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Table of international and regional instruments relevant to the protection of the coastal and marine environment in the ASEAN Region

Subject		International Instrument	Adoption/Ratification/Accession in the ASEAN Region (1)									
			Brunei Darussalam	Cambodia	Indonesia	Lao PDR	Malaysia	Myanmar	Philippines	Singapore	Thailand	Viet Nam
G[L]		United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea 1982 (UNCLOS) and Agreement on Part XI	1996	signed in 1983	1986	1998	1996	1996	1984	1994	signed in 1982	1994
POLLUTION	Ship-source Pollution	Convention on the Prevention of Marine Pollution by Dumping of Wastes and Other Matter 1972 and 1996 Protocol (London Convention)	N	N	N	N	N	N	72	N	N	N
		International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships 73/78 and Annexes I to VI (MARPOL)	Annex I-II	Annex I-V	Annex I-II	N	Annex I-II & V	Annex I-II	Annex I-V	Annex I-VI	Annex I-II	Annex I-II
		Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal 1989 and Amendement 1995	2002	2001/N	1993/2005	N	1993/2001	N	1993/N	1996/N	1997/N	1995/N
		International Convention on Oil Pollution Preparedness, Response and Co-operation 1990 (OPRC)	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N
		International Convention on Civil Liability for Oil Pollution Damage (CLC) 1969, 1976 Protocol, 1984 Protocol, 1992 Protocol and 2000 Amendments	1976/1992	1969/1976/ 1992/	1969/1992	N	1992	N	1992	1976/1992	N	1992
		International Convention on the Establishment of an International Fund for Compensation for Oil Pollution Damage Protocol 1992 (IOPC-FUND)	1992	1992	N	N	1992	N	1992	1992	N	N
		Protocol on Preparedness, Response and Co-operation to pollution Incidents by Hazardous and Noxious Substances 2000 (HNS 2000)	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N
		International Convention on Civil Liability for Bunker Oil Pollution Damage 2001 (Bunkers Convention)	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	Y
		International Convention on the Control of Harmful Anti-fouling Systems on Ships 2001	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N
		International Convention for the Control and Management of Ships' Ballast Water and Sediments 2004	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
	Land-based Pollution	Global Programme of Action for the Protection of the Marine Environment from Land-based Activities 1995 (7)	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y
		Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants 2001 (POPs Convention)	signed 2002	2006	2009	2006	signed 2002	2004	2004	2005	2005	2002
	Hazardous Chemicals	Rotterdam Convention on the Prior Informed Consent Procedure for Certain Hazardous Chemicals and Pesticides in International Trade 1998	N	N	signed 1998	N	2002	N	2006	2005	2002	2007
CONSERVATION / BIODIVERSITY		International Convention for the Regulation of Whaling 1946	N	2006	N	2007	N	N	1981 but d. (6) in 1988	N	N	N
		Convention on Wetlands of International Importance 1971 (Ramsar Convention), Paris Protocol (1982), Regina Amendment (1987)	N	1999	1992	N	1994/1995/N	2005/2004 /2005	1994/1994/N	N	1998/1998/N	1988/1989/N
		Convention concerning the World Cultural and Natural Heritage 1972 (World Heritage Convention)	N	1991	1989	1987	1988	1994	1985	N	1987	1987
		Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora 1973 (CITES), Bonn Amendment (1979) and Gaborone Amendment (1983)	1990	1997	1978/1987/ N	2004	1977/N/N	1997	1981/1981/ 1988	1986/1986/N	1983	1994
		Convention on the Conservation of Migratory Species of Wild Animals 1979 (CMS), Agreement on the conservation of albatrosses and petrels 2001, MoU on the conservation of marine turtles 2001, MoU on the conservation of dugongs 2007, MoU on the conservation of migratory sharks 2010	N/N.A./N/N.A./N	N/N.A./2002/ N/N	N/N/2005/ N/N	N/N.A./N.A./ N.A./N	N/N.A./N/N/N	N/N.A./2001/ 2007/N	1994/N.A./ 2001/ 2010/2010	N/N.A./N/N/N	N/N.A./2004 N/N	N/N.A./2001/ N/N
		Convention on Biological Diversity 1992	2008	1995	1994	1996	1994	1994	1993	1995	2004	1994
		United Nations Fish Stock Agreement 1995	N	N	2009	N	N	N	signed 1996	N	N	N
		Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety 2000	N	2003	2004	2004	2003	2008	2006	N	2005	2004
		Convention on the Protection of the Underwater Cultural Heritage 2001	N	2006	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT		Rio Declaration on Environment and Development/Agenda 21 (Washington Declaration 1992)	Soft laws									
		Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States 1994										
CLIMATE CHANGE		United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change 1992 and Kyoto Protocol to United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change	2007/2009	1995/2002	1994/2004	1995/2003	1994/2002	1994/2003	1994/2003	1997/2006	1994/2002	1994/2002
		Vienna Convention for the Protection of the Ozone Layer 1985 & Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete Ozone Layer 1987 and later Amendments (as at Sept.2009)	1990/1993/2009	2001/2001/ 2007	1992/1992/ 1992-2006	1998/1998/ 2006	1989/1989/ 1993-2001	1993/1993/ Not all	1991/1991/ 1993-2006	1989/1989/ 1993-2007	1989/1989/ 1992-2006	1994/1994/ 1994-2004
REGIONAL AGREEMENTS & PROGRAMMES	ASEAN	Agreement on the Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources 1985 (not in force)	signed	N	1986	N	signed	N	1986	signed	1986	N
		Strategic Plan of Action on the Environment (1994-1998)	Soft laws									
		ASEAN Criteria for National Marine Protected Areas 2002										
		ASEAN Criteria for Marine Heritage Area 2002										
		ASEAN Marine Water Criteria for the ASEAN Region 2002										
		ASEAN Declaration on Heritage Parks 2003										
		Vientiane Action Programme 2004										
		ASEAN Singapore Declaration on Environmental Sustainability 2007										
	Other regional	Bali Plan of Action 2005 (APEC)	Soft laws									
		Manila Declaration on Strengthening the Implementation of ICM for Sustainable Development and Climate Change Adaptation in the Seas of East Asian Region 2009										

Legend:

(1) according to the information available as at September 2010

(2) N.A. stands for Not Applicable

(3) N. stands for No Adoption/Ratification/Accession

(4) Y. stands for Adoption/Ratification/Accession

(5) MoU stands for Memorandum of Understanding

(6) d. stands for denounced

(7) This instrument is a soft law (not a treaty). Y. designates country that formally adopted the programme. N. indicates countries that have not formally adopted it.;