BEDROCK GEOLOGIC MAP OF NEW JERSEY

DESCRIPTION OF MAP UNITS

Sedimentary Rocks

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MESOZOIC

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- Cambrian: limestone, sandstone

Igneous and Metamorphic Rocks

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- Jurassic: diabase
- Cambrian: schist, gneiss

MESOPROTEROZOIC

- marble
- gneiss, granite

DESCRIPTION OF MAP SYMBOLS

- limit of late Wisconsinan glaciation
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- limit of pre-Illinoian glaciation

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ESSEX
HUDSON
Newark
Jersey City
Phillipsburg
Gladstone
UNION
Elizabeth
Somerville
Carteret
Milford
HUNTERDON
Flemington
SOMERSET
New Brunswick
MIDDLESEX
MERCER
Freehold
MONMOUTH
Trenton
Asbury Park
Mount Holly
Toms River
Camden
OCEAN
BURLINGTON
Woodbury
CAMDEN
GLOUCESTER
SALEM
Salem
ATLANTIC
Bridgeton
Mays Landing
CUMBERLAND
Atlantic City
CAPE MAY
Cape May Court House

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0 5 10 15 20 mi
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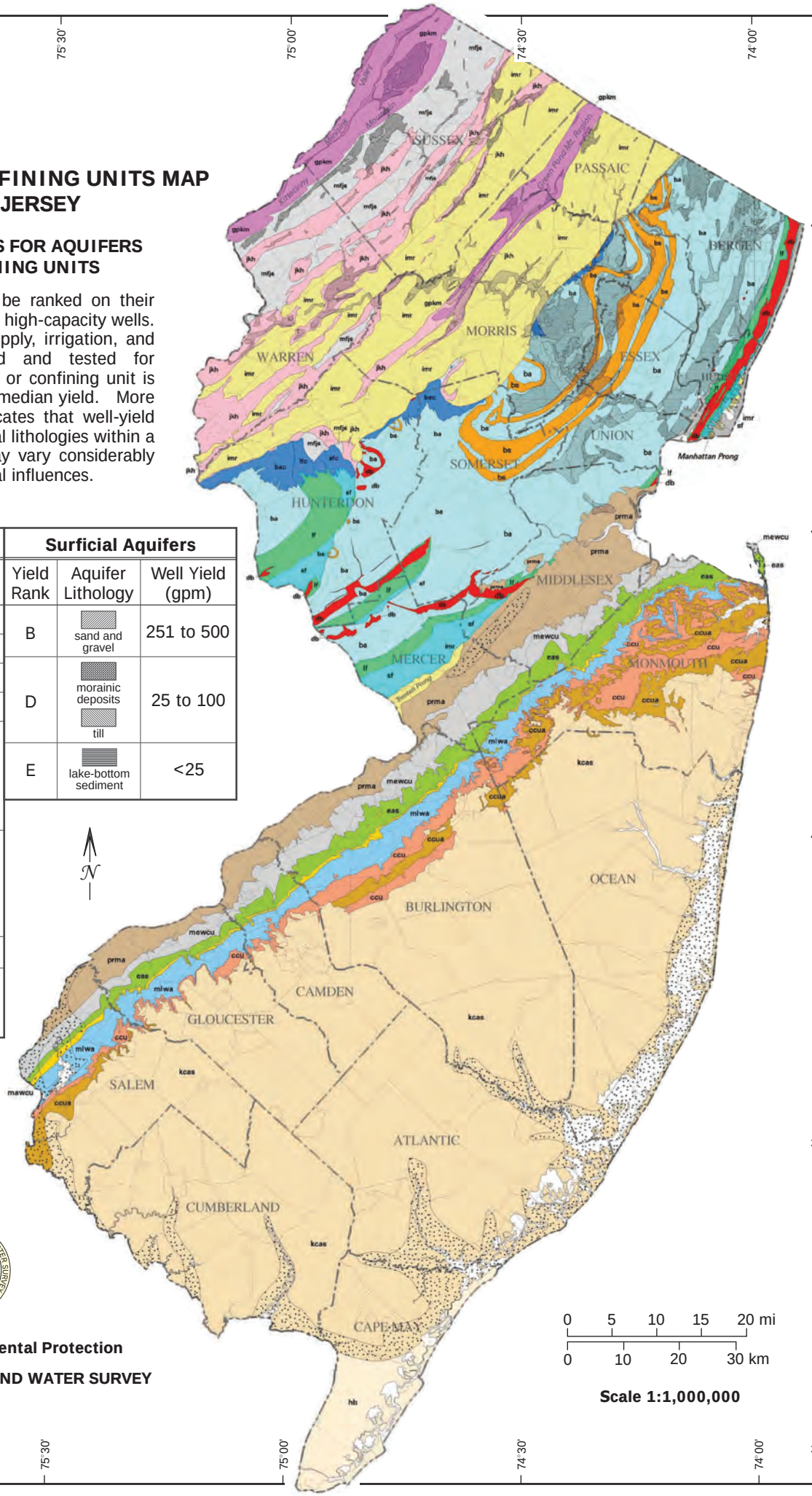
AQUIFERS AND CONFINING UNITS MAP OF NEW JERSEY

