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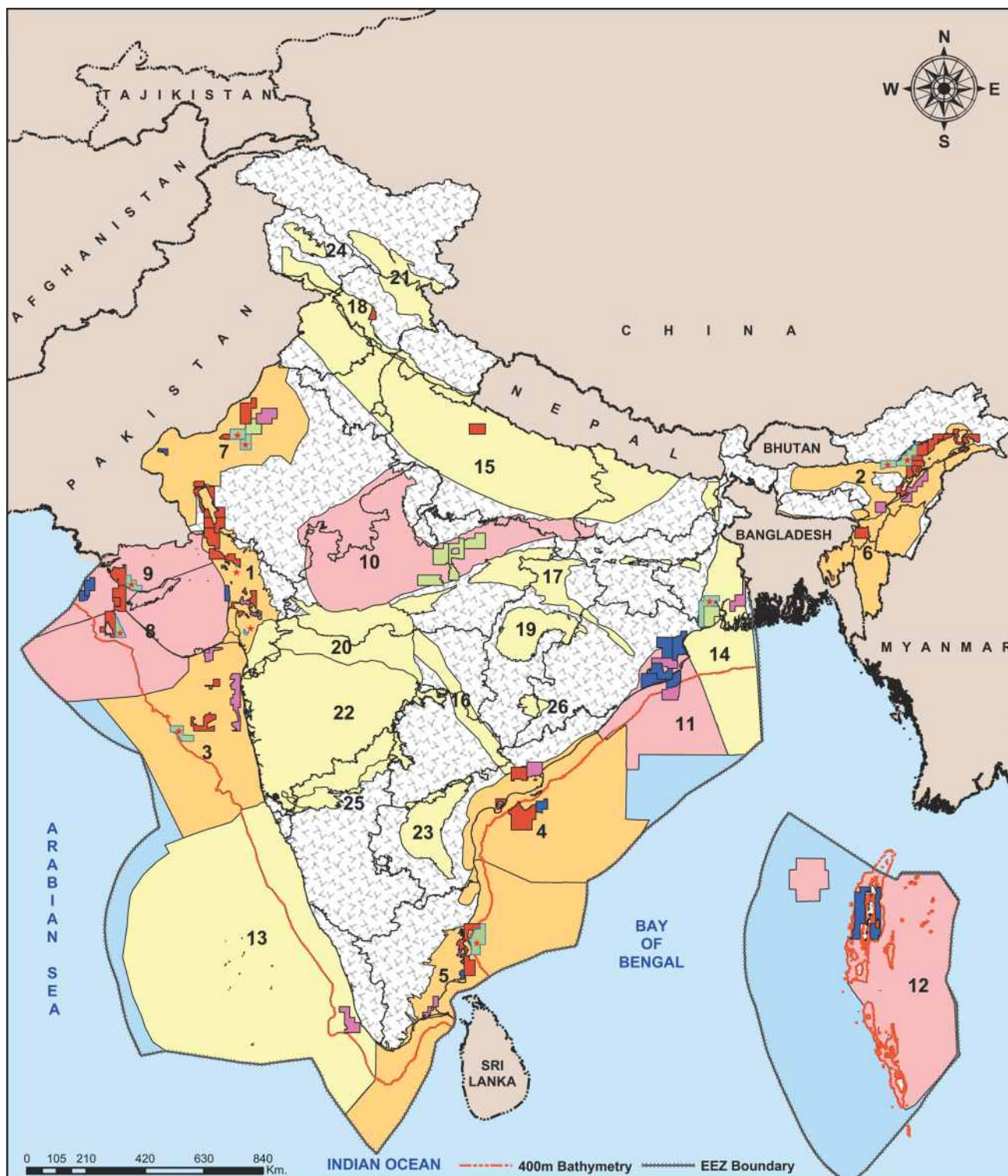
# OPEN ACREAGE LICENSING POLICY (OALP) BID ROUNDS

*Opportunities Under  
Liberalized Policy Regime*



# SPREAD OF BLOCKS UNDER OALP BID ROUNDS

(TOTAL ACREAGE\*: 1,56,579 SQ. KM.)



