

CHALLENGES TO EXCESSIVE MARITIME CLAIMS
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Country	Excessive Maritime Claim
Argentina*	Notification required before foreign warships transit the Strait of Magellan or transit in innocent passage through territorial sea
Brazil*	Restrictions on military operations and maneuvers in EEZ
Burma	Excessive straight baselines; permission required for foreign warships to enter territorial sea; security jurisdiction in contiguous zone; restrictions on navigation and overflight in EEZ
China*	Jurisdiction over airspace above EEZ; domestic law criminalizing survey activity by foreign entities in EEZ; excessive straight baselines; prior permission required for innocent passage of foreign military ships through territorial sea
Cambodia	Excessive straight baselines; security jurisdiction in contiguous zone
Ecuador*	Excessive territorial sea and national airspace claims
India*	Authorization required for military exercises or maneuvers in EEZ; prior notification required for foreign warships to enter territorial sea
Indonesia*	Partial designation of archipelagic sea lanes; prior notification required for foreign warships to enter territorial sea and archipelagic waters
Iran*	Restrictions on right of transit passage through Strait of Hormuz to signatories of the United Nations Convention on Law of the Sea; permission required for innocent passage of foreign military ships

	through territorial sea; prohibition on foreign military activities and practices in the EEZ
Malaysia*	Authorization required for nuclear powered ships to enter the territorial sea; authorization required for military exercises or maneuvers in EEZ
Maldives*	Permission required for foreign vessels to enter EEZ; permission required for foreign warships, nuclear powered ships and ships carrying nuclear or noxious substances to enter territorial sea
Oman*	Requirement for innocent passage with permission through the Strait of Hormuz (an international strait)
Taiwan*	Excessive straight baselines; prior notification required for foreign military or government vessels to enter territorial sea
Thailand	Excessive straight baselines
Vietnam*	Excessive straight baselines; authorization required for foreign warships to enter territorial sea and contiguous zone; security jurisdiction in contiguous zone; requirement to place weapons in non-operative positions before entering contiguous zone

* designates multiple challenges to the claim during FY 11 (1 Oct 10-30 Sep 11)