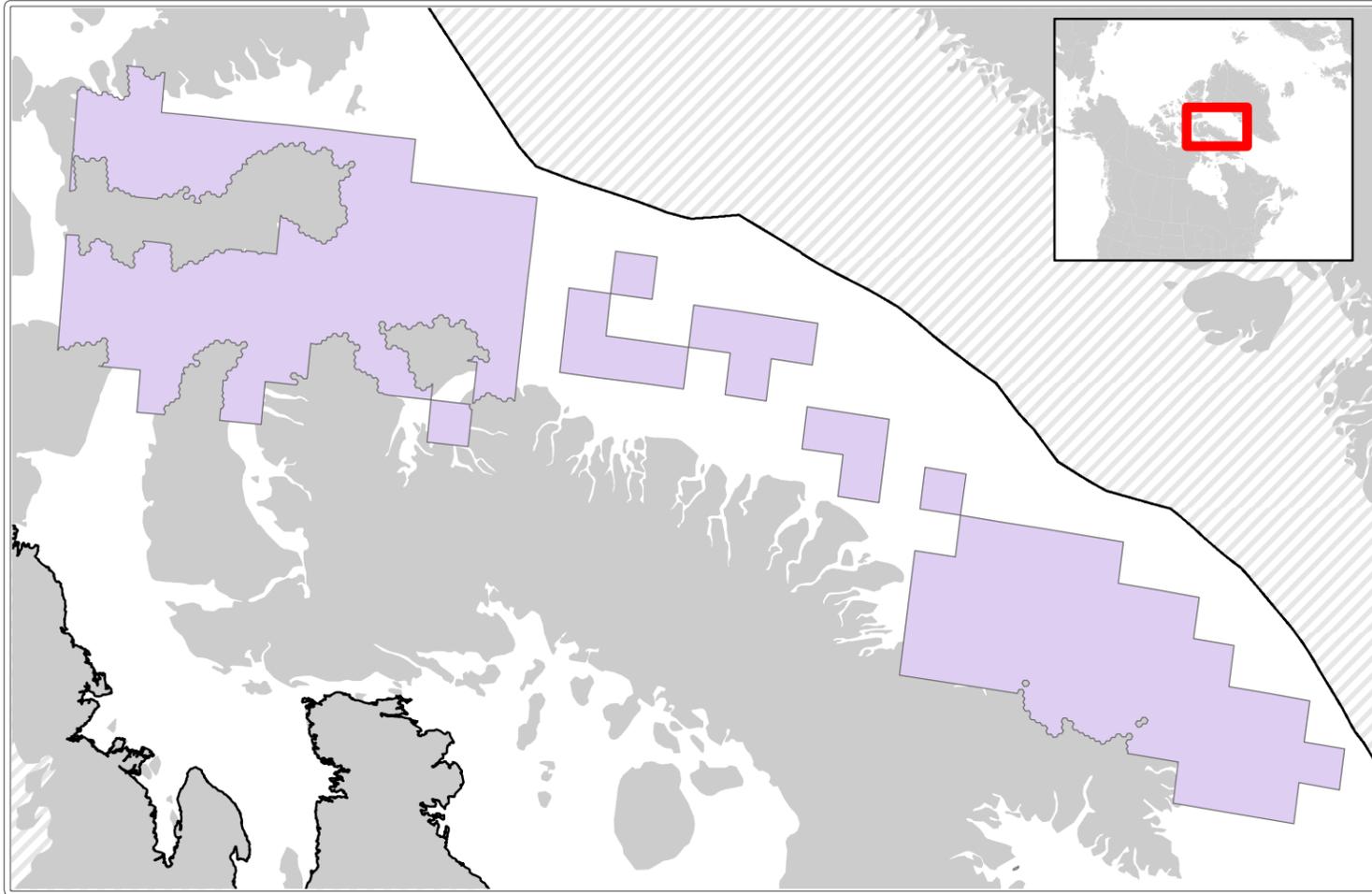
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