

Status of Antarctic Specially Protected Area and Antarctic Specially Managed Area Management Plans

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At the 8th meeting of the Committee on Environmental Protection (CEP) in 2005 the Committee agreed to establish on the websites of the CEP and the Secretariat of the Antarctic Treaty a register of the status of the protected area management plans.

The following tables indicate the status of the Antarctic Specially Protected Areas (ASPAs) and Antarctic Specially Managed Areas (ASMAs) adopted by the Antarctic Treaty Consultative Meeting.

The tables present the following information:

- The protected/managed areas are listed according to the official numbers given to the ASPAs/ASMAs;
- The names are those agreed in Decision 1 (2002) and further Measures adopted by the ATCM;
- The Recommendation (or Measure) through which the area was designated is shown in one column while other Recommendations, Measures, Decisions and Resolutions that relate to updating the management plan, extending the expiry date, etc, are listed as a separate column;
- The Recommendation (or Measure) through which the first management plan for the area was adopted is marked with an asterisk (*);
- Recommendations through which management plan expiry dates have been extended are marked (E);
- “Annex V format adoption” refers to the year of adoption of the management plan according to the Protocol;
- “Next review” informs the deadline for five yearly review of the management plan, as required by Article 6.3 of Annex V;
- Those ASPAs or ASMAs whose management plans were revoked are shown in italics.

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Number	Name	Former Number	Proponent	Designation	Modification/Review	Annex V format adoption	Next review shall be initiated in
ASPА 101	Taylor Rookery, Mac. Robertson Land	SPA 1	Australia	Rec. IV-1 (1966)	Rec. XVII-2 (1992)* Measure 2 (2005) Measure 1 (2010)	1992	2015
ASPА 102	Rookery Islands, Holme Bay, Mac. Robertson Land	SPA 2	Australia	Rec. IV-2 (1966)	Rec. XVII-2 (1992)* Measure 2 (2005) Measure 2 (2010)	1992	2015
ASPА 103	Ardery Island and Odbert Island, Budd Coast, Wilkes Land	SPA 3	Australia	Rec. IV-3 (1966)	Rec. XVII-2 (1992)* Measure 2 (2005) Measure 3 (2010)	1992	2015
ASPА 104	Sabrina Island, Northern Ross Sea, Antarctica	SPA 4	New Zealand	Rec. IV-4 (1966)	Measure 3 (2009)	2009	2014
ASPА 105	Beaufort Island, McMurdo Sound, Ross Sea	SPA 5	New Zealand	Rec. IV-5 (1966)	Measure 1 (1997)* Measure 2 (2003) Measure 4 (2010)	1997	2015
ASPА 106	Cape Hallett, Northern Victoria Land, Ross Sea	SPA 7	USA	Rec. IV-7 (1966)	Rec. XIII-13 (1985) Measure 1 (2002)* Measure 5 (2010)	2002	2015
ASPА 107	Emperor Island, Dion Islands, Marguerite Bay, Antarctic Peninsula	SPA 8	UK	Rec. IV-8	Rec. XVI-6 (1991)* Measure 1 (2002)	2002	2007
ASPА 108	Green Island, Berthelot Islands, Antarctic Peninsula	SPA 9	UK	Rec. IV-9 (1966)	Rec. XVI-6 (1991)* Measure 1 (2002) Measure 1 (2013)	2002	2018
ASPА 109	Moe Island, South Orkney Islands	SPA 13	UK	Rec. IV-13 (1966)	Rec. XVI-6 (1991)* Measure 1 (1995) Measure 1 (2007) Measure 1 (2012)	1995	2017
ASPА 110	Lynch Island, South Orkney Islands	SPA 14	UK	Rec. IV-14 (1966)	Rec. XVI-6 (1991)* Measure 1 (2000) Measure 2 (2012)	2000	2017
ASPА 111	Southern Powell Island and adjacent islands, South Orkney Islands	SPA 15	UK	Rec. IV-15 (1966)	Rec. XVI-6 (1991)* Measure 1 (1995) Measure 3 (2012)	1995	2017
ASPА 112	Coppermine Peninsula, Robert Island, South Shetland Islands	SPA 16	Chile	Rec. VI-10 (1970)	Rec. XVI-6 (1991)* Measure 4 (2012)	2012	2017
ASPА 113	Litchfield Island, Arthur Harbor, Anvers Island, Palmer Archipelago	SPA 17	USA	Rec. VIII-1 (1975)	Measure 2 (2004)* Measure 4 (2009) Measure 1 (2014)	2004	2019
ASPА 114	<i>Northern Coronation Island, South Orkney Islands</i>	SPA 18	UK	Rec. XIII-10 (1985)	Rec. XVI-6 (1991)* Measure 2 (2003)	2003	<i>Revoked by Measure 16 (2014)</i>
ASPА 115	Lagotellerie Island, Marguerite Bay, Graham Land	SPA 19	UK	Rec. XIII-11 (1985)	Rec. XVI-6 (1991)* Measure 1 (2000) Measure 5 (2012)	2000	2017

