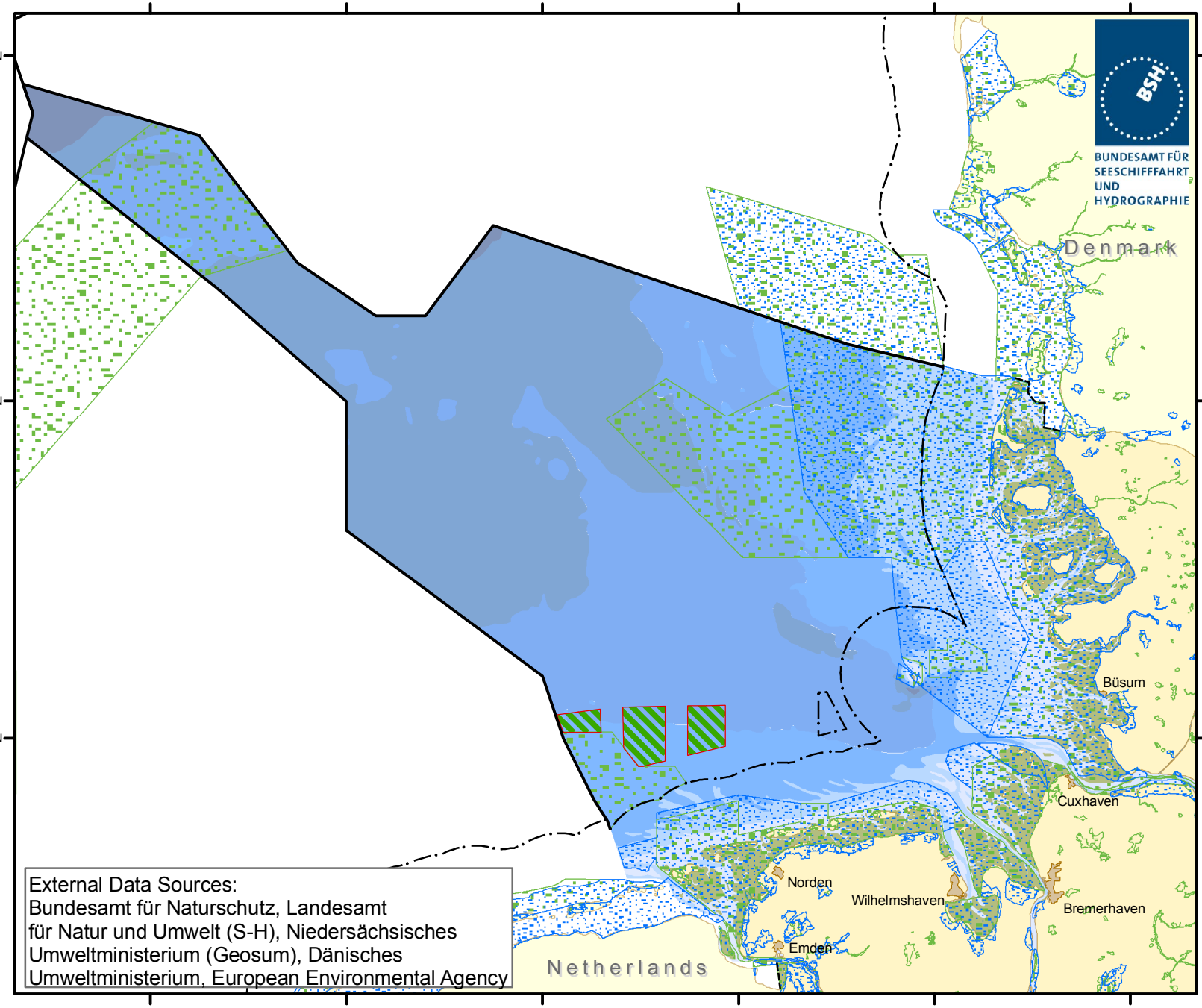
# North Sea: Preferred Areas and Nature Conservation




External Data Sources:
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**Boundaries**

- Continental Shelf/EEZ
- Territorial Waters/12 nm Zone
- International Boundary

**Preferred Areas**

- Offshore Wind Energy

**Nature Conservation**

- Natura2000 SCI
- Natura2000 SPA

SPA =
Special Protected Areas
(Bird Directive)

SCI =
Sites of Community Importance
(FFH Directive)

Geodetic Datum: WGS 84
Map Projection: Mercator (54°N)

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http://www.bsh.de/en/Marine_uses/Industry/CONTIS_maps/index.jsp