

REJSEFEBER
TRAVEL FEVER

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Rejsefeber. Går rundt i min lejlighed i Nuuk. Det er sommeren 2007. Jeg er ved at have pakket til min embedsrejse til København. En lang flyrejse over tidszoner. At gøre sig klar bliver til rutiner. Jeg har en liste over, hvad jeg normalt skal tage med mig i kufferten.

Denne sommer har jeg deltaget flere gange i forhandlinger i København om en ny råstofaftale for Grønland. Men selve rejsen bliver aldrig rutine. Vejret er lunefuldt i Arktis og over Atlanterhavet. Denne dag arter vejrudsigten sig fint, og alligevel... Da jeg om morgenen stikker hovedet ud på lejlighedens terrasse, kan jeg se en tyk, tæt tunge af gus hænge i en pølse i udkanten af byen. Lige netop der, hvor Nuuk Lufthavn er lokaliseret.

Vi kommer afsted. Først med et mindre fly til Atlantlufthavnen i Kangerlussuaq. Derfra med et SAS-fly tværs over Indlandsisen til Grønlands smukke østkyst. Videre tværs over Island, inden rejsen fortsætter over Atlanterhavet til destinationen i København.

Rejsen bliver aldrig rutine for mig. At se vores smukke planet fra et fly i elleve kilometers højde bliver jeg aldrig træt af at opleve. Og mine fotografier fra dengang giver mig gode minder.

Travel fever

Travel fever. Walking around in my apartment in Nuuk. It is summer 2007. I am packing for my official journey to Copenhagen. A long flight over time zones. Getting ready turns into routines. I have a check list of what I normally carry with me in my suitcase.

This summer I have several times participated in negotiations in Copenhagen for a new raw materials agreement for Greenland. But the journey itself will never be routine. In the Arctic and across the Atlantic Ocean the weather is capricious. On this day, the weather forecast is fine, and still.. When I poke my head out on the terrasse of the apartment in the morning, I can see a thick, dense tongue of sea fog hanging like a sausage above the outskirts of town. Right where The Nuuk Airport is located.

Our flight takes off. First with a smaller aircraft to the Atlantic airport in Kangerlussuaq. From there on a SAS flight across the Greenlandic Ice Sheet to Greenland's beautiful east coast. Further across Iceland before continuing the flight across the Atlantic to our destination in Copenhagen.

The journey never becomes routine for me. At an altitude of eleven kilometres watching our beautiful planet from an airplane, I never get tired of experiencing. And my photographs from that time give me good memories.



