

## TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

### SUMMARY OF CLAIMS (Updated May 2014)

TYPE	DATE	SOURCE	LIMITS	NOTES
TERRITORIAL SEA	Dec 1969	<a href="#">Territorial Sea Act of 1969, No. 38</a>	12nm	
ARCHIPELAGIC, STRAIGHT BASELINES, & HISTORIC CLAIMS	Nov 1986	<a href="#">Archipelagic Waters and Exclusive Economic Zone Act, 1986, Act No. 24</a>		Declared archipelagic status, authorizing archipelagic baselines.
	Oct 1988	<a href="#">Notice No. 206</a> (amended 1989, Legal Notice No. 77)		Provided coordinates for archipelagic baselines.  Go to <a href="#">State Department LIS page</a> , scroll down and click on <a href="#">LIS No. 131</a> for analysis.
CONTIGUOUS ZONE	Nov 1986	<a href="#">Archipelagic Waters and Exclusive Economic Zone Act, 1986, Act No. 24</a>	24nm	
CONTINENTAL SHELF	Dec 1969	<a href="#">Continental Shelf Act, No. 43</a>		Depth of 200m and where the depth of the superjacent waters admits of exploitation of the natural resources
	Nov 1986	<a href="#">Continental Shelf (Amendment) Act</a>	200nm/ CM	
	May 2009	<a href="#">ECS Submission</a>		ECS Submission. <i>Note:</i> The CLCS has not made its recommendations.
FISHING ZONE/EEZ	Nov 1986	<a href="#">Archipelagic Waters and Exclusive Economic Zone Act, 1986, Act No. 24</a>	200nm	EEZ.
MARITIME BOUNDARIES	Jul 1991	<a href="#">Treaty</a>		Treaty between Trinidad and Tobago and Venezuela on the delimitation of marine and submarine areas. EIF.
	Apr 2006	<a href="#">Arbitral Award</a>		Delimited Barbados and Trinidad and Tobago Exclusive Economic Zone and Continental Shelf.
LOS CONVENTION	Dec 1982			Signed Convention.
	Apr 1986			Ratified Convention.
	Oct 1994			Signed Part XI Agreement.
	Jul 1995			Bound by Part XI Agreement.