

TURKEY

SUMMARY OF CLAIMS (Updated May 2014)

TYPE	DATE	SOURCE	LIMITS	NOTES
TERRITORIAL SEA	May 1982	Law No. 2674	6nm	Aegean Sea Reserves right to establish the breadth of the territorial sea up to a limit exceeding 6nm.
	May 1982	Decree by the Council of Ministers No. 8/4742	12nm	Black Sea
ARCHIPELAGIC, STRAIGHT BASELINES, & HISTORIC CLAIMS	May 1964	Law No. 476		Establishes straight baselines. Go to State Department LIS page , scroll down and click on LIS No. 32 for analysis.
FISHING ZONE/EEZ	Dec 1986	Decree of Council of Ministers No. 86/11264	200nm	Black Sea
MARITIME BOUNDARIES	Mar 1975	Protocol		Protocol between U.S.S.R. (Georgia) and Turkey concerning the establishment of the maritime boundary between Soviet and Turkish territorial waters (Black Sea). EIF.
	May 1981	Agreement		Agreement between Turkey and U.S.S.R. (Russian Federation, Georgia, and Ukraine) concerning the delimitation of the continental shelf (Black Sea). EIF. Go to State Department LIS page , scroll down and click on LIS No. 109 for analysis.
	May 1987	Exchange of Notes		Exchange of notes constituting an agreement on the delimitation of the U.S.S.R. (Russian Federation, Georgia, and Ukraine) and Turkey economic zone (Black Sea). EIF.
	Jul 1997	Protocol		Protocol between Turkey and Georgia on the confirmation of the maritime boundaries (Black Sea).
	Nov 1998	Agreement		Agreement between Turkey and Bulgaria on determination of the boundary in the mouth area of the Mutludere/Rezovska river and delimitation of the maritime areas between the two states in the Black Sea. EIF.
LOS CONVENTION	Apr 1982			Voted against; did not sign.