RANKING VALUES FOR AQUIFERS AND CONFINING UNITS

Aquifers in New Jersey can be ranked on their ability to yield groundwater to high-capacity wells. These wells include water-supply, irrigation, and industrial-supply wells sited and tested for maximum yield. Each aquifer or confining unit is assigned a rank based on its median yield. More than one ranking value indicates that well-yield data were analyzed for several lithologies within a map unit and well yields may vary considerably due to lithologic and structural influences.

Bedrock Aquifers		
Yield Rank	Aquifer Lithology	Well Yield (gpm)
A	prma	>500
B-A	kcas	>250
B	eas	251 to 500
C-B	jkh	101 to 500
C	ba, bac, sf, sfc, hb, mlwa	101 to 251
D	bs, lf, lfc, gpkm, mfjs, imr	25 to 100
E-B	ccu, ccua	<250
E	mawcu, mewcu, db	<25

Surficial Aquifers		
Yield Rank	Aquifer Lithology	Well Yield (gpm)
B	sand and gravel	251 to 500
D	morainic deposits, till	25 to 100
E	lake-bottom sediment	<25



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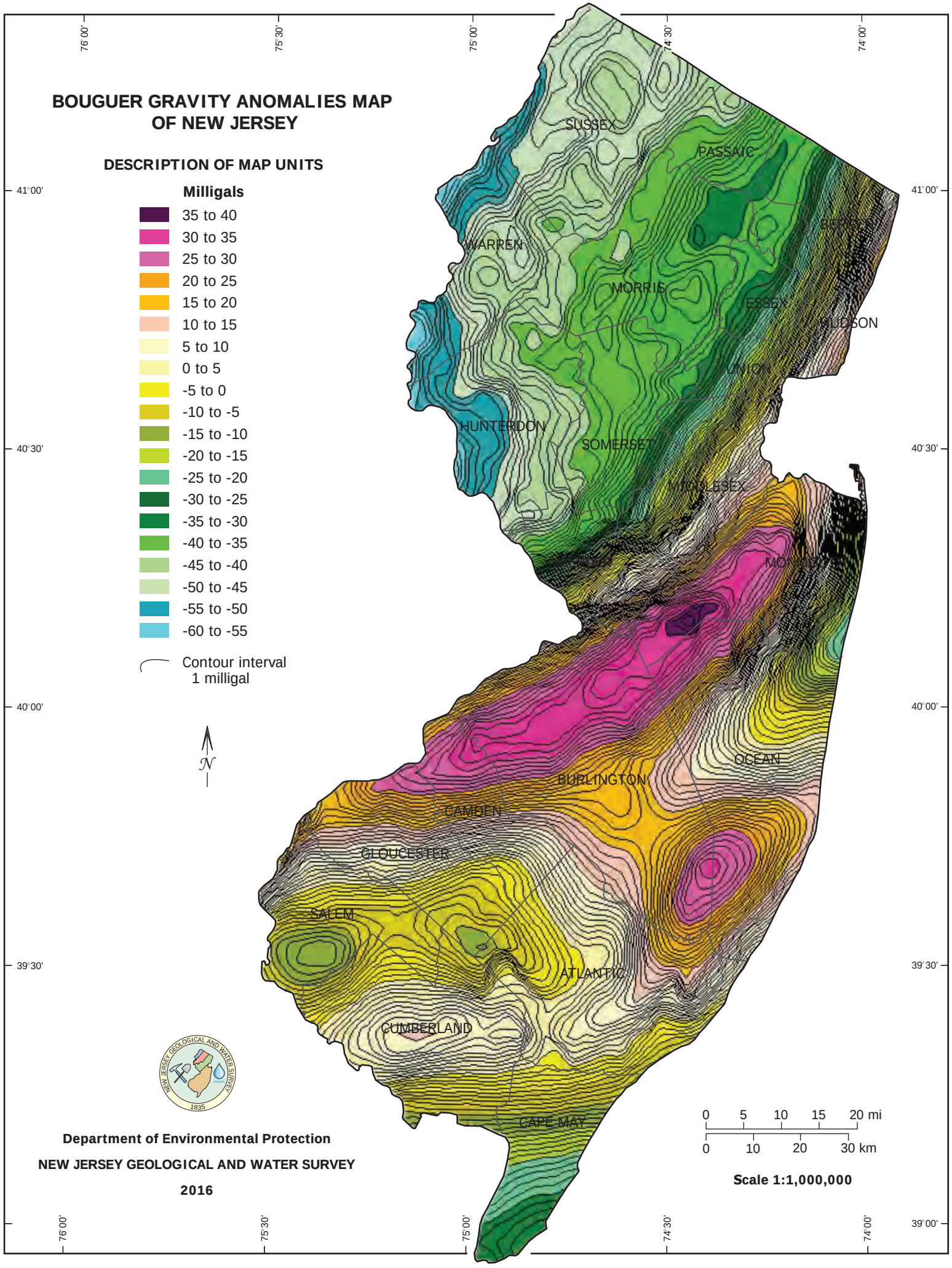
BOUGUER GRAVITY ANOMALIES MAP OF NEW JERSEY



DESCRIPTION OF MAP UNITS

Milligals

35 to 40
30 to 35
25 to 30
20 to 25
15 to 20
10 to 15
5 to 10
0 to 5
-5 to 0
-10 to -5
-15 to -10
-20 to -15
-25 to -20
-30 to -25
-35 to -30
-40 to -35
-45 to -40
-50 to -45
-55 to -50
-60 to -55

Contour interval
1 milligal

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MAGNETIC ANOMALY MAP OF NEW JERSEY

DESCRIPTION OF MAP UNITS

Gammas

- 1200 to 1300
- 1100 to 1200
- 1000 to 1100
- 900 to 1000
- 800 to 900
- 700 to 800
- 600 to 700
- 500 to 600
- 400 to 500
- 300 to 400
- 200 to 300
- 100 to 200
- 0 to 100
- -100 to 0
- -200 to -100

