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Thank you for the introduction.

Good morning everyone. As Ruediger said, I will talk about landfast ice OR simply fast ice in the Siberian Arctic.

**Outline**

First I will give some general information about arctic sea ice and particulary fast ice. Which will lead you to the main objectives of my PhD thesis.

The second and the third part of the the talk are devoted to the main obtained results. In the second part of of the talk, I will describe the annual (or seasonal) fast ice cycle and changes in fast ice regime occuring in the recent 15 years.

The in the third part I will present some mechanisms responsible for development extensive fast ice cover in the Laptev and East Siberian Seas.

After this, I will summ up th main findings and put it into the general context.