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NOAA's Arctic Vision and Strategy

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NOAA's Arctic Vision

NOAA envisions an Arctic where:

- **Conservation, management, and use are based on sound science, and support U.S. economic growth, and resilient and viable ecosystems and communities.**
- **The global implications of Arctic change are understood and predicted.**



NOAA's Arctic Goals

- 1. Forecast sea ice**
- 2. Strengthen foundational science to understand and detect Arctic climate and ecosystem changes**
- 3. Improve management of Arctic ocean and coastal resources**
- 4. Improve weather forecasts and warnings**
- 5. Enhance national and international partnerships**
- 6. Advance resilient and viable Arctic communities and economies**





Questions?

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