Category-I (Proven commercial productivity)	Category-III (Prospective Basins)	OALP-I Block	OALP-III Block	OALP-V Block (To be awarded)
Category-II (Identified prospectivity)	Pre-Cambrian Basement/ Tectonic Sediments	OALP-II Block	OALP-IV Block	

Category - I Basins		Category - II Basins		Category - III Basins	
1	Cambay	8	Saurashtra	13	Kerala-Konkan
2	Assam-Shelf	9	Kutch	14	Bengal - Purnea
3	Mumbai Offshore	10	Vindhyan	15	Ganga - Punjab
4	Krishna-Godavari	11	Mahanadi	16	Pranhita - Godavari
5	Cauvery	12	Andaman	17	Satpura - South Rewa - Damodar
6	Assam-Arakan Fold Belt			18	Himalyan Foreland
7	Rajasthan			19	Chhattisgarh
				20	Narmada
				21	Spiti - Zaskar
				22	Deccan Syncline
				23	Cuddapah
				24	Karewa
				25	Bhima-Kaladgi
				26	Bastar

\*Acreage under OALP Bid Round V is yet to be awarded

# Journey of OALP Bid Rounds

94 blocks awarded and 11 blocks to be awarded under OALP Bid Round - V

## OALP Bid Round-I

- Sedimentary Basins: 11
- Blocks Awarded: 55
- Total Block Area: 59,282 sq.km



OCT 2018

JUL 2019



## OALP Bid Round-II

- Sedimentary Basins: 7
- Blocks Awarded: 14
- Total Block Area: 29,233 sq.km

## OALP Bid Round-III

- Sedimentary Basins: 10
- Blocks Awarded: 18
- Total Block Area: 29,765 sq.km



JUL 2019

## OALP Bid Round-IV

- Sedimentary Basins: 3
- Blocks Awarded: 7
- Total Block Area: 18,510 sq.km



JAN 2020

AUG 2020  
(Tentative)

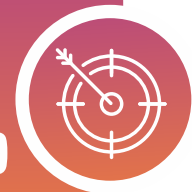


## OALP Bid Round-V

- Sedimentary Basins: 8
- Blocks to be awarded: 11
- Total Block Area: 19,789 sq.km

