



**Non-reef bioregion: NP Eastern Plateau**

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**Bioregion Description**

Based on depth, region broadens towards Eastern Plateau; some fine pelagic sediments.

<b>Existing zoning within bioregion (as % of total bioregion area)</b>			<b>Bioregion area</b>	14,298 km <sup>2</sup>
Preservation *	Pink	<1 %	<b>Proportion of the GBRMP</b>	4 %
Marine National Park 'B' / National Park *	Dark Green	14 %		
General Use 'B' / Habitat Protection	Dark Blue	1 %	<b>No-take Zone statistics</b>	
General Use 'A' / General Use	Light Blue	84 %	Area of no-take zone(s)	2,057 km <sup>2</sup>
WHA outside the GBRMP		<1 %	Percent of bioregion	14 %
* No-take zones			Number of no-take zones	3

**Bathymetry**

Median depth 1,179 m

**Area exposed to flooding events 1994 - 98**

No recorded event 100 %

**Substrate - Grain size**

Gravel dominated area

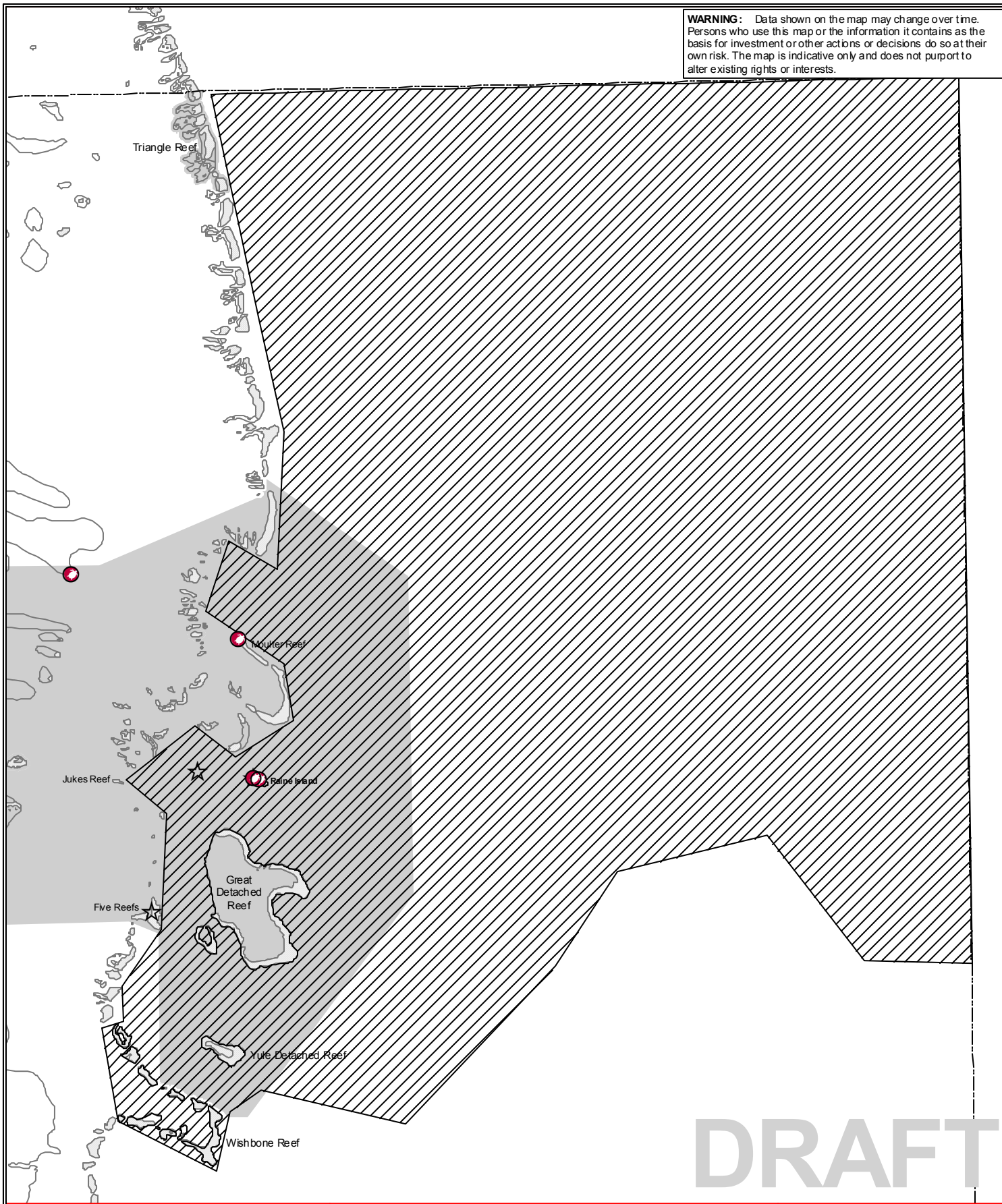
**Biological - this bioregion is known to contain samples of these biological assemblages and/or habitats**

- Sponges
- Soft corals
- Jellyfish
- Halimeda*
- Crabs
- Bryozoans
- Turtle nesting sites

**Interim biophysically special/unique sites**

Offshore: Moulter Reef to Jukes Reef/Raine Reefs & south to 5-Reefs  
Raine Island

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