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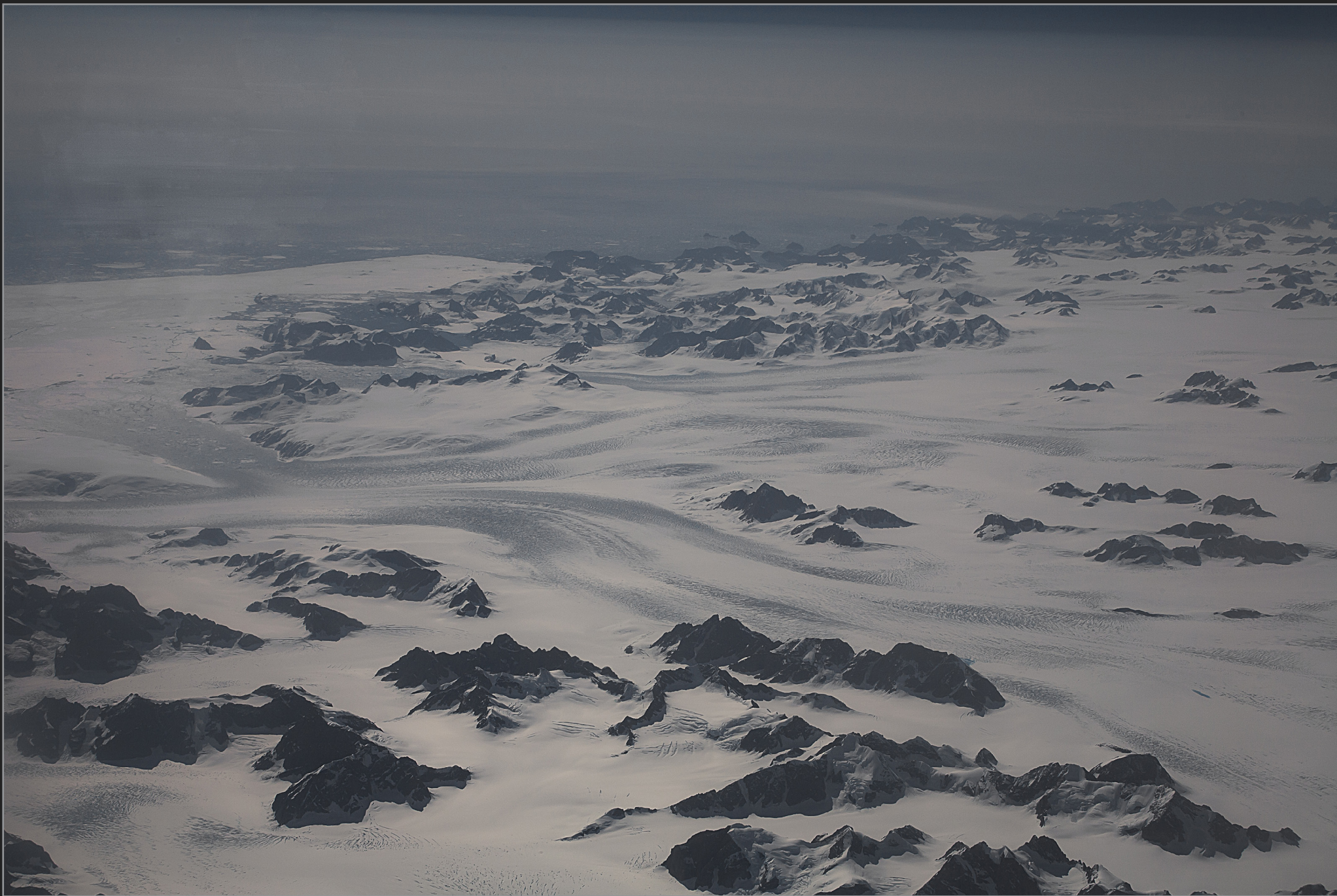
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