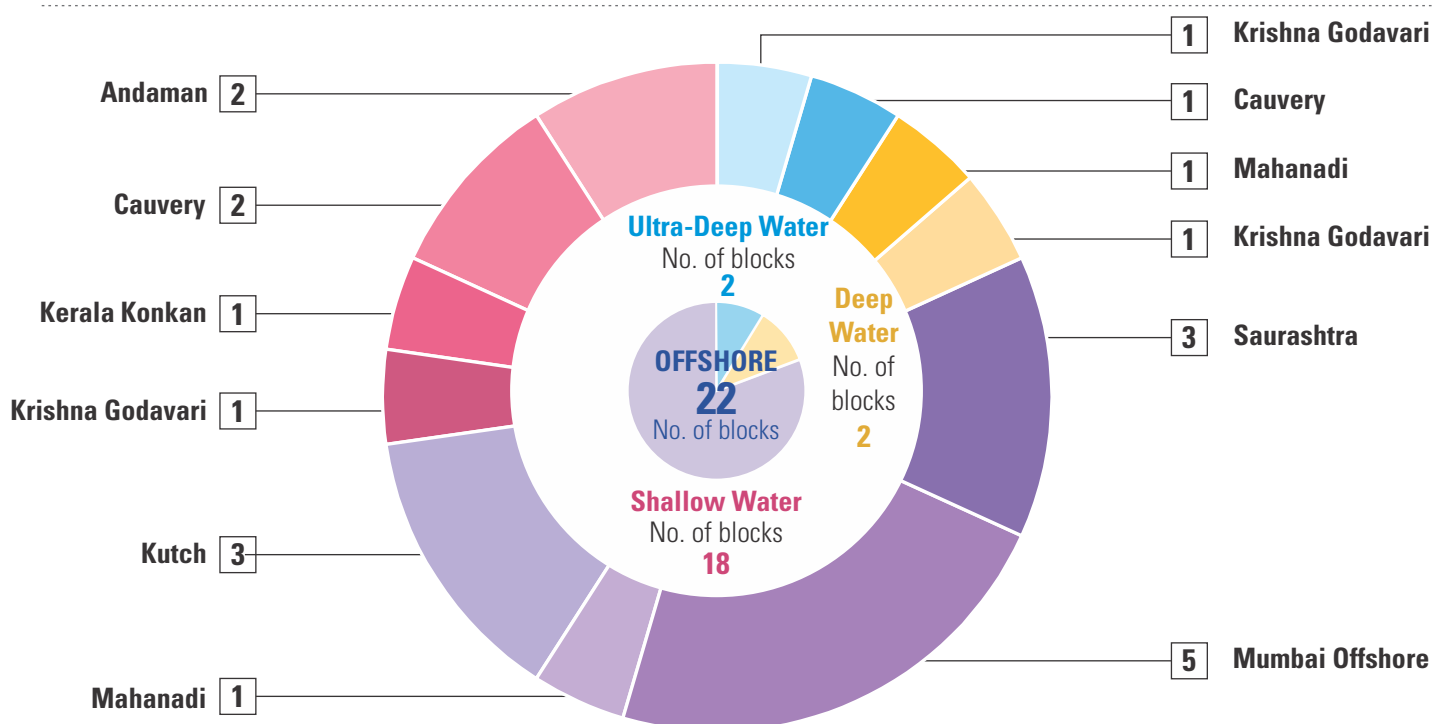
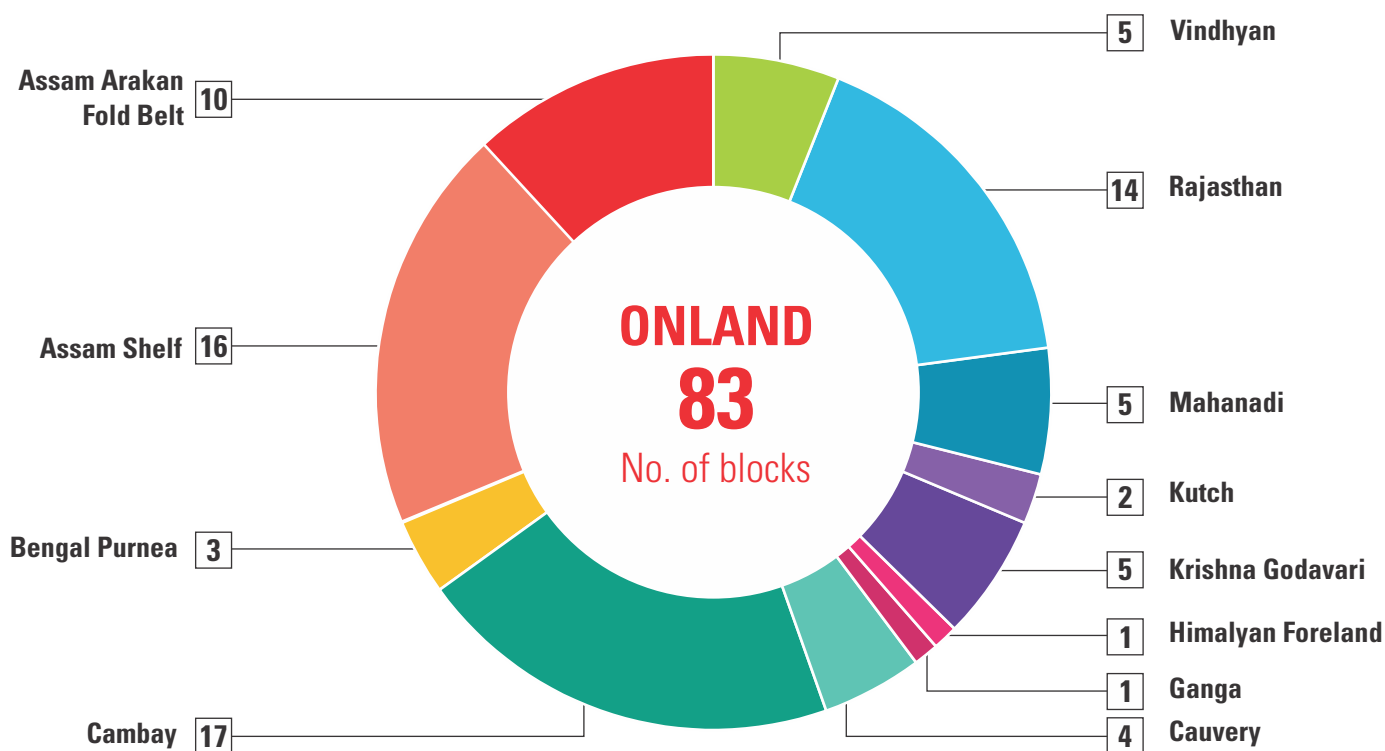
## ONGOING OPPORTUNITIES