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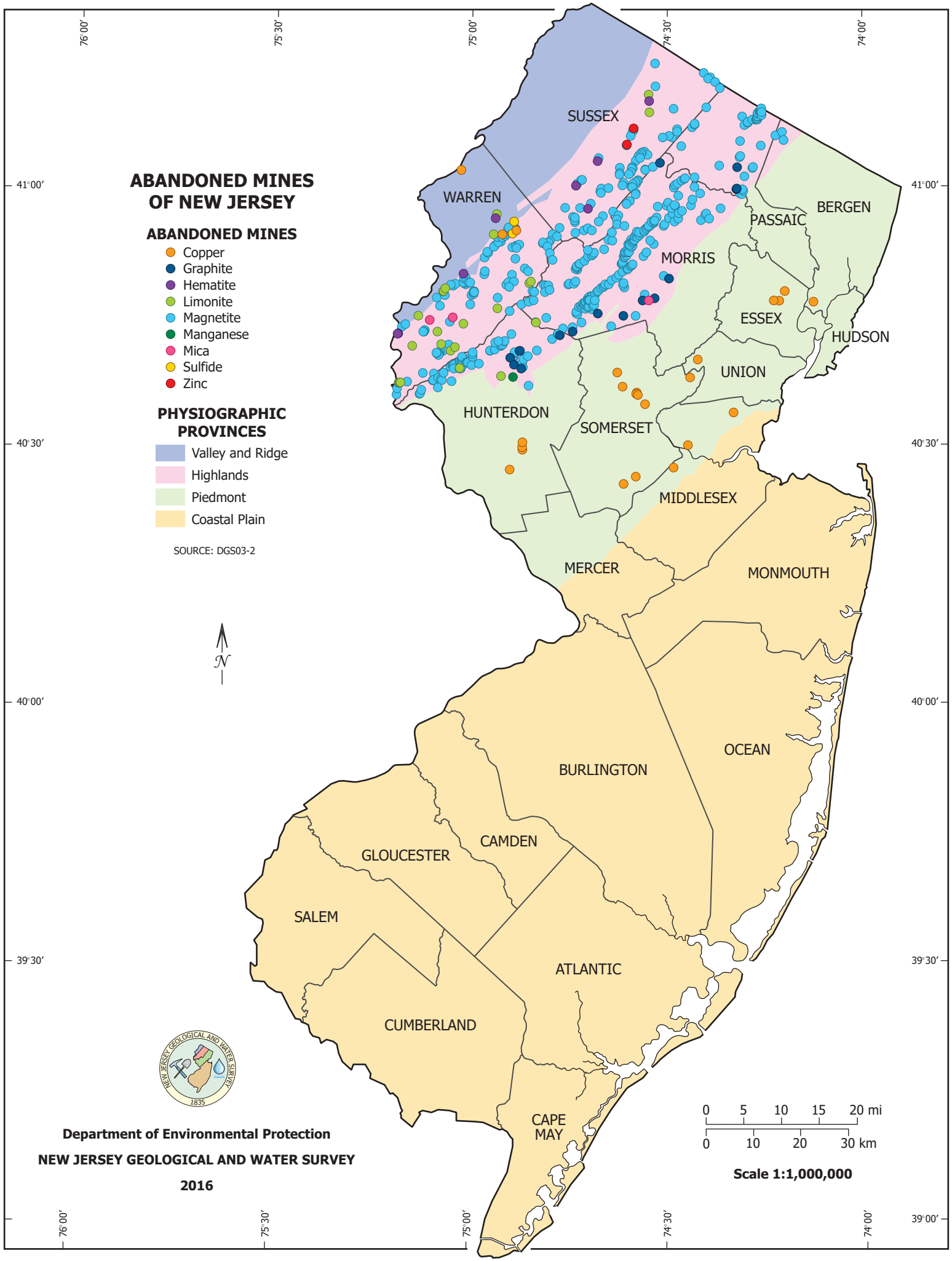
ABANDONED MINES OF NEW JERSEY
ABANDONED MINES
Copper
