Appendix 1. Methods file describing all data processing steps to create the GIS layer.

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Brief description: This document presents the combination of steps performed either on R v4.0.3 (R Core Team 2021), or on the geospatial software (ArcPro v2.8.3, but reproducible on the open source QGIS) to create the biogeographic layer of the Benthic Provinces of the World (BPOW).

Data

- MEOW: Marine Ecoregions of the World: 232 ecoregions, 62 provinces, and 12 realms Spalding et al. 2007 (Spalding et al. 2007)
- DSP: Deep sea GOODS provinces: 14 bathyal and 14 abyssal provinces Watling et al. 2013 (Watling et al. 2013)
- Hadal provinces Belyaev, 1989 (Belyaev 1989)
- Global depth raster from GEBCO (Group 2020)
- Land polygons with major islands from Natural Earth at 10m resolution, version 4.1.0

Analysis steps

Part I: Geometry checks (DSP layer) on ArcPro

Performed in ArcPro v2.8.3

- Step #1: We checked both the bathyal and abyssal layers for errors as we noticed invalid geometries when trying to perform geometric operations in ArcPro/QGIS. Specifically, numerous points were flagged as having self-intersections.
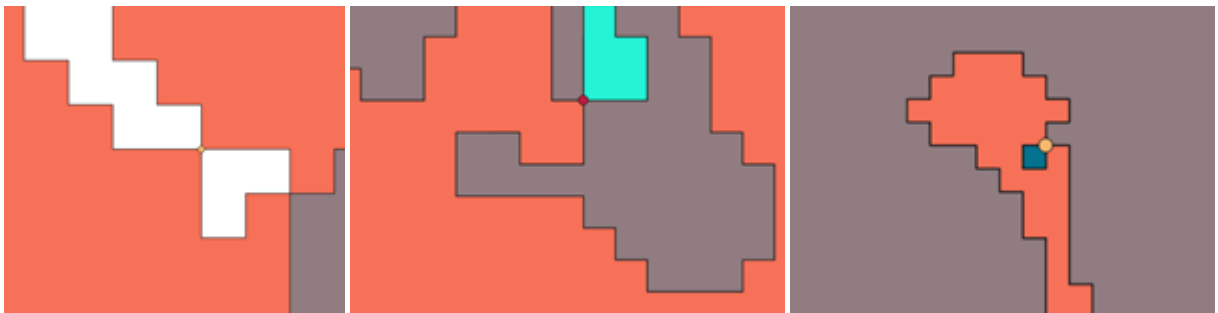
- Step #2: We evaluated the validity of geometries using "Check validity" in QGIS `Vector → Geometry Tools → Check Validity → Input Layer: BATHYAL/ABYSSAL`
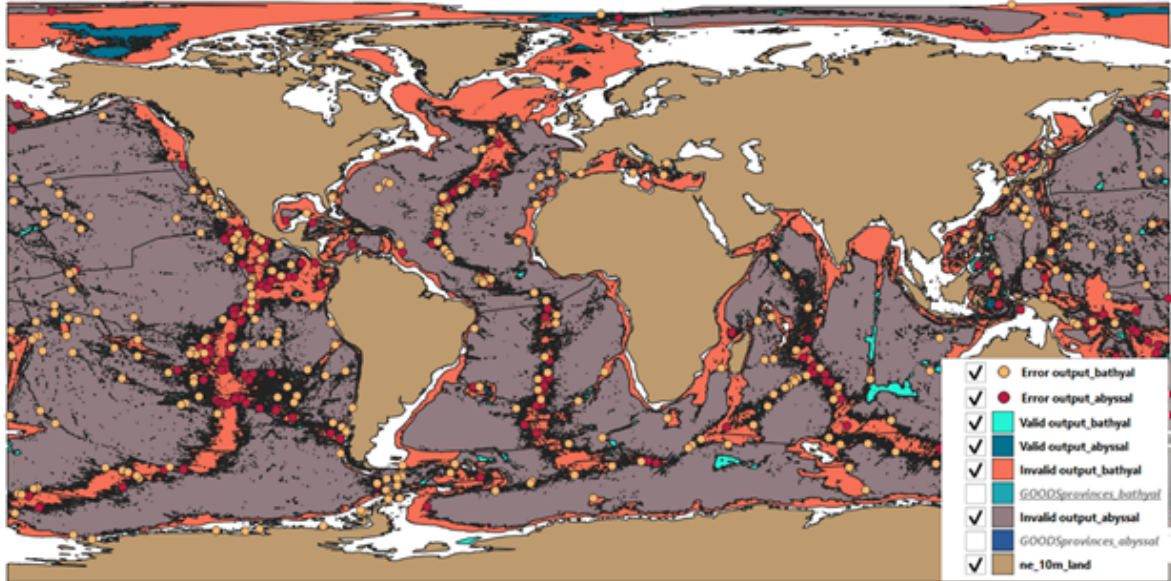
Part II: Geometry checks (DSP layer) on R

Performed in R v4.0.3

- Step #1: We used the function `sf::st_is_valid()` to checked the validity of geometries in each layer. All issues were due to self-intersections in both objects.

- Step #2: We used the function `sf::st_make_valid()` to correct identified self-intersections in each file.

- Step #3: Files were saved using the function `sf::st_write()`.

```r
# load libraries
library(sf)
library(tidyverse)
library(ggplot2)
library(raster)
library(exactextractr)
library(rgdal)
library(fasterize)
sf::sf_use_s2(FALSE)
library(polyclip)
library(tiff)
library(raster)
library(geosphere)
library(fasterize)
library(smoothie)
library(exactextractr)


### Abyssal & Bathyal provinces from Watling et al., 2013
### Related publication: https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/abs/pii/S0079661112001693?via%3D
### Access to shapefiles given by the author
abyssal <- st_read(dsn = "data/goods_provinces", layer = "GOODSprovinces_abyssal")
bathyal <- st_read(dsn = "data/goods_provinces", layer = "GOODSprovinces_bathyal")
```

```
### A. Work on abyssal self intersections
abyssal_validation <- st_is_valid(abyssal, reason=TRUE, NA_on_exception = FALSE)
View(abyssal_validation) # 189 abyssal with self-ring intersection

abyssal_corrected <- st_make_valid(abyssal)

abyssal_validation2 <- st_is_valid(abyssal_corrected, reason=TRUE, NA_on_exception = FALSE)
unique(abyssal_validation2) # all valid geometries


### B. Work on bathyal self intersections
bathyal_validation <- st_is_valid(bathyal, reason=TRUE, NA_on_exception = FALSE)
View(bathyal_validation) # 341 bathyal with self-ring intersection

bathyal_corrected <- st_make_valid(bathyal)

bathyal_validation2 <- st_is_valid(bathyal_corrected, reason=TRUE, NA_on_exception = FALSE)
unique(bathyal_validation2) # all valid geometries


### C. Save new files
st_write(abyssal_corrected, dsn = "outputs/deep_sea/GOODSprovinces_abyssal_Rfix.shp")
st_write(bathyal_corrected, dsn = "outputs/deep_sea/GOODSprovinces_bathyal_Rfix.shp")
```
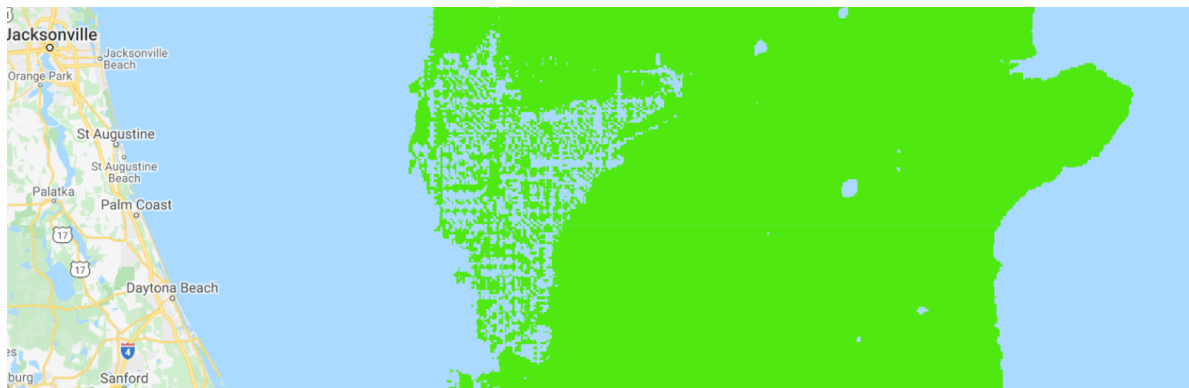
Part III: Fix boundary

Performed in R v4.0.3

- Step #1: We identified areas off the coast of Florida, USA with spatial irregularities resulting from the fact that the 800m threshold is arbitrary and this is a "transition" zone.

- Step #2: We addressed the irregularites in R using GEBCO and adding additional areas to the bathyal layer.

