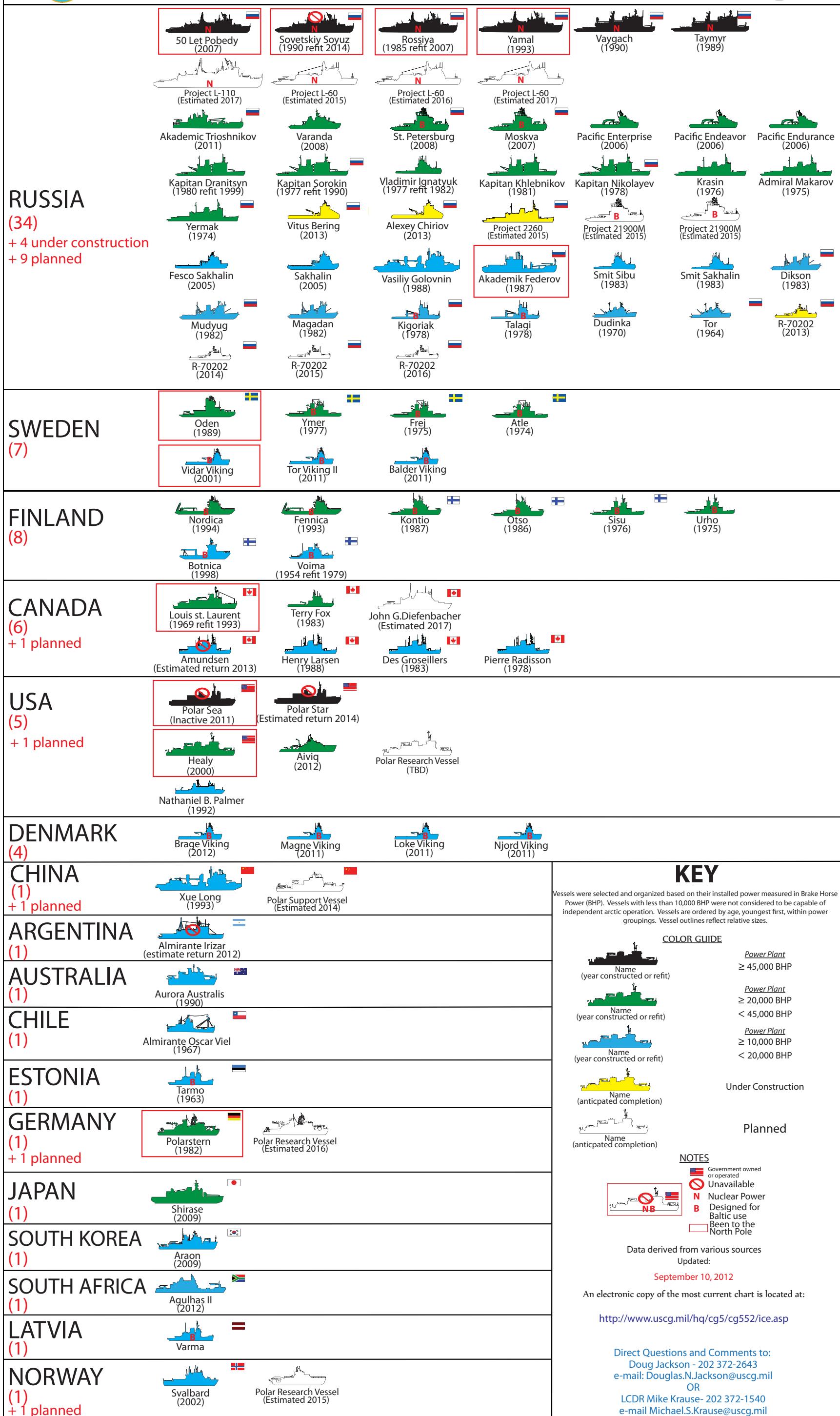




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KEY
Vessels were selected and organized based on their installed power measured in Brake Horse Power (BHP). Vessels with less than 10,000 BHP were not considered to be capable of independent arctic operation. Vessels are ordered by age, youngest first, within power groupings. Vessel outlines reflect relative sizes.

COLOR GUIDE	
	Power Plant ≥ 45,000 BHP
	≥ 20,000 BHP
	< 45,000 BHP
	≥ 10,000 BHP
	< 20,000 BHP
	Under Construction
	Planned

NOTES
■ Government owned or operated
■ Unavailable
■ Nuclear Power
■ Designed for Baltic use
■ Been to the North Pole

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