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ASPA 116	New College Valley, Caughley Beach, Cape Bird, Ross Island	SSSI 10 SPA 20	New Zealand	Rec. XIII-8 (1985)* Rec. XIII-12 (1985)	Rec. XVI-7 (1991) (E) Rec. XVII-2 (1992)* Measure 1 (2000) Measure 1 (2006) Measure 1 (2011)	2000	2016
ASPA 117	Avian Island, Marguerite Bay, Antarctic Peninsula	SSSI 30 SPA 21	UK	Rec. XV-6 (1989)* Rec. XVI-4 (1991)*	Measure 1 (2002) Measure 2 (2013)	2002	2018
ASPA 118	<i>Summit of Mount Melbourne, Victoria Land</i>	SSSI 24 SPA 22	<i>New Zealand</i>	<i>Rec. XIV-5* Rec. XVI-8* Measure 2 (2003)¹ 1. ASPA 118 encompasses the former SSSI 24 and SPA 22</i>	<i>Res. 3 (1996) (E) Measure 2 (2000) (E) Measure 5 (2008)</i>	2003	<i>Revoked by Measure 13 (2014)</i>
ASPA 119	Davis Valley and Forlidas Pond, Dufek Massif, Pensacola Mountains	SPA 23	USA	Rec. XVI-9 (1991)*	Measure 2 (2005) Measure 6 (2010)	2005	2015
ASPA 120	Pointe-Geologie Archipelago, Terre Adélie	SPA 24	France	Measure 3 (1995)*	Measure 2 (2005) Measure 2 (2011)	1995	2016
ASPA 121	Cape Royds, Ross Island	SSSI 1	USA	Rec. VIII-4 (1975)*	Rec. X-6 (1979) (E) Rec. XII-5 (1983) (E) Rec. XIII-9 (1985) Res. 7 (1995) (E) Decision 4 (1998) ¹ Measure 2 (2000) (E) Measure 1 (2002) Measure 5 (2009) Measure 2 (2014)	2002	2019
ASPA 122	Arrival Heights, Hut Point Peninsula, Ross Island	SSSI 2	USA	Rec. VIII-4 (1975)*	Rec. X-6 (1979) (E) Rec. XII-5 (1983) (E) Rec. XIII-7 (1985) (E) Rec. XIV-4 (1987) (E) Res. 3 (1996) (E) Measure 2 (2000) (E) Measure 2 (2004) Measure 3 (2011)	2004	2016
ASPA 123	Barwick and Balham Valleys, Southern Victoria Land	SSSI 3	USA	Rec. VIII-4 (1975)*	Rec. X-6 (1979) (E) Rec. XII-5 (1983) (E) Rec. XIII-7 (1985) (E) Res. 7 (1995) (E) Measure 2 (2000) (E) Measure 1 (2002) Measure 6 (2008) Measure 3 (2013)	2002	2018

