

What role for the Nairobi Convention in the high seas?

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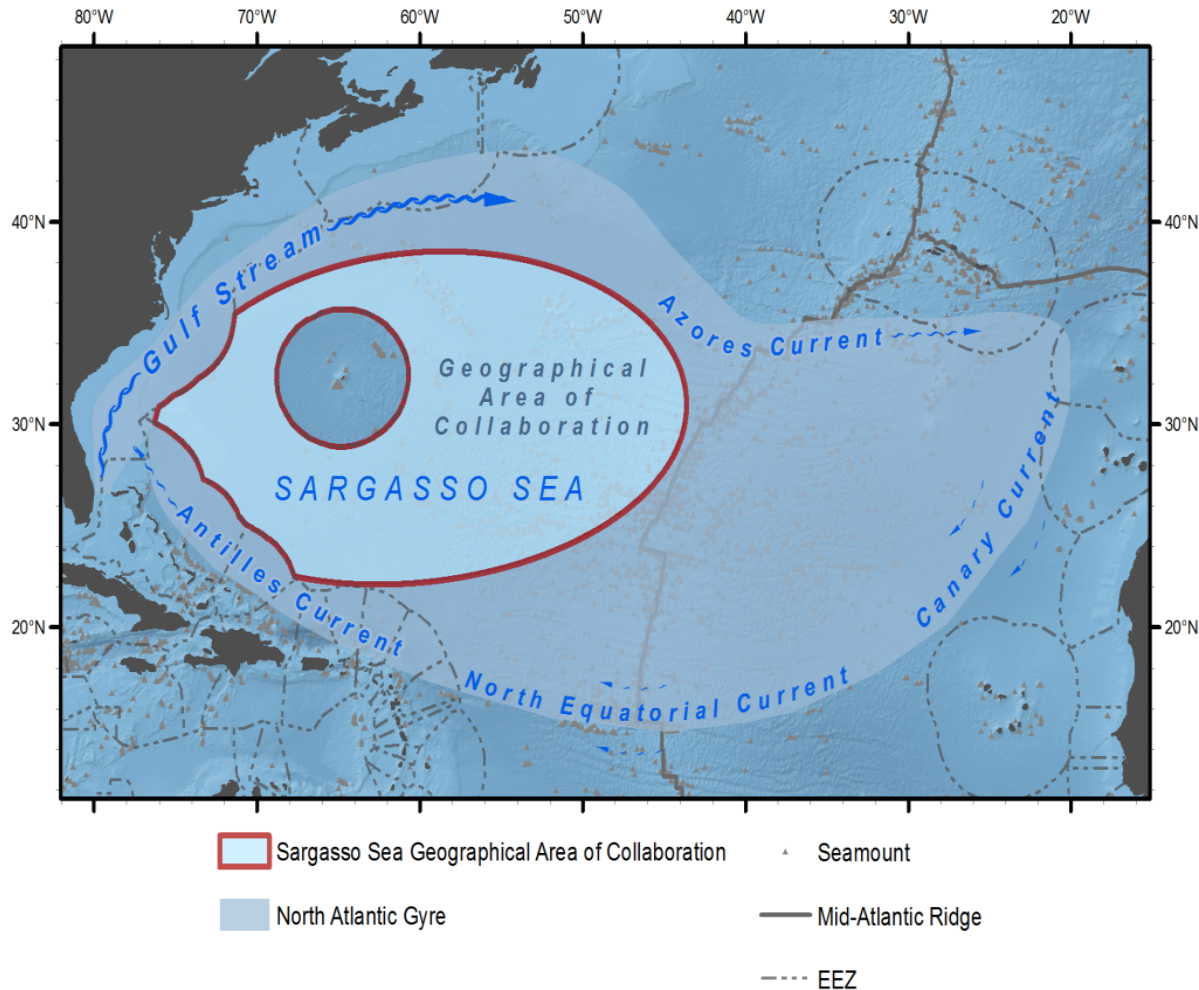
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