Graphite
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Mica
Sulfide
Zinc
PHYSIOGRAPHIC PROVINCES
Valley and Ridge
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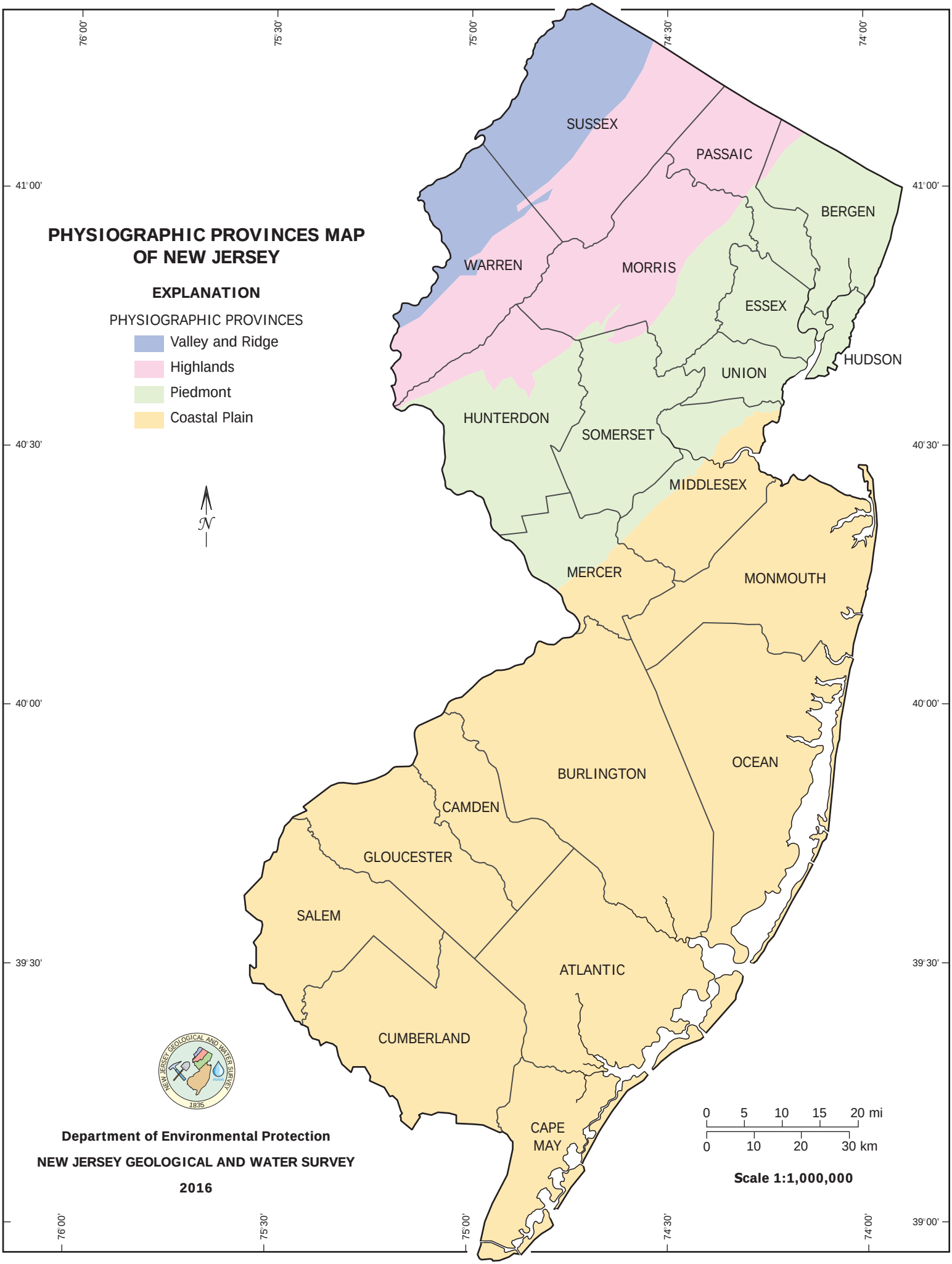
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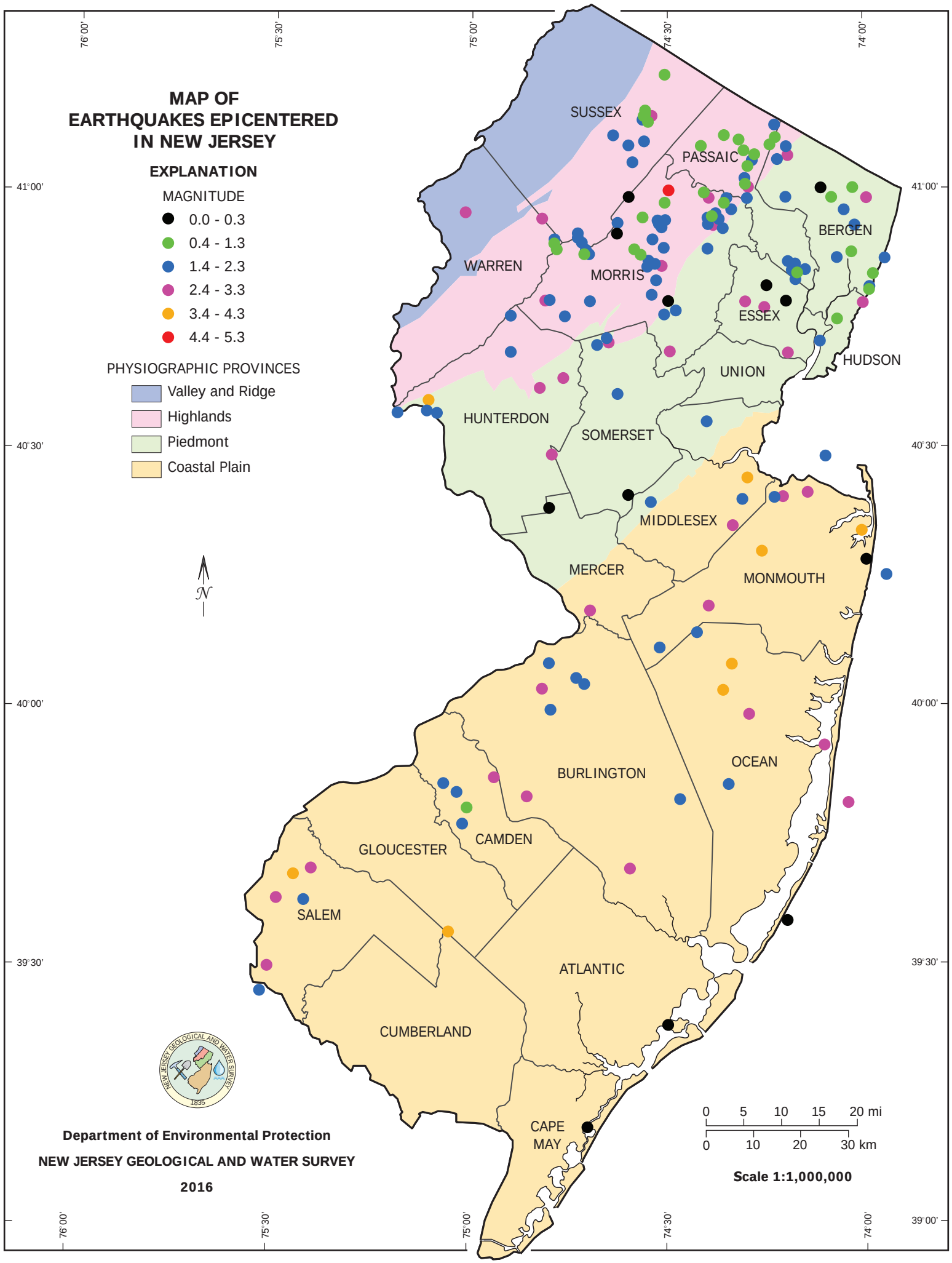