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ASPA 124	Cape Crozier, Ross Island	SPA 6 SSSI 4	USA	Rec. IV-6 (1966) Rec. VIII-4 (1975)*	Rec. VIII-2 (1975) Rec. X-6 (1979) (E) Rec. XII-5 (1983) (E) Rec. XIII-7 (1985) (E) Rec. XVI-7 (1991) (E) Measure 3 (2001) (E) Measure 1 (2002) Measure 7 (2008) Measure 3 (2014)	2002	2019
ASPA 125	Fildes Peninsula, King George Island (25 de Mayo)	SPA 12 SSSI 5	Chile	Rec. IV-12 (1966) Rec. VIII-4 (1975)*	Rec. V-5 (1968) Rec. VIII-2 (1975) Rec. X-6 (1979) (E) Rec. XII-5 (1983) (E) Rec. XIII-7 (1985) (E) Rec. XVI-7 (1991) (E) Measure 3 (2001) (E) Measure 4 (2005) (E) Measure 6 (2009)	2009	2014
ASPA 126	Byers Peninsula, Livingston Island, South Shetland Islands	SPA 10 SSSI 6	Chile & UK	Rec. IV-10 (1966) Rec. VIII-4 (1975)*	Rec. VIII-2 (1975) Rec. X-6 (1979) (E) Rec. XII-5 (1983) (E) Rec. XIII-7 (1985) (E) Rec. XVI-5 (1991) Measure 3 (2001) (E) Measure 1 (2002) Measure 4 (2011)	2002	2016
ASPA 127	Haswell Island	SSSI 7	Russia	Rec. VIII-4 (1975)*	Rec. X-6 (1979) (E) Rec. XII-5 (1983) (E) Rec. XIII-7 (1985) (E) Rec. XVI-7 (1991) (E) Measure 3 (2001) (E) Measure 4 (2005) (E) Measure 1 (2006) Measure 5 (2011)	2006	2016
ASPA 128	Western shore of Admiralty Bay, King George Island, South Shetland Islands	SSSI 8	Poland	Rec. X-5 (1979)*	Rec. XII-5 (1983) (E) Rec. XIII-7 (1985) (E) Res. 7 (1995) (E) Measure 1 (2000) Measure 4 (2014)	2000	2019
ASPA 129	Rothera Point, Adelaide Island	SSSI 9	UK	Rec. XIII-8 (1985)*	Res. 7 (1995) (E) Measure 1 (1996) Measure 1 (2007) Measure 6 (2012)	1996	2017

