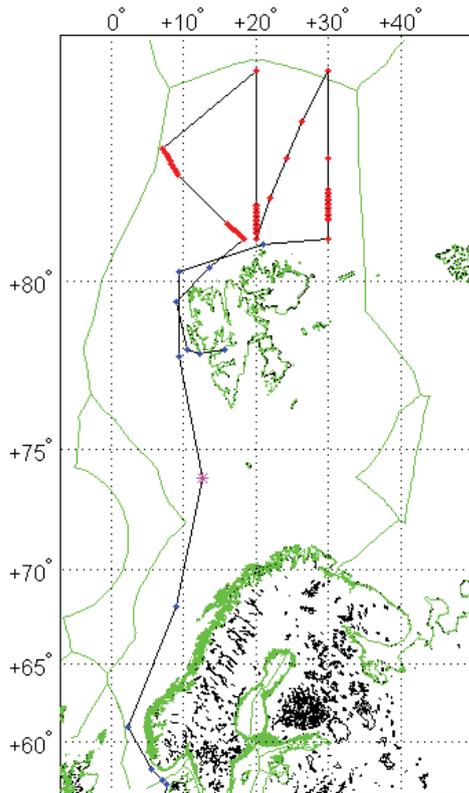


Attachment 1a, b (Maps)

Map 1 a: General map if investigation area is approached from west of Svalbard



Map 1b: Insert of map for the investigation area. The red dots mark anticipated hydrographic station from which 10 will be used to conduct the ecosystem process studies with the ice program. Additional under ice trawling and zooplankton tows are planned along the transect. The blue frame indicates the areas where Parasound surveys will be conducted. Depending on the ice situation the number of hydrographic stations will be reduced.