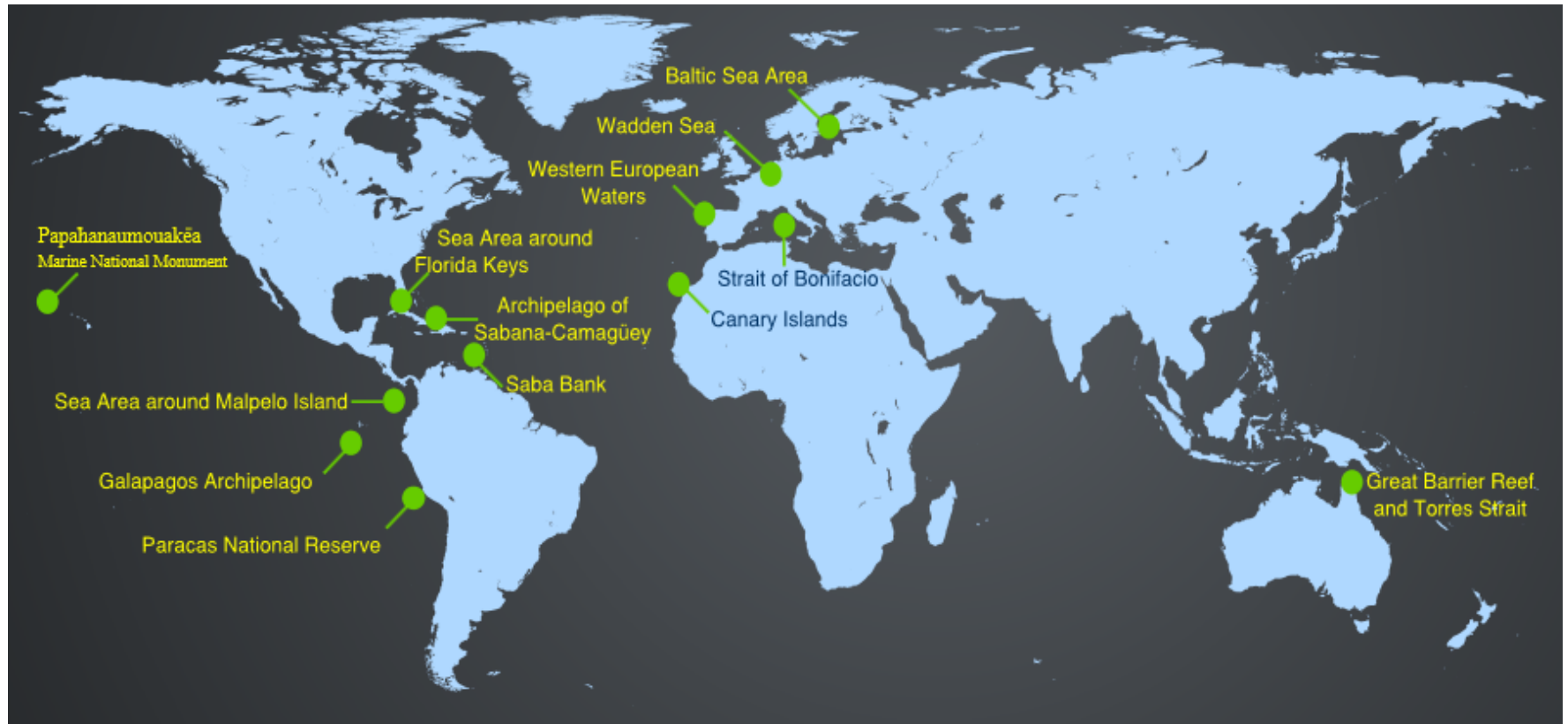
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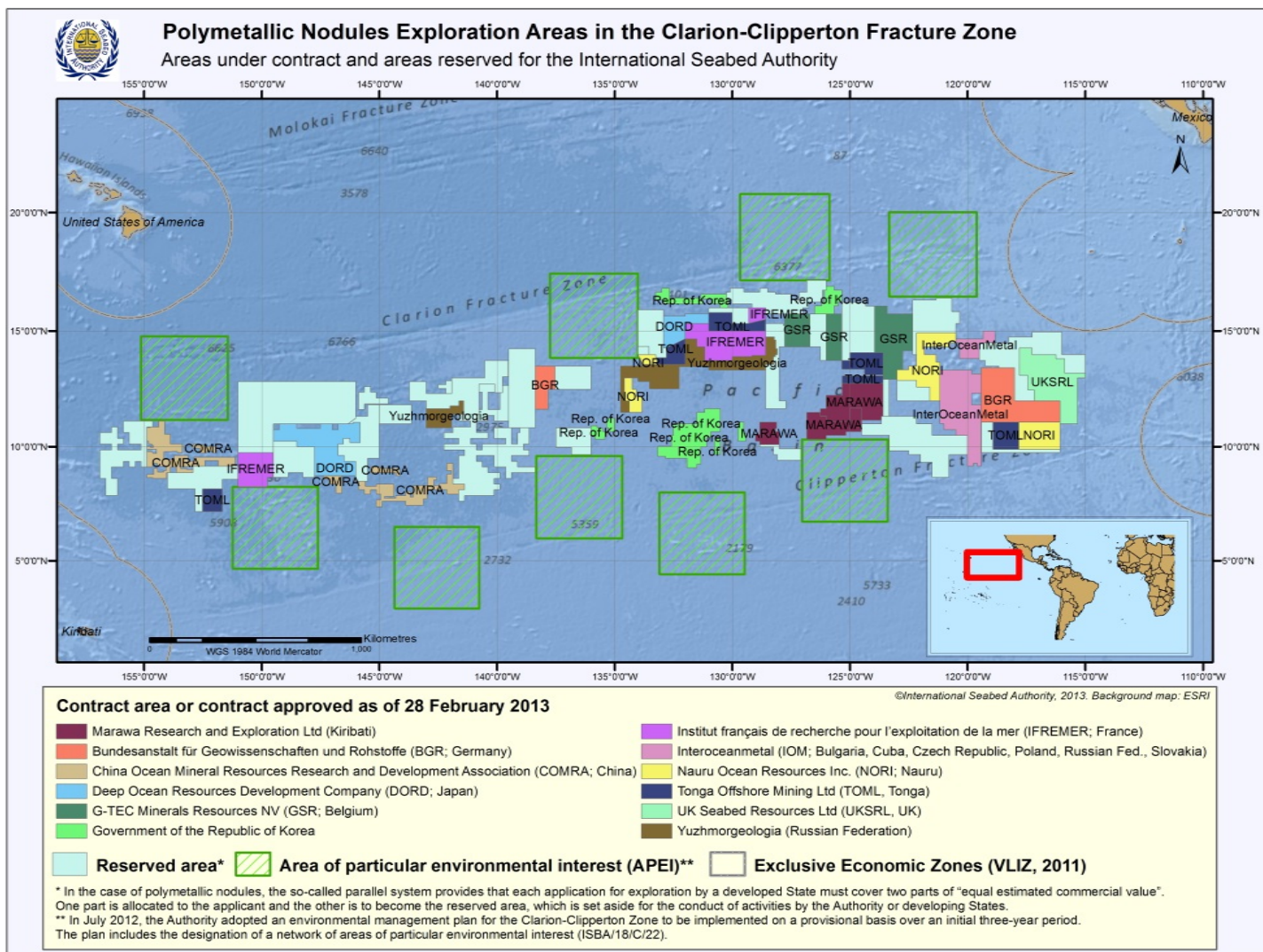