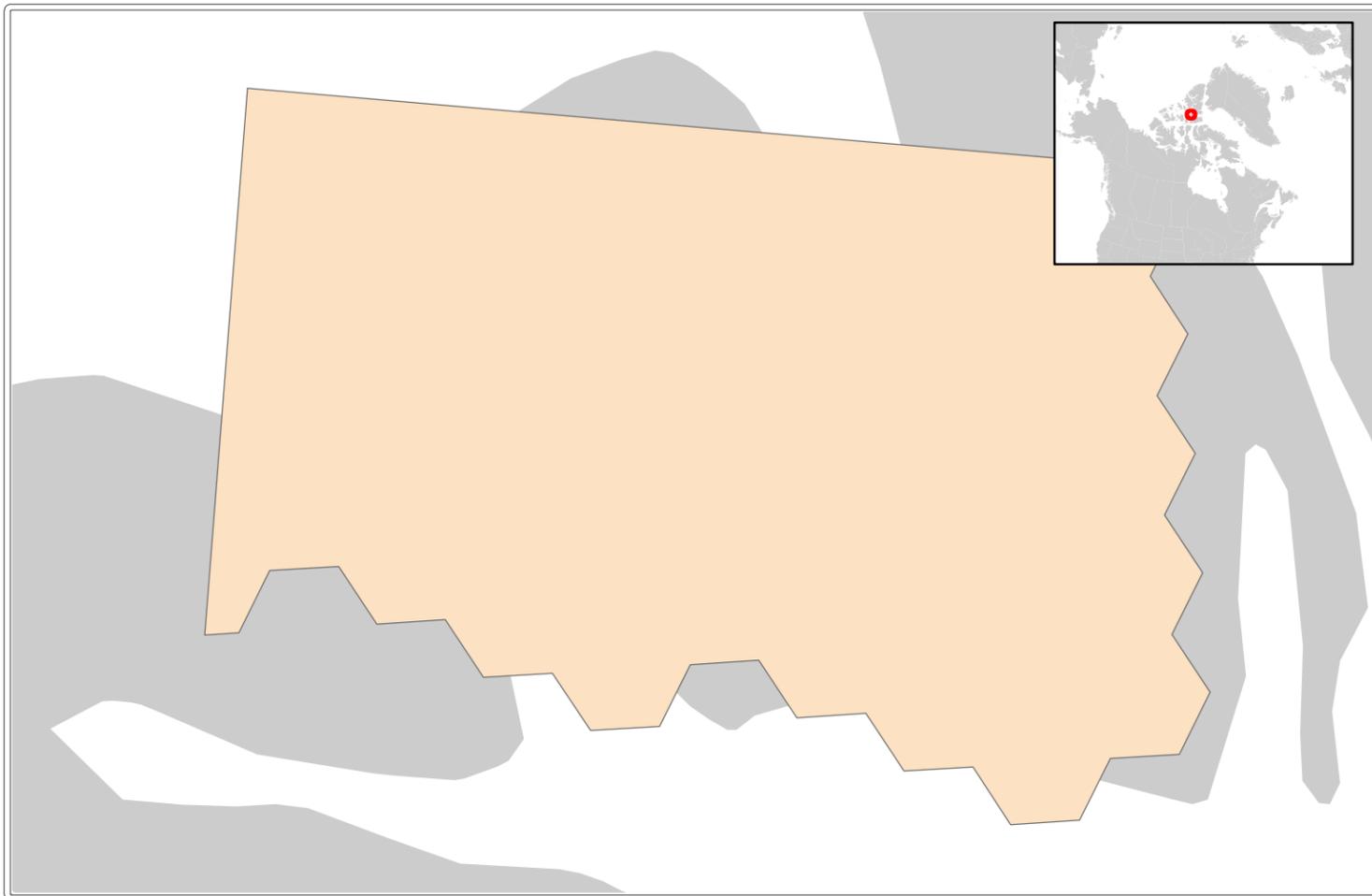
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