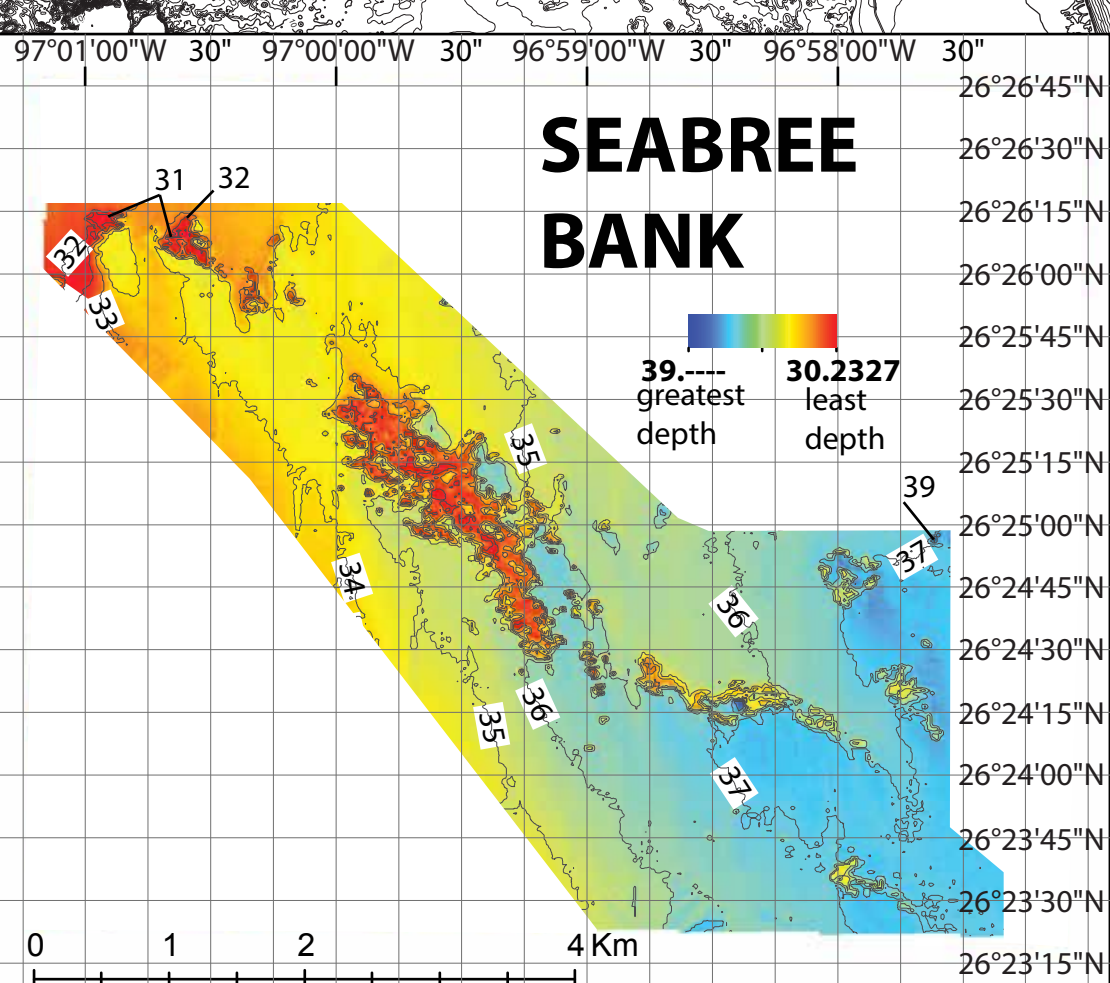
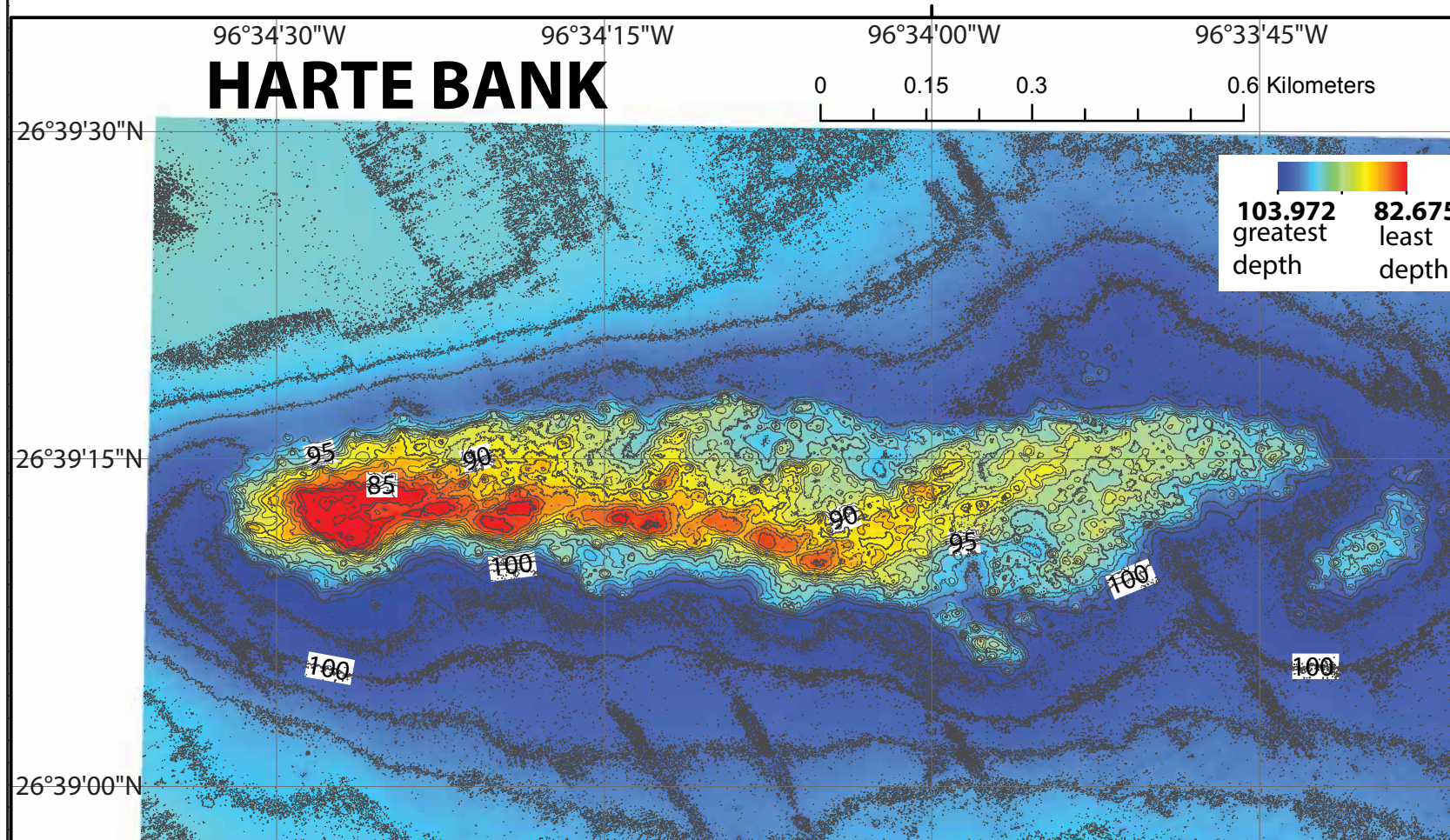
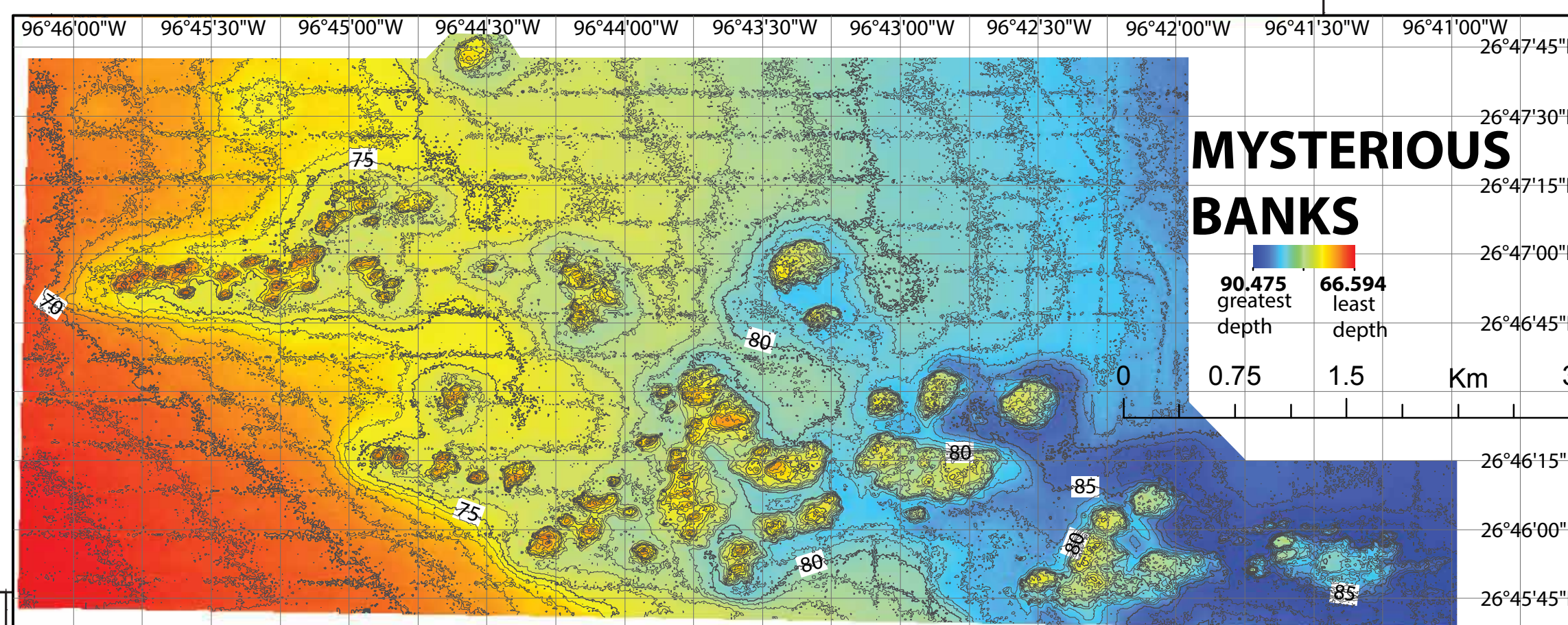
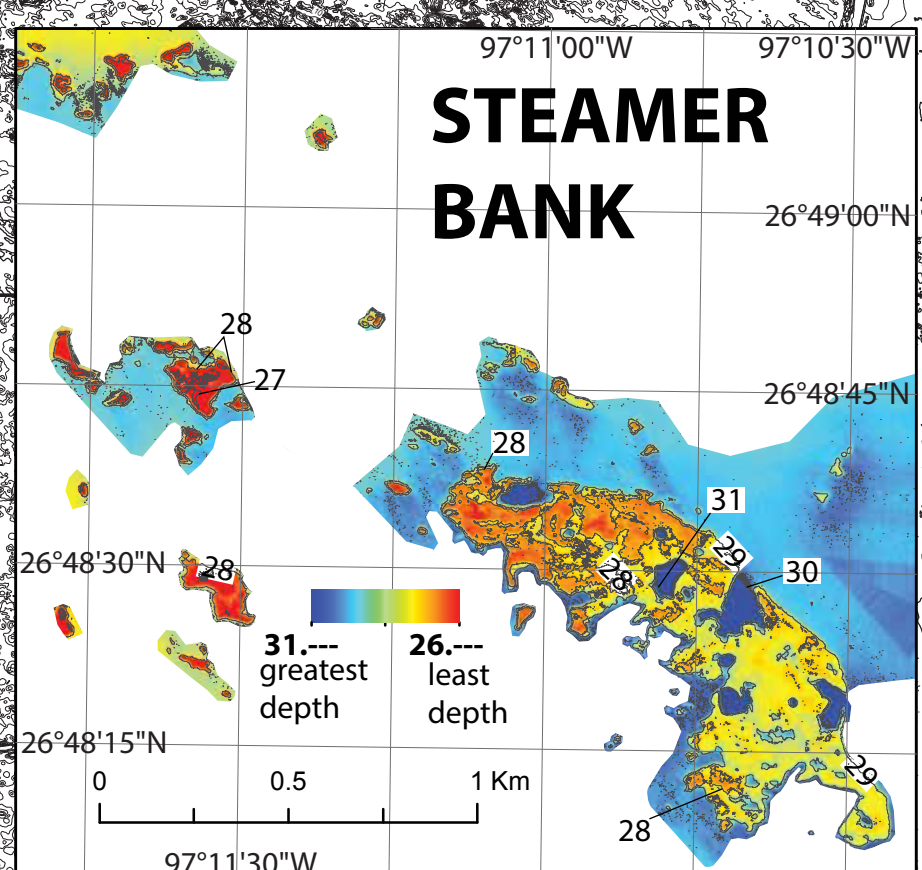
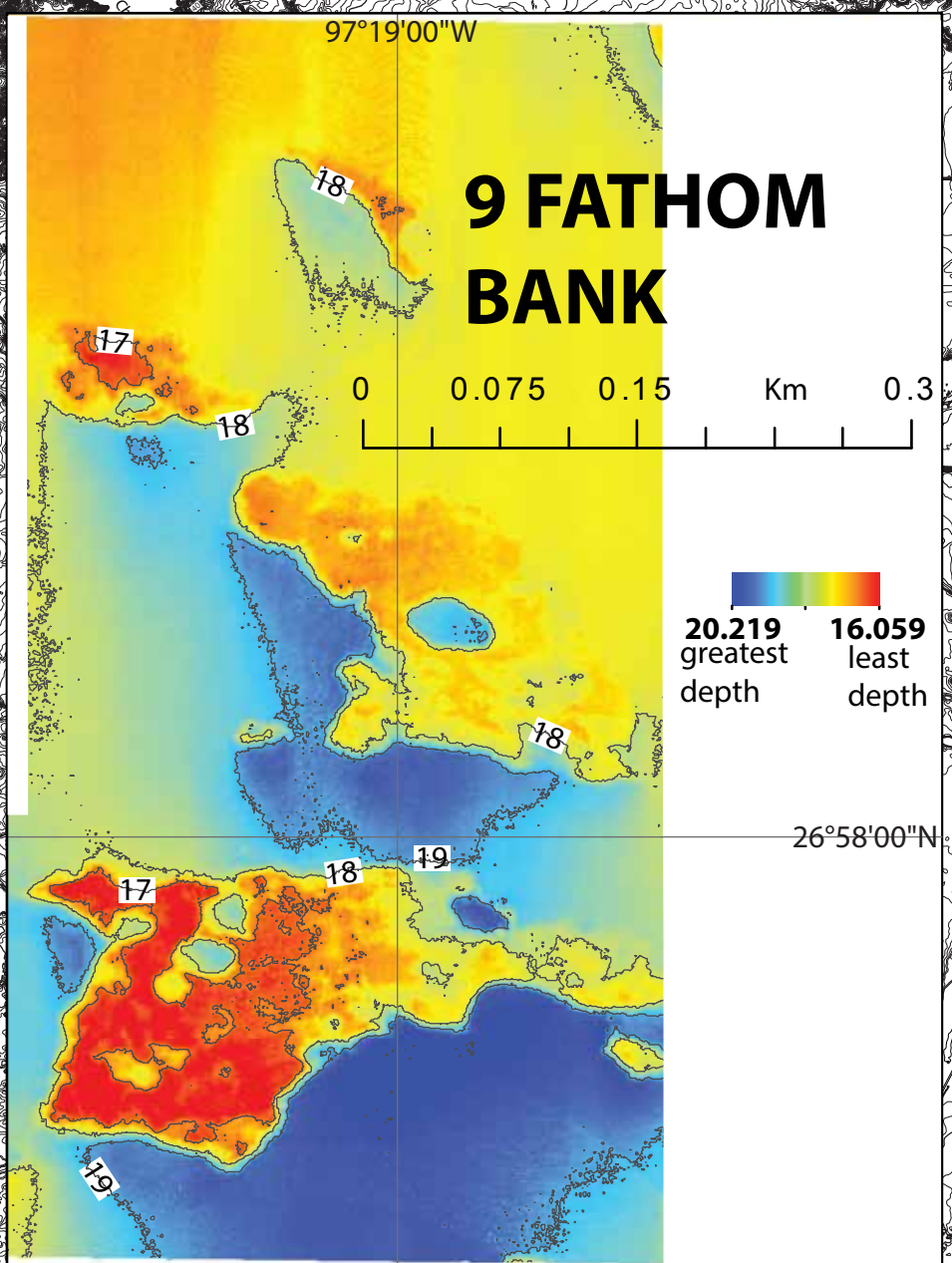
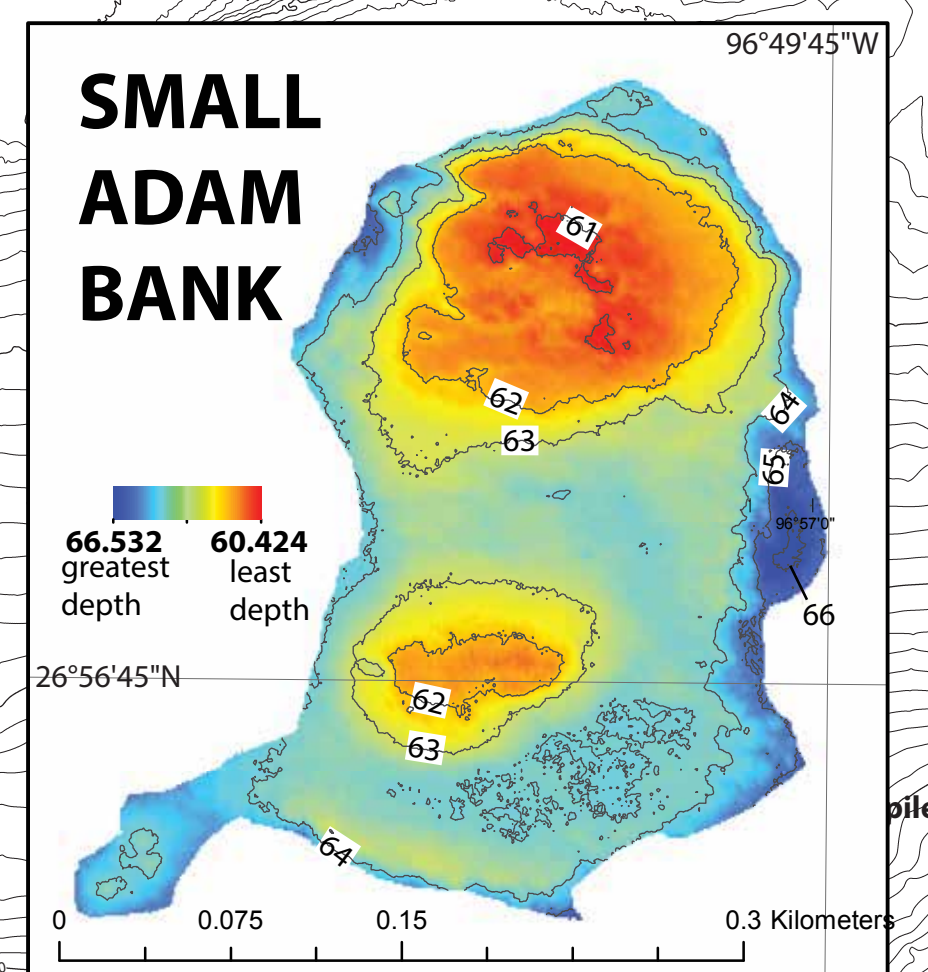
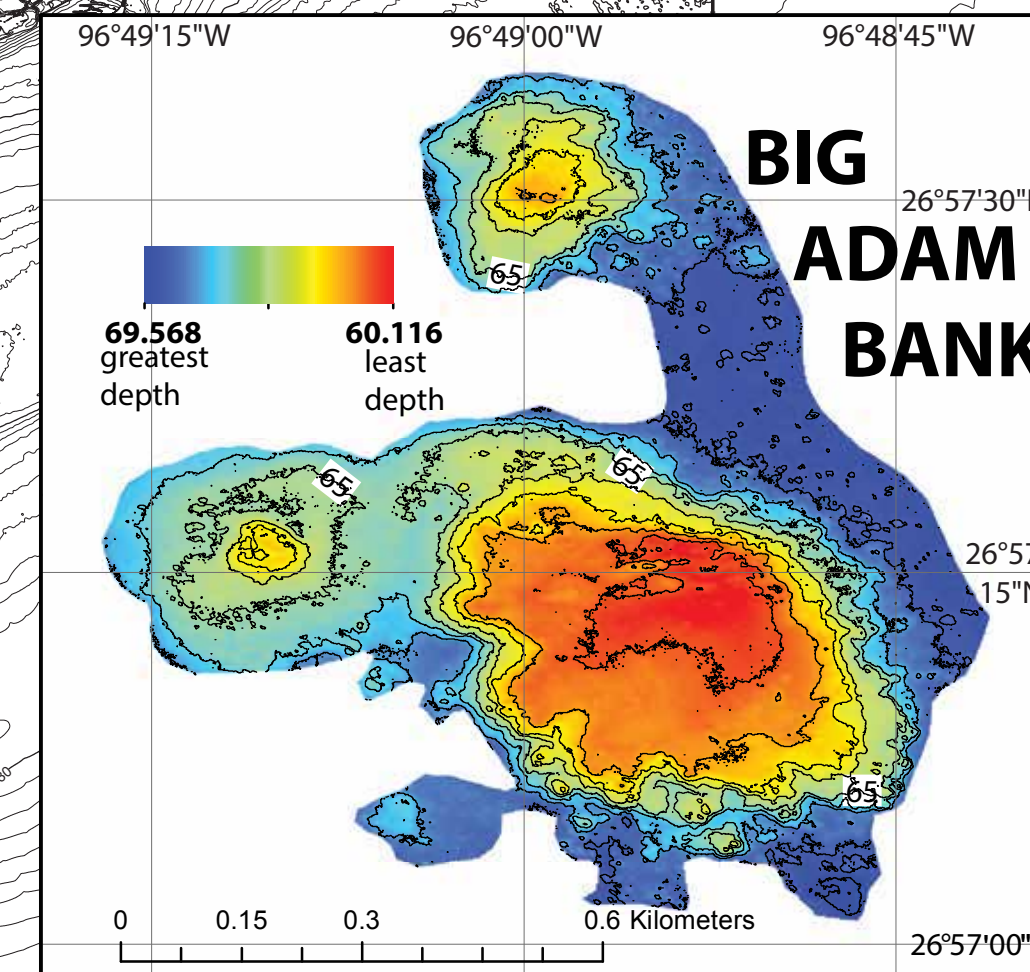