CURRENT EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EoI)  
SUBMISSION WINDOW IS OPEN TILL 30<sup>th</sup> NOV 2020





## Basin wise and area wise distribution of blocks (OALP Bid Round I-V)\*

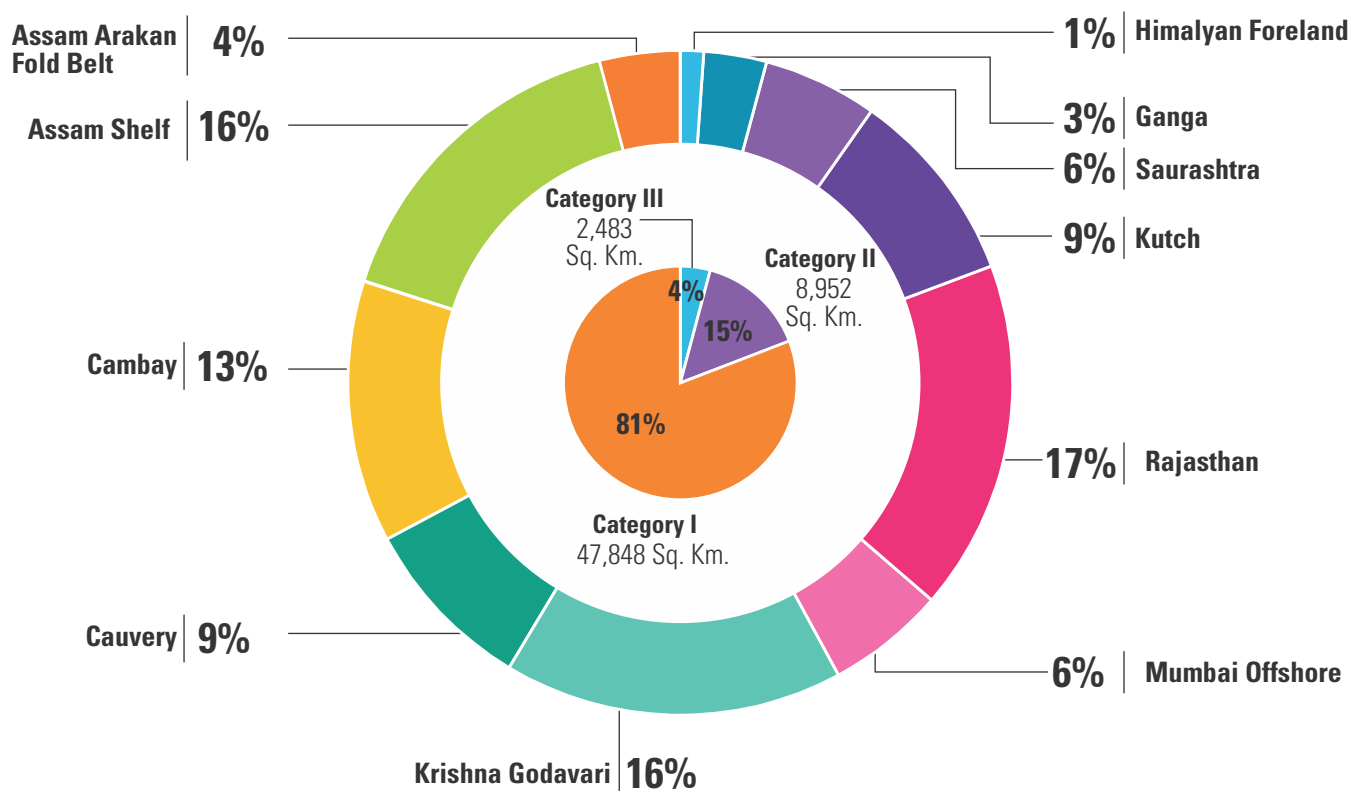


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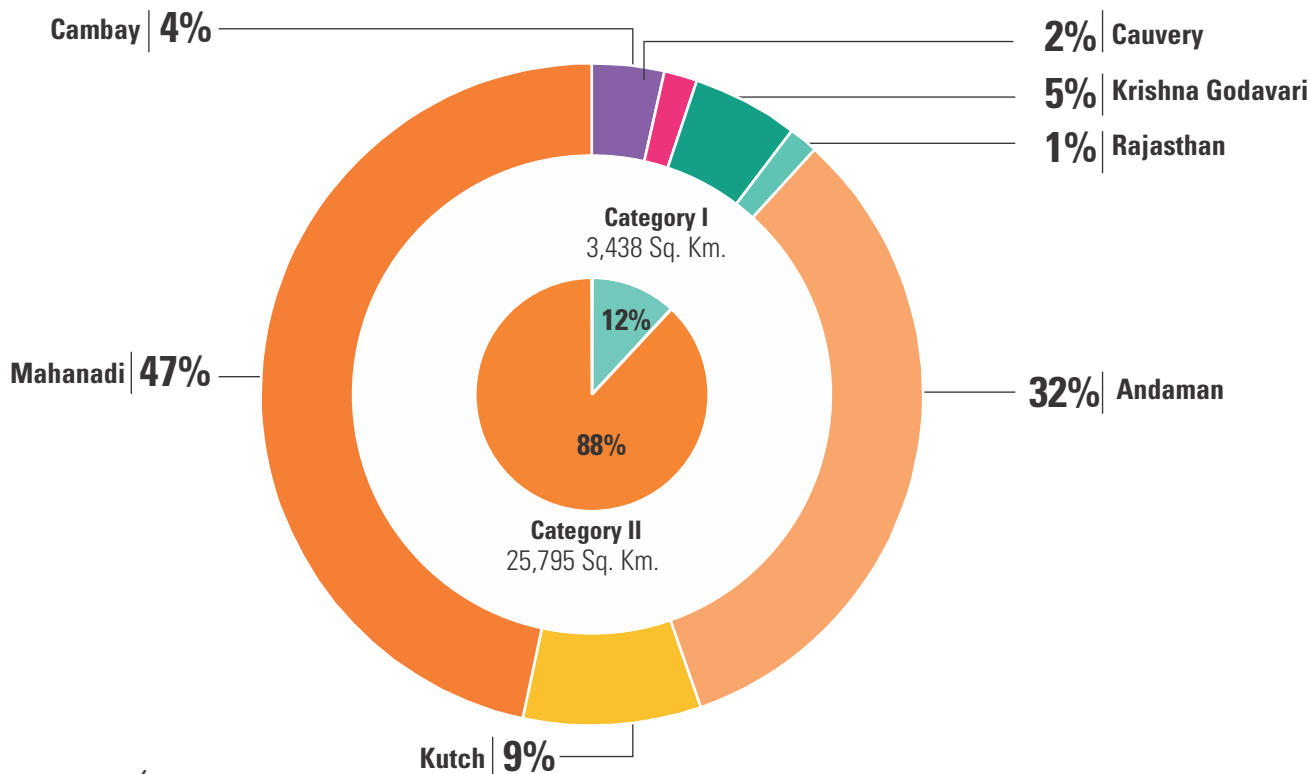