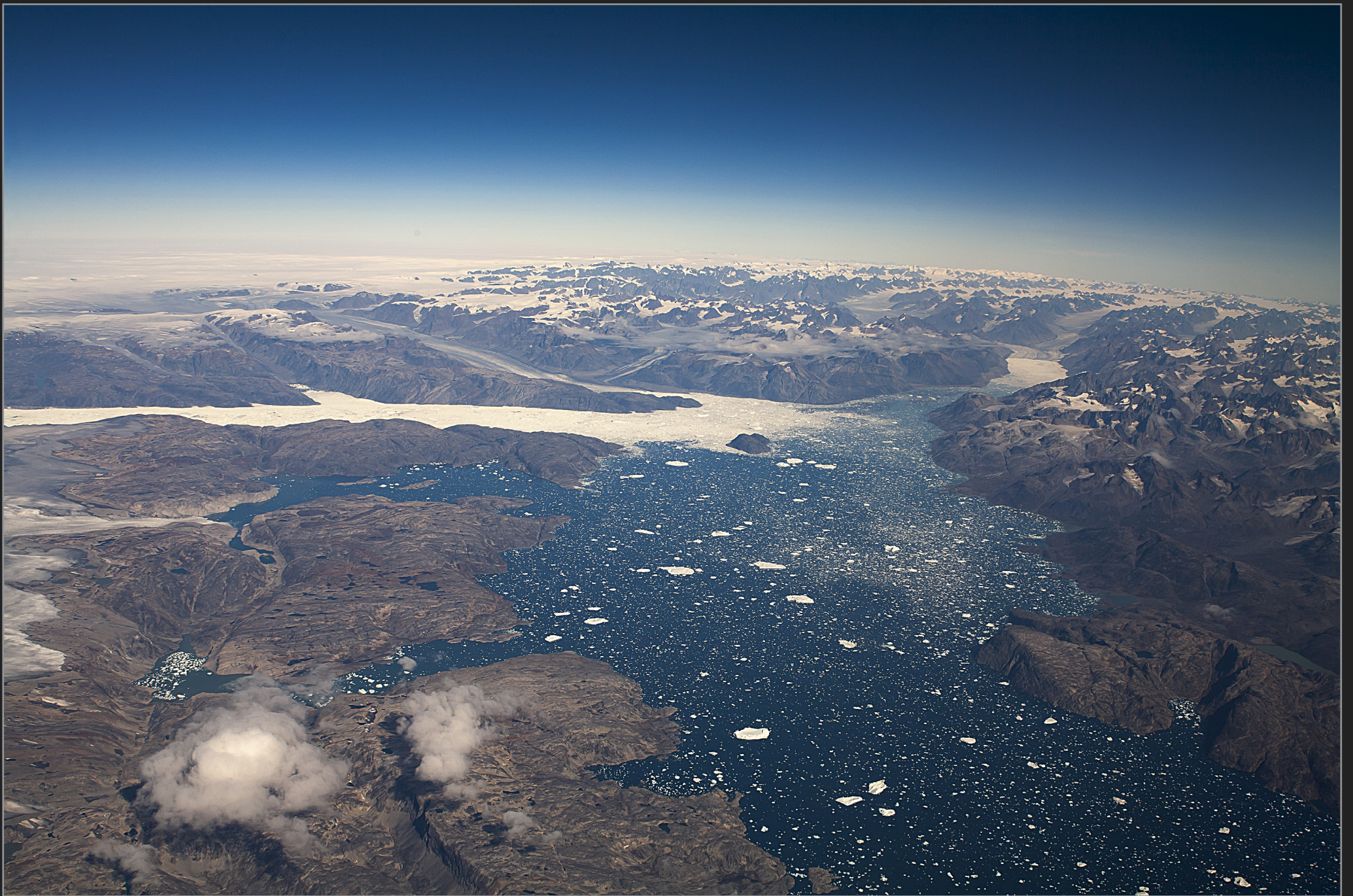
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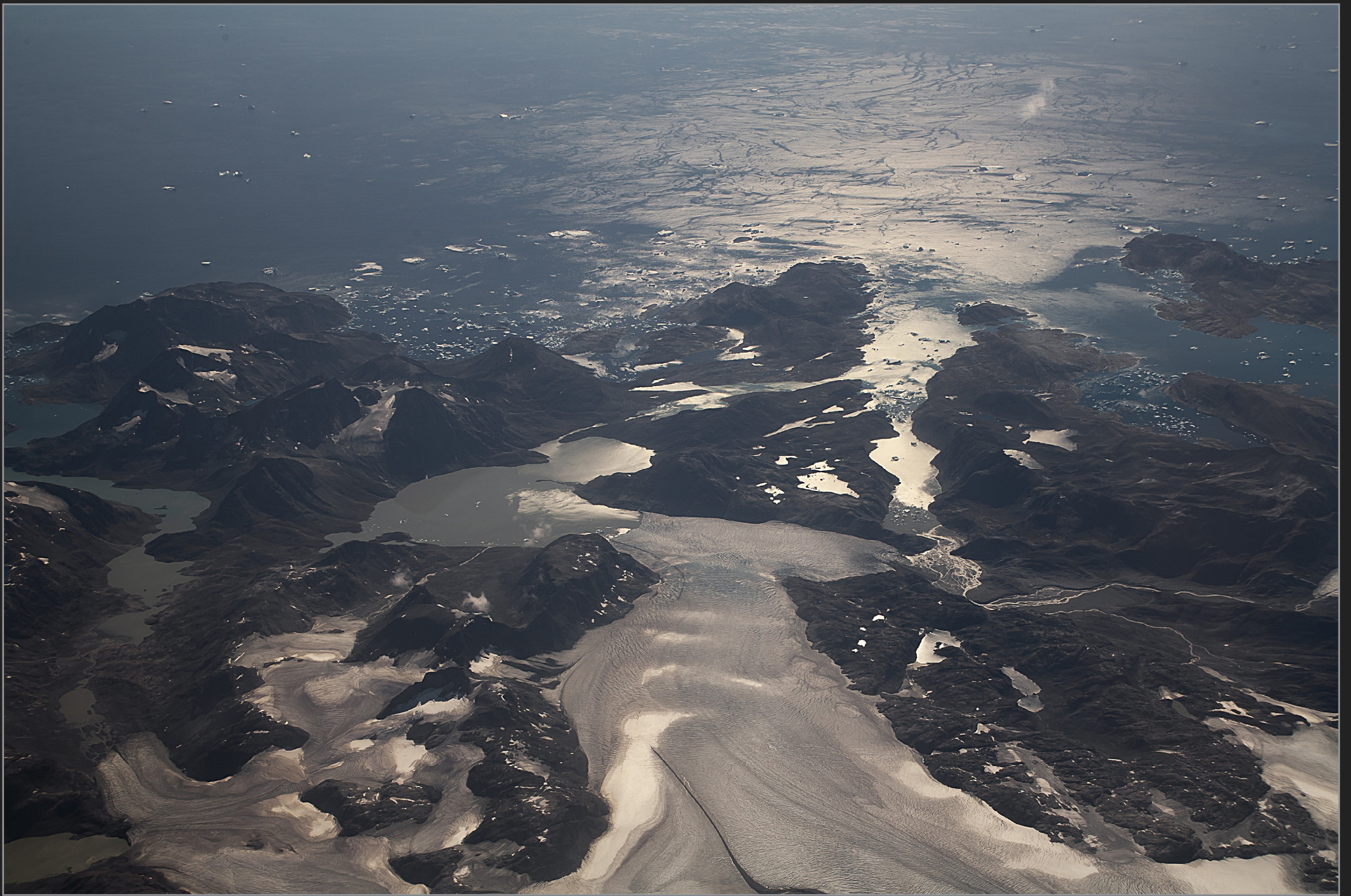
