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			Brunei Darussalam	Cambodia	China ⁵	Indonesia	Japan	Korea	Malaysia	Myanmar	Philippines	Singapore	Thailand	Viet Nam
UNCLOS	1982 United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS) and Agreement on Part XI		1996	Signed 1983	1997	1985	1996	1996	1996	1996	1984	1994	2011	1994
Safety ⁴	1972 Convention on the International Regulation for Preventing Collision at Sea (COLREGS) (as amended in 1981, 1987, 1989, 1993, 2001, 2007)	IMO	1987	1994	1980	1979	1977	1985	1980	1987	1987	1977	1979	1990
	1974 International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS) / 1978 Protocol / 1988 Protocol		1986 / 1986 / N	1994 / 1994 / 2001	1980 / 1982 / 1995	1981 / 1988 / 2017	1980 / 2980	1985 / 1985	1983 / 1983 / 2011	1987 / 1987 / N	1981 / 2018 / 2018	1981 / 1984 / 1999	1984 / N / N	1990 / 1992 / 2002
	2012 Cape Town Agreement on Fishing Vessel Safety		N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Oil Only	1973/1978 International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (MARPOL) and Annex I	IMO	1986	1994	1983	1986	1983	1984	1997	1988	2001	1990	2007	1991
	1990 International Convention on Oil Pollution Preparedness, Response and Co-operation (OPRC)		N	N	1998	N	1995	1999	1997	2016	2014	1999	2000	N
	1969 International Convention on Civil Liability for Oil Pollution Damage (CLC) / 1976 Protocol / 1992 Protocol and 2000 Amendments		D(2003) / 1992 / 2002	1994 / 2001 / 2001	D(2000) / D(2003) / 1999	1978 / N / 1999	1976 / 1994 / 1994	1978 / 1992 / 1997	D(2005) / N / 2004	N / N / 2016	N / N / 1997	D(1998) / 1981 / 1997	N / N / 2017	N / N / 2003
	1992 International Convention on the Establishment of an International Fund for Compensation for Oil Pollution Damage Protocol (IOPC-FUND)		2002	2001	1999	N	1996	1998	2004	N	1997	1997	2017	N
	2001 International Convention on Civil Liability for Bunker Oil Pollution Damage (Bunkers Convention)		N	N	2008	2014	N	2009	2008	2018	N	2006	N	2010

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Toxic Substar	1998 Rotterdam Convention on the Prior Informed Consent Procedure for Certain Hazardous Chemicals and Pesticides in International Trade	COP	N	2013	2005	2013	2004	2003	2004	N	2006	2005	2004	2007
	2001 Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs)	COP	N	2006	2004	2009	2004	2007	Signed 2002	2004	2004	2005	2005	2002
	2001 International Convention on the Control of Harmful Anti-fouling Systems on Ships (AFS)	IMO	N	N	2011	2014	2003	2008	2010	N	2018	2009	N	2015
	2013 Minamata Convention on Mercury	COP	N	Signed 2013	2016	2017	2016	2019	Signed 2014	N	2020	2017	2017	2017
Air Pollution / Climate Change	1973/1978 International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (MARPOL) - Annex VI	IMO	N	N	2006	2012	2005	2006	2010	N	2018	2000	N	2014
	1987 Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer (Montreal Protocol) under the 1985 Vienna Convention for the Protection of the Ozone Layer	COP	1993	2001	1991	1992	1988	1992	1989	1993	1991	1989	1989	1994
	1992 United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change	UNFCCC	2007	1995	1993	1994	1993	1994	1994	1994	1994	1997	1994	1994
	2015 Paris Agreement		2016	2017	2016	2016	2016	2016	2016	2016	2017	2017	2016	2016
Inv. Species	2004 International Convention for the Control and Management of Ships' Ballast Water and Sediments (BWM)		N	N	2018	2015	2014	2009	2010	N	2018	2017	N	N

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Fisheries and Trade	1946 International Convention for the Regulation of Whaling	COP	N	2006	1980	N	Withdrawal 2018	1978	N	N	Withdrawal 1988	N	N	N
	1973 Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES) / 1979 Bonn Amendment / 1983 Gaborone Amendment	COP	1990 / 1990 / 1992	1997 / 1997 / N	1981 / 1997 / 1988	1978 / 1987 / N	1980 / 1987	1993 / 1993 / 2003	1977 / N / N	1997 / 1997 / N	1981 / 1981 / 1988	1986 / 1986 / N	1983 / N / N	1994 / 1994 / N
	1995 United Nations Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the UNCLOS Relating to the Conservation and Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks (UNFSA)	No COP	N	2020	Signed 1996	2009	2006	2008	N	N	2014	N	2017	2018
	2009 FAO Agreement on Port State Measures to Prevent, Deter and Eliminate IUU Fishing	IMO	N	2019	N	2016	2017	2016	N	2010	2018	N	2016	2019
Conservation	1971 Convention on Wetlands of International Importance (Ramsar Convention) / 1982 Paris Protocol / 1987 Regina Amendment	COP	N / N / N	1999 / 1999 / 1999	1992 / 1992 / N	1981 / 1990 / 1992	1980	1997	1998 / 1994 / N	2004 / 2004 / 2004	1992 / 1994 / N	N / N / N	2000 / 1998 / N	1988 / 2001 / N
	1972 Convention Concerning the World Cultural and Natural Heritage (World Heritage Convention)	COP	2011	1991	1985	1989	1992	1988	1988	1994	1985	2012	1987	1987
	1979 Convention on the Conservation of Migratory Species of Wild Animals (CMS)	COP	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	1994	N	N	N
	2001 MOU on the Conservation of Marine Turtles / 2007 MOU on the Conservation of Dugongs / 2010 MOU on the Conservation of Migratory Sharks	MOS	N / NA / N	2002 / N / N	N / N / N	2005 / N / N	N / N / N	N / N / N	2011 / N / N	2001 / 2007 / N	2001 / 2008 / 2010	N / N / N	2004 / 2011 / N	2001 / N / N
	1992 Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD)	COP	2008	1995	1992	1994	1993	1994	1994	1994	1993	1995	2004	1994

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1992 Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD) - Nagoya Protocol (Access and Benefit Sharing)		N	2015	2016	2013	2017	2019	2018	2014	2015	N	Signed 2012	2014
2001 Convention on the Protection of the Underwater Cultural Heritage	COP	N	2007	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N

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Legend:

- 1 According to the information available as at 23 July 2020
- 2 NA stands for "Not Applicable"
N stands for "No Adoption/Ratification/Accession"
Y stands for "Adoption/Ratification/Accession"
D stands for "Denounced"
- 3 COP stands for "Conference of the Parties"
MOS stands for "Meeting of Signatories"

- 4 This table does not include all IMO Conventions relating to safety at sea
- 5 The change of Hong Kong's status in 1997 has to the denunciation of several treaties and, often, later re-accession by Hong Kong following China's policy.
- 6 Not Yet in Force

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