

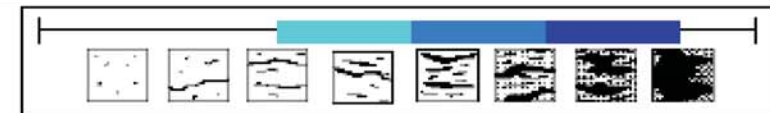
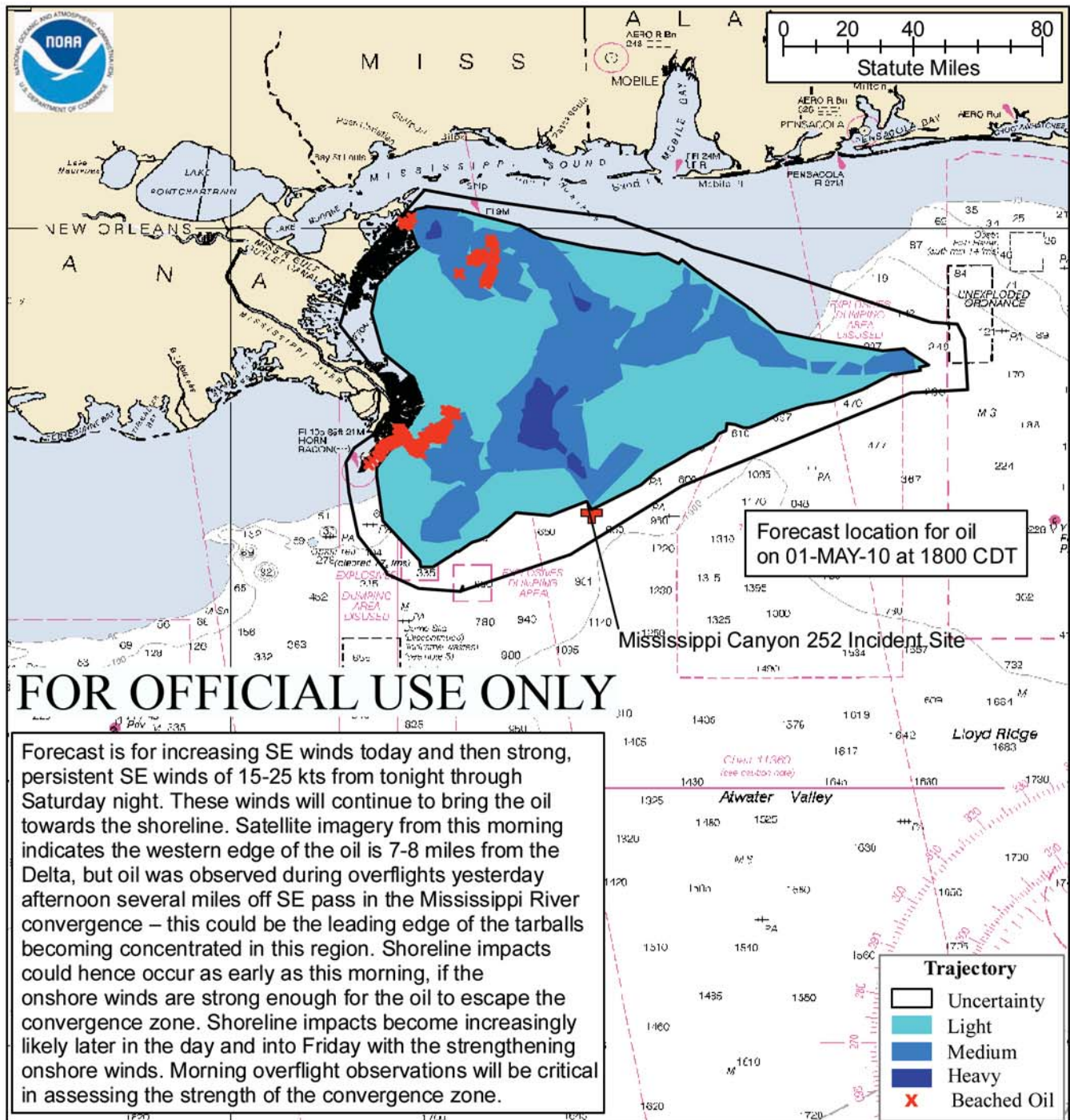
Mississippi Canyon 252

NOAA/NOS/ORR

Estimate for: 1800 CDT, Saturday 5/01/10

Date Prepared: 0641 CDT, Thursday 4/29/10

This forecast is based on the NWS spot forecast from Thursday, April 29 AM. Currents were obtained from the NOAA Gulf of Mexico model, TexasA&M/TGLO, and NAVO models. The model was initialized from overflight data from the afternoon of April 28, and satellite imagery and analysis provided by NOAA/NESDIS obtained the morning of April 29. The leading edge may contain tarballs that are not readily observable from the imagery (hence not included in the model initialization).



this scale bar shows the meaning of the distribution terms at the current time