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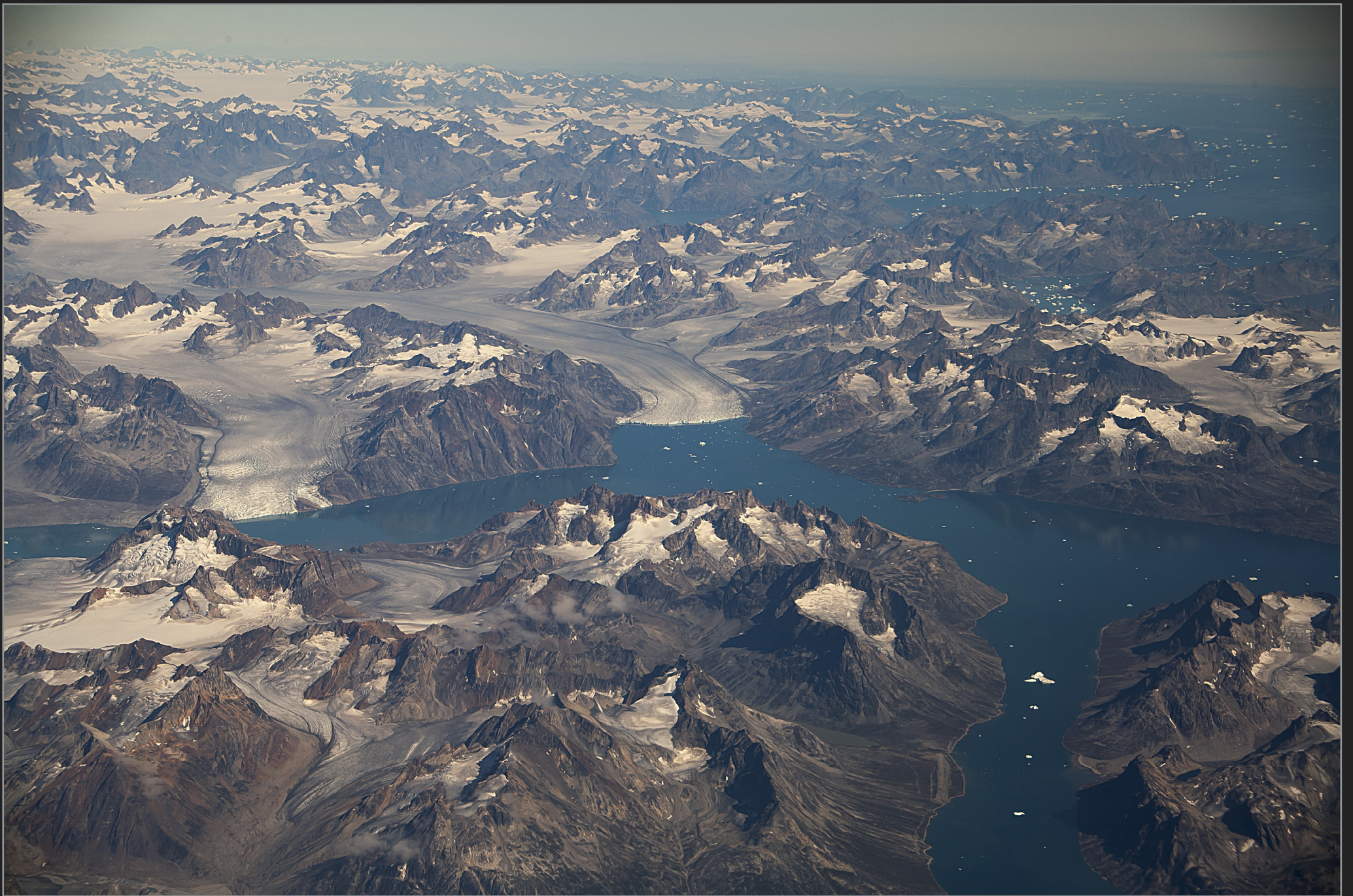