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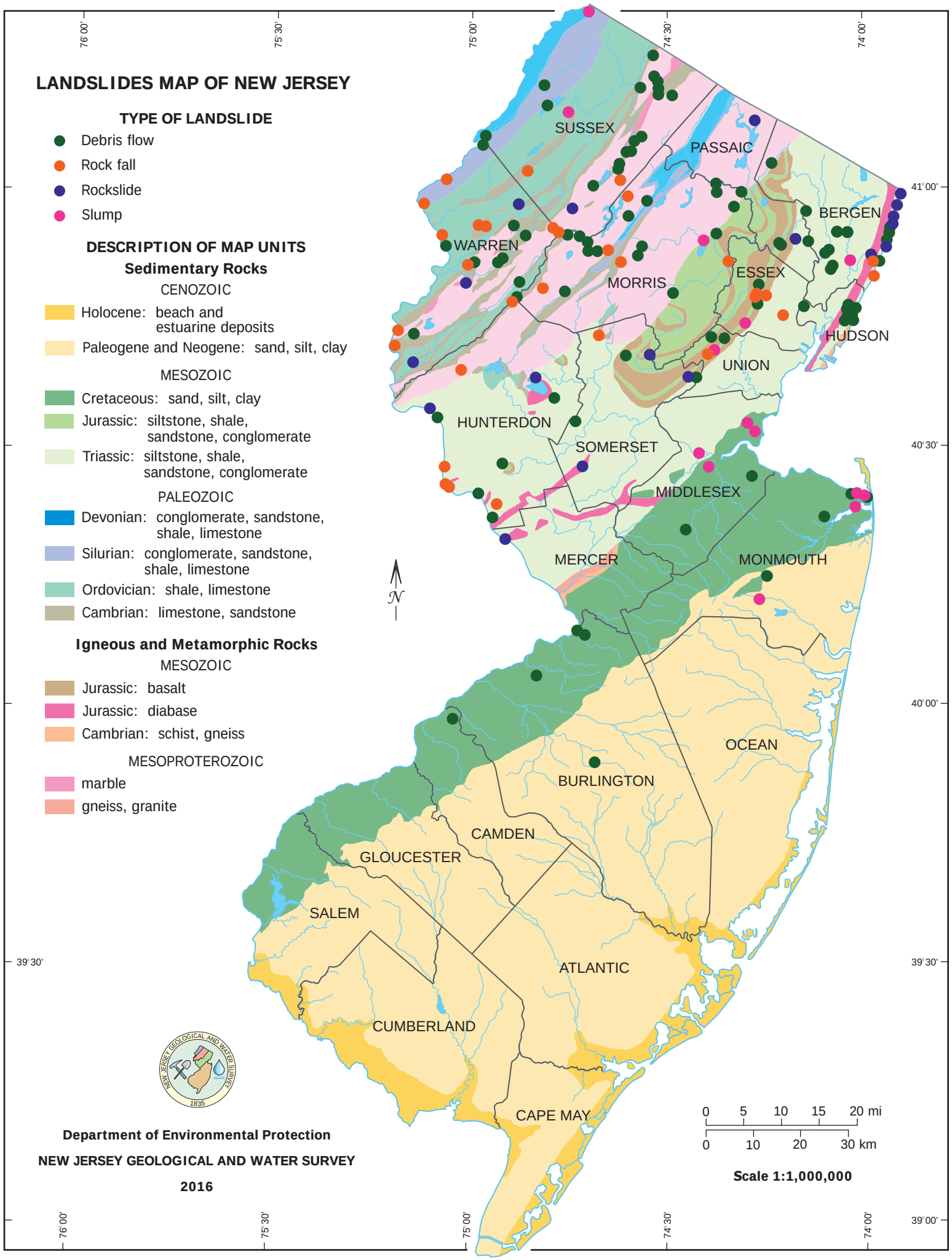
LANDSLIDES MAP OF NEW JERSEY



