

Interagency Working Group on Ocean and Coastal Mapping (IWG-OCM)



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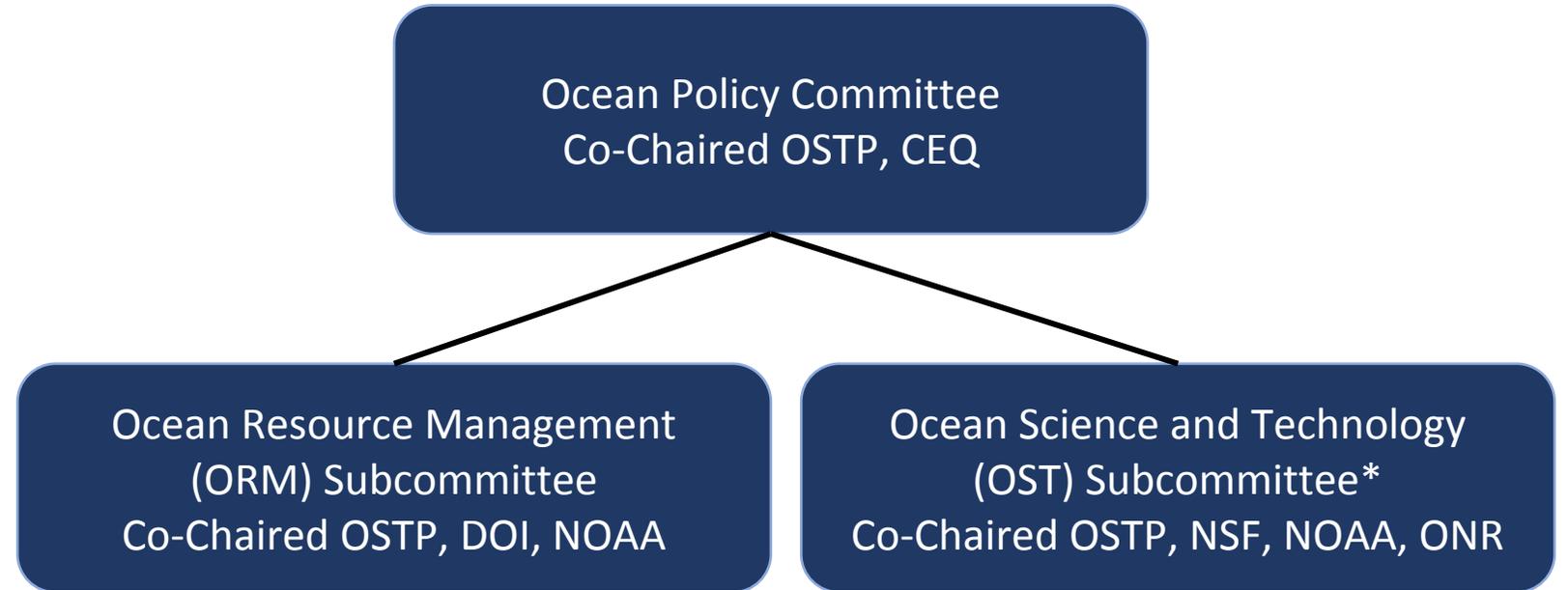
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