


Category	Sub-Category	Willem Barentsz Biological Station	
Website		http://zapovedsever.ru (owner institution's website in Russian)	
Country		Russia	
Opening year		1995	
Operational period		May-August (winter operation possible but never tried)	
Permitting issues categories	Permits required for access to the station	Border-guard permit by Russian federal military authorities and permit by the "Administration of Taimyr Reserves" (both can be arranged by "Administration of Taimyr Reserves" – at least three months prior to field work)	
	Permits required for studies	Permit to work in the reserve is issued by "Administration of Taimyr Reserves". Specific permits may be required depending on type of studies to be carried out in accordance with Russian State legislation	
	Contact (permit issues)	Administration of Taimyr Reserves: zapoved.taimyra@mail.ru	
Facility owner and manager	Name of the facility owner	Administration of Taimyr Reserves	
	Owner status	Government	
	Institution responsible for managing the station	Administration of Taimyr Reserves	
	Contact (access to station)	Dr. Mikhail Soloviev (coordination of monitoring programs): mikhail-soloviev@yandex.ru	
Other institutions	Website (institution)	zapovedsever.ru	
	Name	–	
Location	Country	–	
	Geographical coordinates	73°21'N, 80°32'E	
	Altitude of station	10 m a.s.l.	
	Min. altitude within study area	0 m a.s.l.	
	Max. altitude within study area	160 m a.s.l.	
	Nearest town/ settlement	Dikson (600 inhabitants)	
	Distance to nearest settlement	18 km	
	Map	Topographic maps (1:100 000), satellite images	
	Climate	Climate zone	High Arctic
		Permafrost	Continuous
Years measured		Since 1932 (in Dikson)	
Mean annual temperature		-11.1 °C	
Mean temperature in February		-25.4 °C	
Mean temperature in July		4.9 °C	
Mean annual wind speed		6.4 m/s	
Max. wind speed		–	
Dominant wind direction		S	
Total annual precipitation		375 mm	
Precipitation type		Rain, snow	
Ice break up		Lakes: June; Sea: June	
Station facilities		Area under roof	Large building and a few small sheds – total about 200 m ²
	Scientific laboratories	No equipped laboratories	
	Logistic	–	
	Number of rooms (beds)	6	
	Number of staff on station (peak / off season)	Varies	
	Max. number of visitors at a time	Up to 10 people	
	Showers	–	
	Laundry facilities	–	
	Power supply (type)	220 V	
	Power supply	Petrol generator run when needed	
Scientific equipment	Specific device	–	
	Scientific services offered	–	
Medical facilities	Medical facilities	Hospital in Dikson	
	Medical suite	–	
	No. of staff with basic medical training or doctor	Dikson Hospital with staff	
	Distance to hospital (estimated time)	18 km	
	Compulsory safety equipment	–	
Recommended safety equipment	First aid kit, mobile phone/satellite phone, polar bear deterrent, weapon (in some cases)		
Landing facilities	Airstrip (Length × Width)	–	
	Airstrip surface	–	
	Helipad	–	
	Ship landing facilities	–	
Vehicles at station	Sea transportation	–	
	Land transportation	Big-foot vehicle TREKOL and snowmobiles based in Dikson	
Transport and freight	Transport to station	ATV or boat from Dikson	
	Number of ship visits per year (period)	–	
	Number of flight visits per year (period)	–	