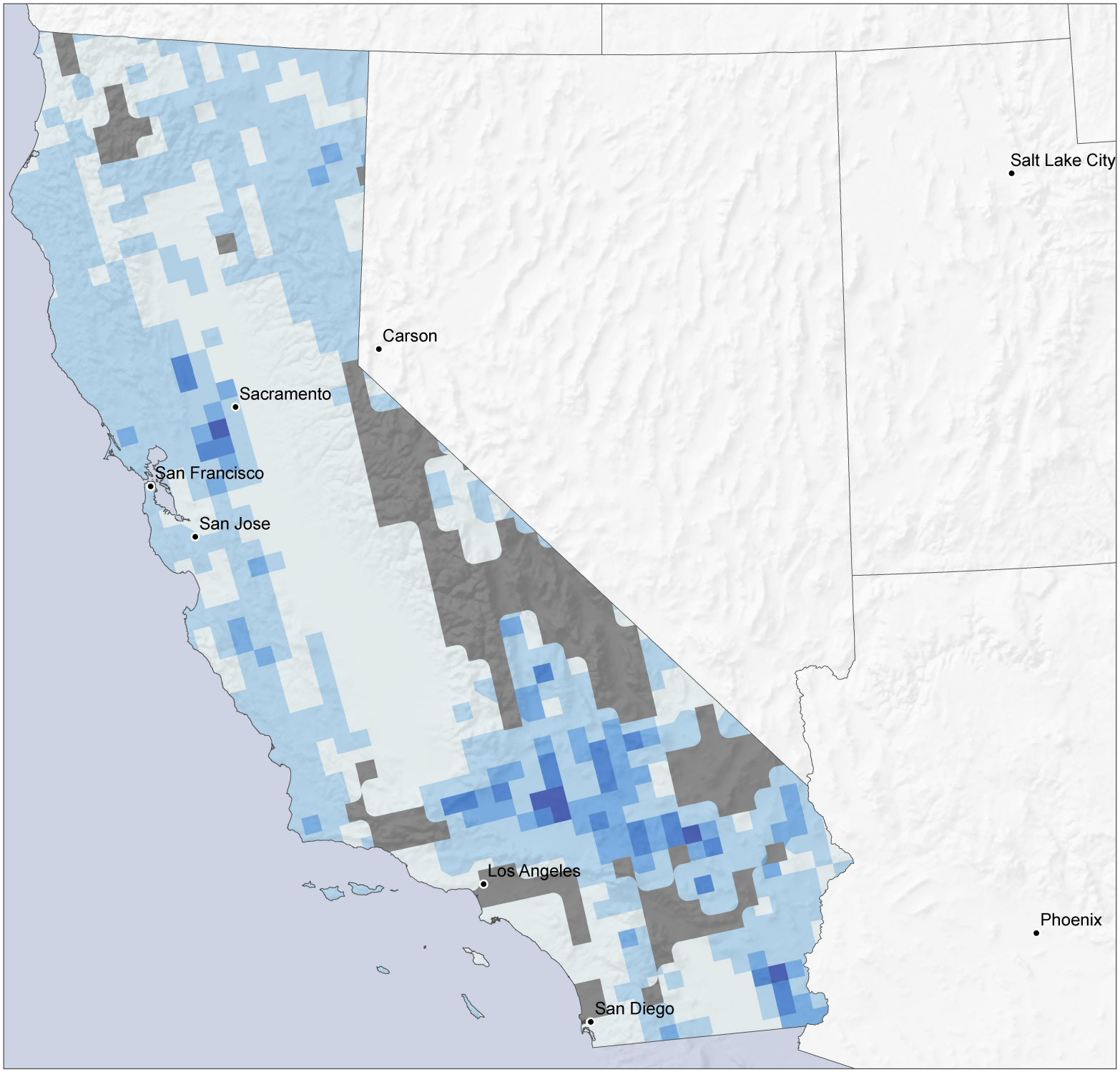
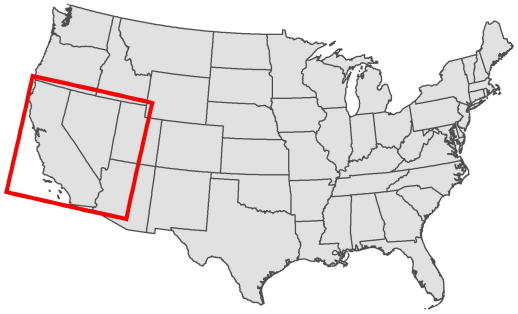
Potential Wind Capacity at 110-Meters Hub Height

35% or Higher
Gross Capacity Factor

2014 U.S. Wind Industry
Average Turbine

California





Area (sq km)

- 0
- < 100
- 100 - 200
- 200 - 300
- 300 - 400
- > 400
- Land exclusions

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