



EXPLANATION

- Arctic Research and Policy Act (ARPA) geographic extent
- International Maritime Boundary
- U.S. Exclusive Economic Zone (EEZ)
- 12-mile Maritime Limit
- 24-mile Maritime Limit

0 100 200 300 MILES
0 100 200 300 KILOMETERS
Scale at 70° North
Scale varies north to south

Arctic Research and Policy Act geographic extent—All U.S. and foreign territory north of the Arctic Circle and all U.S. territory north and west of the boundary formed by the Porcupine, Yukon, and Kuskokwim Rivers; all contiguous seas including the Arctic Ocean and the Beaufort, Bering, and Chukchi Seas; and the Aleutian Islands. (Note: The Aleutian Islands boundary is demarcated by the "contiguous zone" limit of 24 nautical miles.)

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