- Step #3: All polygons intersecting the depth raster (in blue below) were merged using `sf::st_union()` to create a single larger replacing polygons, added to the bathyal layer.
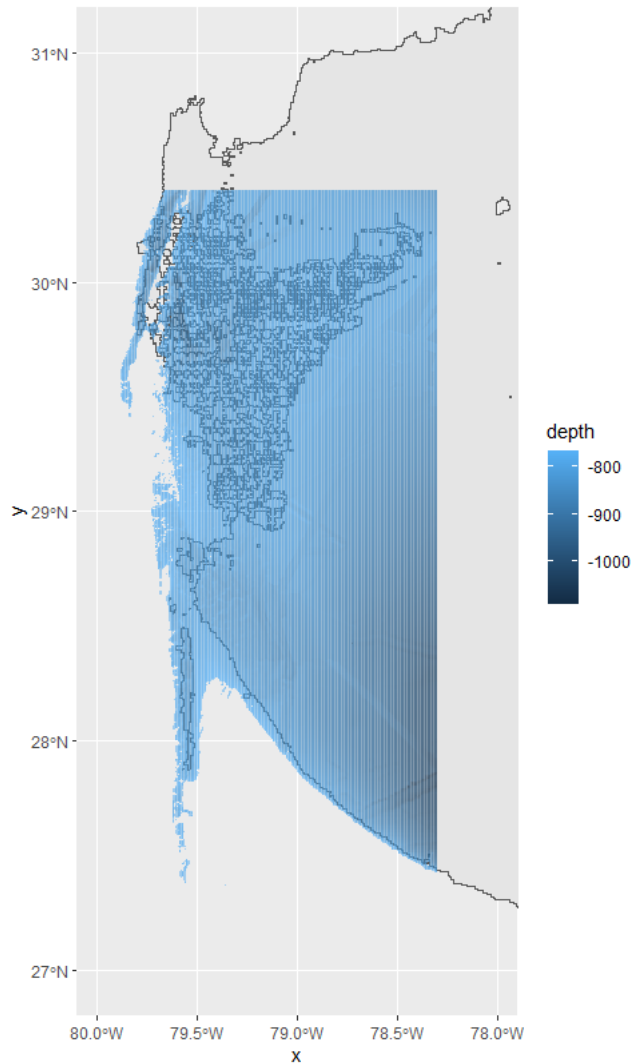
- Step #4: We again checked geometry validity to ensure no errors (e.g., self-intersections) remained and saved the file using `sf::st_write()`.

```r
# load libraries
library(sf)
library(tidyverse)
library(ggplot2)
library(raster)
library(exactextractr)
library(rgdal)
library(fasterize)
sf::sf_use_s2(FALSE)
library(polyclip)
library(tiff)
library(raster)
library(geosphere)
library(fasterize)
library(smoothie)
library(exactextractr)
```

```r
rm(list = ls())

# load new bathyal shapefile
bathyal <- st_read("outputs/deep_sea/GOODSprovinces_bathyal_Rfix.shp")

# fix florida region irregularities - object 17014 - will fix problems with
# coast intersection
# ggplot(bathyal) + geom_sf() +
#   coord_sf(xlim = c(-80,-78), ylim = c(28,31))
#
# ggplot(bathyal[17014,]) + geom_sf()
# bbox_one <- st_bbox(bathyal[17014,])
# load depth raster
depth_n90_s0_w90_e0 <- raster("data/gebco_2020_ascii/gebco_2020_n90.0_s0.0_w-90.0_e0.0.asc")
depth <- crop(depth_n90_s0_w90_e0, y = extent(-80,-78.3,27,30.4))

depth[depth>-765] <- NA
plot(depth)

# extract necessary polygons
depth_spdf <- as(depth, "SpatialPixelsDataFrame")
depth_df <- as.data.frame(depth_spdf)
colnames(depth_df) <- c("depth", "x", "y")

# select polygons from shapefile and depth raster
depth_pts <- data.frame(rasterToPoints(depth))
depth_pts_sf <- st_as_sf(depth_pts, coords = c("x","y"), crs = st_crs(bathyal))
select_polygons <- st_intersects(depth_pts_sf, bathyal)
select_polygons <- unique(unlist(select_polygons))
select_polygons <- bathyal[select_polygons,]

ggplot(select_polygons) + geom_sf() +
  coord_sf(xlim = c(-80,-78), ylim = c(27,31)) +
  geom_tile(data = depth_df, aes(x = x, y = y, fill = depth), alpha = 0.5, color = NA)

new_poly <- rasterToPolygons(aggregate(depth, fact = 2, fun = mean))
new_poly <- st_as_sf(new_poly, crs = st_crs(bathyal))
new_poly <- new_poly %>%
  mutate(fix = "fix") %>%
  group_by(fix) %>%
  summarize(geometry = st_union(geometry)) %>%
  mutate(ID = bathyal[17014,]$ID,
         Province = bathyal[17014,]$Province,
         Name = bathyal[17014,]$Name) %>%
  dplyr::select(-fix)

ggplot(new_poly) + geom_sf(fill = "red", alpha= 0.5) +
  geom_sf(data = select_polygons, fill = "blue") +
  coord_sf(xlim = c(-80,-78), ylim = c(27,31))

new_poly <- rbind(new_poly, select_polygons) %>%
  group_by(Province,Name) %>%
  summarize(geometry = st_union(geometry)) %>%
```

```
  mutate(ID = 17014)

ggplot(new_poly) + geom_sf(fill = 'red') +
  #geom_sf(data = select_polygons, fill = "blue") +
  coord_sf(xlim = c(-80,-78), ylim = c(27,31))

# save the new polygon
bathyal <- bathyal %>%
  filter(!ID %in% select_polygons$ID)
bathyal_fixed <- rbind(bathyal, new_poly)

# check validity
bathyal_validation <- st_is_valid(bathyal_fixed, reason=TRUE, NA_on_exception = FALSE)
unique(bathyal_validation) # 341 bathyal with self-ring intersection

bathyal_corrected <- st_make_valid(bathyal_fixed)

# save new bathyal shapefile
st_write(bathyal_corrected, dsn = "outputs/deep_sea/GOODSprovinces_bathyal_Rfix_irregularities.shp",
         append = T)
```

Part IV: Creating complementary bathyal and abyssal layers

Performed in ArcPro v2.8.3

- Step #1: We assessed whether or not the bathyal and abyssal layers are perfectly complementary to each other by manual visualization. They were not.

- Step #2: To create perfectly complementary abyssal and bathyal layers we took the difference between the two layers. All grid cells that are shared between the abyssal and bathyal habitats were associated with the bathyal layer because they may represent more potential habitat than abyssal areas.

  Operation: geometric difference between the bathyal layer and the abyssal layer

  `ArcGIS: Geoprocessing → Pairwise Erase, input = abyssal, erase = bathyal, output = p4s2`

- Step #3: We created a single, merged shapefile (the deepsea layer) that included the newly complementary abyssal and bathyal layers.

  Operation: merging of the two complementary shapefiles into a single deep sea shapefile

  `ArcGIS: Merge, input = p4s2, input = GOODSprovinces_bathyal_irregularities, output = GOODSprovinces_p4s3`

- Step #4: Manual correction of invalid geometries
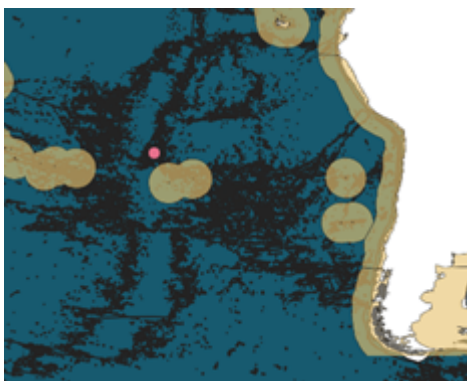
Part V: Deep-sea clip

Performed in ArcPro v2.8.3

- Step #1: Here, two options are possible: (i) removing marine ecoregion areas and keeping them associated with the deep-sea layers (ii) removing areas from the deep sea areas and keeping them associated with the ecoregions. Land areas are identified with the natural earth file because the coastal ecoregions already include more than coastlines and don't need to include the best coastline resolution.
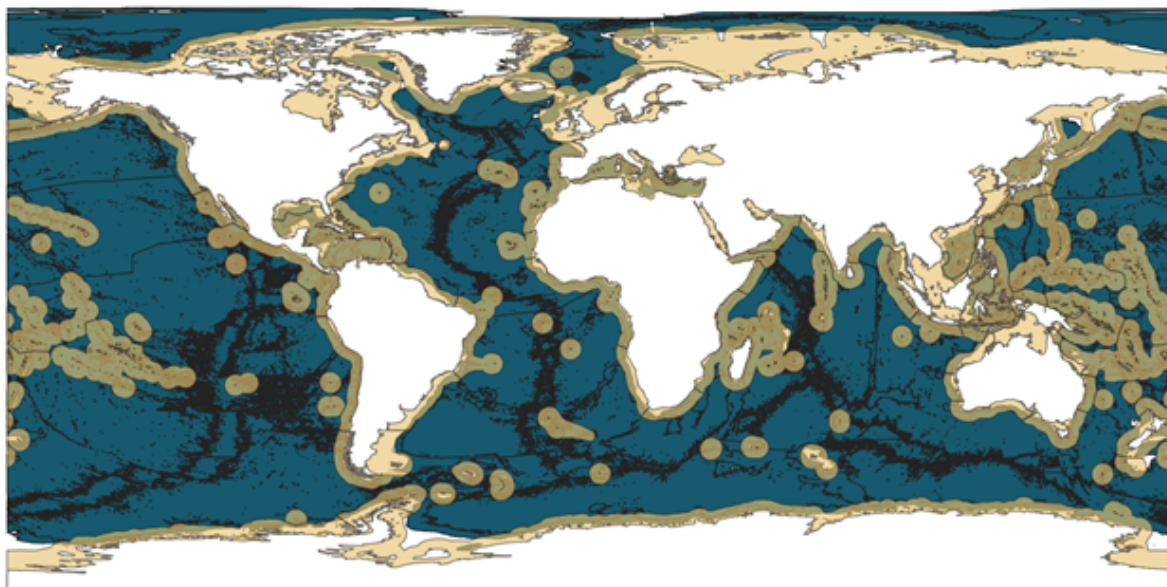
Operation (i): geometric difference between the MEOW layer and the DEEPSEA layer
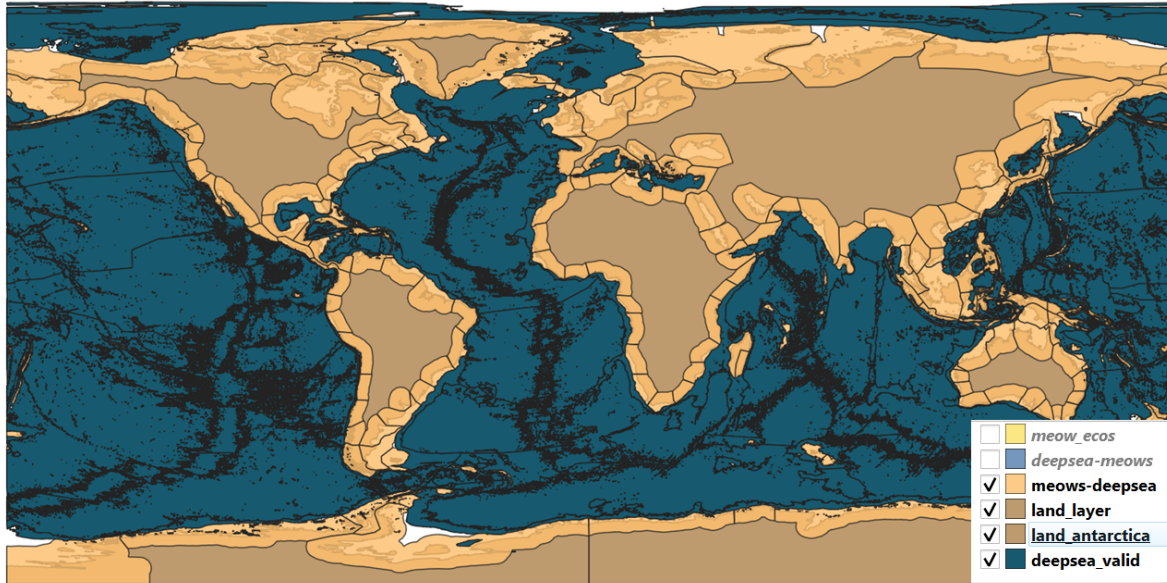
ArcGIS: Geoprocessing → Pairwise Erase, input = meows_ecos, erase = GOODSprovinces_p4s3,
output = provinces_p5s1

