

Conditions for existing marine reserves

Marine Reserve	Conditions	Source
All	<p>Within all marine reserves, the following activities are not allowed (unless otherwise provided for in specific conditions for the marine reserve):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • taking/removing any marine life for commercial purposes (except with lawful authority or reasonable excuse); • discharging or depositing any toxic substance, pollutant or other things that are harmful to marine life (except with lawful authority or reasonable excuse) or depositing rubbish (other than in receptacles provided); • taking or removing from any marine life, mineral, sand, shingle, or other natural material or thing of any kind (using, selling or possessing any such item is also prohibited if the person knows it has been taken from the marine reserve); • disturbing or interfering with any marine life, foreshore or seabed, or any of the natural features of the marine reserve; • deliberately injuring any marine life or damaging the foreshore, seabed or any of the natural features of the marine reserve • introducing any living organism; • using explosives or discharging firearms; and • erecting structures. 	<p>Marine Reserves Act 1971 (section 181)</p>

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Note: All activities that are provided for in the conditions for marine reserves are expected to comply with other legal requirements. They are also often subject to requirements that aim to minimise the impact of the activity on the marine reserve.

<i>Marine reserves subject to additional conditions</i>		
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Fiordland Marine Reserves (these are the rules that apply to all the reserves in Fiordland, excluding Piopiotahi (Milford Sound) and Te Awaatu Channel (The Gut))	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Members of Ngāi Tahu Whanui may remove pounamu. Members of Ngāi Tahu Whanui may remove all or part of marine mammals that wash up dead, or strand or die in a Fiordland marine reserve (includes provision to take bones, teeth, ivory or ambergris that has naturally separated from a marine mammal). Aircraft may land in or take off from Fiordland marine reserves. 	
Te Hapua (Sutherland Sound) Marine Reserve	See above section on all Fiordland reserves.	
Hawea (Clio Rocks) Marine Reserve	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Commercial fishers may hold live rock lobster (caught elsewhere) in holding pots within the marine reserve, and store rock lobster pots and holding pots in the marine reserve. Anchoring prohibited in part of the marine reserve. Also, see above section on all Fiordland reserves. 	Fiordland (Te Moana o Atawhenua) Marine Management Act 2005
Kahukura (Gold Arm) Marine Reserve	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Commercial fishers may hold live rock lobster (caught elsewhere) in holding pots within the marine reserve, and store rock lobster pots and holding pots in the marine reserve. Also, see above section on all Fiordland reserves. 	
Kutu Parera (Gaer Arm) Marine Reserve		
Moana Uta (Wet Jacket Arm) Marine Reserve	See above section on all Fiordland reserves.	
Taipari Roa (Elizabeth Island) Marine Reserve		

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<p>Taumoana (Five Finger Peninsula) Marine Reserve</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Commercial fishers may hold live rock lobster (caught elsewhere) in holding pots within the marine reserve, and store rock lobster pots and holding pots in the marine reserve. Also, see above section on all Fiordland reserves. 	<p>Fiordland (Te Moana o Atawhenua) Marine Management Act 2005</p>
<p>Te Tapuwae o Hua (Long Sound) Marine Reserve</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Commercial fishers may hold live rock lobster (caught elsewhere) in holding pots within the marine reserve, and store rock lobster pots and holding pots in the marine reserve. Anchoring prohibited in part of the marine reserve. Also, see above section on all Fiordland reserves. 	<p>Fiordland (Te Moana o Atawhenua) Marine Management Act 2005</p>
<p>Hikurangi Marine Reserve</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Kaikōura (Te Tai o Marokura) Marine Management Act 2014 is to be reviewed after 10 years. 	<p>No order in Council. Marine Reserve was established under special legislation: Kaikoura (Te Tai o Marokura) Marine Management Act 2014</p>
<p>Kahurangi Marine Reserve</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The use of quad bikes is permitted. Leading horses is permitted. The non-commercial removal of beach stones (≤ 256 mm diameter, including gravel and sand), pounamu, non-living shell and driftwood is permitted. Members of Ngāi Tahu Whanui may remove pounamu for any purpose. 	<p>Kahurangi Marine Reserve Order in Council</p>
<p>Long Island—Kokomohua Marine Reserve</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tangata whenua may remove nephrite and serpentine (pounamu). Ownership rights in the wreck “Elsie” unaffected by marine reserve status. 	<p>Long Island - Kokomohua Marine Reserve Order in Council</p>
<p>Motu Manawa-Pollen Island Marine Reserve</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Existing discharge of contaminants allowed to continue. 	<p>Motu Manawa-Pollen Island Marine Reserve Order in Council</p>
<p>Moutere Ihupuku / Campbell Island Marine Reserve</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Type 2 MPA is to be reviewed after 3 years (and no later than 5 years), which could result in the area becoming a marine reserve. 	<p>Refer to Clause 8 of the Subantarctic Islands Marine Reserves Act Subantarctic Islands Marine Reserves Act 2014</p>

