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The Arctic - New Area of Conflict ?

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A map of the Arctic region is visible in the background, showing the Arctic Circle and various geographical features like Greenland, Faroe Islands, and Sweden.



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Arctic Coastal Communities

- 0-100
- 101-500
- 501-1,000
- 1,001-25,000
- 25,001-50,000
- Greater than 50,000

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China: Future Threat or Partner?

A map of the Arctic region is visible in the background, showing the Arctic Circle and various geographical features like United States of America, Canada, and Russian Federation. A legend for Arctic Coastal Communities is also present.



The map displays the Arctic region with a red outline of the Arctic Coastal Communities (ACC) and a yellow outline of the Arctic Circle. A legend in the top left corner, titled "Arctic Coastal Communities", lists population ranges: 0-100, 101-1,000, 1,001-25,000, 25,001-50,000, and Greater than 50,000. The map is labeled with "United States of America", "Canada", "Greenland", "Russian Federation", and "Norway". To the left of the map are the logos for SAA (Strategic Arctic Advisory) and CIOR (Canadian Institute for Arctic and Ocean Research).

Is receding Arctic ice opening up ...





This map is identical to the one above, showing the Arctic region with ACC and Arctic Circle outlines, population legend, and country labels. It also includes the SAA and CIOR logos.

... to commercial opportunities or security challenges?



Ingredients for Strategic Conflict

Natural Resources, Energy
Territorial Claims, Shipping Lanes
Military Build-up and Deployment



Natural Resources, Energy

oil and gas fields, minerals
fishing-grounds



The graphic features two logos on the left: the SAA logo (a blue circle with 'SAA' and a blue line) and the CIOR logo (a shield with a compass rose and 'CIOR' above it). To the right is a map of the Arctic region with labels for 'Canada' and 'Russian Federation'. A red-bordered box at the top contains the text 'Future Conflict?'. A larger, light-pink box at the bottom contains the text 'Contentions', 'Assumptions', and 'Conclusions' stacked vertically.

Future Conflict?

Contentions
Assumptions
Conclusions