## Basin wise area % of OALP Bid Rounds

### OALP Bid Round - I



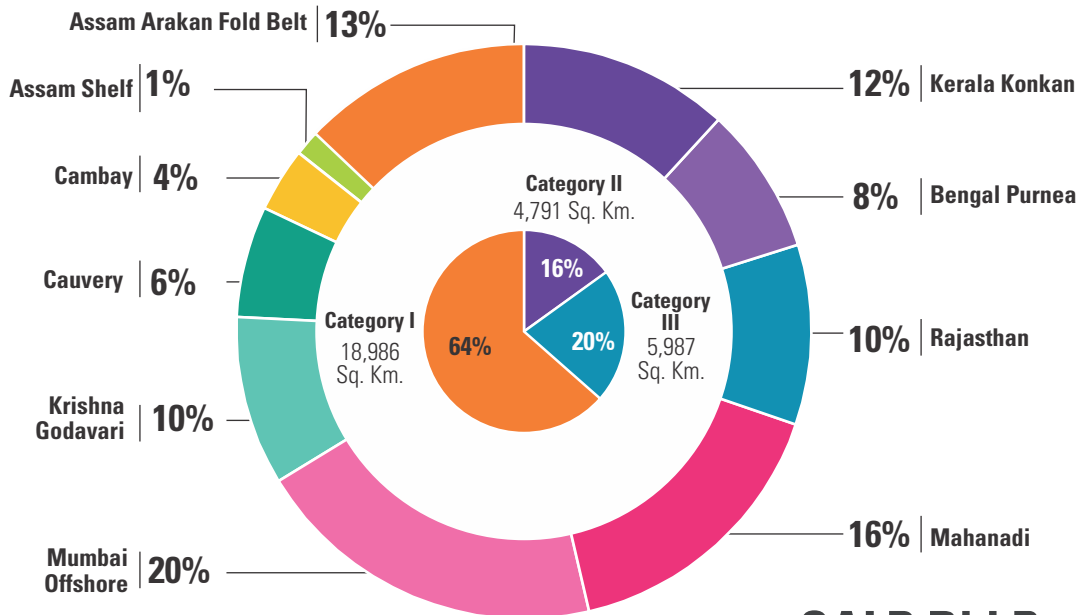
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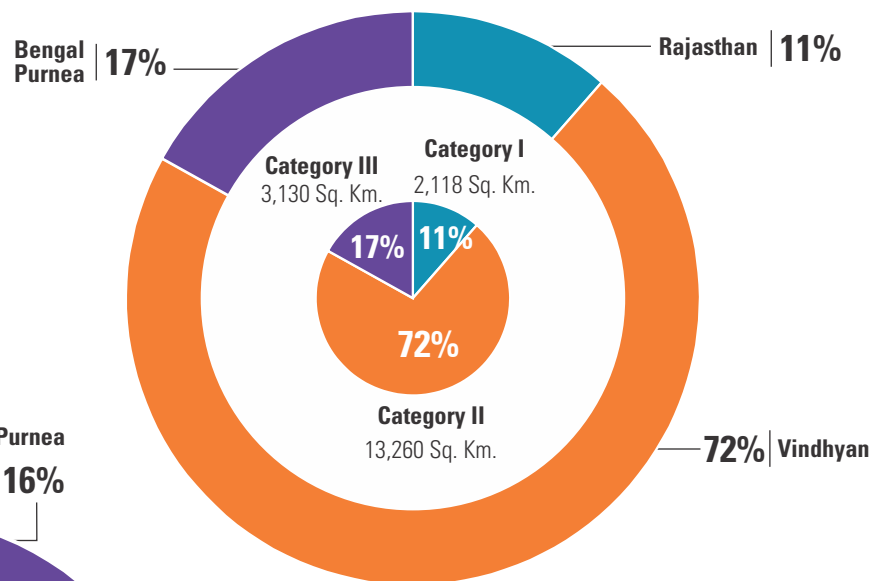
(Area %/ Basin)

