

REGIONAL ASSESSMENT OF OFFSHORE OIL AND GAS EXPLORATORY DRILLING
EAST OF NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR
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1) Do you have any suggestions on available environmental datasets or other information sources that should be accessed and used in the RA, or around key data gaps?

- real world data on historic oil spills movement
- ESRF research on Atlantic salmon migratory patterns
- ~~any~~ and all Indigenous knowledge data that is made available by Indigenous organizations

2) Do you have any suggestions around the analytical capabilities that the GIS tool should include, related to the presentation and analysis of environmental data, and/or to the potential environmental effects and required mitigation?

- imp't for orgs to be able to download datasets and use w/ internal data
- use web version w/out GIS capability on desktop
- make sure you can view layers simultaneously
- make sure RV (OFO) data is temporal as well as spatial

3) Do you have any suggestions around the nature and format of the eventual product that the Committee will develop and submit to the Minister?

- make datasets available for organizations to download and assess
- user friendly from a variety of users - don't need to be GIS expert to interface w/
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4) Do you have any suggestions on where the GIS platform should be housed, such that the system gets maintained and updated at regular intervals?

- the most likely depart/org to update and keep accessible
- continued funding will be imp't

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5) Do you have any other input or recommendations that you would like to provide to the Committee on this topic?

- Use GIS tool for ~~other~~ ^{future} Impact Assessments. Easier more dynamic way to review EIS

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