TYPE OF LANDSLIDE

- Debris flow
- Rock fall
- Rockslide
- Slump

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SURFICIAL GEOLOGIC MAP OF NEW JERSEY

DESCRIPTION OF MAP UNITS

HOLOCENE

- floodplain alluvium
- beach sand
- freshwater wetland deposit
- estuary and salt marsh deposit
- postglacial stream terrace

PLEISTOCENE GLACIAL

- Kittatinny Mountain Till
- Netcong Till
- Rahway Till
- Flanders Till
- Port Murray Till
- moraine
- sand and gravel
- lake clay

PLEISTOCENE NONGLACIAL

- windblown sand and silt
- colluvium
- Lower Stream Terrace
- Upper Stream Terrace
- Cape May 3 Marine Terrace
- Cape May 2 Marine Terrace
- Cape May 1 Marine Terrace

PLIOCENE

- Pensauken Formation

LATE MIOCENE

- Bridgeton Formation
- Upland Gravel
- Beacon Hill Gravel
- surficial deposits thin or absent

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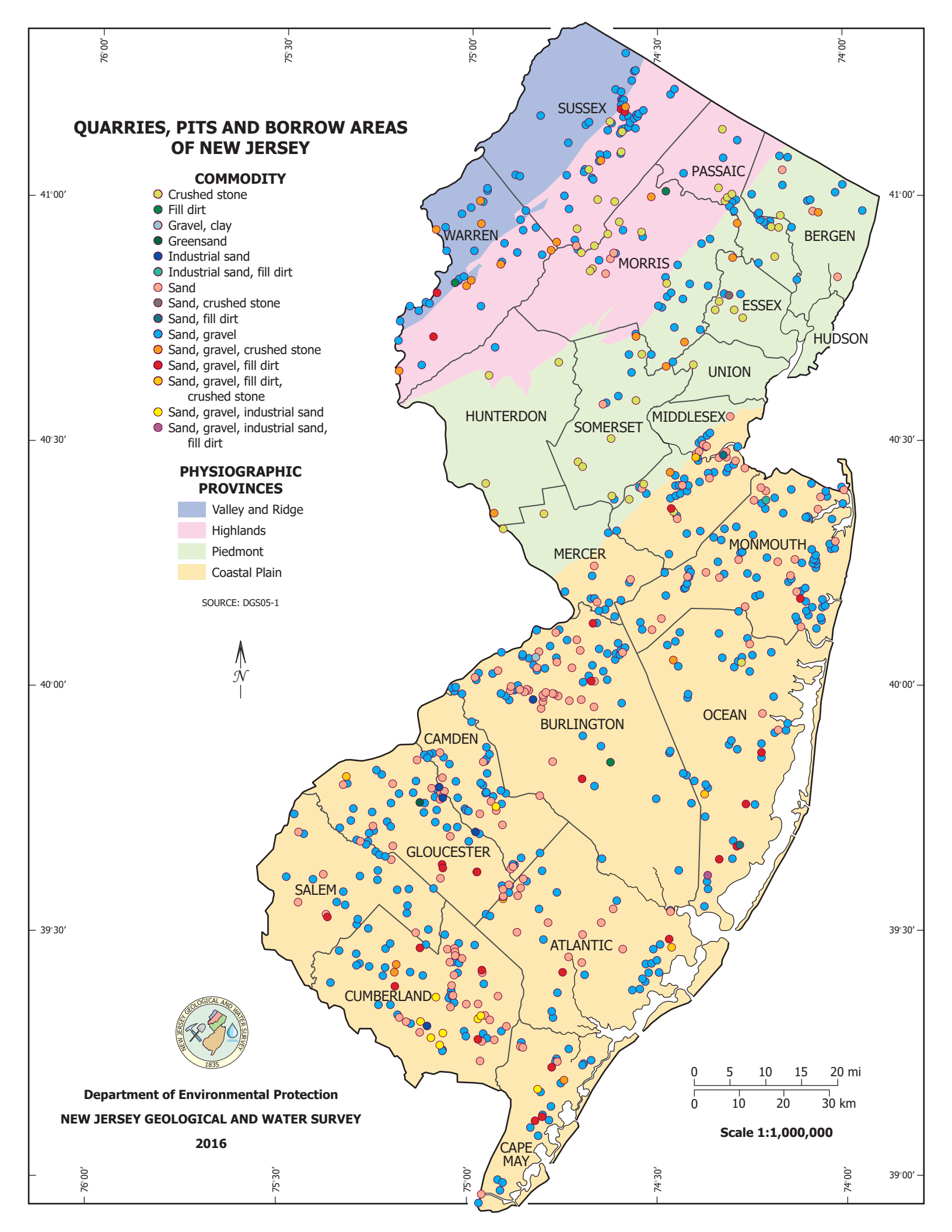
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COMMODITY
Crushed stone
Fill dirt
Gravel, clay
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Industrial sand, fill dirt
Sand
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