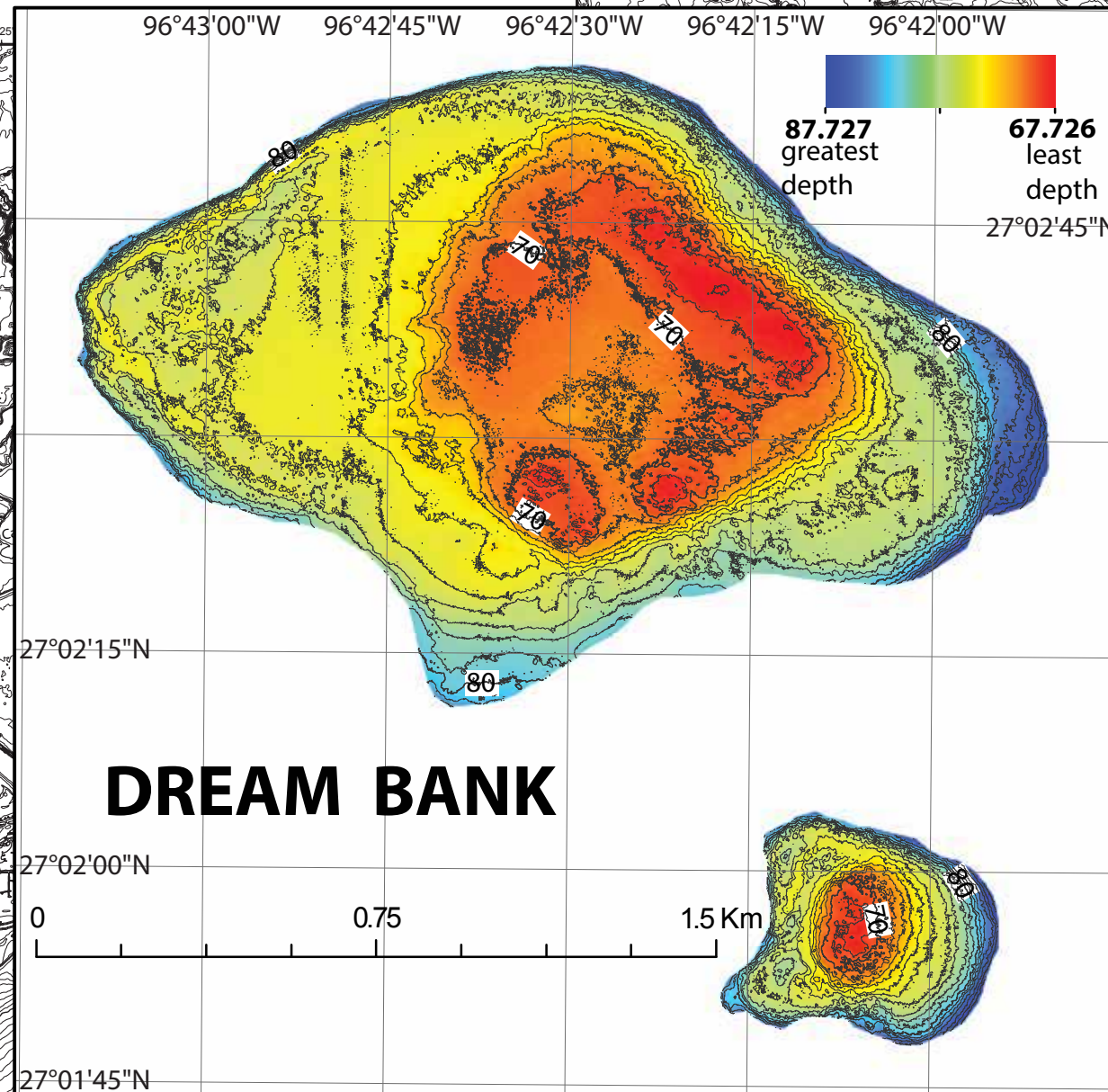
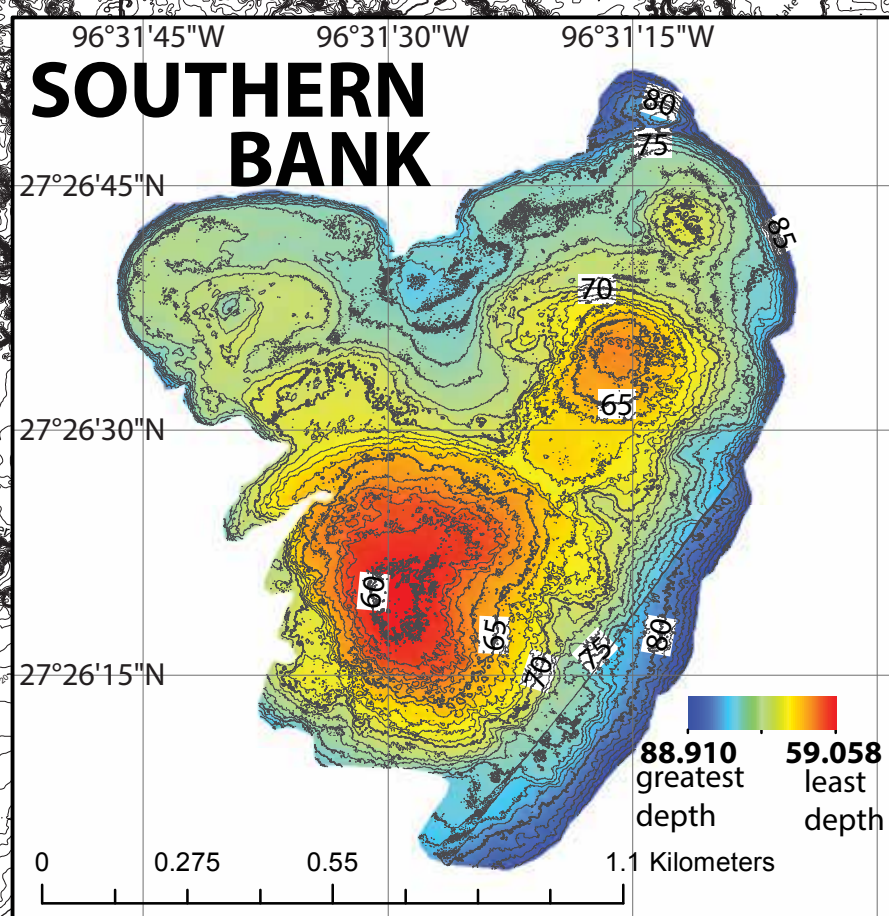
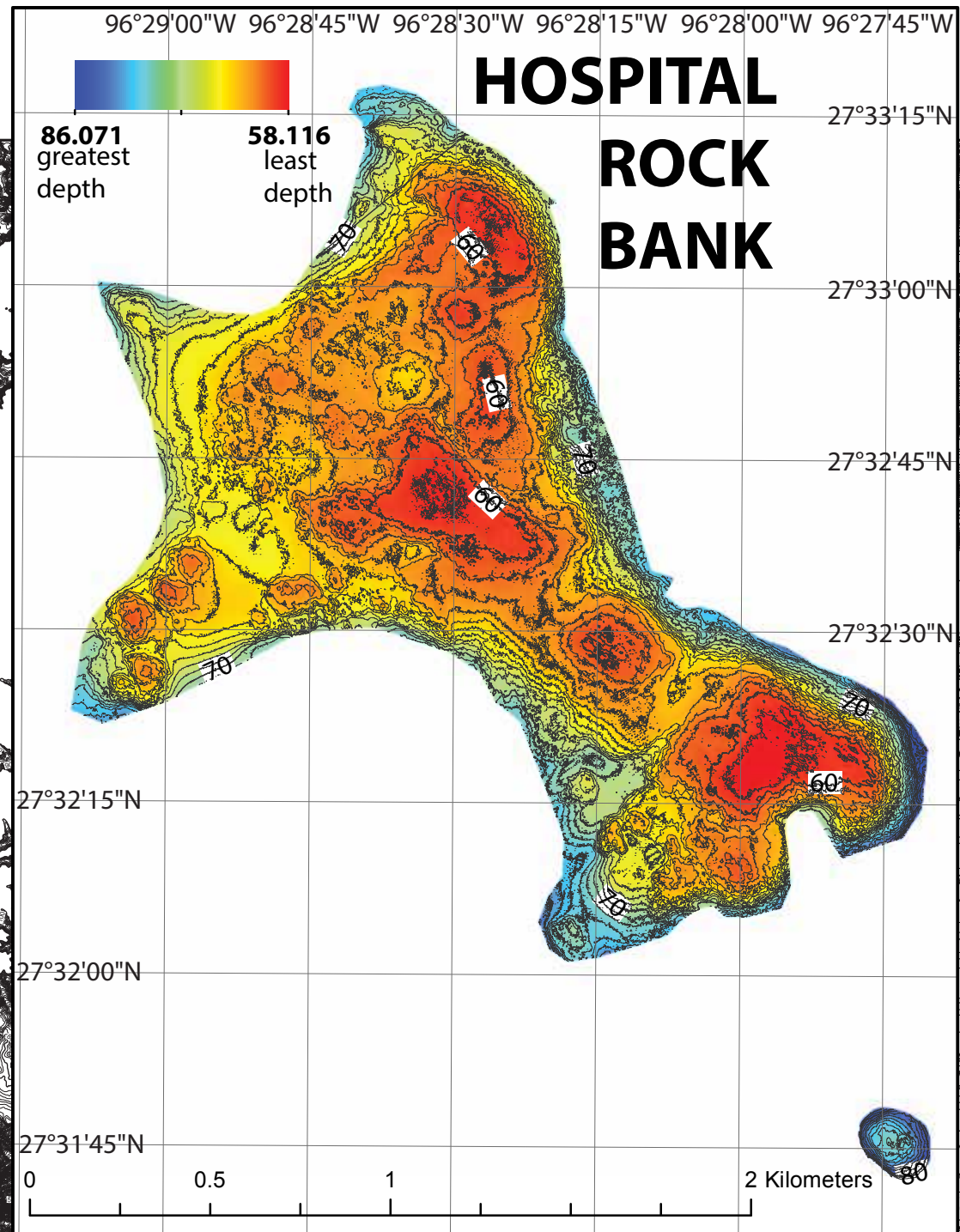
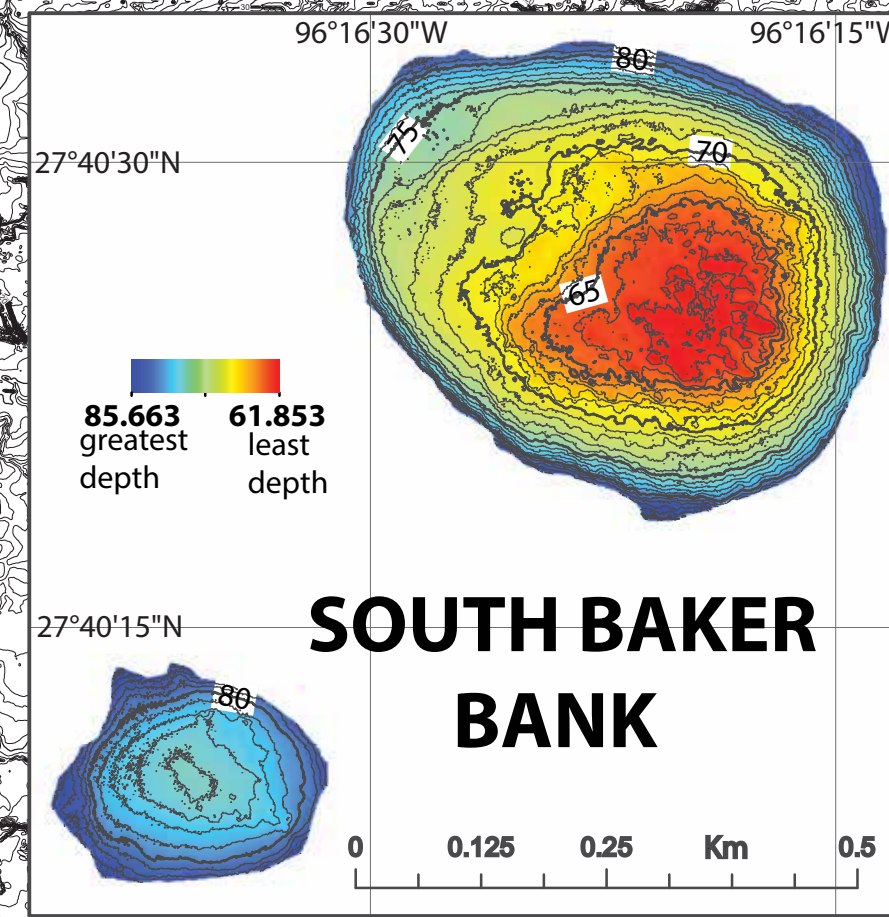
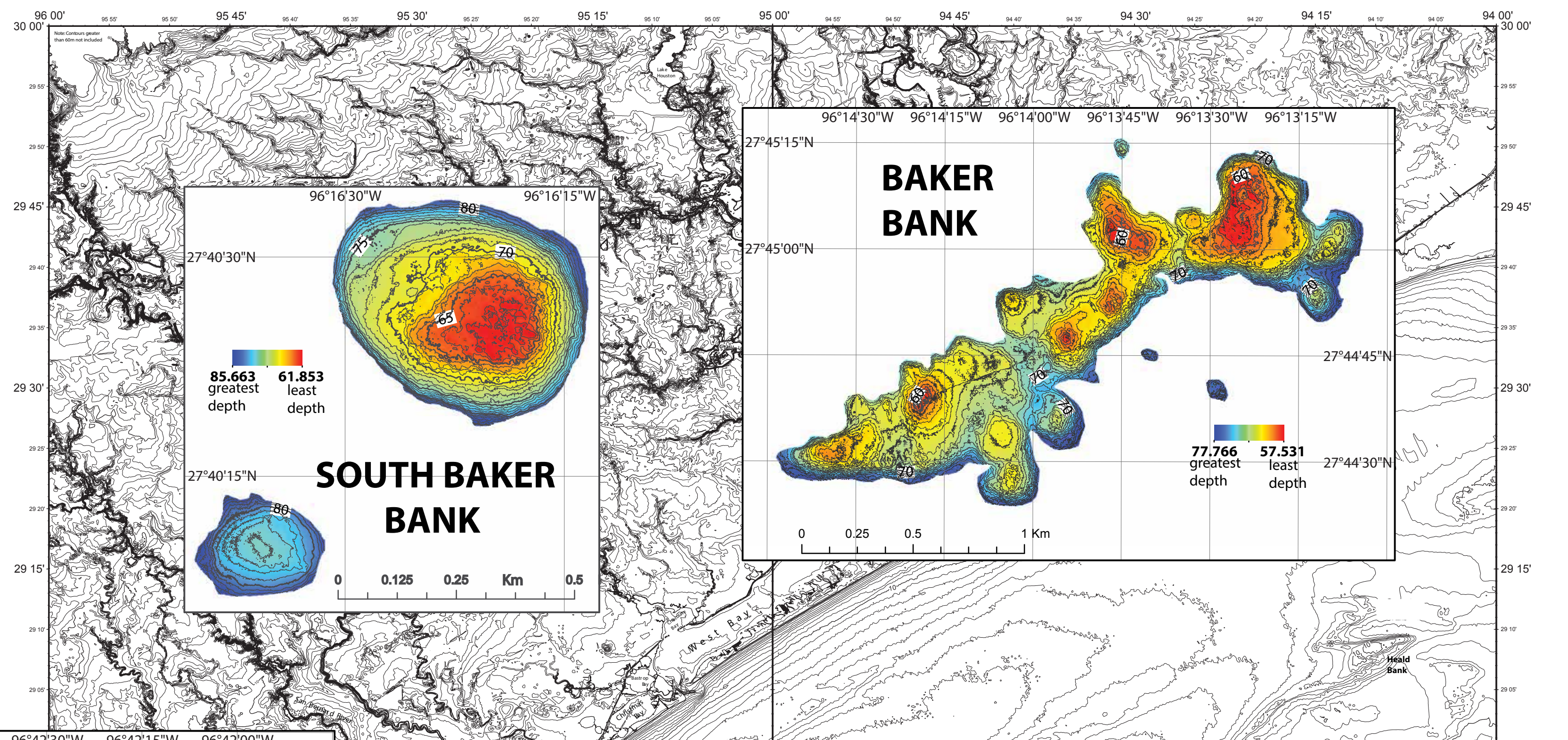
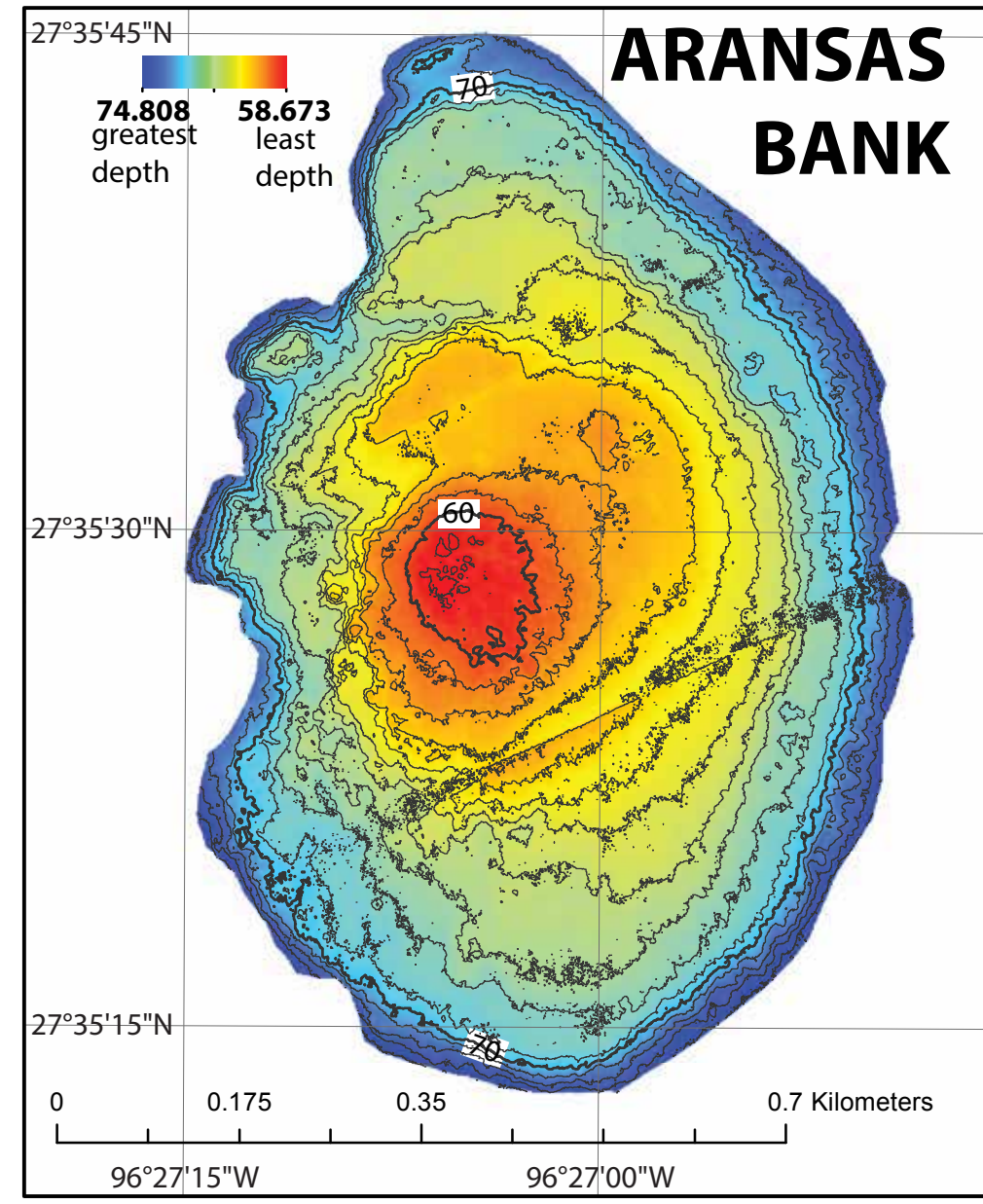
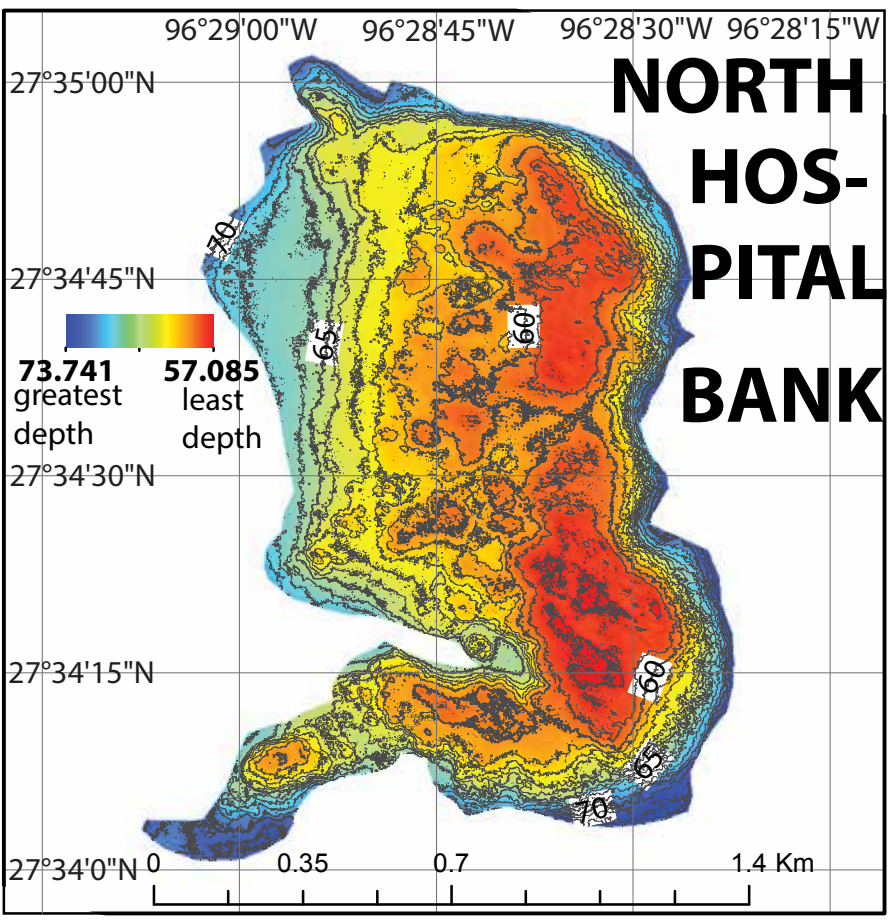
