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SUMMARY OF CLAIMS

TYPE	DATE	SOURCE	LIMITS	NOTES
TERRITORIAL SEA	Dec 1970	Territorial Waters and Continental Shelf Act, 1970	12nm	Foreign warships require permission prior to transiting territorial sea. Claims as territorial waters any portion of high seas wholly surrounded by territorial waters and not extending more than 12nm in any direction. <i>The U.S. does not recognize these claims.</i> The U.S. protested in CY 1989 and conducted operational assertions in FYs 1979, 1981, 1982, and 1992-1998.
	Mar 2017	Decree No. 148		Lists coordinates for straight baselines.
	Apr 2017	Statement		Affirms rejection and non-recognition of Jan 1990 Decree by Egypt concerning Sudanese maritime borders north of the 22 nd parallel involving the Hala'ib Triangle.
	Apr 2017	M.Z.N. 127 2017		Deposit of list of geographical coordinates for straight baselines in the Red Sea pursuant to Decree No. 148 .
	Jul 2017	Declaration		Declares Sudanese sovereignty over the Hala'ib Triangle north of the 22 nd parallel and rejects a competing Declaration by Egypt (p. 22).
	Dec 2017	Declaration		Objects to and rejects Apr 2016 Agreement between Saudi Arabia and Egypt concerning maritime boundaries in the Red Sea and reaffirms Sudanese sovereignty over the Hala'ib Triangle north of the 22 nd parallel. Full text also found in LOS Bulletin No. 96 , p. 29.
ARCHIPELAGIC, STRAIGHT BASELINES, & HISTORIC CLAIMS	Dec 1970	Territorial Waters and Continental Shelf Act, 1970		Authorizes drawing straight baselines in specified circumstances. <i>The U.S. does not recognize this claim.</i> The U.S. protested claim in CY 1989.
CONTIGUOUS ZONE	Dec 1970	Territorial Waters and Continental Shelf Act, 1970	6nm	Claims security jurisdiction within contiguous zone. <i>The U.S. does not recognize this claim.</i> The U.S. protested in CY 1989 and conducted operational assertions in FYs 1979, 1981, 1982, 1998, and 1999.
EEZ	Dec 1970	Territorial Waters and Continental Shelf Act, 1970	1958 DEF	
ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATION	Feb 1982	Regional Convention for the Conservation of the Red Sea and the Gulf of Aden Environment		Agreement with Jordan, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Yemen, and the Palestinian Liberation Organization to protect environment of Red Sea and Gulf of Aden. EIF Aug 1985.

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LOS CONVENTION	Dec 1982			Signed Convention, with Declaration asserting that purported rights of coastal States to take security measures are compatible with provisions on innocent passage.
	Jan 1985			Ratified Convention. For declaration made upon signature, go to LOS Bulletin 5 , p. 22.
	Jul 1994			Signed Part XI Agreement. For declaration made upon signature, go to LOS Bulletin 25 , p. 36.