# Basin wise area % of OALP Bid Rounds

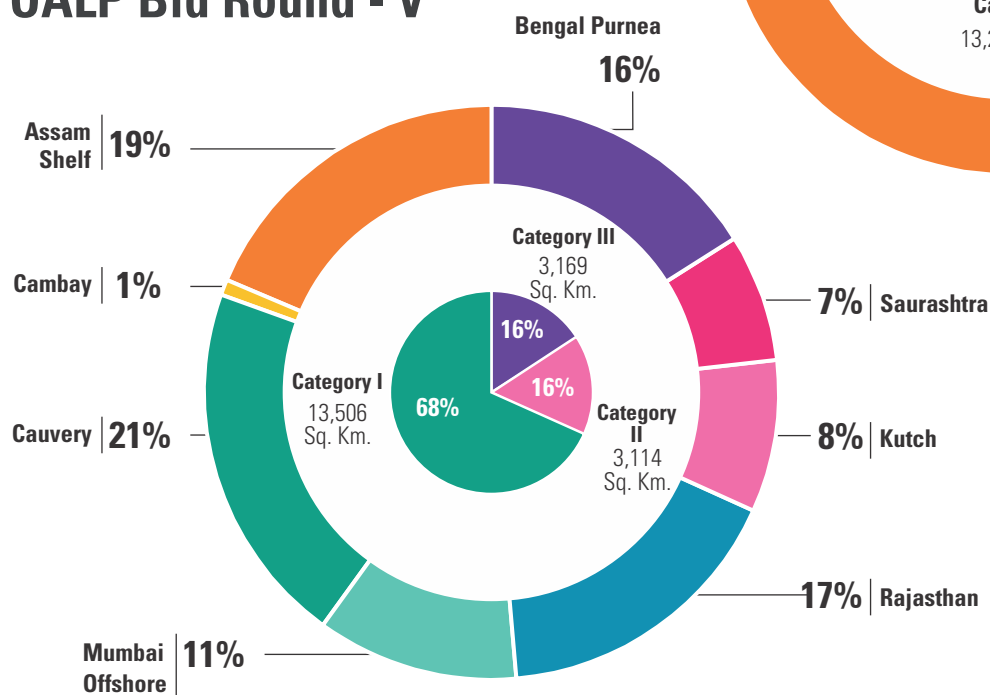
## OALP Bid Round - III



## OALP Bid Round - IV



## OALP Bid Round - V\*






\*To be Awarded

(Area %/ Basin)

# BID EVALUATION CRITERIA



## Category I and CBM Blocks - More Weightage to Work Programme

PARAMETER	SCORE	DESCRIPTION
 <b>Originator Incentive*</b>	05	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Available to the EoI submitting party</li> </ul>
 <b>Work Programme</b>	65	<b>Blocks in Category I Basins</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Seismic Survey – 20% (13 Marks)</li> <li>No. of Exploratory Wells – 80% (52 Marks)</li> </ul> <b>CBM Blocks</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No. of Core Holes – 35 Marks</li> <li>No. of Test Wells – 30 Marks</li> </ul>
 <b>Revenue Share</b>	30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Revenue share to the Government at LRP and HRP# (Lower/Higher Revenue Point)</li> </ul>

#Quote at HRP capped at 50%

## Blocks in Category - II & III Basins

### A. Exclusive Work Programme based Bidding

PARAMETER	SCORE	DESCRIPTION
 <b>Originator Incentive*</b>	05	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Available to the EoI submitting party</li> </ul>
 <b>Work Programme</b>	95	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Seismic Survey – 20% (19 Marks)</li> <li>No. of Exploratory Wells – 80% (76 Marks)</li> </ul>

