

NETHERLANDS DEPENDENCIES

SUMMARY OF CLAIMS (Updated May 2014)

TYPE	DATE	SOURCE	LIMITS	NOTES
TERRITORIAL SEA	Jan 1985	Extension Act	12nm	For Netherlands Antilles.
ARCHIPELAGIC, STRAIGHT BASELINES, & HISTORIC CLAIMS	Dec 1985	1985 Decree		Establishes straight baselines and closing lines for Aruba and the Netherlands Antilles.
FISHING ZONE/EEZ	Jul 1993	1993 Decree		Establishes fishery zones for Netherlands Antilles and Aruba, outer limits to be determined by agreement with neighboring states or by delimitation.
	Jul 1998	1998 Decree		Establishes fishery zones for Netherlands Antilles and Aruba, outer limits to be determined by agreement with neighboring states or by delimitation.
	Jul 2010	2010 Decree	200nm	Establishes EEZ for Aruba, Curaçao, Sint Maarten, and the public bodies Bonaire, Sint Eustatius and Saba, outer limits 200nm or by delimitation or agreement with neighboring states.
MARITIME BOUNDARIES	Dec 1978	Treaty		Boundary delimitation treaty between the Venezuela and Netherlands (Antilles and Aruba). EIF. Go to State Department LIS page , scroll down and click on LIS No. 105 for analysis.
LOS CONVENTION	Jun1996	Convention		The Netherlands ratified the Convention and Part XI Agreement; presumed applicable to its dependencies.