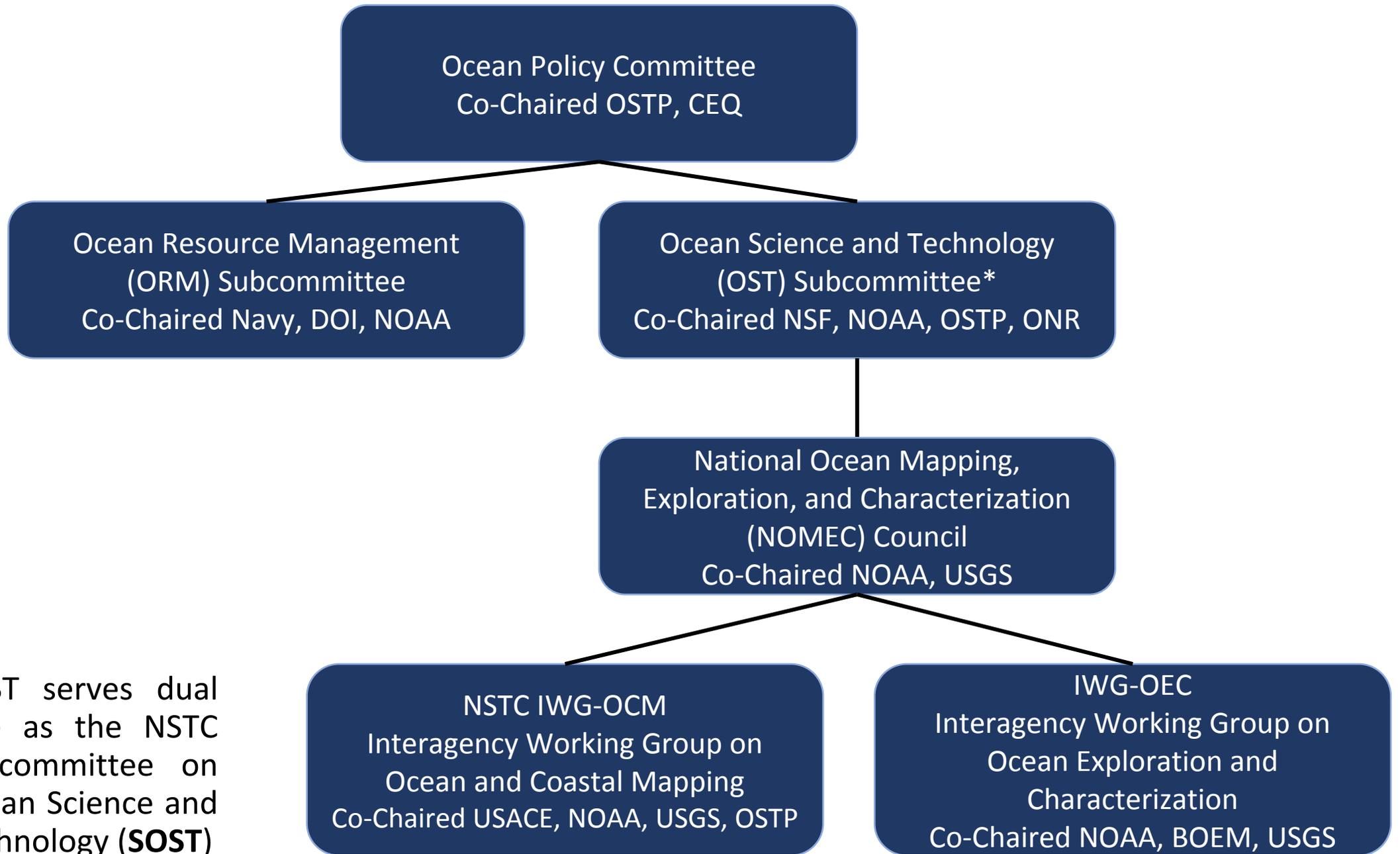
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and the Shoreline and Nearshore of
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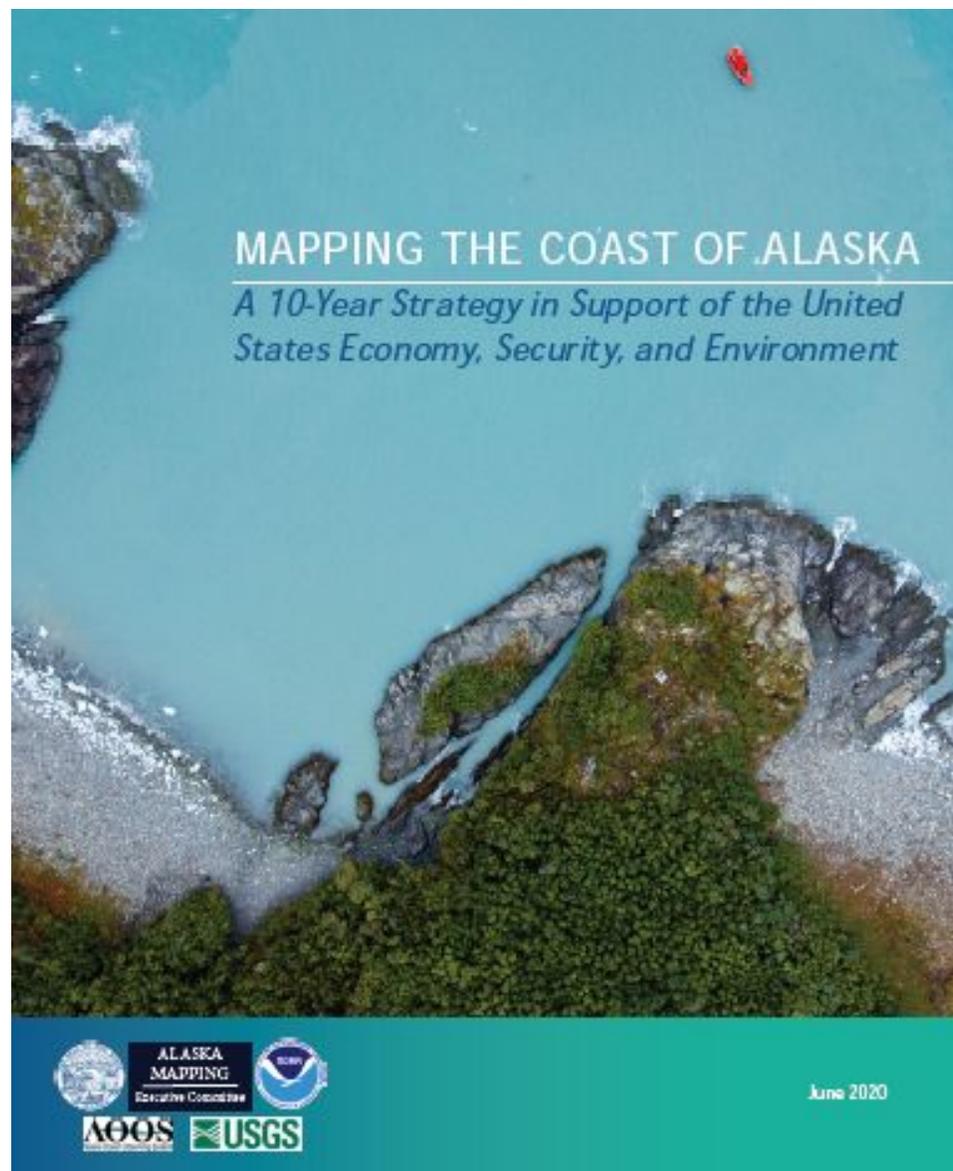