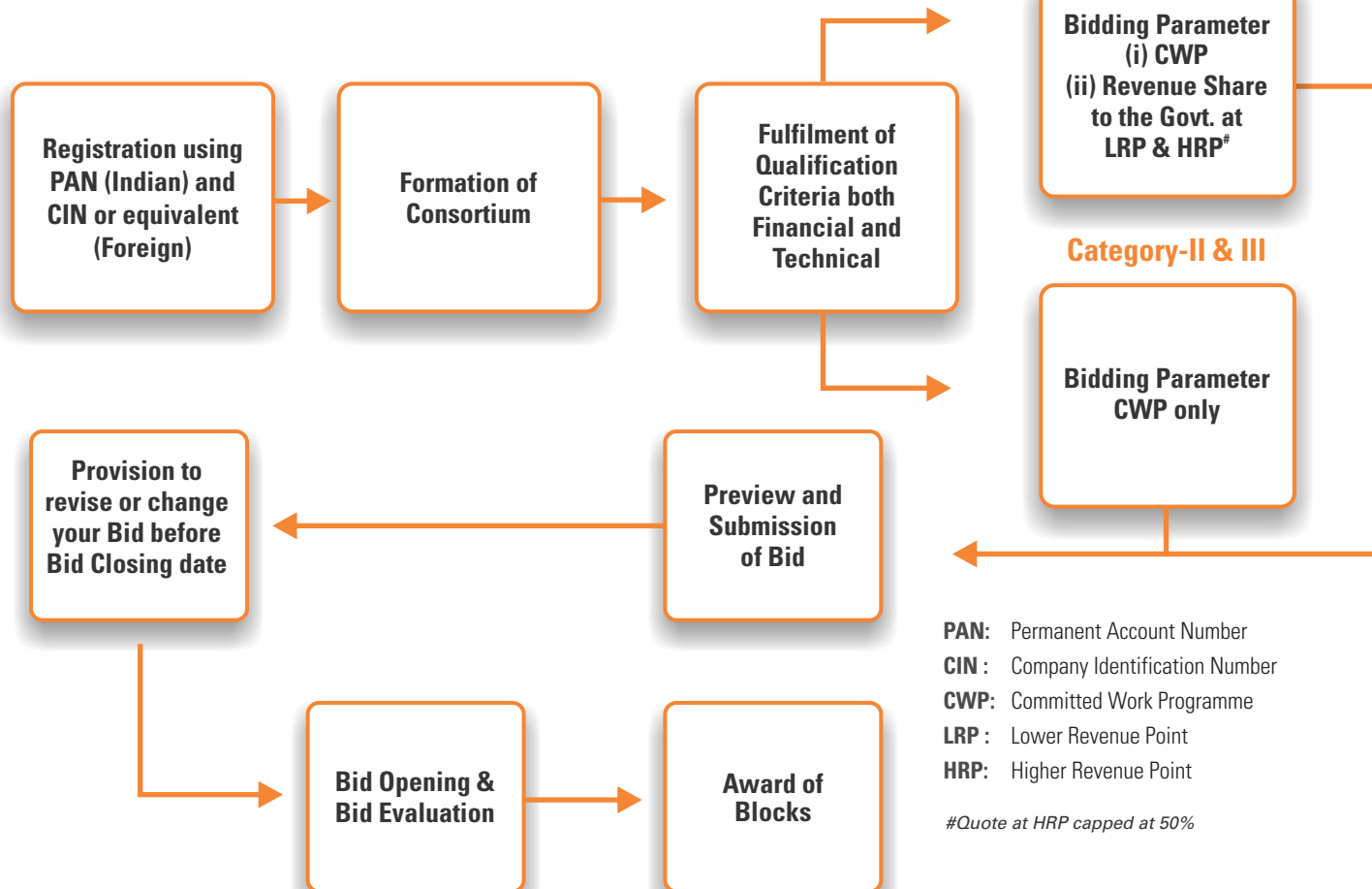
### B. Revenue Sharing at predetermined rates if annual revenue crosses USD 2.5 billion i.e. “Windfall Gain”

	Revenue (Net of Royalty & taxes on sales) (in billion USD) in a Financial Year	GoI Share (%)
	Up to 2.5	Nil
	>2.5 <=5.00	10%
	>5.00 <=10.00	30%
	>10	50%

\*On first come first serve basis



# E-BIDDING PROCESS



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