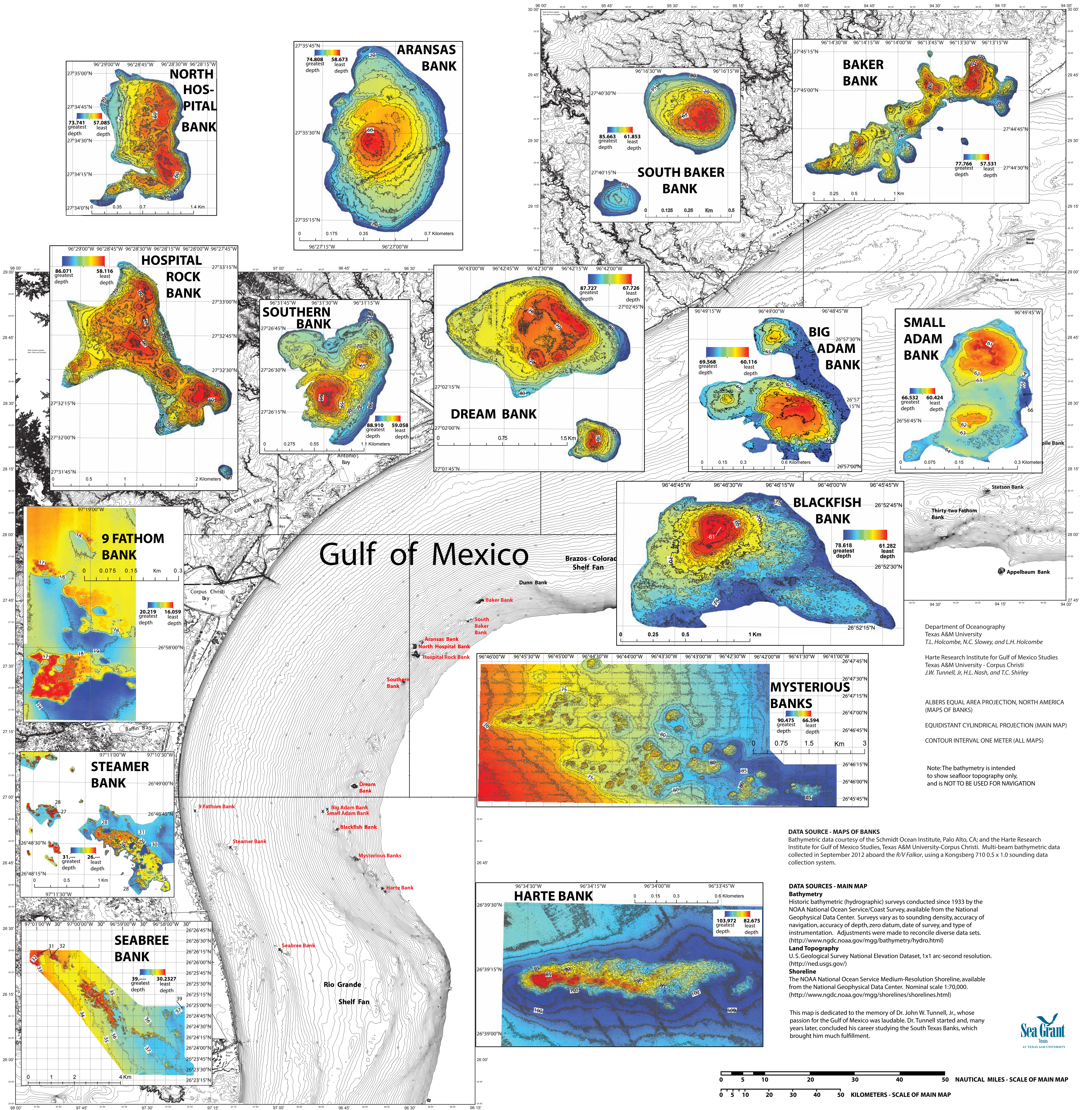




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ALBERS EQUAL AREA PROJECTION, NORTH AMERICA
(MAPS OF BANKS)

EQUIDISTANT CYLINDRICAL PROJECTION (MAIN MAP)

CONTOUR INTERVAL ONE METER (ALL MAPS)

Note: The bathymetry is intended to show seafloor