NATIONAL STRATEGY FOR MAPPING, EXPLORING, AND
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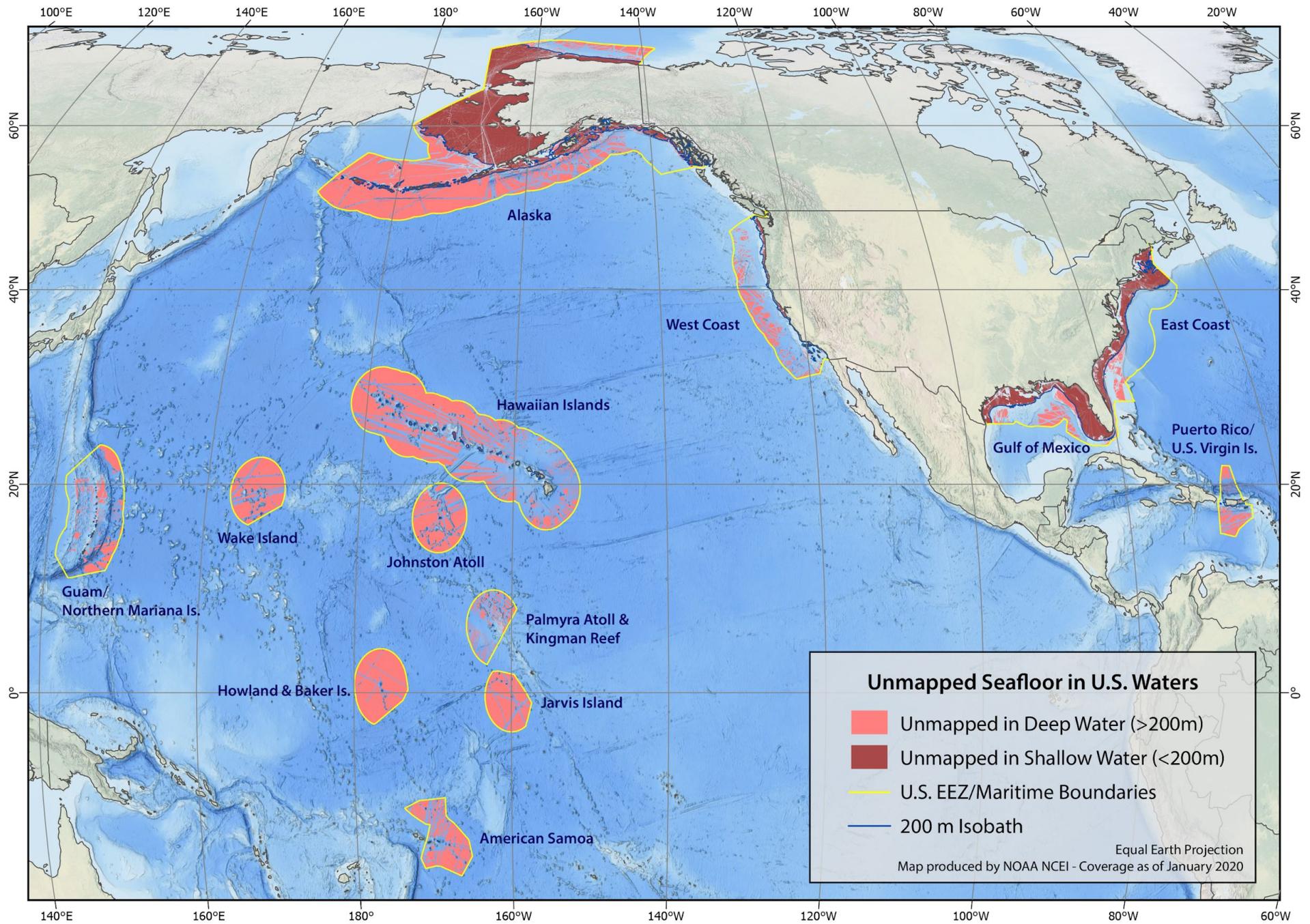
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Standard Ocean Mapping Protocol Symposium

October 6-7, 2020

- This protocol will include strategic guidance for:
 - Timelines and protocols for data management and availability
 - Bathymetry data
 - Seabed backscatter acoustic imagery
 - Water column backscatter
 - Side-scan sonar imagery
 - Subbottom profiling, and
 - Magnetometer data.