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ASPA 130	<i>'Tramway Ridge', Mount Erebus, Ross Island</i>	SSSI 11	New Zealand	Rec. XIII-8 (1985)*	Rec. XVI-7 (1991) (E) Measure 2 (1995) Measure 3 (1997) Measure 1 (2002)	1995	Revoked by Measure 13 (2014)
ASPA 131	<u>Canada Glacier, Lake Fryxell, Taylor Valley, Victoria Land</u>	SSSI 12	New Zealand	Rec. XIII-8 (1985)*	Rec. XVI-7 (1991) (E) Measure 3 (1997) Measure 1 (2006) Measure 6 (2011)	1997	2016
ASPA 132	<u>Potter Peninsula, King George Island, (Isla 25 de Mayo), South Shetland Islands</u>	SSSI 13	Argentina	Rec. XIII-8 (1985)*	Res. 3 (1996) (E) Measure 3 (1997) Measure 2 (2005) Measure 4 (2013)	1997	2018
ASPA 133	<u>Harmony Point, Nelson Island, South Shetland Islands</u>	SSSI 14	Argentina & Chile	Rec. XIII-8 (1985)*	Res. 7 (1995) (E) Measure 3 (1997) Measure 2 (2005) Measure 7 (2012)	1997	2017
ASPA 134	<u>Cierva Point and offshore islands, Danco Coast, Antarctic Peninsula</u>	SSSI 15	Argentina	Rec. XIII-8 (1985)*	Res. 7 (1995) (E) Measure 3 (1997) Measure 1 (2006) Measure 5 (2013)	1997	2018
ASPA 135	<u>North-East Bailey Peninsula, Budd Coast, Wilkes Land</u>	SSSI 16	Australia	Rec. XIII-8 (1985)*	Res. 7 (1995) (E) Measure 2 (2000) (E) Measure 2 (2003) Measure 8 (2008) Measure 6 (2013)	2003	2018
ASPA 136	<u>Clark Peninsula, Budd Coast, Wilkes Land, East Antarctica</u>	SSSI 17	Australia	Rec. XIII-8 (1985)*	Res. 7 (1995) (E) Measure 1 (2000) Measure 1 (2006) Measure 7 (2009) Measure 5 (2014)	2000	2019
ASPA 137	<u>North-west White Island, McMurdo Sound</u>	SSSI 18	USA	Rec. XIII-8 (1985)*	Rec. XVI-7 (1991) (E) Measure 3 (2001) (E) Measure 1 (2002) Measure 9 (2008) Measure 7 (2013)	2002	2018
ASPA 138	<u>Linneaus Terrace, Asgard Range, Victoria Land</u>	SSSI 19	USA	Rec. XIII-8 (1985)*	Res. 7 (1995) (E) Measure 1 (1996) Measure 10 (2008) Measure 8 (2013)	1996	2018

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ASP A 139	Biscoe Point, Anvers Island, Palmer Archipelago	SSSI 20	USA	Rec. XIII-8 (1985)*	Res. 3 (1996) (E) Decision 4 (1998) ¹ Measure 2 (2000) (E) Measure 2 (2004) Measure 7 (2010) Measure 6 (2014)	2004	2019
ASP A 140	Parts of Deception Island, South Shetland Islands	SSSI 21	UK	Rec. XIII-8 (1985)*	Res. 7 (1995) (E) Measure 2 (2000) (E) Measure 3 (2005) Measure 8 (2012)	2005	2017
ASP A 141	Yukidori Valley, Langhovde, Lützow-Holm Bay	SSSI 22	Japan	Rec. XIV-5 (1987)*	Res. XVI-7 (1991) (E) Measure 1 (2000) Measure 7 (2014)	2000	2019
ASP A 142	Svarthamaren	SSSI 23	Norway	Rec. XIV-5 (1987)*	Res. 3 (1996) (E) Measure 1 (1999) Measure 2 (2004) Measure 8 (2009) Measure 8 (2014)	1999	2019
ASP A 143	Marine Plain, Mule Peninsula, Vestfold Hills, Princess Elizabeth Land	SSSI 25	Australia	Rec. XIV-5 (1987)*	Res. 3 (1996) (E) Measure 2 (2000) (E) Measure 2 (2003) Measure 9 (2013)	2003	2018
ASP A 144	Chile Bay (Discovery Bay), Greenwich Island, South Shetland Islands	SSSI 26	Chile	Rec. XIV-5 (1987)*	Res. 3 (1996) (E) Decision 4 (1998) ¹ Measure 2 (2000) (E) Measure 4 (2005) (E)	Pending	2010
ASP A 145	Port Foster, Deception Island, South Shetland Islands	SSSI 27	Chile	Rec. XIV-5 (1987)*	Res. 3 (1996) (E) Decision 4 (1998) ¹ Measure 2 (2000) (E) Measure 3 (2005)	2005	2010
ASP A 146	South Bay, Doumer Island, Palmer Archipelago	SSSI 28	Chile	Rec. XIV-5 (1987)*	Res. 3 (1996) (E) Decision 4 (1998) ¹ Measure 2 (2000) (E) Measure 4 (2005) (E)	Pending	2010
ASP A 147	Ablation Valley And Ganymede Heights, Alexander Island	SSSI 29	UK	Rec. XV-6 (1989)*	Res. 3 (1996) (E) Measure 2 (2000) (E) Measure 1 (2002) Measure 10 (2013)	2002	2018
ASP A 148	Mount Flora, Hope Bay, Antarctic Peninsula	SSSI 31		Rec. XV-6 (1989)*	Res. 3 (1996) (E) Measure 2 (2000) (E) Measure 1 (2002)	2002	2007