topography only, and is NOT TO BE USED FOR NAVIGATION

DATA SOURCE - MAPS OF BANKS
Bathymetric data courtesy of the Schmidt Ocean Institute, Palo Alto, CA; and the Harte Research Institute for Gulf of Mexico Studies, Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi. Multi-beam bathymetric data collected in September 2012 aboard the *R/V Falkor*, using a Kongsberg 710 0.5 x 1.0 sounding data collection system.

DATA SOURCES - MAIN MAP
Bathymetry
Historic bathymetric (hydrographic) surveys conducted since 1933 by the NOAA National Ocean Service/Coast Survey, available from the National Geophysical Data Center. Surveys vary as to sounding density, accuracy of navigation, accuracy of depth, zero datum, date of survey, and type of instrumentation. Adjustments were made to reconcile diverse data sets. (<http://www.ngdc.noaa.gov/mgg/bathymetry/hydro.html>)
Land Topography
U. S. Geological Survey National Elevation Dataset, 1x1 arc-second resolution. (<http://ned.usgs.gov/>)
Shoreline
The NOAA National Ocean Service Medium-Resolution Shoreline, available from the National Geophysical Data Center. Nominal scale 1:70,000. (<http://www.ngdc.noaa.gov/mgg/shorelines/shorelines.html>)

This map is dedicated to the memory of Dr. John W. Tunnell, Jr., whose passion for the Gulf of Mexico was laudable. Dr. Tunnell started and, many years later, concluded his career studying the South Texas Banks, which brought him much fulfillment.