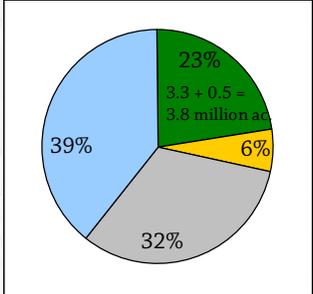
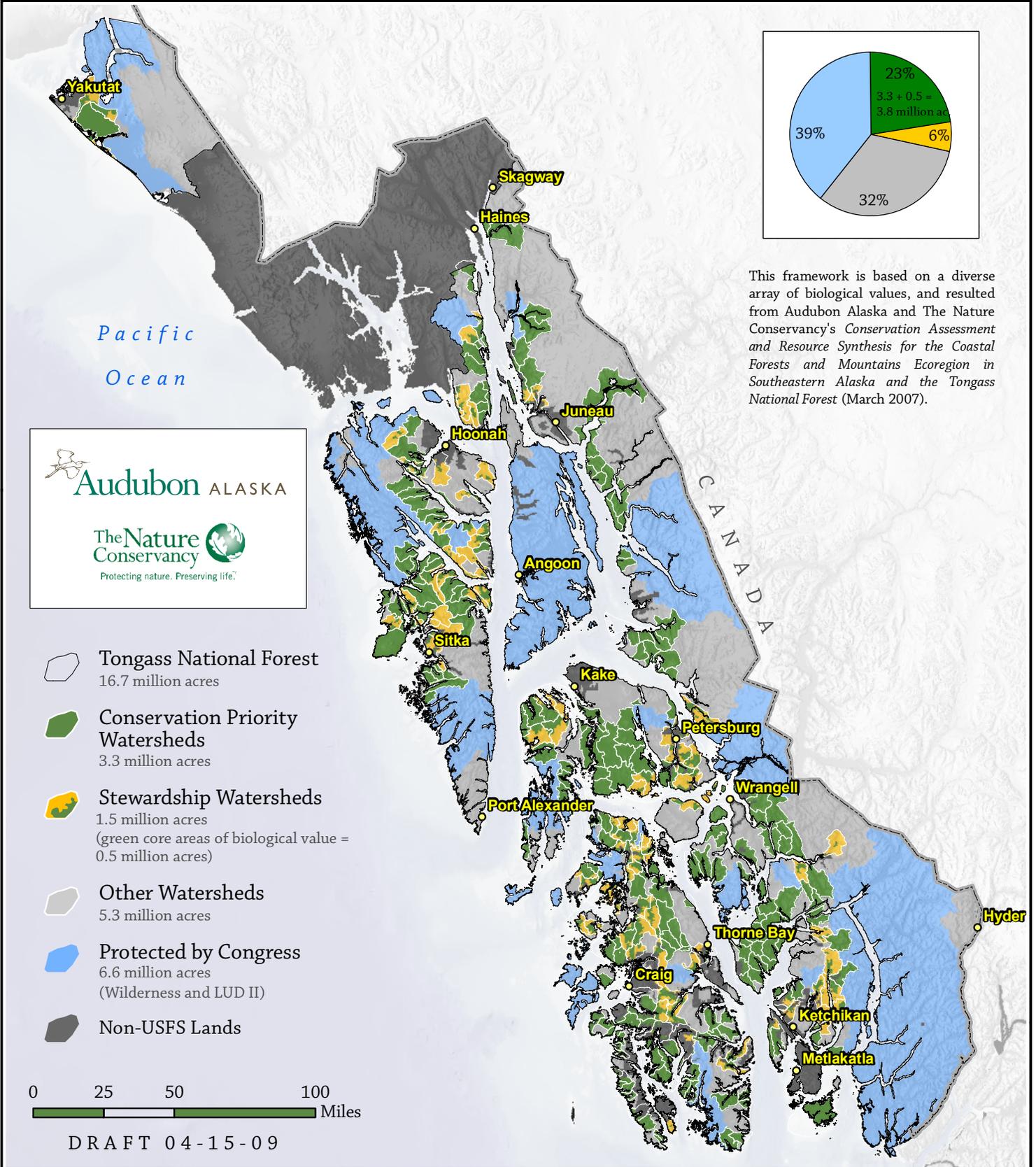




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-  **Tongass National Forest**  
16.7 million acres
-  **Conservation Priority Watersheds**  
3.3 million acres
-  **Stewardship Watersheds**  
1.5 million acres  
(green core areas of biological value = 0.5 million acres)
-  **Other Watersheds**  
5.3 million acres
-  **Protected by Congress**  
6.6 million acres  
(Wilderness and LUD II)
-  **Non-USFS Lands**



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