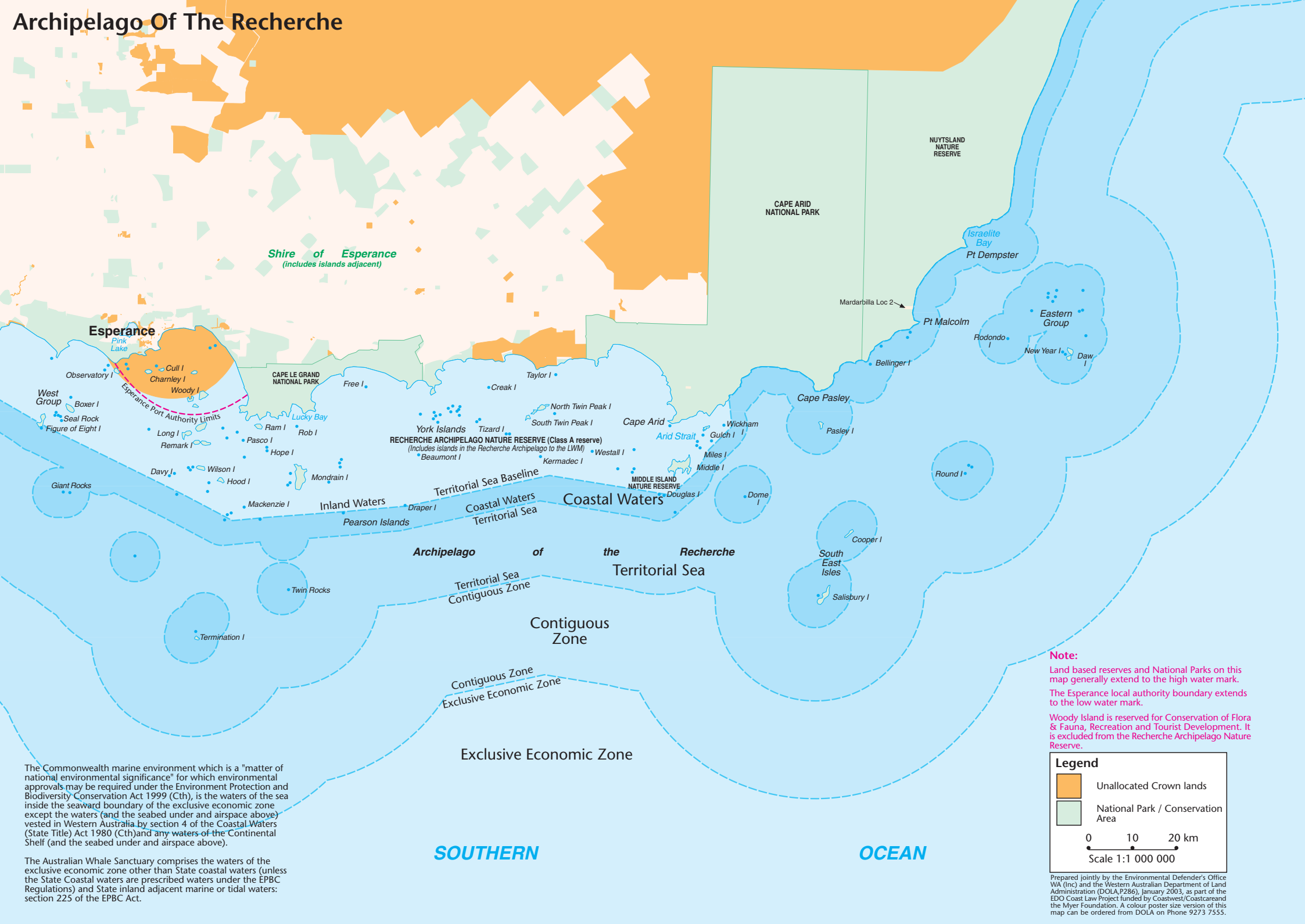


Archipelago Of The Recherche



The Commonwealth marine environment which is a "matter of national environmental significance" for which environmental approvals may be required under the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 (Cth), is the waters of the sea inside the seaward boundary of the exclusive economic zone except the waters (and the seabed under and airspace above) vested in Western Australia by section 4 of the Coastal Waters (State Title) Act 1980 (Cth) and any waters of the Continental Shelf (and the seabed under and airspace above).

The Australian Whale Sanctuary comprises the waters of the exclusive economic zone other than State coastal waters (unless the State Coastal waters are prescribed waters under the EPBC Regulations) and State inland adjacent marine or tidal waters: section 225 of the EPBC Act.

Note:
 Land based reserves and National Parks on this map generally extend to the high water mark.
 The Esperance local authority boundary extends to the low water mark.
 Woody Island is reserved for Conservation of Flora & Fauna, Recreation and Tourist Development. It is excluded from the Recherche Archipelago Nature Reserve.

Legend

- Unallocated Crown lands
- National Park / Conservation Area

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 Scale 1:1 000 000

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