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ASPA 149	Cape Shirreff and San Telmo Island, Livingston Island, South Shetland Islands	SPA 11 SSSI 32	USA	Rec. IV-11 (1966) Rec. XV-7 (1989)*	Res. 3 (1996) (E) Decision 4 (1998) ¹ Measure 2 (2000) (E) Measure 2 (2005) Measure 7 (2011)	2005	2016
ASPA 150	Ardley Island, Maxwell Bay, King George Island (25 de Mayo)	SSSI 33	Chile	Rec. XVI-2 (1991)*	Measure 3 (2001) (E) Measure 4 (2005) (E) Measure 9 (2009)	2009	2014
ASPA 151	Lions Rump, King George Island, South Shetland Islands	SSSI 34	Poland	Rec. XVI-2 (1991)*	Decision 4 (1998) ¹ Measure 1 (2000) Measure 11 (2013)	2000	2018
ASPA 152	Western Bransfield Strait	SSSI 35	USA	Rec. XVI-3 (1991)*	Decisión 4 (1998) ¹ Measure 3 (2001) (E) Measure 2 (2003) Measure 10 (2009)	2003	2014
ASPA 153	Eastern Dallmann Bay	SSSI 36	USA	Rec. XVI-3 (1991)*	Decision 4 (1998) ¹ Measure 3 (2001) (E) Measure 2 (2003) Measure 11 (2009)	2003	2014
ASPA 154	Botany Bay, Cape Geology, Victoria Land	SSSI 37	New Zealand	Measure 3 (1997)*	Measure 2 (2003) Measure 11 (2008) Measure 12 (2013)	1997	2018
ASPA 155	Cape Evans, Ross Island	SPA 25	New Zealand	Measure 2 (1997)*	Measure 2 (2005) Measure 12 (2008) Measure 8 (2010)	1997	2015
ASPA 156	Lewis Bay, Mount Erebus, Ross Island	SPA 26	New Zealand	Measure 2 (1997)*	Measure 2 (2003) Measure 13 (2013)	1997	2018
ASPA 157	Backdoor Bay, Cape Rovds, Ross Island	SPA 27	New Zealand	Measure 1 (1998)*	Measure 1 (2002) Measure 2 (2005) Measure 9 (2010)	1998	2015
ASPA 158	Hut Point, Ross Island	SPA 28	New Zealand	Measure 1 (1998)*	Measure 2 (2005) Measure 10 (2010)	1998	2015
ASPA 159	Cape Adare, Borchgrevink Coast	SPA 29	New Zealand	Measure 1 (1998)*	Measure 2 (2005) Measure 11 (2010)	1998	2015
ASPA 160	Frazier Islands, Windmill Islands, Wilkes Land, East Antarctica	-----	Australia	Measure 2 (2003)*	Measure 13 (2008) Measure 14 (2013)	2003	2018
ASPA 161	Terra Nova Bay, Ross Sea	-----	Italy	Measure 2 (2003)*	Measure 14 (2008) Measure 15 (2013)	2003	2018
ASPA 162	Mawson's Huts, Cape Denison, Commonwealth Bay, George V Land, East Antarctica	-----	Australia	Measure 2 (2004)*	Measure 12 (2009) Measure 9 (2014)	2004	2019

