

**Executive Order No. 629 of 22 December 1976**  
**The Fishing Territory of Greenland**

Pursuant to section 1 of the Kingdom of Denmark Fishing Territory Act (Act No. 597) of 17 December 1976, the following provisions are laid down:

1. (1) The fishing territory in the waters around Greenland shall comprise on the west coast up to latitude 75° N and on the east coast up to latitude 67° N, in addition to the internal waters, the waters delimited by a line (the fishing limit) at a distance of 200 nautical miles (1 nautical mile = 1,852 metres) from the baselines mentioned in section 2 of this Executive Order.

(2) Up to latitude 75° N, the fishing territory relative to Canada, where the coasts of that country are opposite the coasts of Greenland within a distance of 400 nautical miles, shall be delimited by geodetic lines between the following points:

Point No.	Latitude (North)	Longitude (West)
1	61°24'7	57°16'3
2	62°00'5	57°21'1
3	62°02'3	57°21'8
4	62°03'5	57°22'2
5	62°11'5	57°25'4
6	62°47'2	57°41'0
7	63°22'8	57°57'4
8	63°28'6	57°59'7
9	63°35'0	58°02'0
10	63°37'2	58°01'2
11	63°44'1	57°58'8
12	63°50'1	57°57'2
13	63°52'6	57°56'6
14	63°57'4	57°53'5
15	64°04'3	57°49'1
16	64°12'2	57°48'2
17	65°06'0	57°44'1
18	65°08'9	57°43'9
19	65°11'6	57°44'4
20	65°14'5	57°45'1
21	65°18'1	57°45'8
22	65°23'3	57°44'9
23	65°34'8	57°42'3
24	65°37'7	57°41'9
25	65°50'9	57°40'7

26 65°51'7 57°40'6  
27 65°57'6 57°40'1  
28 66°03'5 57°39'6  
29 66°12'9 57°38'2  
30 66°18'8 57°37'8  
31 66°24'6 57°37'8  
32 66°30'3 57°38'3  
33 66°36'1 57°39'2  
34 66°37'9 57°39'6  
35 66°41'8 57°40'6  
36 66°49'5 57°43'0  
37 67°21'6 57°52'7  
38 67°27'3 57°54'9  
39 67°28'3 57°55'3  
40 67°29'1 57°56'1  
41 67°30'7 57°57'8  
42 67°35'3 58°02'2  
43 67°39'7 58°06'2  
44 67°44'2 58°09'9  
45 67°56'9 58°19'8  
46 68°01'8 58°23'3  
47 68°04'3 58°25'0  
48 68°06'8 58°26'7  
49 68°07'5 58°27'2  
50 68°16'1 58°34'1  
51 68°21'7 58°39'0  
52 68°25'3 58°42'4  
53 68°32'9 59°01'8  
54 68°34'0 59°04'6  
55 68°37'9 59°14'3  
56 68°38'0 59°14'6  
57 68°56'8 60°02'4  
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59 69°06'8 60°18'5  
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62 69°29'4 60°51'6  
63 69°49'8 60°58'2  
64 69°55'3 60°59'6  
65 69°55'8 61°00'0  
66 70°01'6 61°04'2  
67 70°07'5 61°08'1  
68 70°08'8 61°08'8  
69 70°13'4 61°10'6  
70 70°33'1 61°17'4  
71 70°35'6 61°20'6  
72 70°48'2 61°37'9  
73 70°51'8 61°42'7

74	71°12'1	62°09'1
75	71°18'9	62°17'5
76	71°25'9	62°25'5
77	71°29'4	62°29'3
78	71°31'8	62°32'0
79	71°32'9	62°33'5
80	71°44'7	62°49'6
81	71°47'3	62°53'1
82	71°52'9	63°03'9
83	72°01'7	63°21'1
84	72°06'4	63°30'9
85	72°11'0	63°41'0
86	72°24'8	64°13'2
87	72°30'5	64°26'1
88	72°36'3	64°38'8
89	72°43'7	64°54'3
90	72°45'7	64°58'4
91	72°47'7	65°00'9
92	72°50'8	65°07'6
93	73°18'5	66°08'3
94	73°25'9	66°25'3
95	73°31'1	67°15'1
96	73°36'5	68°05'5
97	73°37'9	68°12'3
98	73°41'7	68°29'4
99	73°46'1	68°48'5
100	73°46'7	68°51'1
101	73°52'3	69°11'3
102	73°57'6	69°31'5
103	74°02'2	69°50'3
104	74°02'6	69°52'0
105	74°06'1	70°06'6
106	74°07'5	70°12'5
107	74°10'0	70°23'1
108	74°12'5	70°33'7
109	74°24'0	71°25'7
110	74°28'6	71°45'8
111	74°44'2	72°53'0
112	74°50'6	73°02'8
113	75°00'0	73°16'3