- Step #2: Creating a shapefile for joining the layers MEOW and DEEPSEA that after Step #1 should
  be perfectly complementary (no spatial overlap) that I will then call the SEAFLOOR shapefile layer.

  ArcGIS: Geoprocessing → Merge, input = provinces_p5s1, input = GOODSprovinces_p4s3,
  output = provinces_p5s2

- Step #3: extract provinces_p5s2 as a shapefile

- Step #4: fix the format of provinces_p5s2 in R

```r
# load libraries
library(sf)
library(tidyverse)
library(ggplot2)
library(rgdal)
library(fasterize)
sf::sf_use_s2(FALSE)


# loadlayer after 1st processing on Arc
eco <- st_read("outputs/arcpro/post-processing_1/Provinces_P5S2.shp") %>%
  mutate(type = case_when(MERGE_SRC == "provinces_p5s1" ~ "coastal",
                          MERGE_SRC == "p4s2" ~ "abyssal",
                          MERGE_SRC == "GOODSprovinces_bathyal_Rfix_irregularities" ~ "bathyal"),
         prov_n = PROVINCE,
         prov_id = PROV_CODE,
         prov_id = ifelse(type %in% c("abyssal", "bathyal"), PROVINCE, prov_id),
         prov_n = ifelse(type %in% c("abyssal","bathyal"), Name, prov_n),
         eco_n = ECOREGION,
         eco_id = ECO_CODE_X,
         eco_id = ifelse(eco_id ==0, NA, eco_id),
         rlm_id = RLM_CODE,
         rlm_n = REALM) %>%
  dplyr::select(ID, type, prov_n, prov_id, eco_n, eco_id, rlm_n, rlm_id)
```

```
st_write(eco, dsn = "outputs/bpow/bpow_p5s4.shp")
```

Part VI: Indentification of uncharacterized sites

Performed in ArcPro v2.8.3

- Step #1: two types of areas will not yet be characterized in the SEAFLOOR layer, (i) hadal regions below 6,500m, where we should not really observe species, (ii) regions between 200 and 800m that don't belong to ecoregions. The bathyal layer starts at 800m and onwards, so there are remaining zones to associate with a region.
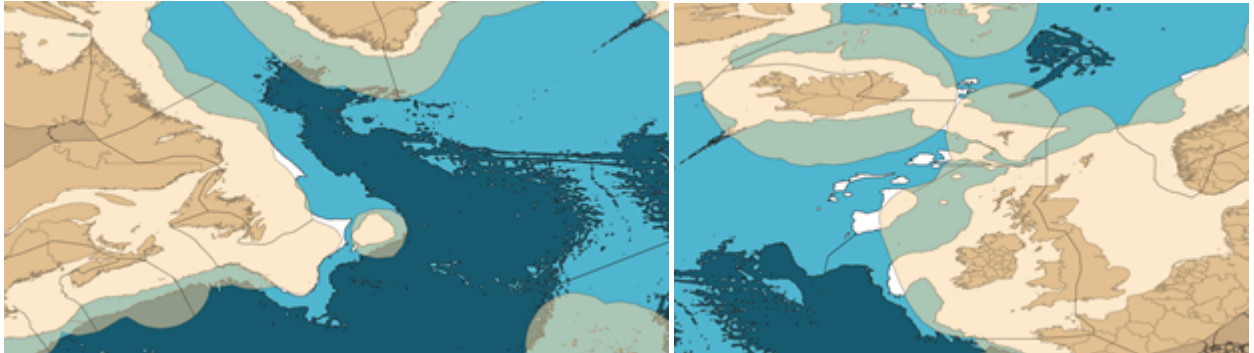
- Step #2: get a shapefile with all missing polygons: (merge of seafloor shapefile with a low resolution land layer (does not matter since meows have a bunch of land areas already)

  ```
  -ArcGIS: Pairwise erase, input = ne_10m_land, erase = Provinces_P5S2, output =
  Provinces_P5S2_PairwiseErase
  ```

  ```
  -ArcGIS: Merge, input = Provinces_P5S2_PairwiseErase, input = Provinces_P5S2, output
  = Provinces_P5S2_merge
  ```

- Step #3: get polygons that are uncharacterized

  ```
  -ArcGIS: Create feature, extent of -180;180;-90,90
  ```

  ```
  -ArcGIS: Pairwise erase, input = extent, erase = Provinces_P5S2_PairwiseErase,
  output = holes_p6s2
  ```

Part VII: Isolation and classification of hadal trenches

Performed in R v4.0.3

- Step #1: Identification of hadal trenches of the world are done based on rough identification of relevant coastal ecoregions based on (Belyaev 1989) and (Jamieson et al. 2010).