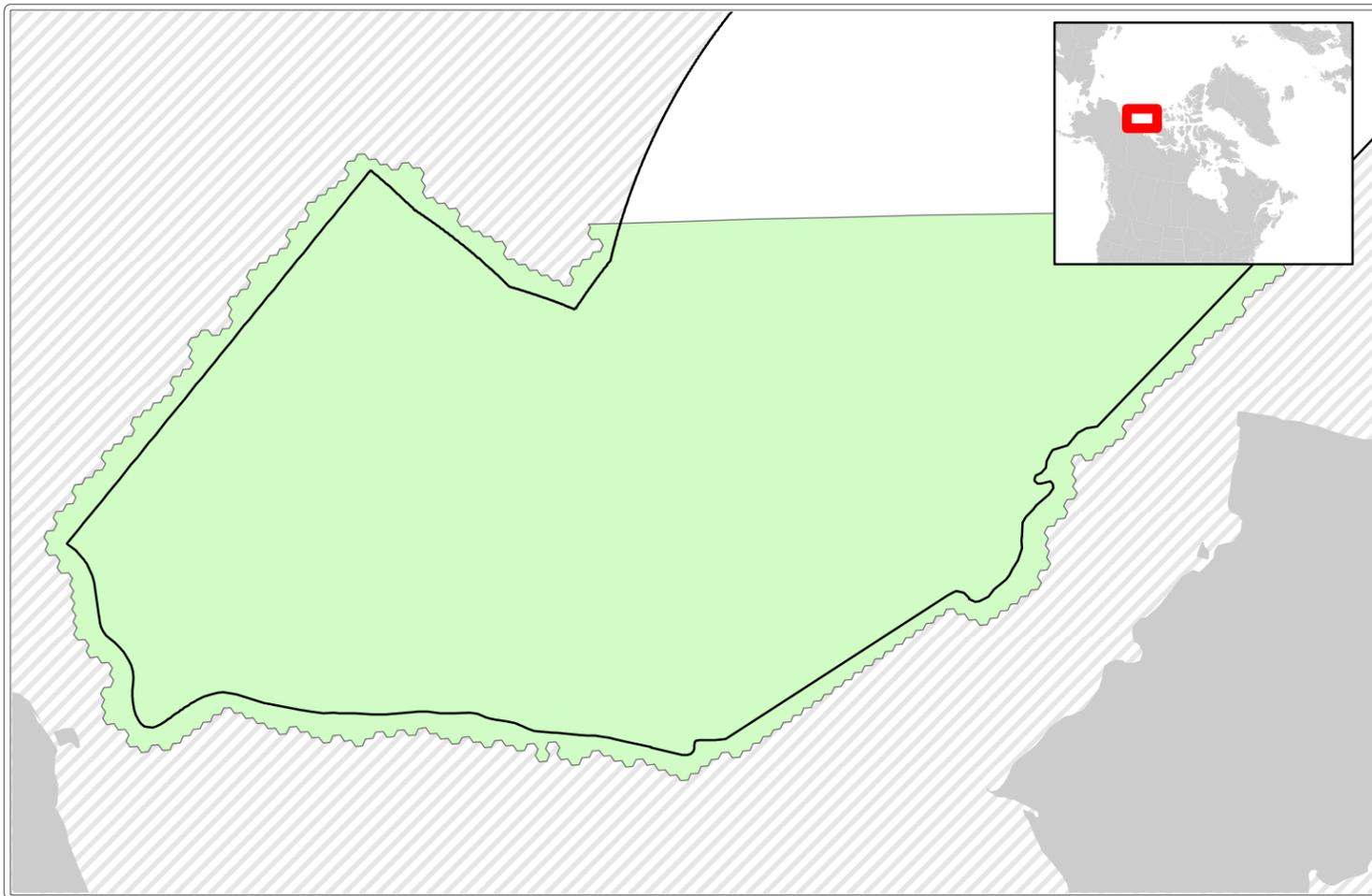
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