

Abbreviations

ADIZ	Air Defence Identification Zone
ARCTML	Arctic Change and its Tele-impacts on Mid-Latitudes
ACIA	Arctic Climate Impact Assessment
CHARS	Canadian High Arctic Research Station
CAST	China Association for Science and Technology
CIMA	China Institute for Marine Affairs
CNPC	China National Petroleum Corporation
COSCO	China Ocean Shipping Company
CSCL	China Shipping Container Lines
CHINARE	China's National Arctic/Antarctic Research Expeditions
CACPR	Chinese Advisory Committee for Polar Research
CAA	Chinese Arctic and Antarctic Administration
CCP	Chinese Communist Party
CTBT	Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty
DoC	Declaration on the Conduct of the Parties
EU	European Union
HPH	Hutchison Port Holdings
IPCC	Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
IAEA	International Atomic Energy Agency
IMO	International Maritime Organization

IMF	International Monetary Fund
ITK	Inuit Tapiriit Kanatami
MFA	Ministry of Foreign Affairs (China)
MTCR	Missile Technology Control Regime
NPT	Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty
NLCA	Nunavut Land Claims Agreement
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
OOCL	Orient Overseas Container Line
PLA	People's Liberation Army
PLAN	People's Liberation Army Navy
PRC	People's Republic of China
PRIC	Polar Research Institute of China
PSC	Politburo Standing Committee
RFMO	Regional Fisheries Management Organization
SAO	Senior Arctic Official
SIIS	Shanghai Institutes of International Studies
SDI	Spatial Data Infrastructure
SOA	State Oceanic Administration
SOE	State-Owned Enterprise
SLBM	Submarine Launched Ballistic Missiles
LOSC	UN Law of the Sea Convention
UNEP	United Nations Environment Programme
WWF	World Wildlife Fund