

## GUINEA-BISSAU

### SUMMARY OF CLAIMS

TYPE	DATE	SOURCE	LIMITS	NOTES
TERRITORIAL SEA	May 1985	<a href="#">Act No. 3/85</a>	12nm	Reaffirms straight baselines.
ARCHIPELAGIC, STRAIGHT BASELINES, & HISTORIC CLAIMS	May 1985	<a href="#">Act No. 2/85</a>		Delimits straight baselines.  <i>The U.S. does not recognize this claim. The U.S. conducted an operational assertion in FY1989.</i>
EEZ	May 1985	<a href="#">Art No. 3/85</a>	200nm	EEZ; foreign fishing prohibited in EEZ.
CONTINENTAL SHELF	Sep 2014	<a href="#">ECS Submission.</a>		Submitted request to the UN to extend the limits of its continental shelf. This was a joint submission by Republic of Cabo Verde, the Republic of the Gambia, the Republic of Guinea, the Republic of Guinea-Bissau, the Islamic Republic of Mauritania, the Republic of Senegal and the Republic of Sierra Leone. The UN CLCS has not yet made its recommendations.
MARITIME BOUNDARIES	Apr 1960	Exchange of Letters		Territorial sea and continental shelf boundary between Senegal and Guinea-Bissau (exchange of letters between Portugal and France).  Go to <a href="#">State Department LIS page</a> , scroll down and click on LIS No. 68 for analysis.
	Feb 1985	<a href="#">Arbitral Tribunal Award</a>		Award by the Arbitral Tribunal on the Maritime Delimitation between Guinea and Guinea-Bissau.
	Jul 1989	Arbitral Panel Award		Upheld 1960 Boundary between Senegal and Guinea-Bissau.
	Nov 1991	<a href="#">ICJ Order</a>		Upheld Arbitral Panel Award regarding 1960 Boundary between Senegal and Guinea-Bissau.
	Dec 1995	<a href="#">Agreement</a>		Management and Cooperation Agreement between Senegal and Guinea-Bissau. EIF.
	Dec 1995	<a href="#">Protocol</a>		Protocol to the Management and Cooperation Agreement between Senegal and Guinea-Bissau. EIF 21 Dec 1995.
LOS CONVENTION	Dec 1982			Signed Convention.
	Aug 1986			Ratified Convention, with Declaration confirming it does not recognize the ICJ jurisdiction for Articles 297 and 298.