(3) From Point 113 the fishing limit shall be the parallel of latitude through the following points:

113	75°00'0 N	73°16'3 W
113a	75°00'0 N	59°48'0 W

(4) The fishing territory relative to Iceland, where the coasts of that country are opposite the coasts of Greenland within a distance of 400 nautical miles, shall be delimited, except where otherwise agreed, by the line which at every point is equidistant from the baselines at the coasts of the two countries (the median line) up to

latitude 67° N, from where the line shall be the parallel of latitude to 67°00'0 N, 32°50'6 W.

2. The straight baselines (compass lines) or coastal lines from which, pursuant to section 1 above, the fishing limit shall be measured shall be drawn between the following points (low water mark at mean spring tide) in the sequence indicated below:

#### West Greenland

Point 1	S-most island of group of islands SSW of Cape Farewell	59°43'2 N	44°00'7 W
Point 2	Island S of Kulusud	59°50'7 N	44°59'5 W
Point 3	Naujat	59°58'6 N	45°21'9 W
Point 4	Qeqertat	60°34'7 N	47°34'9 W
Point 5	Island 2.5 nautical miles S of Thorstein Icelander	60°43'3 N	48°24'9 W
Point 6	Island 2.0 nautical miles S of Thorstein Icelander	60°43'8 N	48°26'6 W
Point 7	Island 1.5 nautical miles WSW of Thorstein Icelander	60°45'1 N	48°29'1 W
Point 8	Island 1.5 nautical miles W of Thorstein Icelander	60°45'9 N	48°29'6 W
Point 9	Semersût ûmánarssua	61°14'6 N	48°57'4 W
Point 10	Qîoqe	61°31'4 N	49°23'0 W
Point 11	Frederikshab Umanak (Qajaerserfik)	61°45'0 N	49°37'4 W
Point 12	Frederikshab Qîoqe (Varde Island)	61°56'0 N	49°48'9 W
Point 13	Ikermiut	62°23'2 N	50°16'1 W
Point 14	Island 1 nautical mile SW of Tulugartalik	62°28'3 N	50°21'5 W
Point 15	Southern Kitdlit	62°42'5 N	50°33'8 W
Point 16	SW-most island of Hellefiske Islands	63°02'2 N	51°00'0 W
Point 17	Kitdlit	63°08'3 N	51°10'4 W
Point 18	Dry rock approx. 2.3 nautical miles SSW of Qilangaussua	63°22'8 N	51°23'9 W
Point 19	Cook Islands	63°59'6 N	52°11'3 W
Point 20	Cook Islands	64°00'1 N	52°11'8 W
Point 21	Southern island approx. 1.5 nautical miles W of Qagssup igdlua	64°24'8 N	52°20'0 W
Point 22	Avatdlerparssuaq	65°30'4 N	53°15'9 W
Point 23	S-most island W of Qerralik	66°03'6 N	53°40'7 W
Point 24	N-most island W of Qerralik	66°04'6 N	53°41'2 W
Point 25	Ikerasagtût	66°13'5 N	53°48'1 W
Point 26	Ikardlugssuaq	66°25'8 N	53°55'5 W
Point 27	Qagssit	66°59'6 N	54°08'1 W
Point 28	Kitsigsut	67°47'1 N	53°58'6 W
Point 29	Kingigtut	68°00'8 N	53°52'5 W
Point 30	Kidliat	68°16'9 N	53°45'9 W
Point 31	Blaafjeld (Uivfag)	69°22'3 N	54°14'4 W
Point 32	Ingigssuaq	69°36'3 N	54°49'1 W
Point 33	Northern Salmon Bay (Lakesebugt), N-most point	69°39'0 N	54°50'0 W
Point 34	W-point at Kingigtup gága	69°42'9 N	54°59'2 W
Point 35	Iron Point (Jernpynten) (Navssap nua)	69°50'1 N	54°56'1 W
Point 36	Hare Island (Navdluarssurausaq)	70°26'7 N	55°02'8 W
Point 37	Narssaq	71°27'8 N	55°29'8 W
Point 38	Sigguk (Svartenhuk)	71°41'3 N	55°52'3 W
Point 39	Tikerarssuaq (Dark Head)	72°08'3 N	56°04'0 W
Point 40	Nunanguit (Smalandene)	72°46'3 N	56°38'1 W
Point 41	Kingigtortagdlit	73°02'0 N	56°56'0 W

