



Non-reef bioregion: NTE Eastern Pelagic Platform

NTE

Bioregion Description

Gentle broad slope. Mostly fine pelagic sediments with several long (30 nm) E-W shoals of extensive plate corals to 5-10m depth. A number of mobile sand banks have formed under East Australian Current.

Existing zoning within bioregion (as % of total bioregion area)

General Use 'A' / General Use	Light Blue	99 %
WHA outside the GBRMP		1 %

* No-take zones

Bioregion area 2,430 km²

Proportion of the GBRMP 1 %

No-take Zone statistics

Area of no-take zone(s) 0 km²

Percent of bioregion 0 %

Number of no-take zones 0

Bathymetry

Median depth 204 m

Area exposed to flooding events 1994 - 98

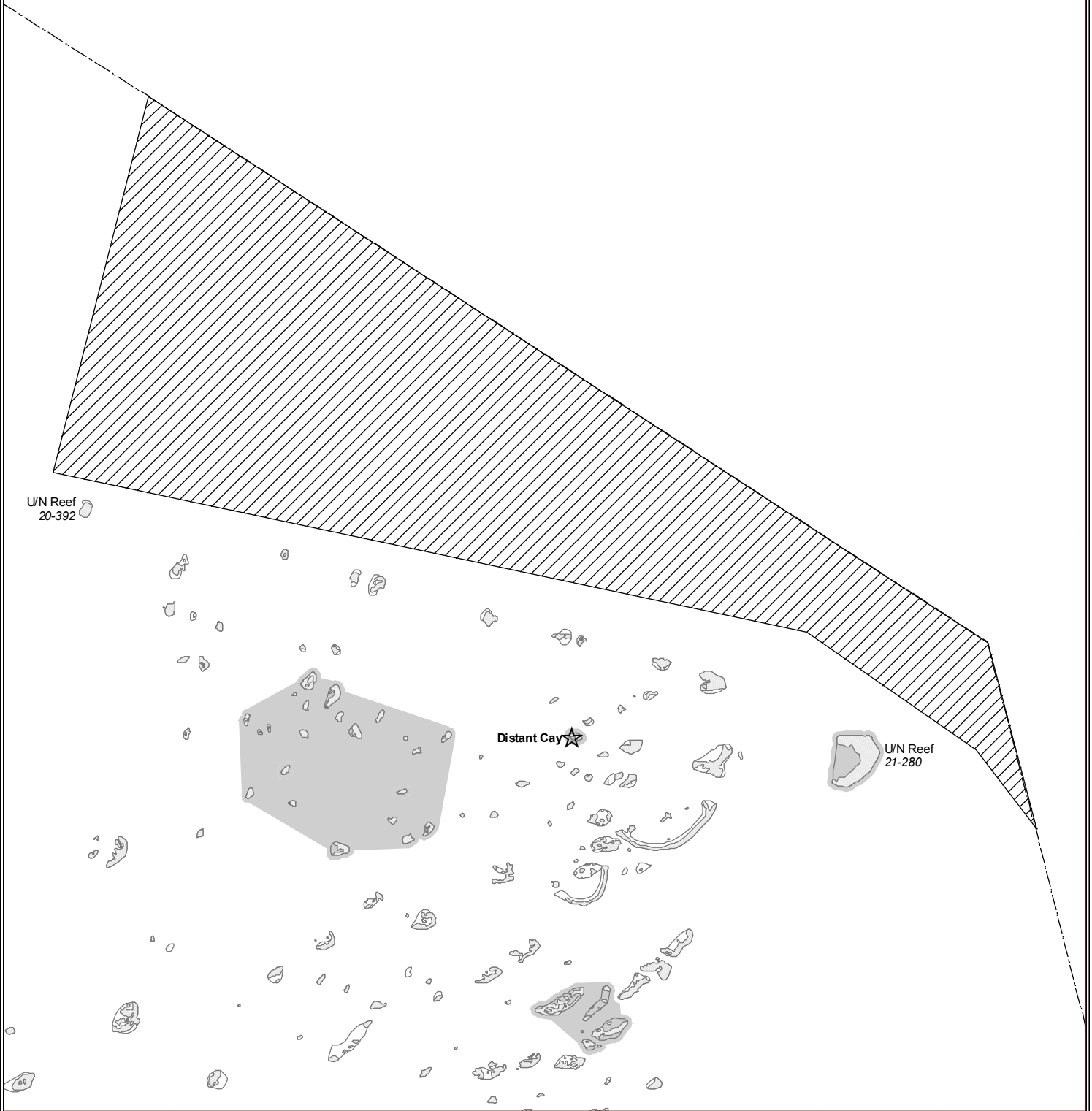
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Substrate - Grain size

Mud dominated area

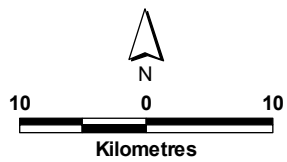
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	Bioregion NTE		Reef edge or shoal edge
	Existing no-take zone		Reef shoal
	National Park (State)		River
	Interim biophysically special/unique sites		GBRMP boundary
	Dugong Protection Area		GBRMP Section boundary
	Turtle nesting site		Built-up area
	Turtle foraging area		

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