- Step #2: For each identified ecoregion from Step #1, we use the corresponding depth raster from GEBCO to identify trenches (below 6,500m deep) and create new polygons from there. For instance, on the figure below, the ecoregion "Eastern Caribbean" from provinces_p5s2 include deep area on the northern sites.
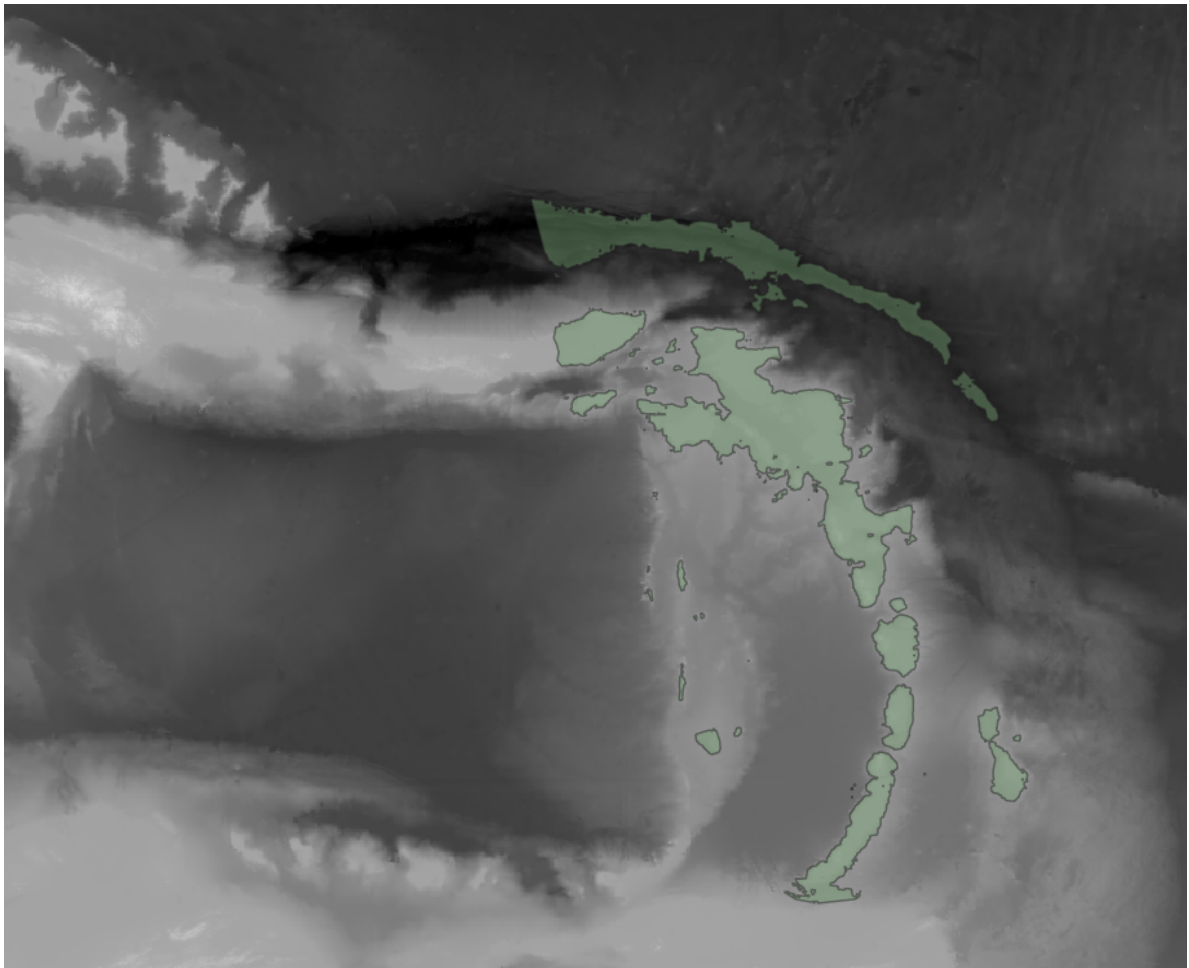
- Step #3: All polygons are merged back to the provinces shapefile, where coastal ecoregions do not include hadal trenches anymore, and they are added as separate geometries.

```r
rm(list = ls())

# load libraries
library(sf)
library(tidyverse)
library(ggplot2)
library(raster)
library(exactextractr)
library(rgdal)
library(fasterize)
sf::sf_use_s2(FALSE)
library(units)
library(ggtern)
library(rnaturalearth)
library(rnaturalearthdata)
library(tricolore)
library(ggtern)
```

```r
world <- ne_countries(scale = "medium", returnclass = "sf")
library(tiff)
library(RColorBrewer)
library(egg)

### Libraries
library(raster)
library(geosphere)
library(fasterize)
library(smoothie)
library(exactextractr)


# load biogeography layer
eco <- st_read("outputs/bpow/bpow_p5s4.shp")

holes <- st_read(dsn = "outputs/arcpro/post-processing_1", layer = "holes_p6s2_correct")
eco <- st_transform(eco, crs = st_crs(holes))
rm(holes)

# Load all depth shapefiles
depth_n0_s90_w180_e90 <- raster("data/gebco_2020_ascii/gebco_2020_n0.0_s-90.0_w-180.0_e-90.0.asc")
depth_n0_s90_w90_e0 <- raster("data/gebco_2020_ascii/gebco_2020_n0.0_s-90.0_w-90.0_e0.0.asc")
depth_n0_s90_w0_e90 <- raster("data/gebco_2020_ascii/gebco_2020_n0.0_s-90.0_w0.0_e90.0.asc")
depth_n0_s90_w90_e180 <- raster("data/gebco_2020_ascii/gebco_2020_n0.0_s-90.0_w90.0_e180.0.asc")
depth_n90_s0_w180_e90 <- raster("data/gebco_2020_ascii/gebco_2020_n90.0_s0.0_w-180.0_e-90.0.asc")
depth_n90_s0_w90_e0 <- raster("data/gebco_2020_ascii/gebco_2020_n90.0_s0.0_w-90.0_e0.0.asc")
depth_n90_s0_w0_e90 <- raster("data/gebco_2020_ascii/gebco_2020_n90.0_s0.0_w0.0_e90.0.asc")
depth_n90_s0_w90_e180 <- raster("data/gebco_2020_ascii/gebco_2020_n90.0_s0.0_w90.0_e180.0.asc")

obj = c('depth_n90_s0_w180_e90', 'depth_n90_s0_w90_e0',
        'depth_n90_s0_w0_e90', 'depth_n90_s0_w90_e180',
        "depth_n0_s90_w180_e90", "depth_n0_s90_w90_e0",
        'depth_n0_s90_w0_e90', 'depth_n0_s90_w90_e180')
x.min = c(-180, -90, 0, 90, -180, -90, 0, 90)
x.max = c(-90, 0, 90, 180, -90, 0, 90, 180)
y.min = c(0, 0, 0, 0, -90, -90, -90, -90)
y.max = c(90, 90, 90, 90, 0, 0, 0, 0)

depth_files <- data.frame(obj) %>%
  mutate(xmin = x.min,
         xmax = x.max,
         ymin = y.min,
         ymax = y.max)
select_files_r <- raster(nrows = 2, ncols = 4, xmn = -180, xmx = 180,
                         ymn = -90, ymx = 90) %>%
  rasterToPolygons() %>%
  st_as_sf()


################################################################################
#### Remove hadal regions
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```

```r
eco_no_hadal <- eco

hadal_ecoregions <- c(46,47,48,51,53,54,122, #hadal 1
                      121,127,128,129, #hadal 2
                      123,125, #hadal 3
                      130,134,135,136,148, #hadal 4
                      146,157,195,196, #hadal 5
                      171,175,176,177,178, #hadal 6
                      111,119,131,132,120, #hadal 7
                      63,64,65,68, #hadal 8
                      60,166,167,168, #hadal 9
                      219,220) #hadal 10

# adapted from Belyaev 1989 & Jamieson, 2010
had_n <- data.frame(c("Aleutian-Japan",
                      "Philippine",
                      "Mariana",
                      "Bougainville-New Hebrides",
                      "Tonga-Kermadec",
                      "Peru-Chile",
                      "Java",
                      "Puerto Rico",
                      "Middle America",
                      "Southern Antilles"))

hadal <- data.frame(had_n) %>%
  mutate(type = "hadal",
         ID = c(180463:180472),
         prov_n = NA_character_,
         prov_id = NA,
         eco_n = NA_character_,
         eco_id = NA,
         rlm = NA_character_,
         rlm_id = NA,
         had_id = c(1:nrow(had_n))) %>%
  rename(had_n = `c..Aleutian.Japan....Philippine....Mariana....Bougainville.New.Hebrides...`)
hadal_poly <- data.frame()

abyssal <- data.frame(unique(eco[eco$type=="abyssal",]$prov_n)) %>%
  mutate(type = "abyssal",
         ID = c(180473:180486),
         prov_id = unique(eco[eco$type =="abyssal",]$prov_id),
         eco_n = NA_character_,
         eco_id = NA,
         rlm = NA_character_,
         rlm_id = NA,
         had_id = NA,
         had_n = NA_character_) %>%
  rename( prov_n = `unique.eco.eco.type.....abyssal.....prov_n.`)
abyssal_poly <- data.frame()


for(h in 1:length(hadal_ecoregions)){
```

```r
print(h)
hadal_one <- eco[which(eco$eco_id == hadal_ecoregions[h]),]

if(st_is_valid(hadal_one)==FALSE){
  hadal_one <- st_make_valid(hadal_one)
}

# extract lat/long boundaries
bbox_one <- st_bbox(hadal_one)

bbox_r <- raster(nrow=1, ncol=1, xmn = bbox_one[1], xmx = bbox_one[3],
                 ymn = bbox_one[2], ymx = bbox_one[4])

overlap_rr <- coverage_fraction(bbox_r, select_files_r)
select_depth <- c()
for(r in 1:8){
  if(values(overlap_rr[[r]])==1){select_depth[length(select_depth)+1] <- depth_files$obj[r]}
  if(values(overlap_rr[[r]])>0 && values(overlap_rr[[r]]<1)){select_depth[length(select_depth)+1] <- 
}

if(length(select_depth)>1){
  for(k in 1:length(select_depth)){
    depth_k <- crop(get(select_depth[k]), y = extent(bbox_one[1],bbox_one[3],bbox_one[2],bbox_one[4]))
    if(k==1){depth <- depth_k}
    else{depth <- merge(depth, depth_k)}
    rm(depth_k)
  }
}
if(length(select_depth)==1){
  depth <- crop(get(select_depth), y = extent(bbox_one[1],bbox_one[3],bbox_one[2],bbox_one[4]))
}

depth_poly <- exact_extract(depth, hadal_one, include_xy = T)

# save the hadal polygon
new_r <- aggregate(depth, fact = 2, fun = min)
new_r[new_r>(-6500)] <- NA

overlap_ri <- coverage_fraction(new_r, hadal_one)[[1]]
overlap_ri[overlap_ri==0] <- NA
overlap_ri[overlap_ri>0] <- 1
new_ri <- new_r*overlap_ri
if(length(unique(new_ri))!=0){
  new_poly <- rasterToPolygons(new_ri)
  new_poly <- st_as_sf(new_poly, crs = st_crs(eco)) %>%
    mutate(ID = 1) %>%
    group_by(ID) %>%
    summarize(geometry = st_union(geometry))