Point 42	S-most point of Eider Islands	74°01'0 N	57°50'0 W
Point 43	W-most point of Eider Islands	74°02'3 N	57°51'1 W
Point 44	Qutdleq	74°39'9 N	57°57'8 W
Point 45	W-most Sabine Island	75°29'8 N	60°14'0 W
Point 46	Bushman Island	75°57'4 N	65°00'9 W
Point 47	Cape York	75°54'4 N	66°29'3 W
Point 48	Conical Rock SW-point	76°04'8 N	68°43'0 W

Between points 33 and 34 the baseline is the coastal line.

#### East Greenland

Point 1	S-most island of group of islands SSW of Cape Farewell	59°43'2 N	44°00'7 W
Point 2	Island approx. 2.6 nautical miles S of Avalernga	59°45'4 N	43°47'2 W
Point 3	SE point of S-most island ESE of Cape Hoppe	59°55'3 N	43°10'9 W
Point 4	E point of island mentioned under point 3	59°55'4 N	43°10'7 W
Point 5	E point of N-most island ESE of Cape Hoppe	59°55'4 N	43°10'6 W
Point 6	SE point of island 1.5 nautical miles E of Qagssit	60°01'0 N	43°03'1 W
Point 7	NE point of island 1.5 nautical miles E of Qagssit	60°01'3 N	43°02'9 W
Point 8	Island 1.9 nautical miles ENE of Qagssit	60°01'8 N	43°02'6 W
Point 9	SE point of island approx. 2 nautical miles E of Aluk	60°09'4 N	42°58'8 W
Point 10	E-most island of Cape Discord	60°53'3 N	42°37'3 W
Point 11	Qutdleq	61°32'4 N	42°13'7 W
Point 12	Umanarssuk	61°49'6 N	42°02'0 W
Point 13	SE point of Griffendeld Island	62°51'9 N	41°30'0 W
Point 14	E-most island at Cape Skjold	63°06'2 N	41°10'7 W
Point 15	Qertartivaq	63°32'1 N	40°39'5 W
Point 16	Twin Island (at Cape Mosting)	63°41'1 N	40°30'6 W
Point 17	Umivita	64°20'0 N	40°11'7 W
Point 18	Qertartip Saliaqita	64°59'7 N	39°43'1 W
Point 19	Island approx. 3 nautical miles ESE of Cape Dan	65°29'1 N	37°03'3 W
Point 20	E-most Kitsigsit Island	65°33'6 N	36°35'9 W
Point 21	Uigertertivit	65°44'5 N	36°08'1 W
Point 22	SW border of Wahl Fjord	66°19'3 N	34°47'4 W
Point 23	Nagsigpik	66°21'3 N	34°42'3 W
Point 24	Nanortalik	66°35'5 N	34°12'7 W
Point 25	Island approx. 1.75 nautical miles E of Cape S. M. Jorgensen	66°45'5 N	33°52'6 W
Point 26	Little Tindholm	66°54'5 N	33°34'9 W
Point 27	Pagtulajjivit	67°36'1 N	32°30'1 W
Point 28	Point 1.5 nautical miles W of Cape I. C. Jacobsen	68°05'3 N	30°34'3 W
Point 29	Cape I. C. Jacobsen	68°05'6 N	30°30'0 W
Point 30	Nunap Isua	68°07'5 N	30°10'9 W
Point 31	Cape Nansen	68°13'1 N	29°24'5 W
Point 32	Cape Vedel	68°28'9 N	27°37'1 W

Between points 3 and 4, 6 and 7, 28 and 29, the baseline is the coastal line .