

Graphs Illustrating Arctic Sea Ice Decline September 2007

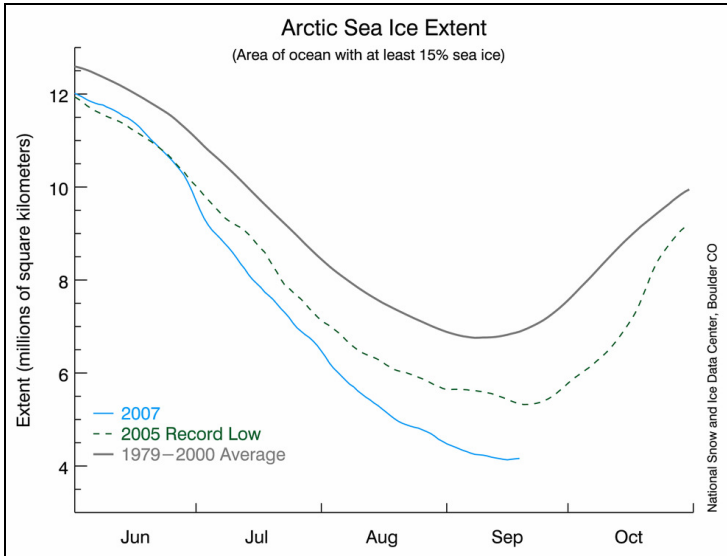


Figure 1. Time series of daily Arctic sea ice extent for 2007 compared to 2005 and the average for 1979 to 2000. The lowest point on each time series shows the annual absolute minimum. This figure is from (NSIDC, 2007b).

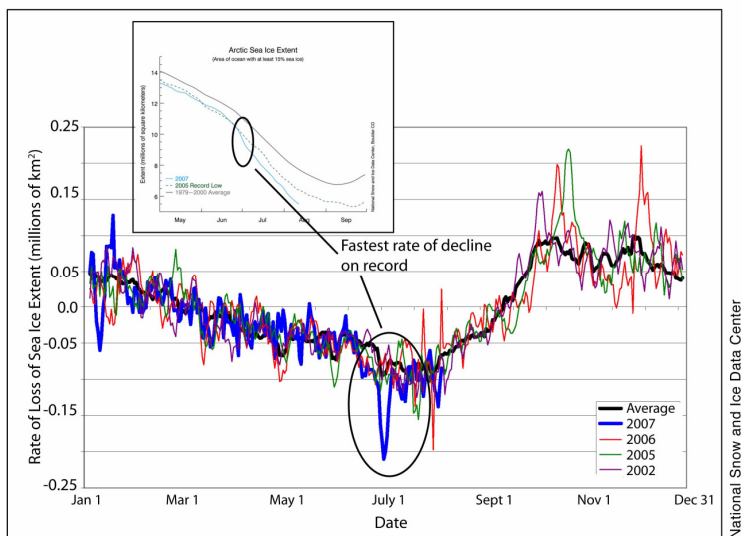


Figure 2. Rate of sea ice loss in 2007 compared to recent record-breaking years. This figure is from (NSIDC, 2007b).