

MAP SLIDE

Long Term Effects of the Oil Spill in the Gulf of Mexico

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Deepwater
Horizon Oil
Spill Facts



In 2010, the Deepwater Horizon oil rig exploded and caused about 5 million barrels of oil to spill into the Gulf of Mexico. **Click the map marker symbols** to learn about the environmental damage.

Add instructions using a text box.

Add map markers that connect to information slides.

Create an interactive map using Google Slides or PowerPoint Online Office 365.

View sample interactive map.
Click *Present* to explore the map.

INFORMATION SLIDE

Deep-water Coral

- Coral are animals that can live for 500 years.
- Deep-water coral grows as deep as 6500 feet in the Gulf of Mexico.
- Coral is important because it provides habitat and food for many species.
- The oil spill damaged the reefs: many have turned a bleached white or dull brown and covered with unnatural growths. Some have died.
- Due to their long lifespan and slow pace of life, scientists think that coral will continue to show negative effects for a long time in the future.

Summarize research findings.

Control slide advancement. Each information slide connects to map.

Insert and format pictures.

An interactive map is a great way to explore and learn about an area.

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