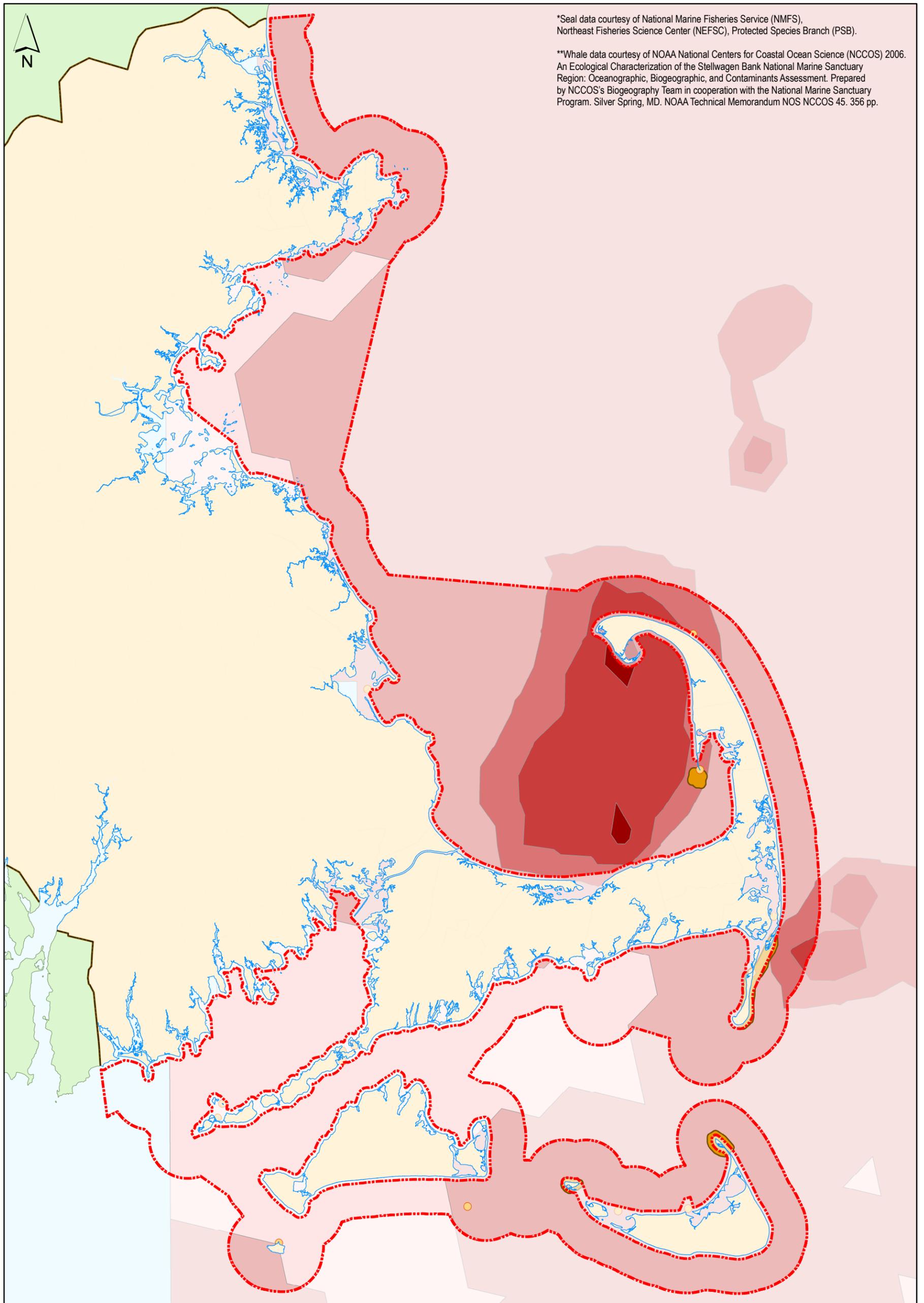


**FIGURE 2-7c MARINE MAMMALS - NORTH ATLANTIC RIGHT WHALES**

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\*Seal data courtesy of National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), Northeast Fisheries Science Center (NEFSC), Protected Species Branch (PSB).

\*\*Whale data courtesy of NOAA National Centers for Coastal Ocean Science (NCCOS) 2006. An Ecological Characterization of the Stellwagen Bank National Marine Sanctuary Region: Oceanographic, Biogeographic, and Contaminants Assessment. Prepared by NCCOS's Biogeography Team in cooperation with the National Marine Sanctuary Program. Silver Spring, MD. NOAA Technical Memorandum NOS NCCOS 45. 356 pp.



- Planning Area
- Important Seal Haul-Out Areas
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North Atlantic Right Whales in the Southern Gulf of Maine\*\*  
Interpolation of Sightings per Unit Effort (Quantile)

	0
	0.1 - 8.2
	8.3 - 16.5
	16.6 - 33.8
	> 33.8

The datum for this map is the North American Datum 1983 (NAD83). The data are registered to the Massachusetts State Plane Coordinate System, Mainland Zone (Fipszone 2001). Units are meters.

0 5 10 20 Nautical Miles

0 10 20 40 Kilometers