

Antarctica sea ice melts to a record low

The amount of floating sea ice encircling Antarctica reached the lowest level ever recorded, and the ice extent is expected to shrink even further before this year's summer melting season ends



ANTARCTIC ANNUAL MINIMUM SEA ICE EXTENT (1979-2023)

Data from last 40 years shows great variability, but downward trend in past few years may indicate climate crisis is finally manifesting