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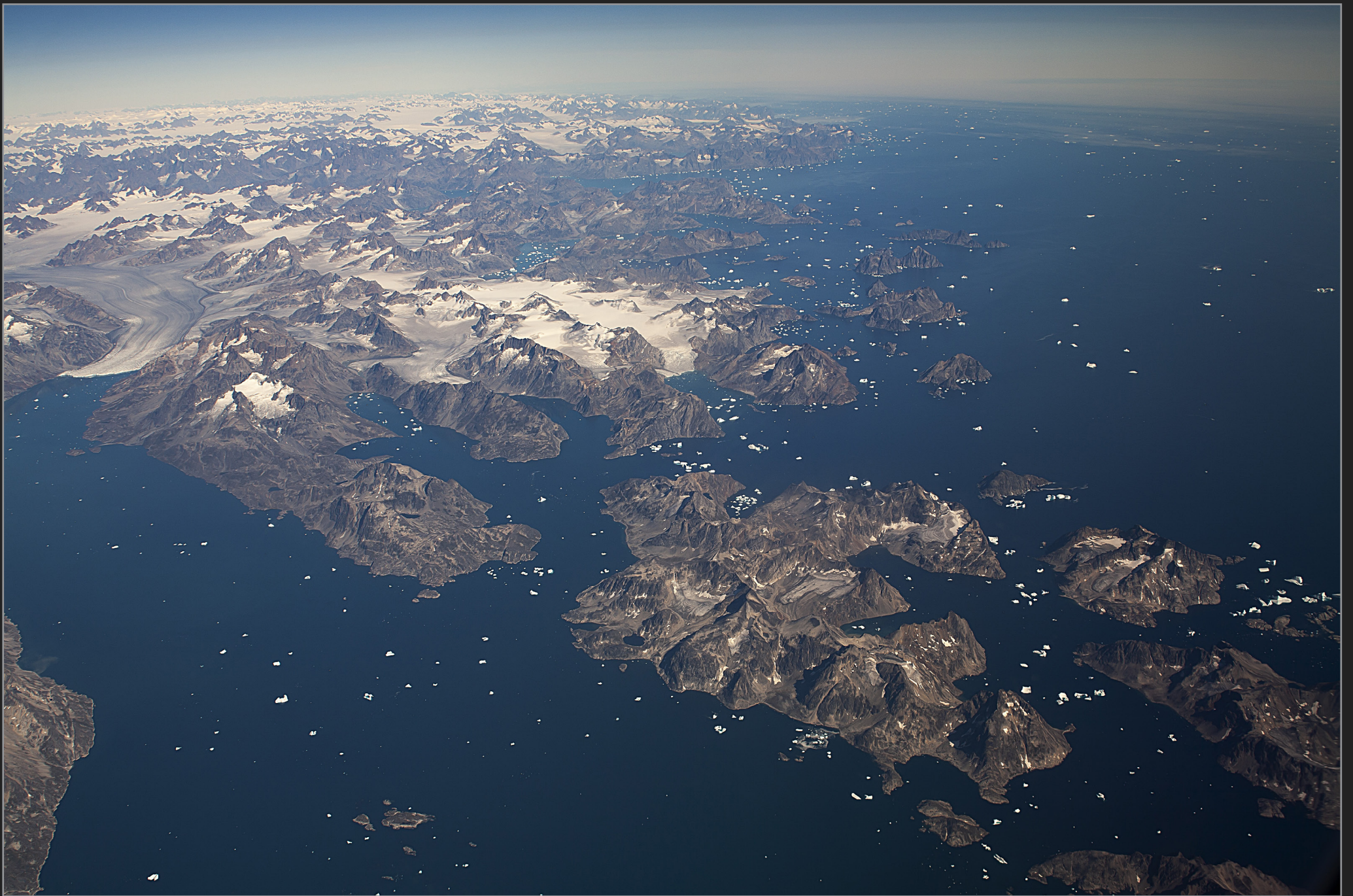
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