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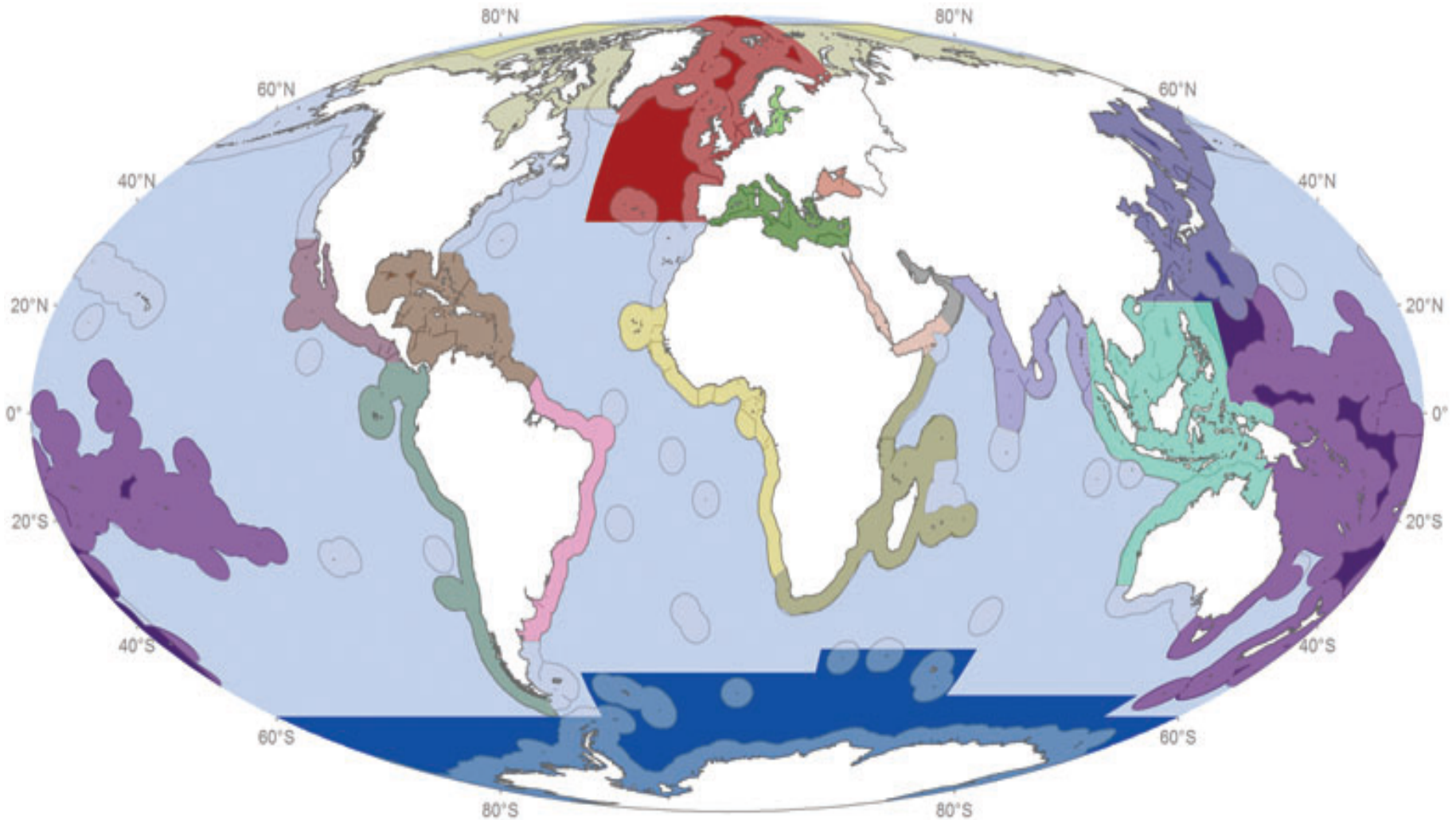