  # ggplot(hadal_one) + geom_sf() + theme_bw() +
  #   geom_sf(data = new_poly, fill = "red", alpha = 0.5)
  # ggplot(new_poly) + geom_sf()
```

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```r
if(st_is_valid(new_poly)==FALSE){
  new_poly <- st_make_valid(new_poly)
}
corr_poly <- st_difference(hadal_one, new_poly)

# modify coastal ecoregion
st_geometry(eco_no_hadal[which(eco_no_hadal$eco_id == hadal_ecoregions[h]),]) <- st_geometry(corr_p

if (hadal_ecoregions[h] %in% c(46,47,48,51,53,54,122)){
  new_poly <- new_poly %>%
    dplyr::select(-ID)
  new_poly <- st_as_sf(cbind(hadal[1,],new_poly))
  hadal_poly <- rbind(hadal_poly, new_poly)
} else if (hadal_ecoregions[h] %in% c(121,127,128,129)){
  new_poly <- new_poly %>%
    dplyr::select(-ID)
  new_poly <- st_as_sf(cbind(hadal[2,],new_poly))
  hadal_poly <- rbind(hadal_poly, new_poly)
} else if (hadal_ecoregions[h] %in% c(123,125)){
  new_poly <- new_poly %>%
    dplyr::select(-ID)
  new_poly <- st_as_sf(cbind(hadal[3,],new_poly))
  hadal_poly <- rbind(hadal_poly, new_poly)
} else if (hadal_ecoregions[h] %in% c(130,134,135,136,148)){
  new_poly <- new_poly %>%
    dplyr::select(-ID)
  new_poly <- st_as_sf(cbind(hadal[4,],new_poly))
  hadal_poly <- rbind(hadal_poly, new_poly)
} else if (hadal_ecoregions[h] %in% c(146,157,195,196)){
  new_poly <- new_poly %>%
    dplyr::select(-ID)
  new_poly <- st_as_sf(cbind(hadal[5,],new_poly))
  hadal_poly <- rbind(hadal_poly, new_poly)
} else if (hadal_ecoregions[h] %in% c(171,175,176,177,178)){
  new_poly <- new_poly %>%
    dplyr::select(-ID)
  new_poly <- st_as_sf(cbind(hadal[6,],new_poly))
  hadal_poly <- rbind(hadal_poly, new_poly)
} else if (hadal_ecoregions[h] %in% c(111,119,131,132,120)){
  new_poly <- new_poly %>%
    dplyr::select(-ID)
  new_poly <- st_as_sf(cbind(hadal[7,],new_poly))
  hadal_poly <- rbind(hadal_poly, new_poly)
} else if (hadal_ecoregions[h] %in% c(63,64,65,68)){
  new_poly <- new_poly %>%
    dplyr::select(-ID)
  new_poly <- st_as_sf(cbind(hadal[8,],new_poly))
  hadal_poly <- rbind(hadal_poly, new_poly)
} else if (hadal_ecoregions[h] %in% c(60,166,167,168)){
  new_poly <- new_poly %>%
    dplyr::select(-ID)
  new_poly <- st_as_sf(cbind(hadal[9,],new_poly))
  hadal_poly <- rbind(hadal_poly, new_poly)
```

```r
  } else if (hadal_ecoregions[h] %in% c(219,220)){
    new_poly <- new_poly %>%
      dplyr::select(-ID)
    new_poly <- st_as_sf(cbind(hadal[10,],new_poly))
    hadal_poly <- rbind(hadal_poly, new_poly)}

}

# remove abyssal from coastal
new_r2 <- aggregate(depth, fact = 2, fun = min)
new_r2[new_r2>(-3500)] <- NA
new_r2[new_r2<(-6500)] <- NA

overlap_ri2 <- coverage_fraction(new_r2, hadal_one)[[1]]
overlap_ri2[overlap_ri2==0] <- NA
overlap_ri2[overlap_ri2>0] <- 1
new_ri2 <- new_r2*overlap_ri2

if(length(unique(new_ri2))!=0 & length(unique(new_ri))!=0){
  new_poly2 <- rasterToPolygons(new_ri2)
  new_poly2 <- st_as_sf(new_poly2, crs = st_crs(eco)) %>%
    mutate(ID = 1) %>%
    group_by(ID) %>%
    summarize(geometry = st_union(geometry))

  if(st_is_valid(new_poly2)==FALSE){
    new_poly2 <- st_make_valid(new_poly2)
  }
  corr_poly2 <- st_difference(corr_poly, new_poly2)

  # modify coastal ecoregion
  st_geometry(eco_no_hadal[which(eco_no_hadal$eco_id == hadal_ecoregions[h]),]) <- st_geometry(corr_p

  if (hadal_ecoregions[h] %in% c(46,47,48,51,53,54)){
    new_poly2 <- new_poly2 %>%
      dplyr::select(-ID)
    new_poly2 <- st_as_sf(cbind(abyssal[2,],new_poly2))
    abyssal_poly <- rbind(abyssal_poly, new_poly2)
    # two abyssal regions for 135
  } else if (hadal_ecoregions[h] %in% c(121,122,123,125,127,129,130)){
    new_poly2 <- new_poly2 %>%
      dplyr::select(-ID)
    new_poly2 <- st_as_sf(cbind(abyssal[3,],new_poly2))
    abyssal_poly <- rbind(abyssal_poly, new_poly2)
  } else if (hadal_ecoregions[h] %in% c(128,131)){
    new_poly2 <- new_poly2 %>%
      dplyr::select(-ID)
    new_poly2 <- st_as_sf(cbind(abyssal[4,],new_poly2))
    abyssal_poly <- rbind(abyssal_poly, new_poly2)
  } else if (hadal_ecoregions[h] %in% c(134,136,146,148,157,195,196)){
    new_poly2 <- new_poly2 %>%
      dplyr::select(-ID)
    new_poly2 <- st_as_sf(cbind(abyssal[6,],new_poly2))
```

```r
      abyssal_poly <- rbind(abyssal_poly, new_poly2)
    } else if (hadal_ecoregions[h] %in% c(60,166,167,168,171,175,176,177,178,111)){
      new_poly2 <- new_poly2 %>%
        dplyr::select(-ID)
      new_poly2 <- st_as_sf(cbind(abyssal[14,],new_poly2))
      abyssal_poly <- rbind(abyssal_poly, new_poly2)
    } else if (hadal_ecoregions[h] %in% c(119,120,132)){
      new_poly2 <- new_poly2 %>%
        dplyr::select(-ID)
      new_poly2 <- st_as_sf(cbind(abyssal[7,],new_poly2))
      abyssal_poly <- rbind(abyssal_poly, new_poly2)
    } else if (hadal_ecoregions[h] %in% c(63,64,65,68)){
      new_poly2 <- new_poly2 %>%
        dplyr::select(-ID)
      new_poly2 <- st_as_sf(cbind(abyssal[12,],new_poly2))
      abyssal_poly <- rbind(abyssal_poly, new_poly2)
    } else if (hadal_ecoregions[h] %in% c(219,220)){
      new_poly2 <- new_poly2 %>%
        dplyr::select(-ID)
      new_poly2 <- st_as_sf(cbind(abyssal[8,],new_poly2))
      abyssal_poly <- rbind(abyssal_poly, new_poly2)
    } else if (hadal_ecoregions[h]==135){
      new_poly2 <- new_poly2 %>%
        dplyr::select(-ID) %>%
        st_cast(to = "POLYGON") %>%
        mutate(latitude = st_coordinates(st_centroid(geometry))[,2])
      new_poly2_a <- new_poly2 %>%
        filter(latitude>(-2)) %>%
        dplyr::select(-latitude) %>%
        st_union()
      new_poly2_b <- new_poly2 %>%
        filter(latitude<(-2)) %>%
        dplyr::select(-latitude) %>%
        st_union()
      new_poly2_a <- st_as_sf(cbind(abyssal[3,],new_poly2_a))
      new_poly2_b <- st_as_sf(cbind(abyssal[6,],new_poly2_b))
      abyssal_poly <- rbind(abyssal_poly, new_poly2_a, new_poly2_b)
      rm(new_poly2_a, new_poly2_b)
    }

    rm(corr_poly, new_poly, overlap_ri, depth_poly, depth, new_ri, new_r,
       select_depth, overlap_rr, bbox_r, bbox_one, hadal_one,
       new_ri2, new_poly2, new_r2, overlap_ri2)
  }
  save.image("outputs/hadal/remove_hadal_abyssal_from_coastal.RData")

}

load("outputs/hadal/remove_hadal_abyssal_from_coastal.RData")

eco_hadal <- st_make_valid(eco_no_hadal) %>%
  mutate(had_id = NA,
         had_n = NA_character_) %>%
```

```
    dplyr::select(ID, type, prov_n, prov_id, eco_n, eco_id, rlm_n, rlm_id, had_n, had_id, geometry)

hadal_poly <- st_make_valid(st_as_sf(hadal_poly)) %>%
  rename(rlm_n = rlm) %>%
  group_by(type, prov_n, prov_id, eco_n, eco_id, rlm_n, rlm_id, ID, had_id, had_n) %>%
  summarize(geometry = st_union(geometry)) %>%
  dplyr::select(ID, type, prov_n, prov_id, eco_n, eco_id, rlm_n, rlm_id, had_n, had_id, geometry)

abyssal_poly <- st_make_valid(st_as_sf(abyssal_poly)) %>%
  rename(rlm_n = rlm) %>%
  group_by(type, prov_n, prov_id, eco_n, eco_id, rlm_n, rlm_id, ID, had_id, had_n) %>%
  summarize(geometry = st_union(geometry)) %>%
  dplyr::select(ID, type, prov_n, prov_id, eco_n, eco_id, rlm_n, rlm_id, had_n, had_id, geometry)

eco_hadal <- rbind(eco_hadal, hadal_poly, abyssal_poly)
# transform geometry collection into multipolygon
st_geometry(eco_hadal[60226,]) <- st_geometry(st_collection_extract(eco_hadal[60226,], type = "POLYGON")
st_geometry(eco_hadal[100307,]) <- st_geometry(st_collection_extract(eco_hadal[100307,], type = "POLYGON
st_geometry(eco_hadal[140385,]) <- st_geometry(st_collection_extract(eco_hadal[140385,], type = "POLYGON
st_geometry(eco_hadal[180461,]) <- st_geometry(st_collection_extract(eco_hadal[180461,], type = "POLYGON

eco_hadal <- eco_hadal %>%
  dplyr::select(-ID) %>%
  distinct()
eco_hadal$ID <- 1:nrow(eco_hadal)

# save file
st_write(obj = eco_hadal, dsn="outputs/hadal/provinces_p7s3_abyssal_corr.shp",
         append = FALSE)
```

Part VIII: Assigning biogeographic regions to unclassified polygons

Performed in R v4.0.3

- Step #1: associate the depth raster corresponding to a box around the polygon

- Step #2: find the polygons of the seafloor in that box

- Step #3: if there is only one polygon, associate the missing polygon the that polygon