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Punakaiki Marine Reserve	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The use of quad bikes is permitted.• Leading horses is permitted.• The non-commercial removal of beach stones (≤ 256 mm diameter, including gravel and sand), pounamu, non-living shell and driftwood is permitted.• Members of Ngāi Tahu Whanui may remove pounamu for any purpose.• An existing gold mining operation may continue.• The owner/occupier of adjoining land may undertake various farming activities (driving livestock, using dogs and driving vehicles) along part of the foreshore of the marine reserve.• The owner/occupier of adjoining land may open the outlet of Hibernia Creek and may use various tools and machinery to do so.	Punakaiki Marine Reserve Order in Council
Taputeranga Marine Reserve	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Existing discharge of contaminants allowed to continue.• Existing structures may remain and be maintained.• Swing moorings (both existing and future) are permitted.• After a storm, beachcast seaweed and debris may be removed by or on behalf of a local authority for the purpose of enhancing public enjoyment of the marine reserve.• Fishers may hold live rock lobster (caught elsewhere) in holding pots within part of the marine reserve.	Taputeranga Marine Reserve Order in Council
Tauparikākā Marine Reserve	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The use of quad bikes is permitted.• Leading horses is permitted.• The non-commercial removal of beach stones (≤ 256 mm diameter, including gravel and sand), pounamu, non-living shell and driftwood is permitted.• Members of Ngāi Tahu Whanui may remove pounamu for any purpose.	Tauparikākā Marine Reserve Order in Council

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<p>Te Matuku Marine Reserve</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The establishment of the marine reserve does not affect any person’s right of ownership or lawful occupation of existing moorings and jetties within the reserve. 	<p>Te Matuku Marine Reserve Order in Council</p>
<p>Tuhua (Mayor Island) Marine Reserve</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gamefish hooked outside the marine reserve may be played and landed in the reserve if the gamefish enters the reserve in the process of being played. • If the gamefish escapes, the fisher must retrieve their fishing gear and cease fishing as soon as possible. 	<p>http://www.legislation.co.nz/regulation/public/1993/0042/latest/whole.htm#DLM171151</p>
<p>Waiau Glacier Coast Marine Reserve</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The use of quad bikes is permitted. • Leading horses is permitted. • The non-commercial removal of beach stones (≤ 256 mm diameter, including gravel and sand), pounamu, non-living shell and driftwood is permitted. • Members of Ngāi Tahu Whanui may remove pounamu for any purpose. 	<p>Waiau Glacier Coast Marine Reserve Order in Council</p>
<p>Whangarei Harbour Marine Reserve</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Existing discharge of contaminants is allowed to continue. • Existing structures may remain and be maintained. 	<p>Whangarei Harbour Marine Reserve Order in Council</p>

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Name of reserve	Source	Name of reserve	Source
Akaroa Marine Reserve	Akaroa Marine Reserve Order in Council	Poor Knights Islands Marine Reserve (Note: a previous Order, allowing some recreational fishing, was revoked in 1981.)	Poor Knights Islands Marine Reserve Order in Council
Cape Rodney - Okakari Point Marine Reserve		Tapuae Marine Reserve	Tapuae Marine Reserve Order in Council
Horoirangi Marine Reserve	Horoirangi Marine Reserve Order in Council	Tāwharanui Marine Reserve	Tāwharanui Marine Reserve Order in Council
Kapiti Marine Reserve	Kapiti Marine Reserve Order in Council	Te Angiangi Marine Reserve (Note: a generational review was agreed by the Minister of Conservation.)	Te Angiangi Marine Reserve Order in Council
Kermadec Islands Marine Reserve	Kermadec Islands Marine Reserve Order in Council	Te Awaatu Channel (The Gut) Marine Reserve	Te Awaatu Channel (The Gut) Marine Reserve Order in Council
Long Bay-Okura Marine Reserve	Long Bay-Okura Marine Reserve Order in Council	Te Paepae o Aotea (Volkner Rocks) Marine Reserve	Te Paepae o Aotea (Volkner Rocks) Marine Reserve Order in Council
Moutere Hauriri / Bounty Islands Marine Reserve	Subantarctic Islands Marine Reserves Act 2014	Te Tapuwae o Rongokako Marine Reserve (Note: A generational review was agreed by the Minister of Conservation).	Te Tapuwae o Rongokako Marine Reserve Order in Council

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Moutere Mahue / Antipodes Island Marine Reserve	Subantarctic Islands Marine Reserves Act 2014	Tonga Island Marine Reserve	Tonga Island Marine Reserve Order in Council
Parininihi Marine Reserve	Parininihi Marine Reserve Order in Council	Ulva Island—Te Wharawhara Marine Reserve	Ulva Island - Te Wharawhara Marine Reserve Order in Council
Piopiotaahi (Milford Sound) Marine Reserve	Piopiotaahi (Milford Sound) Marine Reserve Order in Council	Westhaven (Te Tai Tapu) Marine Reserve Ulva Island—Te Wharawhara Marine Reserve	Westhaven (Te Tai Tapu) Marine Reserve Order in Council
Pohatu Marine Reserve	Pohatu Marine Reserve Order in Council	Whanganui A Hei (Cathedral Cove) Marine Reserve	Whanganui A Hei (Cathedral Cove) Marine Reserve Order in Council