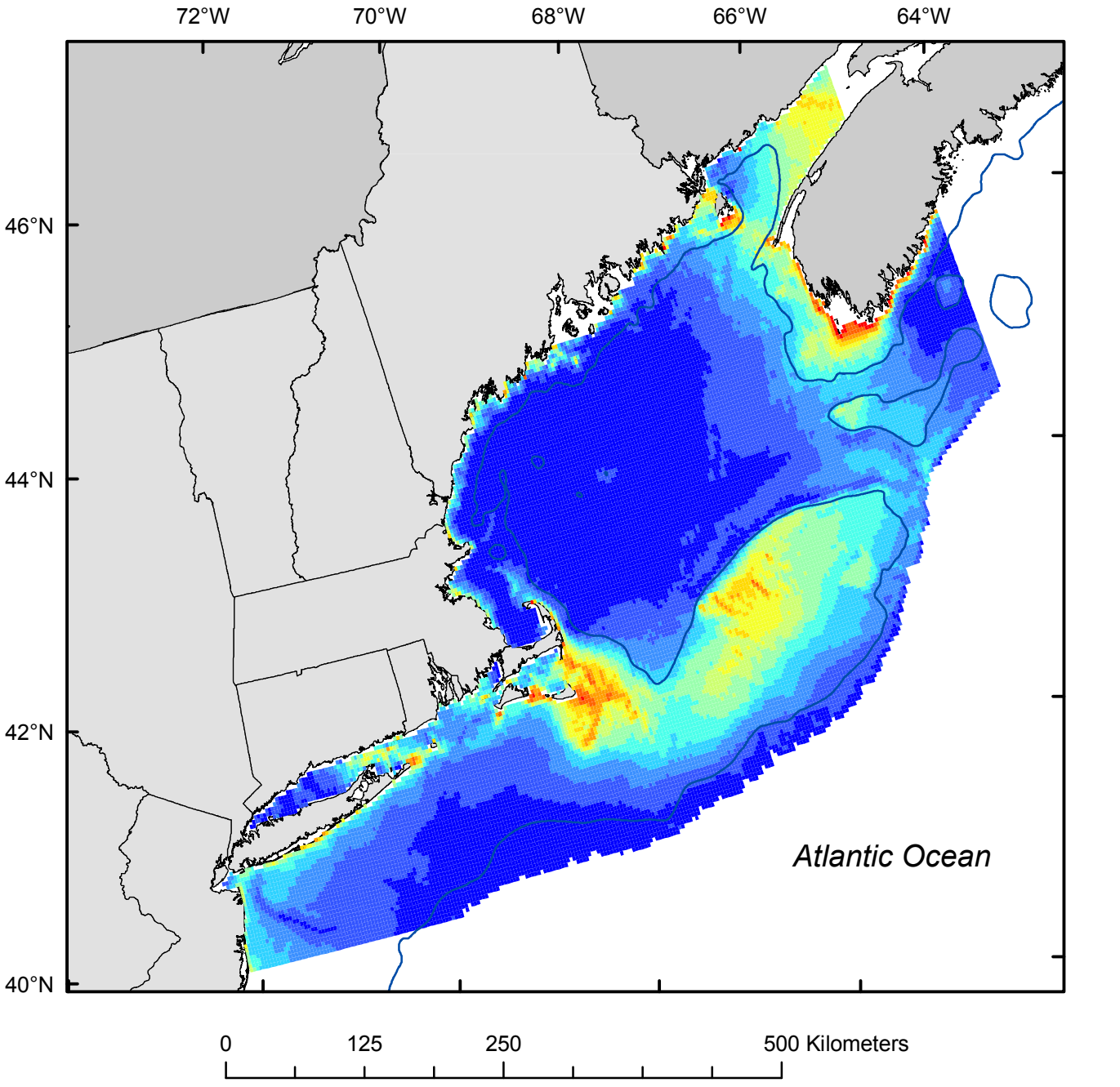

Half Interpercetile Range of Bottom Stress (Pa)

0.00 - 0.04	0.18 - 0.23	0.50 - 0.65
0.05 - 0.07	0.24 - 0.30	0.66 - 0.88
0.08 - 0.11	0.31 - 0.38	0.89 - 1.22
0.12 - 0.17	0.39 - 0.49	1.23 - 2.22

Water Depth (m)

-100

Interpercentile range (half the difference between the 84th and 16th percentile) of wave-current bottom shear stress in the Gulf of Maine for the one year period May 2010 to May 2011. The interpercentile range is a measure of the variability, equivalent to the standard deviation in a normal distribution.