- Step #4: if there are multiple polygons, calculate the closest distance based on 3D (longitude, latitude, depth (a)) with the function mcNNindex and associate the closest polygon based on shortest distance around each point of the raster of the missing polygon (b). Because some areas are transition areas, the boundaries between the polygons are not clean (see figure (c)), so the resulting raster is aggregated at a lower resolution, as well as the grid cell polygon associations (d). Finally, polygons are created and associated with the ID of the closest polygon from the seafloor shapefile.
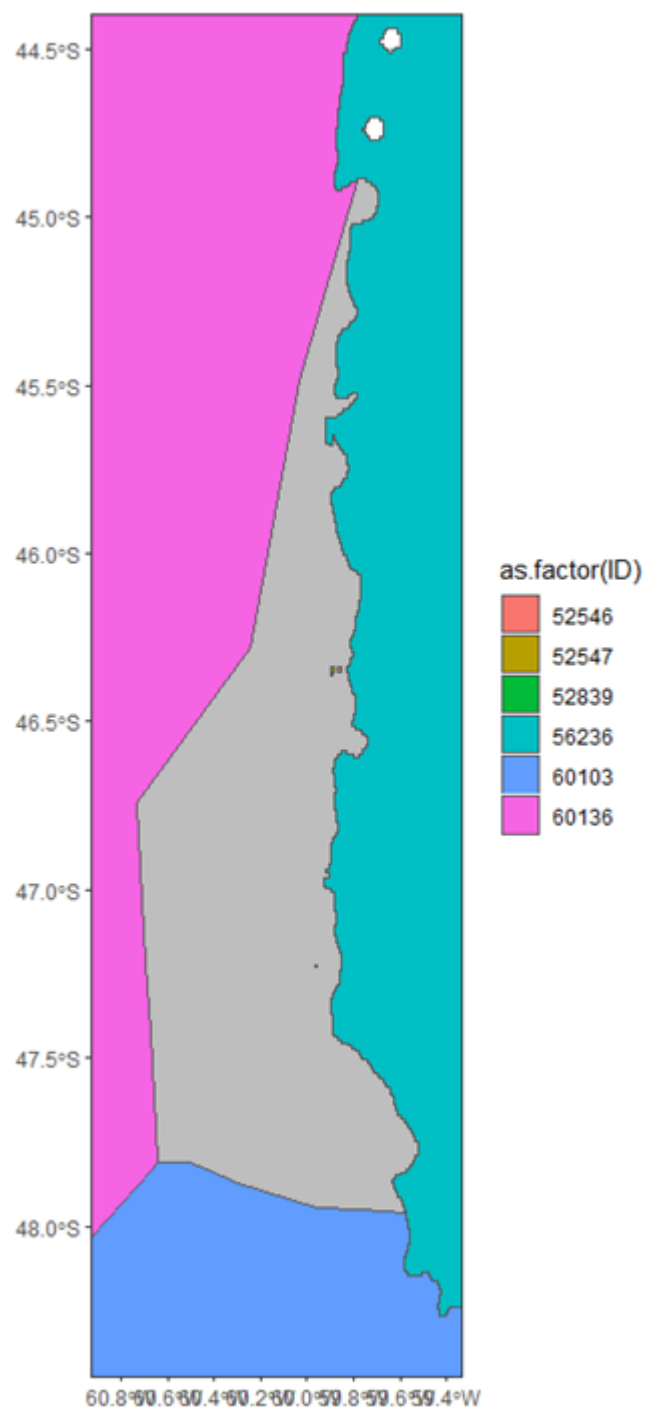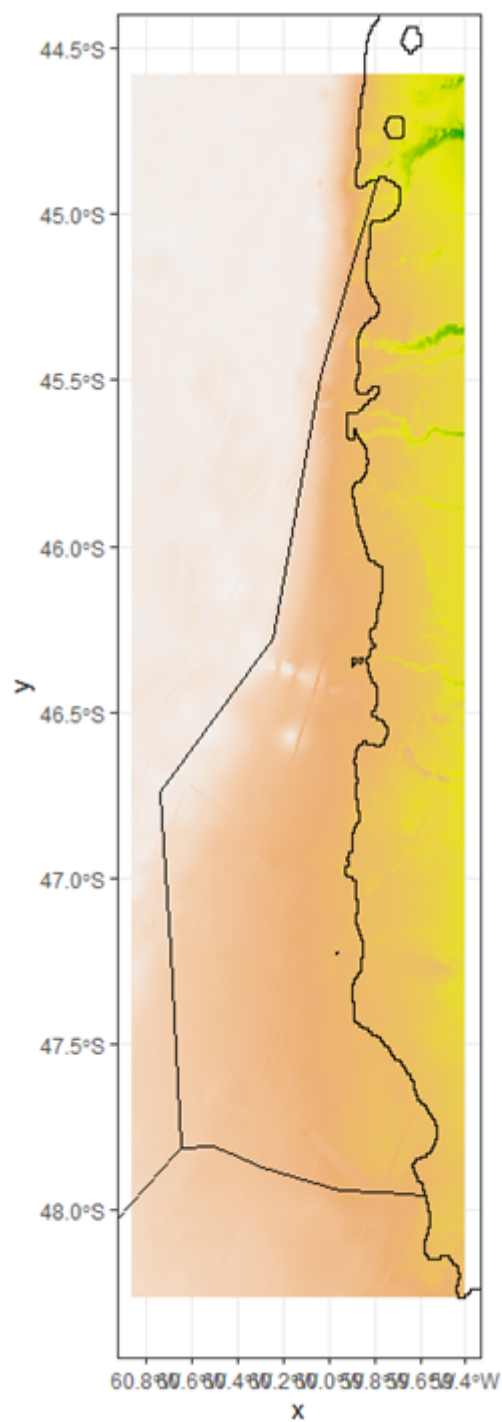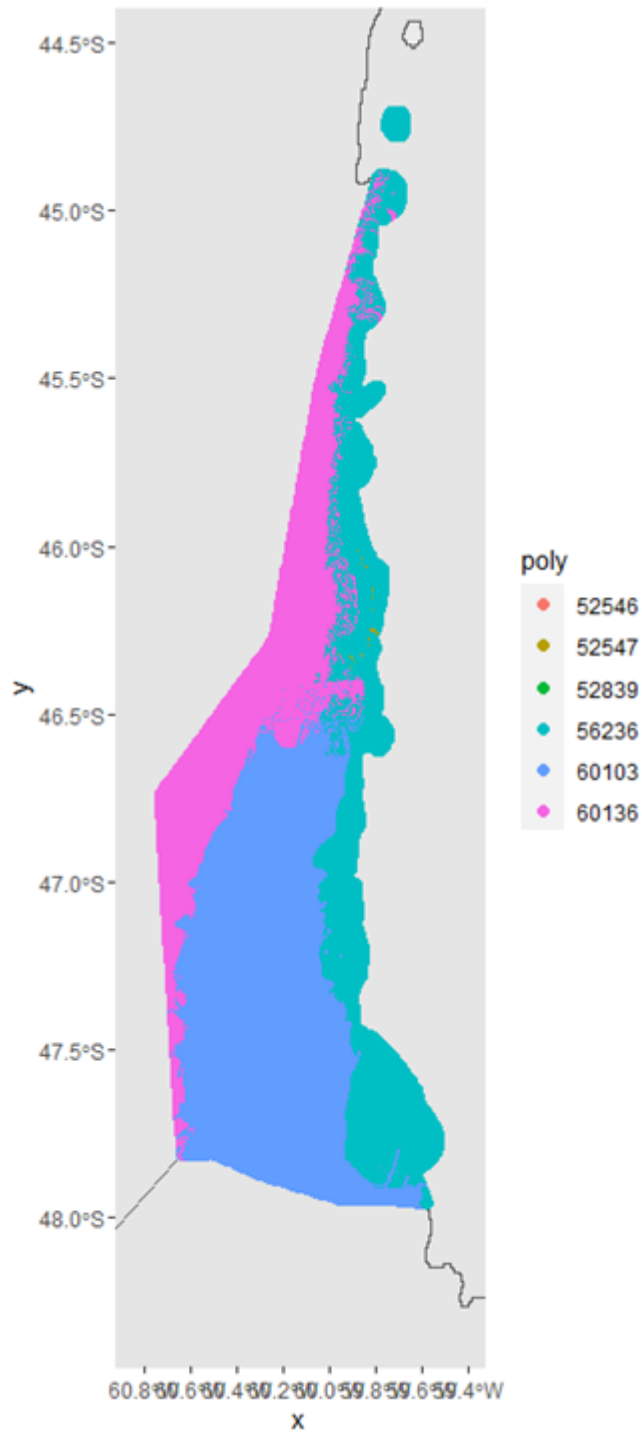
```
rm(list = ls())

### Libraries
library(sf)
sf::sf_use_s2(FALSE)
library(tidyverse)
library(ggplot2)
library(rgdal)
```

```r
library(RColorBrewer)
library(raster)
library(geosphere)
library(fasterize)
library(smoothie)
library(exactextractr)
library(Morpho)
library(rgl)
library(units)
library(foreach)


################################################################################
### Load data & fix shapefile attributes
################################################################################
# load provinces_p7s3
seafloor_meow_deepsea <- st_read("outputs/hadal/provinces_p7s3_abyssal_corr.shp")

# load holes shapefile
holes <- st_read("outputs/arcpro/post-processing_1/holes_p6s2_correct.shp") %>%
  st_cast("POLYGON") %>%
  mutate(Shape_Area = drop_units(st_area(geometry)),
         Shape_Leng = drop_units(st_length(geometry))) %>%
  dplyr::select(-Id)
holes$ID <- c(1:nrow(holes))

st_write(obj = holes, dsn = "outputs/holes/holes_p6s2_id.shp")
# for(i in 1:nrow(holes)){
#   png(file = paste0("figures/holes/",i,".png"))
#   print(ggplot(holes[i,]) + geom_sf())
#   dev.off()
# }

holes <- holes %>%
  filter(ID != 1553)

# Load all depth shapefiles
depth_n0_s90_w180_e90 <- raster("data/gebco_2020_ascii/gebco_2020_n0.0_s-90.0_w-180.0_e-90.0.asc")
depth_n0_s90_w90_e0 <- raster("data/gebco_2020_ascii/gebco_2020_n0.0_s-90.0_w-90.0_e0.0.asc")
depth_n0_s90_w0_e90 <- raster("data/gebco_2020_ascii/gebco_2020_n0.0_s-90.0_w0.0_e90.0.asc")
depth_n0_s90_w90_e180 <- raster("data/gebco_2020_ascii/gebco_2020_n0.0_s-90.0_w90.0_e180.0.asc")
depth_n90_s0_w180_e90 <- raster("data/gebco_2020_ascii/gebco_2020_n90.0_s0.0_w-180.0_e-90.0.asc")
depth_n90_s0_w90_e0 <- raster("data/gebco_2020_ascii/gebco_2020_n90.0_s0.0_w-90.0_e0.0.asc")
depth_n90_s0_w0_e90 <- raster("data/gebco_2020_ascii/gebco_2020_n90.0_s0.0_w0.0_e90.0.asc")
depth_n90_s0_w90_e180 <- raster("data/gebco_2020_ascii/gebco_2020_n90.0_s0.0_w90.0_e180.0.asc")

obj = c('depth_n90_s0_w180_e90', 'depth_n90_s0_w90_e0',
        'depth_n90_s0_w0_e90', 'depth_n90_s0_w90_e180',
        "depth_n0_s90_w180_e90", "depth_n0_s90_w90_e0",
        'depth_n0_s90_w0_e90', 'depth_n0_s90_w90_e180')
x.min = c(-180, -90, 0, 90, -180, -90, 0, 90)
x.max = c(-90, 0, 90, 180, -90, 0, 90, 180)
y.min = c(0, 0, 0, 0, -90, -90, -90, -90)
```

```r
y.max = c(90, 90, 90, 90, 0, 0, 0, 0)

depth_files <- data.frame(obj) %>%
  mutate(xmin = x.min,
         xmax = x.max,
         ymin = y.min,
         ymax = y.max)
select_files_r <- raster(nrows = 2, ncols = 4, xmn = -180, xmx = 180,
                         ymn = -90, ymx = 90) %>%
  rasterToPolygons() %>%
  st_as_sf()


###############################################################################
### Loop to correct for missing areas
###############################################################################

seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled <- data.frame()
problems <- c()

for(h in 1:nrow(holes)) {
  print(h)

  hole_one <- holes[h,]

  # extract lat/long boundaries
  bbox_one <- st_bbox(hole_one)

  # create bounding box for the raster shapefile & polygons
  x_range <- abs(abs(bbox_one$xmax) - abs(bbox_one$xmin))
  y_range <- abs(abs(bbox_one$ymax) - abs(bbox_one$ymin))
  new_bbox <- as.vector(bbox_one)
  new_bbox[1] <- new_bbox[1] -0.1*x_range
  new_bbox[2] <- new_bbox[2] -0.1*y_range
  new_bbox[3] <- new_bbox[3] +0.1*x_range
  new_bbox[4] <- new_bbox[4] +0.1*y_range

  if(new_bbox[1]<(-180)){new_bbox[1] <- (-180)}
  if(new_bbox[2]<(-90)){new_bbox[2] <- (-90)}
  if(new_bbox[3]>180){new_bbox[3] <- 180}
  if(new_bbox[4]>90){new_bbox[4] <- 90}

  # get the depth raster(s) around that zone
  # intersect between the new_bbox and the select files
  new_bbox_r <- raster(nrow=1, ncol=1, xmn = new_bbox[1], xmx = new_bbox[3],
                       ymn = new_bbox[2], ymx = new_bbox[4])

  overlap_rr <- coverage_fraction(new_bbox_r, select_files_r)
  select_depth <- c()
  for(r in 1:8){
    if(values(overlap_rr[[r]])==1){select_depth[length(select_depth)+1] <- depth_files$obj[r]}
    if(values(overlap_rr[[r]])>0 && values(overlap_rr[[r]]<1)){select_depth[length(select_depth)+1] <- 
  }
```

```r
# extract the zone around the bbox from the raster
if(length(select_depth)>0){
  if(length(select_depth)>1){
    for(k in 1:length(select_depth)){
      depth_k <- crop(get(select_depth[k]), y = extent(new_bbox[1],new_bbox[3],new_bbox[2],new_bbox[4]
      if(k==1){depth <- depth_k}
      else{depth <- merge(depth, depth_k)}
      rm(depth_k)
    }
  }
  if(length(select_depth)==1){
    depth <- crop(get(select_depth), y = extent(new_bbox[1],new_bbox[3],new_bbox[2],new_bbox[4]))
  }

  while((dim(depth)[1]*dim(depth)[2])<10){
    new_bbox[1] <- new_bbox[1] -0.3*x_range
    new_bbox[2] <- new_bbox[2] -0.3*y_range
    new_bbox[3] <- new_bbox[3] +0.3*x_range
    new_bbox[4] <- new_bbox[4] +0.3*y_range
    if(length(select_depth)>1){
      for(k in 1:length(select_depth)){
        depth_k <- crop(get(select_depth[k]), y = extent(new_bbox[1],new_bbox[3],new_bbox[2],new_bbox
        if(k==1){depth <- depth_k}
        if(k>1){depth <- merge(depth, depth_k)}
        rm(depth_k)
      }
    }
    if(length(select_depth)==1){
      depth <- crop(get(select_depth), y = extent(new_bbox[1],new_bbox[3],new_bbox[2],new_bbox[4]))
    }
  }

  # print final dimensions
  print(dim(depth)[1]*dim(depth)[2])

  # extract necessary polygons
  depth_spdf <- as(depth, "SpatialPixelsDataFrame")
  depth_df <- as.data.frame(depth_spdf)
  colnames(depth_df) <- c("depth", "x", "y")

  # select polygons from shapefile and depth raster
  depth_pts <- data.frame(rasterToPoints(depth))
  depth_pts_sf <- st_as_sf(depth_pts, coords = c("x","y"), crs = st_crs(seafloor_meow_deepsea))
  select_polygons <- st_intersects(depth_pts_sf, seafloor_meow_deepsea) # that line takes time
  select_polygons <- unique(unlist(select_polygons))
  select_polygons <- seafloor_meow_deepsea[select_polygons,]

  if(nrow(select_polygons)==1){
    new_poly <- select_polygons %>% st_drop_geometry()
    st_geometry(new_poly) <- st_geometry(holes[h,])
    seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled <- rbind(seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled, new_poly)
    save(seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled, file="outputs/holes/results_fill_holes.RData")
    save.image("outputs/holes/envt.RData")
```

```r
    print("One polygon")
}

if(nrow(select_polygons)>1 && dim(depth)[2]==1){
  new_poly <- select_polygons[1,] %>% st_drop_geometry()
  st_geometry(new_poly) <- st_geometry(holes[h,])
  seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled <- rbind(seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled, new_poly)
  save(seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled, file="outputs/holes/results_fill_holes.RData")
  save.image("outputs/holes/envt.RData")
  print("Column polygon")}

if(nrow(select_polygons)>1 && dim(depth)[2]>1){
  select_polygons_merged <- st_union(select_polygons) # a bit long to run, only 3 polygons
  xx <- coverage_fraction(depth, select_polygons_merged)

  depths_empty <- as.data.frame(as(xx[[1]], "SpatialPixelsDataFrame")) %>%
    rename(coverage = layer) %>%
    filter(coverage<1) %>%
    left_join(depth_pts, by=c('x','y'))

  depths_full <- as.data.frame(as(xx[[1]], "SpatialPixelsDataFrame")) %>%
    rename(coverage = layer) %>%
    filter(coverage==1) %>%
    left_join(depth_pts, by=c('x','y'))

  # query will be depth_pts_empty transformed in 3D matrix
  depth_pts_empty_df <- depths_empty %>%
    rename(z = names(depths_empty)[4]) %>%
    mutate(z = z) %>%
    dplyr::select(x,y,z)
  depth_pts_empty_mat <- data.matrix(depth_pts_empty_df)

  # target will be depth_pts transformed in 3D matrix
  depth_pts_df <- depths_full %>%
    rename(z = names(depths_empty)[4]) %>%
    mutate(z = z) %>%
    dplyr::select(x,y,z)
  depth_pts_mat <- data.matrix(depth_pts_df)

  # 3D NNA from the R morpho package
  # https://www.rdocumentation.org/packages/Morpho/versions/2.9/topics/mcNNindex
  xx <- mcNNindex(target = depth_pts_mat, query = depth_pts_empty_mat, k=1)
  depth_pts_empty_closest <- data.frame(cbind(depth_pts_empty_mat, xx)) %>%
    mutate(x_closest = NA,
           y_closest = NA,
           poly = NA_character_)

  types <- c(select_polygons$ID)
  pts <- st_as_sf(depth_pts_df, coords = c("x","y"), crs= st_crs(select_polygons))
  pts$id_pt <- 1:nrow(pts)
  tt <- unlist(st_intersects(pts, select_polygons, sparse=T))
  pts <- st_join(pts, select_polygons) %>%
    st_drop_geometry()
```

```r
depth_pts_empty_closest <- depth_pts_empty_closest %>%
  mutate(x_closest = depth_pts_empty_closest$x[depth_pts_empty_closest$V4],
         y_closest = depth_pts_empty_closest$y[depth_pts_empty_closest$V4],
         poly = types[tt[depth_pts_empty_closest$V4]])

# rasterize the closest points and aggregate a higher scale
# create new grid with lower resolution
# same for rasters
if(nrow(depth)<4 | ncol(depth)<4 ){new_r <- depth
} else {
  new_r <- aggregate(depth, fact = 4, fun = mean)
}

overlap_ri <- coverage_fraction(new_r, holes[h,])[[1]]
overlap_ri[overlap_ri==0] <- NA
overlap_ri[overlap_ri>0] <- 1
new_ri <- new_r*overlap_ri

new_poly <- rasterToPolygons(new_ri)
new_poly <- st_as_sf(new_poly, crs = st_crs(seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled))
new_poly$ID <- c(1:nrow(new_poly))

depth_pts_empty_closest_sf <- st_as_sf(depth_pts_empty_closest, coords = c('x','y'),
                                       crs = st_crs(new_poly))
new_poly_closest <- st_join(new_poly, depth_pts_empty_closest_sf, left=T) %>%
  st_drop_geometry() %>%
  group_by(ID, poly) %>% summarise(n=length(poly)) %>% slice_max(n, with_ties = FALSE)

new_poly <- left_join(new_poly, new_poly_closest, by = "ID") %>%
  filter(n>0) %>%
  group_by(poly) %>%
  summarize(geometry = st_union(geometry))

# get attributes from seafloor shapefile
select_polygons <- select_polygons %>%
  filter(ID %in% new_poly$poly) %>%
  st_drop_geometry()
new_poly <- new_poly %>%
  mutate(poly = as.numeric(as.vector(poly)))
new_poly <- left_join(select_polygons, new_poly, by=c("ID"="poly"))
new_poly <- st_as_sf(new_poly, crs = st_crs(seafloor_meow_deepsea))
seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled <- rbind(seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled, new_poly)
save(seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled, file="outputs/holes/results_fill_holes.RData")
save.image("outputs/holes/envt.RData")
print("Multi polygons")

rm(new_poly_closest, new_r, new_ri, types, depth_pts_empty_closest,
   depth_pts_empty_df, depth_pts_empty_mat,
   depths_empty, depths_full,select_polygons_merged,
   xx, depth_pts_mat)

}
```

```
    rm(depth_pts, depth_pts_sf, select_polygons, depth_spdf, depth_df, depth,
       overlap_rr, new_bbox_r, select_depth, new_bbox, x_range, y_range, hole_one,
       bbox_one)

  } else{problems[length(problems)+1] <- h
  print("length(select_depth) not positive")
  save.image("outputs/holes/envt.RData")}

}

save(seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled, file = "outputs/holes/seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled.RData")
```

