

Decree
on the Application of the Act on the Delimitation of the Territorial Waters of Finland

issued in Helsinki on 31 July 1995

On presentation by the Minister for Foreign Affairs, the following is enacted by virtue of section 8 of the Act on the Delimitation of the Territorial Waters of Finland, adopted on 18 August 1956, as amended by the Act of 3 March 1995 (No 981/1995):

Section 1

The base points of the outer limits of the internal waters, referred to in section 4, subsection 1, of the Act on the Delimitation of the Territorial Waters of Finland, the degrees of latitude and longitude of which are given in the Finnish National Coordinate System, shall be during the thirty-year period 1995-2024 as follows:

No.	Latitude north	Longitude east
1	60° 19, 452'	27° 37, 202'
2	60° 18, 581'	27° 34, 716'
3	60° 15, 904'	27° 16, 433'
4	60° 14, 238'	27° 1, 845'
5	60° 9, 672'	26° 15, 752'
6	60° 2, 419'	25° 47, 682'
7	60° 5, 437'	25° 8, 157'
8	60° 2, 128'	24° 53, 709'
9	59° 52, 101'	24° 18, 368'
10	59° 47, 218'	23° 35, 505'
11	59° 44, 862'	23° 23, 941'
12	59° 44, 958'	22° 58, 431'
13	59° 42, 828'	22° 25, 102'
14	59° 40, 504'	21° 30, 088'
15	59° 44, 171'	20° 44, 352'
16	59° 48, 483'	19° 47, 125'
17	60° 9, 403'	19° 18, 241'
18	60° 18, 019'	19° 8, 124'
19	60° 18, 081'	19° 8, 148'
20	60° 25, 902'	19° 23, 935'
21	60° 29, 875'	19° 42, 563'
22	60° 32, 411'	20° 12, 524'
23	60° 45, 947'	20° 44, 638'
24	61° 3, 050'	21° 10, 211'
25	61° 25, 339'	21° 16, 255'
26	61° 38, 782'	21° 19, 747'
27	62° 0, 992'	21° 14, 072'
28	62° 24, 801'	21° 5, 203'
29	62° 47, 068'	20° 50, 217'

30	62° 57, 655'	20° 44, 296'
31	63° 14, 228'	20° 35, 058'
32	63° 25, 460'	20° 47, 346'
33	63° 27, 198'	21° 8, 482'
34	63° 28, 491'	21° 44, 639'
35	63° 31, 707'	22° 9, 732'
36	63° 45, 089'	22° 31, 404'
37	63° 51, 837'	22° 37, 409'
38	63° 53, 196'	22° 39, 136'
39	63° 53, 726'	22° 39, 847'
40	63° 55, 701'	22° 42, 981'
41	63° 56, 237'	22° 44, 467'
42	63° 57, 627'	22° 48, 639'
43	64° 5, 572'	23° 23, 951'
44	64° 19, 981'	23° 26, 818'
45	64° 32, 274'	24° 15, 150'
46	64° 40, 893'	24° 19, 362'
47	65° 2, 379'	24° 33, 062'
48	65° 20, 151'	24° 39, 306'
49	65° 33, 835'	24° 18, 807'
50	65° 35, 962'	24° 1, 847'
51	59° 31, 158'	20° 24, 700'
52	59° 31, 090'	20° 25, 328'
53	59° 30, 240'	20° 21, 077'
54	59° 30, 291'	20° 21, 011'

Points 18 and 19 and points 50 and 51, respectively, are not connected by a baseline. Points 51 and 54 are connected by a baseline.

Section 2

The location of the outer limits of Finland's territorial sea is indicated by points that are connected either by the line of the shortest distance or by the arc of a circle with a given centre and radius.

From the western terminal point of the line delimiting the territorial sea of Finland, as provided in the Peace Treaty signed in Paris on 10 February 1947 (Act No 690-691/1947), the outer limits of the territorial sea shall run through the following points, given in the Finnish National Coordinate System as degrees of latitude and longitude, to the southern terminal point of the state boundary between Finland and Sweden (point No. 132 on the list), south of the islet of Märket:

No.	Latitude north	Longitude east
103	60° 11. 341'	26° 44. 675'
104	60° 9. 692'	26° 36. 845'
105	60° 9. 198'	26° 29. 702'
106	60° 2. 779'	26° 17. 867'
107	60° 2. 281'	26° 11. 498'
108	60° 0. 832'	26° 4. 689'
109	59° 58. 596'	26° 1. 223'
110	59° 55. 909'	25° 37. 404'
111	59° 55. 681'	25° 35. 147'

112	59° 55. 868'	25° 28. 462'
113	59° 56. 596'	25° 10. 348'
114	59° 55. 271'	24° 55. 986'
115	59° 53. 514'	24° 47. 310'
116	59° 49. 015'	24° 29. 487'
117	59° 47. 800'	24° 20. 116'
118	59° 47. 014'	24° 12. 554'
119	59° 39. 406'	23° 21. 313'
120	59° 38. 131'	22° 51. 638'
121	59° 36. 472'	22° 38. 266'
122	59° 30. 781'	22° 23. 985'
123	59° 28. 584'	21° 32. 209'

Points 123 and 124 are connected by the arc of a circle with a radius of 12 nautical miles, the centre of which is base point No. 14 referred to in section 1 above.

