



General information

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Location & Distances



Company consortium (ppp)

- ✓ Arctic services is a consortium of diverse Icelandic companies in various industries
- ✓ A common platform for marketing and introduction of services and infrastructure available in Iceland
- ✓ A bridge towards Greenland companies to enhance co-operation and know-how sharing
- ✓ Managed and operated by EBDA (Eyjafjordur Business Development Agency)

Company consortium

- ✓ 55 participating companies
- ✓ Government bodies + private enterprises
- ✓ Cooperation with:
 - ✓ Greenland Chamber of Commerce (board members)
 - ✓ Arctic Chamber of Commerce (board members)
 - ✓ Heklan - Sudurnes Business Development Agency
 - ✓ The Icelandic Arctic Cooperation Network

Participants include





Arctic activities - near and far

Oil, gas and minerals

- Large areas around Greenland are ready for large scale oil production (both east and west coast)
- The number of rare earth and mineral mining licenses has seen explosive growth
- East-Greenland largely unpopulated and hostile environment - Iceland offers close by infrastructure for activities in Greenland
- Oil exploration in the Jan Mayen area likely to commence in the Icelandic DREKI-sector in the near future

Other activities - rationale

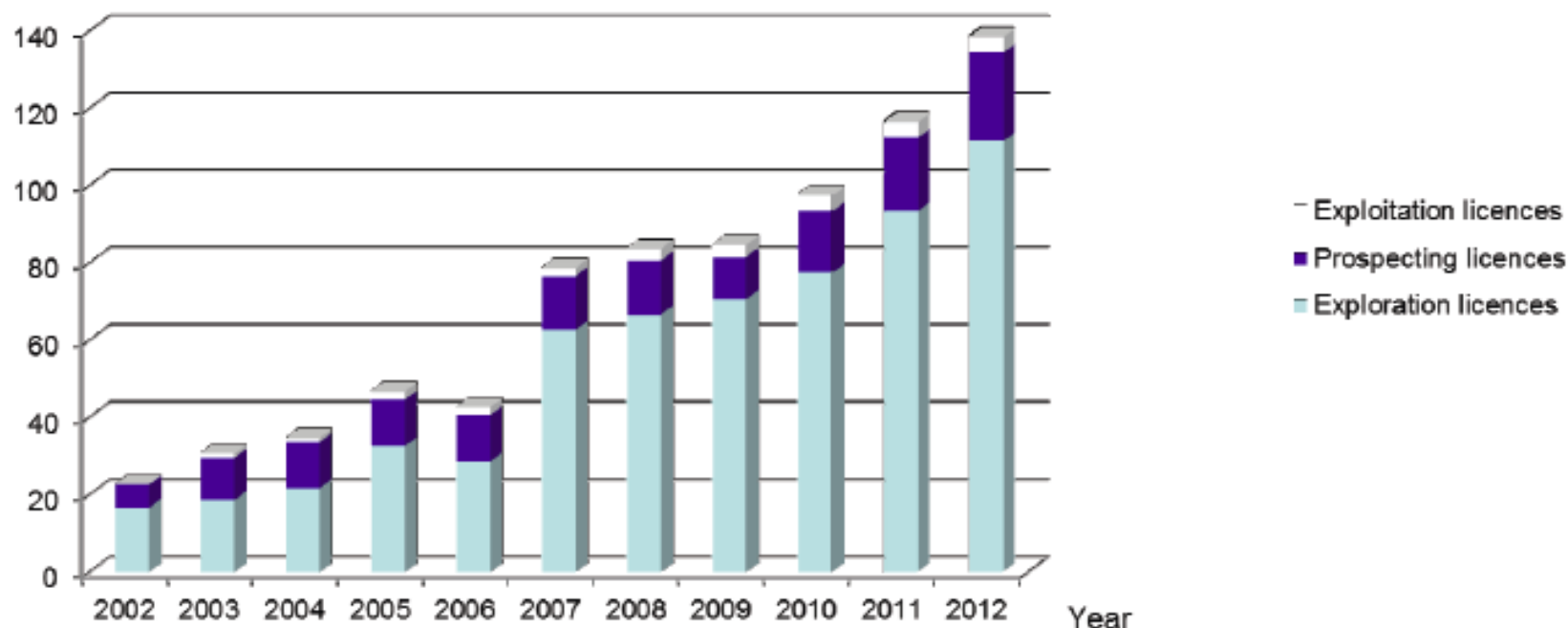
- North Sailing Route (NSR) is growing in importance
- International SAR co-ordination is becoming pivotal for arctic development

The number of exclusive licences 6-doubled since 2002



Mineral licenses in Greenland 2002-2012

Licences



Today there are almost 150 active and applied small scale, prospecting, exploration and exploitation licences

Mining projects



Zinc-lead
Citronen Fjord

Focus in 2013

Iron
Isua

Rubies
Fiskenæsset

REE
Killavaat/Kringlerne



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