- Step #5: finalize the shapefile

```
rm(list = ls())

### Libraries
library(sf)
sf::sf_use_s2(FALSE)
library(tidyverse)
library(ggplot2)
library(rgdal)
library(RColorBrewer)
library(raster)
library(geosphere)
library(fasterize)
library(smoothie)
library(exactextractr)
library(Morpho)
library(rgl)
library(units)
library(rnaturalearth)
library(rnaturalearthdata)
world <- ne_countries(scale = "medium", returnclass = "sf")


### load holes transformed into polygons with regions from e. ran on the HPC
load("outputs/holes/seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled_1_to_10.RData")
seafloor_meow_deepsea_final <- seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled
load("outputs/holes/seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled_11_to_200.RData")
seafloor_meow_deepsea_final <- rbind(seafloor_meow_deepsea_final, seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled)
load("outputs/holes/seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled_201_to_400.RData")
seafloor_meow_deepsea_final <- rbind(seafloor_meow_deepsea_final, seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled)
load("outputs/holes/seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled_401_to_600.RData")
seafloor_meow_deepsea_final <- rbind(seafloor_meow_deepsea_final, seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled)
load("outputs/holes/seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled_601_to_800.RData")
seafloor_meow_deepsea_final <- rbind(seafloor_meow_deepsea_final, seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled)
load("outputs/holes/seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled_801_to_1000.RData")
seafloor_meow_deepsea_final <- rbind(seafloor_meow_deepsea_final, seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled)
load("outputs/holes/seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled_1001_to_1200.RData")
seafloor_meow_deepsea_final <- rbind(seafloor_meow_deepsea_final, seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled)
load("outputs/holes/seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled_1201_to_1400.RData")
seafloor_meow_deepsea_final <- rbind(seafloor_meow_deepsea_final, seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled)
load("outputs/holes/seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled_1401_to_1600.RData")
```

```r
seafloor_meow_deepsea_final <- rbind(seafloor_meow_deepsea_final, seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled)
load("outputs/holes/seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled_1601_to_1800.RData")
seafloor_meow_deepsea_final <- rbind(seafloor_meow_deepsea_final, seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled)
load("outputs/holes/seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled_1801_to_2000.RData")
seafloor_meow_deepsea_final <- rbind(seafloor_meow_deepsea_final, seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled)
load("outputs/holes/seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled_2001_to_2232.RData")
seafloor_meow_deepsea_final <- rbind(seafloor_meow_deepsea_final, seafloor_meow_deepsea_filled)


# load provinces_p7s3
seafloor_meow_deepsea <- st_read("outputs/hadal/provinces_p7s3_abyssal_corr.shp") %>%
  mutate(prov_id = ifelse(type == "hadal", had_id, prov_id),
         prov_n = ifelse(type == "hadal", had_n, prov_n),
         type_id = paste0(type,"-",prov_id)) %>%
  dplyr::select(-had_id, -had_n, -eco_id, -eco_n, -rlm_n, -rlm_id, -ID)


seafloor_meow_deepsea_final <- seafloor_meow_deepsea_final %>%
  mutate(prov_id = ifelse(type == "hadal", had_id, prov_id),
         prov_n = ifelse(type == "hadal", had_n, prov_n),
         type_id = paste0(type,"-",prov_id)) %>%
  dplyr::select(-had_id, -had_n, -eco_id, -eco_n, -rlm_n, -rlm_id, -ID)

# creation of the bpow shapefile
bpow <- rbind(seafloor_meow_deepsea, seafloor_meow_deepsea_final) %>%
  mutate(source = case_when(type == "coastal" ~ "Spalding et al., (2007)",
                            type %in% c("bathyal","abyssal") ~ "Watling et al., (2013)",
                            type == "hadal" ~ "adapted from Belyaev (1989)")) %>%
  group_by(type, type_id, prov_n, prov_id, source) %>%
  summarize(geometry = st_union(geometry)) %>%
  ungroup()
bpow$ID <- 1:100

xx <- st_is_valid(bpow) # all true so shapefile valid!

### problem with 20 and 24
new_1 <- bpow[20,] %>%
  st_cast(geometry, to = "POLYGON")
pb_1 <- bpow[20,] %>%
  st_cast(geometry, to = "POLYGON") %>%
  st_centroid() %>%
  st_coordinates()
new_1 <- cbind(new_1, pb_1) %>%
  filter(!(X<0 & X>(-90))) %>%
  dplyr::select(-X, -Y) %>%
  group_by(type, type_id, prov_n, prov_id, source, ID) %>%
  summarize(geometry = st_union(geometry)) %>%
  ungroup()
append_1 <- st_difference(bpow[20,],new_1)
st_geometry(bpow[20,]) <- st_geometry(new_1)

new_2 <- bpow[24,] %>%
  st_cast(geometry, to = "POLYGON")
pb_2 <- bpow[24,] %>%
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```
    st_cast(geometry, to = "POLYGON") %>%
    st_centroid() %>%
    st_coordinates()
new_2 <- cbind(new_2, pb_2) %>%
    filter(Y<0) %>%
    dplyr::select(-X, -Y) %>%
    group_by(type, type_id, prov_n, prov_id, source, ID) %>%
    summarize(geometry = st_union(geometry)) %>%
    ungroup()
append_2 <- st_difference(bpow[24,],new_2)
st_geometry(bpow[24,]) <- st_geometry(new_2)

append_1 <- append_1 %>%
    dplyr::select(type, type_id, prov_n, prov_id, source, ID)
append_2 <- append_2 %>%
    dplyr::select(type, type_id, prov_n, prov_id, source, ID)
geom_23 <- st_union(append_1,append_2)
geom_23 <- st_union(geom_23, bpow[23,])
st_geometry(bpow[23,]) <- st_geometry(geom_23)

### check and plot all regions
for(i in 1:100){
    png(filename = paste0("figures/all_regions/",i,"_",bpow$type[i],".png"),
        width = 16*200, height = 10*200, res = 200)
    print(ggplot(world) + geom_sf(fill = "grey", color = NA) +
            geom_sf(data = bpow[i,], fill = "blue", color = "black") +
            ggtitle(bpow$prov_n[i]))
    dev.off()
}


st_write(obj = bpow, dsn = "outputs/bpow/bpow_p8s5_abyssal_corr.shp",
         append = FALSE)
```

