### **Arctic Logistical Cooperation**

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### **The Barents Region**

Northern parts of Norway, Russia, Sweden and Finland

#### A FEW CHARACTERISTICS WHICH CREATE CHALLENGES

- Small population
- Rough climate
- Far away from major markets
- Lack of integrated infrastructure
- Lack of modern ICT solutions (northern parts of the Barents sea)



Irmans

Arkhangelsk

ästerbotten

Northern Österhotte

Kainuu

### **Global supplier of maritime resources**

## Wild catch and fish farming



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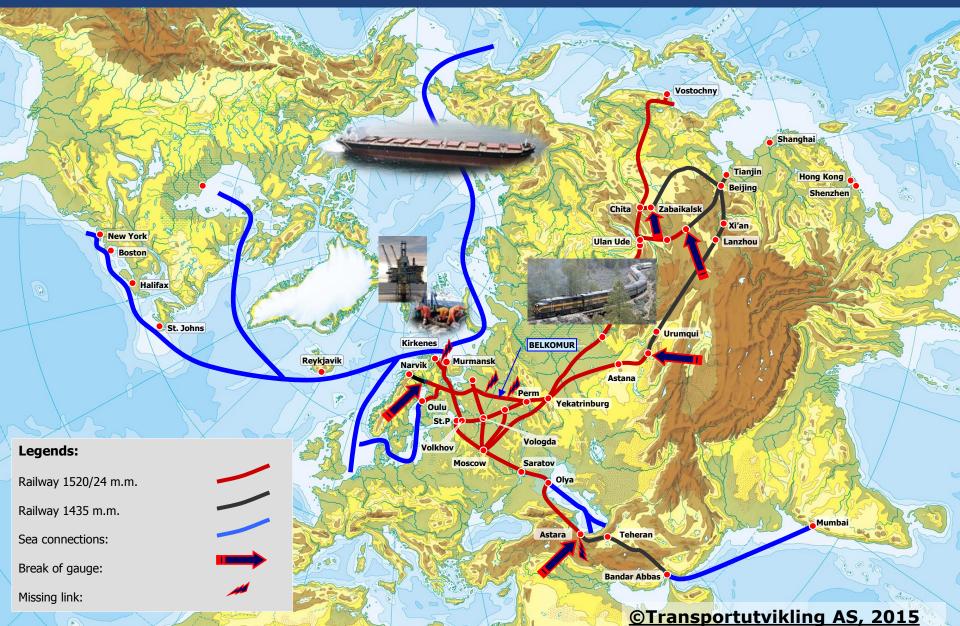
Oil and gas

# Global supplier of minerals and connected shipping services





### **Transit potential for global trade**



# Some challenges can be solved, and some opportunities can be materialized, through cooperation



### What is the Arctic Maritime Cluster ?



### 42 Norwegian companies/organizations focusing on Arctic Maritime Business in the High North:

- > 9 shipping related companies
- > 14 suppliers of equipment and services
- > 5 shipyards
- > 7 universities/R&D institutions/ knowledge providers
- > 7 others







### We join forces



### Arctic Marine Testing, Training and Research Center (ArcMaTe)