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ASPA 163	<u>Dakshin Gangotri Glacier, Dronning Maud Land</u>	-----	India	Measure 2 (2005)*	Measure 12 (2010)	2005	2015
ASPA 164	<u>Scullin and Murrav Monoliths, Mac.Robertson Land</u>	-----	Australia	Measure 2 (2005)*	Measure 13 (2010)	2005	2015
ASPA 165	<u>Edmonson Point, Wood Bay, Ross Sea</u>	-----	Italy	Measure 1 (2006) Measure 8 (2011)	-----	2006	2016
ASPA166	<u>Port-Martin, Terre Adélie</u>	-----	France	Measure 1 (2006)*	-----	2006	2016 (MP presented at CEP XIV without modifications)
ASPA167	<u>Hawker Island, Vestfold Hills, Ingrid Christensen Coast, Princess Elizabeth Land, East Antarctica</u>	-----	Australia	Measure 1 (2006)* Measure 9 (2011)	-----	2006	2016
ASPA 168	<u>Mount Harding, Grove Mountains, East Antarctica</u>	-----	China	Measure 2 (2008)*	-----	2008	2013
ASPA 169	<u>Amanda Bay, Ingrid Christensen Coast, Princess Elizabeth Land, East Antarctica</u>	-----	Australia & China	Measure 3 (2008)*	Measure 10 (2014)	2008	2019
ASPA 170	<u>Marion Nunataks, Charcot Island, Antarctic Peninsula</u>	-----	United Kingdom	Measure 4 (2008)*	Measure 16 (2013)	2008	2018
ASPA 171	<u>Narebski Point, Barton Peninsula, King George Island</u>	-----	Republic of Korea	Measure 13 (2009)*	Measure 11 (2014)	2009	2019
ASPA 172	<u>Lower Taylor Glacier and Blood Falls, Taylor Vallev, McMurdo Dry Valleys, Victoria Land</u>	-----	United States	Measure 9 (2012)	-----	2012	2017
ASPA 173	<u>Cape Washington and Silverfish Bay, Terra Nova Bay, Ross Sea</u>	-----	United States & Italy	Measure 17 (2013)	-----	2013	2018
ASPA 174	<u>Stornes, Larsemann Hills, Princess Elizabeth Land</u>	-----	Australia, China, India & Russian Federation	Measure 12 (2014)	-----	2014	2019
ASPA 175	<u>High Altitude Geothermal sites of the Ross Sea region</u>	-----	New Zealand, United States	Measure 13 (2014)	-----	2014	2019

ANTARCTIC SPECIALLY MANAGED AREAS

Number	Name	Proponent	Establishment	Updating / Review/Modification	Annex V format adoption	Next review shall be initiated in
ASMA 1	<u>Admiralty Bay, King George Island</u>	Brazil, Poland, Ecuador, Peru and USA	Measure 2 (2006)*	Measure 14 (2014)	2006	2019
ASMA 2	<u>McMurdo Dry Valleys, Southern Victoria Land</u>	New Zealand and USA	Measure 1 (2004)*	Measure 10 (2011)	2004	2016
ASMA 3	<i>Cape Denison, Commonwealth Bay, George V Land, East Antarctica</i>	<i>Australia</i>	<i>Measure 1 (2004)*</i>	<i>Measure 1 (2009)</i>	<i>2004</i>	<i>Revoked by Measure 9 (2014)</i>
ASMA 4	<u>Deception Island</u>	Argentina, Chile, Norway, Spain, UK & USA	Measure 3 (2005)*	Measure 10 (2012)	2005	2017
ASMA 5	<u>Amundsen-Scott South Pole Station, South Pole</u>	USA	Measure 2 (2007)*	-----	2007	2012
ASMA 6	<u>Larsemann Hills, East Antarctica</u>	Australia, China, India, Romania & Russian Federation	Measure 2 (2007)*	Measure 15 (2014)	2007	2019
ASMA 7	<u>Southwest Anvers Island and Palmer Basin</u>	USA	Measure 1 (2008)*	Measure 2 (2009) Measure 14 (2010)	2008	2015