

# A LAND AND MARINE MAP OF THE ARCTIC



Orthographic Polar projection

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## LAND

Non arctic region  
(As per the tree criteria)

## The Arctic

- Wetlands
- Prostrate shrub tundra
- Erect shrub tundra
- Glacier and ice cap
- Barren land
- Grass / cryptogam tundra
- Northern limit for tree growth

## SEA

- Kelp and seagrass forests
- Cold water corals
- Average sea ice extent in march (1981-2010)
- Average sea ice extent in september (1981-2010)
- Cold current
- Warm current

Data: Circumpolar Arctic Vegetation (2003)  
Jayashilake D.R.M, Costello M.J. (2020)  
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