124	59° 28. 693'	21° 26. 268'
125	59° 31. 947'	20° 45. 848'
126	59° 27. 456'	20° 23. 234'

Points 126 and 127 are connected by the arc of a circle with a radius of 3 nautical miles, the centre of which is base point No. 53 referred to in section 1 above.

127	59° 27. 964'	20° 17. 257'
128	59° 35. 466'	19° 59. 869'
129	59° 35. 703'	19° 56. 638'
130	59° 47. 501'	19° 39. 699'
131	60° 11. 501'	19° 5. 198'
132	60° 14. 114'	19° 6. 368'

North of the islet of Märket, starting from the northern terminal point of the state boundary between Finland and Sweden, the outer limits shall run through the following points:

134	60° 22. 494'	19° 9. 877'
135	60° 36. 689'	19° 13. 421'

Points 135 and 136 are connected by the arc of a circle with a radius of 12 nautical miles, the centre of which is base point No. 20 referred to in section 1 above.

136	60° 36. 871'	19° 14. 228'
137	60° 40. 866'	19° 32. 942'

Points 137 and 138 are connected by the arc of a circle with a radius of 12 nautical miles, the centre of which is base point No. 21 referred to in section 1 above.

138	60° 41. 660'	19° 38. 341'
139	60° 43. 650'	20° 1. 717'
140	60° 54. 104'	20° 26. 461'
141	61° 7. 609'	20° 46. 495'
142	61° 26. 815'	20° 51. 460'

143	61° 38. 768'	20° 54. 404'
144	61° 59. 212'	20° 48. 898'
145	62° 21. 960'	20° 40. 112'
146	62° 43. 465'	20° 25. 334'

Points 146 and 147 are connected by the arc of a circle with a radius of 12 nautical miles, the centre of which is base point No. 29 referred to in section 1 above.

147	62° 44. 079'	20° 24. 946'
148	62° 54. 675'	20° 18. 868'
149	63° 9. 882'	20° 10. 176'
150	63° 19. 903'	20° 24. 288'
151	63° 28. 961'	20° 42. 007'
152	63° 31. 152'	20° 56. 551'
153	63° 40. 013'	21° 30. 778'
154	63° 40. 325'	21° 39. 821'
155	63° 42. 059'	21° 53. 301'
156	63° 50. 841'	22° 7. 434'
157	63° 56. 187'	22° 12. 115'

Points 157 and 158 are connected by the arc of a circle with a radius of 12 nautical miles, the centre of which is base point No. 37 referred to in section 1 above.

158	63° 57. 650'	22° 13. 668'
159	63° 59. 128'	22° 15. 526'
160	63° 59. 774'	22° 16. 382'

Points 160 and 161 are connected by the arc of a circle with a radius of 12 nautical miles, the centre of which is base point No. 39 referred to in section 1 above.

161	64° 0. 548'	22° 17. 500'
162	64° 2. 530'	22° 20. 622'

Points 162 and 163 are connected by the arc of a circle with a radius of 12 nautical miles, the centre of which is base point No. 40 referred to in section 1 above.

163	64° 4. 927'	22° 25. 637'
164	64° 5. 612'	22° 27. 530'
165	64° 7. 150'	22° 32. 128'

Points 165 and 166 are connected by the arc of a circle with a radius of 12 nautical miles, the centre of which is base point No. 42 referred to in section 1 above.

166	64° 8. 234'	22° 36. 026'
167	64° 13. 189'	22° 57. 896'
168	64° 20. 975'	22° 59. 327'

Points 168 and 169 are connected by the arc of a circle with a radius of 12 nautical miles, the centre of which is base point No. 44 referred to in section 1 above.

169	64° 30. 238'	23° 12. 589'
170	64° 39. 909'	23° 50. 376'
171	64° 43. 314'	23° 51. 988'

Points 171 and 172 are connected by the arc of a circle with a radius of 12 nautical miles, the centre of which is base point No. 46 referred to in section 1 above.

172	64° 43. 962'	23° 52. 340'
173	65° 4. 789'	24° 5. 263'
174	65° 17. 527'	24° 9. 503'
175	65° 30. 739'	24° 8. 216'

From the last-mentioned point, the outer limits shall run further in the direction of north-northwest towards the point referred to in section 7, subsection 3, of the Act on the Delimitation of the Territorial Waters of Finland.

Section 3

The Finnish Maritime Administration shall ensure that information on the location of the base points and of the outer limits of the territorial sea be publicly available.

Section 4

This Decree repeals the Decree of 7 May 1965 on the Application of the Act on the Territorial Waters of Finland (Decree No 256/1965).

Section 5

This Decree shall enter into force on 2 August 1995.