

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

SUMMARY OF CLAIMS

TYPE	DATE	SOURCE	LIMITS	NOTES
TERRITORIAL SEA	Dec 69	Territorial Sea Act of 1969, No. 38 (amended 1986, Act No. 22)	12nm	
ARCHIPELAGIC, STRAIGHT BASELINES, & HISTORIC CLAIMS	Nov 86	Archipelagic Waters and Exclusive Economic Zone Act No. 24		Declared archipelagic status, authorized archipelagic baselines.
	Oct 88	Notice No. 206 (amended 1989, Legal Notice No. 77)		Provided coordinates for archipelagic baselines.
CONTIGUOUS ZONE	Nov 86	Act No. 22	24nm	
CONTINENTAL SHELF	Dec 69	Continental Shelf Act, No. 43	CM/ 200nm	(amended 1986)
FISHING ZONE/EEZ	Nov 86	Act No. 24	200nm	EEZ.
MARITIME BOUNDARIES	Jul 91	Agreement		Maritime boundary agreement with Venezuela EIF.
LOS CONVENTION	Dec 82			Signed Convention.
	Apr 86			Ratified Convention.
	Oct 94			Signed Part XI Agreement.
	Jul 95			Bound by Part XI Agreement.

ARCHIPELAGIC BASELINE LEGISLATION

The following is taken from the Archipelagic Baselines of Trinidad and Tobago Order, Notice No. 206 of 31 October 1988, as corrected by Legal Notice No. 77 on 5 April 1989.

**TABLE C1.T256.
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO ARCHIPELAGIC BASELINE SYSTEM**

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO ARCHIPELAGIC BASELINE SYSTEM			
POINT	NAME	LATITUDE	LONGITUDE
1	East Rock	10° 08' 12" N	60° 59' 02" W
2	Casa Cruz Rock	10° 04' 22" N	61° 09' 45" W
3	Alcatras Rock	10° 04' 19" N	61° 13' 28" W
4	Icacos Point	10° 02' 28" N	61° 54' 30" W
5	Black Rock	10° 03' 27" N	62° 01' 33" W
6	Cabresse Point	10° 41' 47" N	61° 45' 36" W
7	Cabresse Island	10° 41' 58" N	61° 45' 25" W

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO ARCHIPELAGIC BASELINE SYSTEM			
POINT	NAME	LATITUDE	LONGITUDE
8	Sisters Island	11° 19' 57" N	60° 38' 42" W
9	Marble Island	11° 21' 39" N	60° 31' 37" W
10	St. Giles Island	11° 21' 28" N	60° 30' 52" W
11	Little Tobago	11° 17' 39" N	60° 29' 40" W

MARITIME BOUNDARY AGREEMENTS

TRINIDAD & TOBAGO - VENEZUELA

The following is extracted from the Treaty between Trinidad and Tobago and Venezuela on the Delimitation of Marine and Submarine Areas, (signed 18 April 1990, EIF July 1991).

Article 1

The maritime boundary between the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago and the Republic of Venezuela referred to in this Treaty is the maritime boundary with respect to the territorial seas, the Continental Shelves and the Exclusive Economic Zones and to any other marine and submarine areas which have been or might be established by the Contracting Parties in accordance with International Law.

Article 2

The delimitation lines with respect to the marine and submarine areas in the Caribbean, the Gulf of Paria, the Serpent's Mouth and the Atlantic Ocean are geodesics connecting the following geographical coordinates:

**TABLE C1.T257.
TRINIDAD & TOBAGO - VENEZUELA MARITIME BOUNDARY**

POINT	LATITUDE NORTH	LONGITUDE WEST
1	11° 10' 30"	61° 43' 46"
2	10° 54' 40"	61° 43' 46"
3	10° 54' 15"	61° 43' 52"
4	10° 48' 41"	61° 45' 47"
5	10° 47' 38"	61° 46' 17"
6	10° 42' 52"	61° 48' 10"
7	10° 35' 20"	61° 48' 10"
8	10° 35' 19"	61° 51' 45"
9	10° 02' 46"	62° 04' 59"
10	10° 00' 29"	61° 58' 25"
11	09° 59' 12"	61° 51' 18"
12	09° 59' 12"	61° 37' 50"
13	09° 58' 12"	61° 30' 00"
14	09° 52' 33"	61° 13' 24"
15	09° 50' 55"	60° 53' 27"
16	09° 49' 55"	60° 39' 51"
17	09° 53' 26"	60° 16' 02"

POINT	LATITUDE NORTH	LONGITUDE WEST
18	09° 57' 17"	59° 59' 16"
19	09° 58' 11"	59° 55' 21"
20	10° 09' 59"	58° 49' 12"
21	10° 16' 01"	58° 49' 12"

and from point 1 northerly in constant and true direction following the meridian 61° 43' 46" West up to the point at which it meets the jurisdiction of a third State, and from point 21 along an azimuth of 067 degrees up to the outer limit of the Exclusive Economic Zone and thereafter towards point 22, with the following geographic coordinates: Latitude 11° 24' 00" N and Longitude 56° 06' 30" W which is situated approximately on the outer edge of the continental margin which delimits the national jurisdiction of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago and of the Republic of Venezuela and the International Seabed Area which is the common heritage of mankind.