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Approach based on regional organisations

Regional Seas

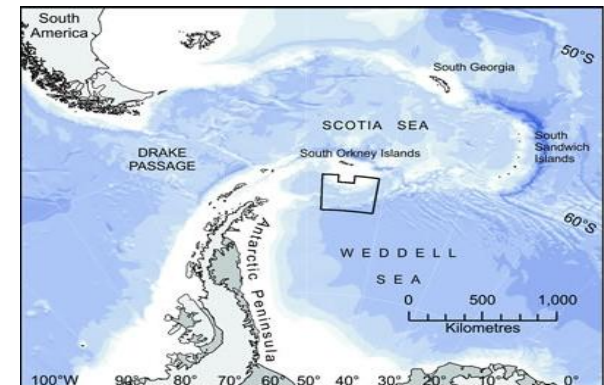
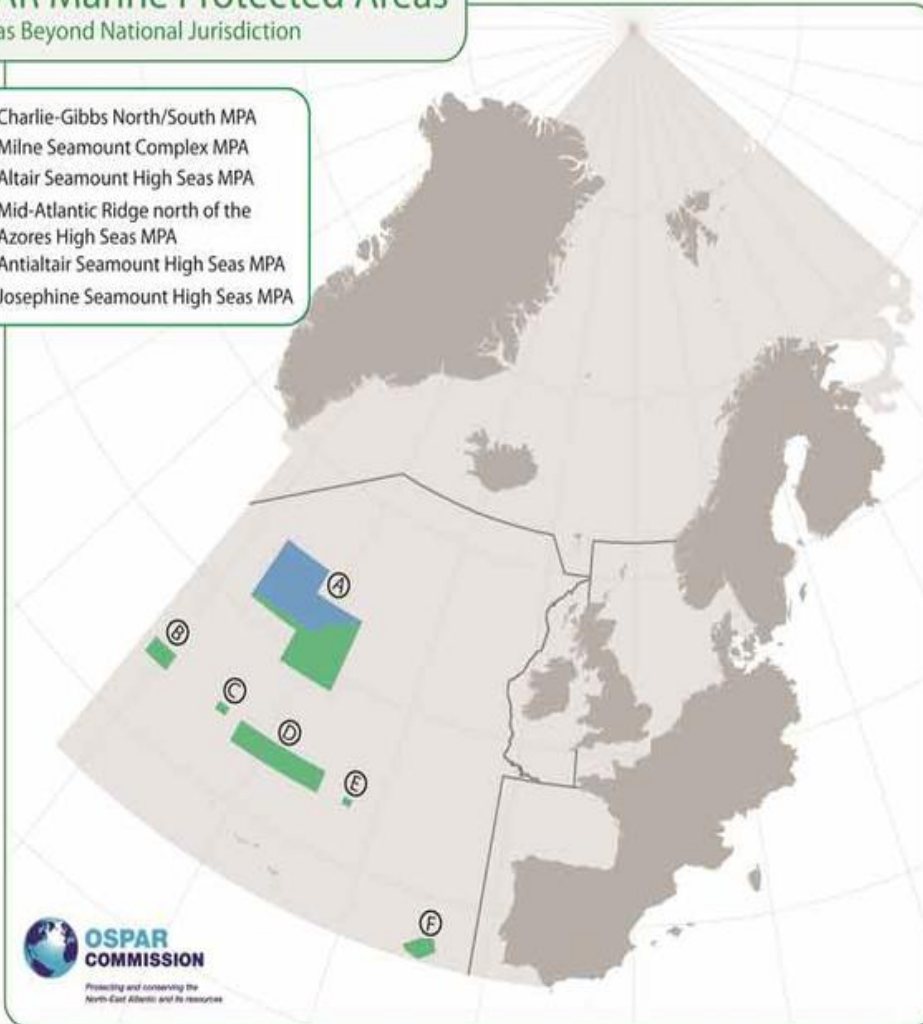


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OSPAR Marine Protected Areas

- in Areas Beyond National Jurisdiction

- (A) Charlie-Gibbs North/South MPA
- (B) Milne Seamount Complex MPA
- (C) Altair Seamount High Seas MPA
- (D) Mid-Atlantic Ridge north of the Azores High Seas MPA
- (E) Antialtair Seamount High Seas MPA
- (F) Josephine Seamount High Seas MPA



Lessons learnt from Regional Seas programmes' experiences

Interests, e.g.:

- Advancing ABNJ governance while the UNCLOS IA negotiations are ongoing
- Raising awareness around the importance of conserving marine biodiversity in ABNJ
- Developing scientific knowledge and management tools

Challenges, e.g.:

- Cooperation and coordination with other competent organisations

Enabling conditions, e.g.:

- An explicit mandate in ABNJ
- Championing the process
- Securing funding to develop the agreed activities

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