Part IX: Quality checks

Performed in ArcPro v2.8.3

- Step #1: Remove unnecessary parts of the geometry

    -ArcGIS: Pariwise Dissolve, input = bpow_s8p5, by=ID

```
# load libraries
library(sf)
library(tidyverse)
library(ggplot2)

bpow <- st_read(dsn = "/Users/auroremaureaud/Documents/bpow_p9_post_op.shp")

### A. Work on abyssal self intersections
bpow_validation <- st_is_valid(bpow, reason=TRUE, NA_on_exception = FALSE)
unique(bpow_validation) # 189 abyssal with self-ring intersection

bpow_corrected <- st_make_valid(bpow)
```

```
bpow_validation2 <- st_is_valid(bpow_corrected, reason=TRUE, NA_on_exception = FALSE)
unique(bpow_validation2) # all valid geometries

# bpow_corrected2 <- st_make_valid(bpow_corrected)
#
# bpow_validation3 <- st_is_valid(bpow_corrected2, reason=TRUE, NA_on_exception = FALSE)
# unique(bpow_validation3) # all valid geometries
#
# bpow_corrected3 <- st_make_valid(bpow_corrected2)
# bpow_validation4 <- st_is_valid(bpow_corrected3, reason = TRUE, NA_on_exception = FALSE)

st_write(bpow_corrected, dsn = "outputs/bpow/bpow_p9_abyssal_corr.shp",
         append=F)
```

- Step #2: Fix the boundaries of the layer

  `-ArcGIS: Creation of boundary box to clip the layer`

Part X: Clipping to global landmasses

Performed in ArcPro v2.8.3

`-ArcGIS: Pairwise Erase, input = land, erase = bpow_s9`

```
# load libraries
library(sf)
library(tidyverse)
library(ggplot2)


bpow <- st_read(dsn = "outputs/bpow_p10_attributes.shp") %>%
  dplyr::select(ID) %>%
  st_zm(drop = TRUE, what = "ZM")
attributes <- st_read("outputs/bpow/bpow_p8s5_abyssal_corr.shp") %>%
  st_drop_geometry() %>%
  mutate(depth_r = ifelse(type == "coastal", "0-800m", NA_character_),
         depth_r = ifelse(type == "bathyal", "800-3,500m", depth_r),
         depth_r = ifelse(type == "abyssal", "3,500-6,500m", depth_r),
         depth_r = ifelse(type == "hadal", "6,500m+", depth_r))

bpow <- left_join(bpow, attributes, by = "ID") %>%
  dplyr::select(ID, type, depth_r, prov_n, prov_id, source, geometry)

st_write(bpow, dsn = "outputs/bpow/bpow_p10_final.shp")
```

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