

Toi Moana

Regional Coastal Environment Plan

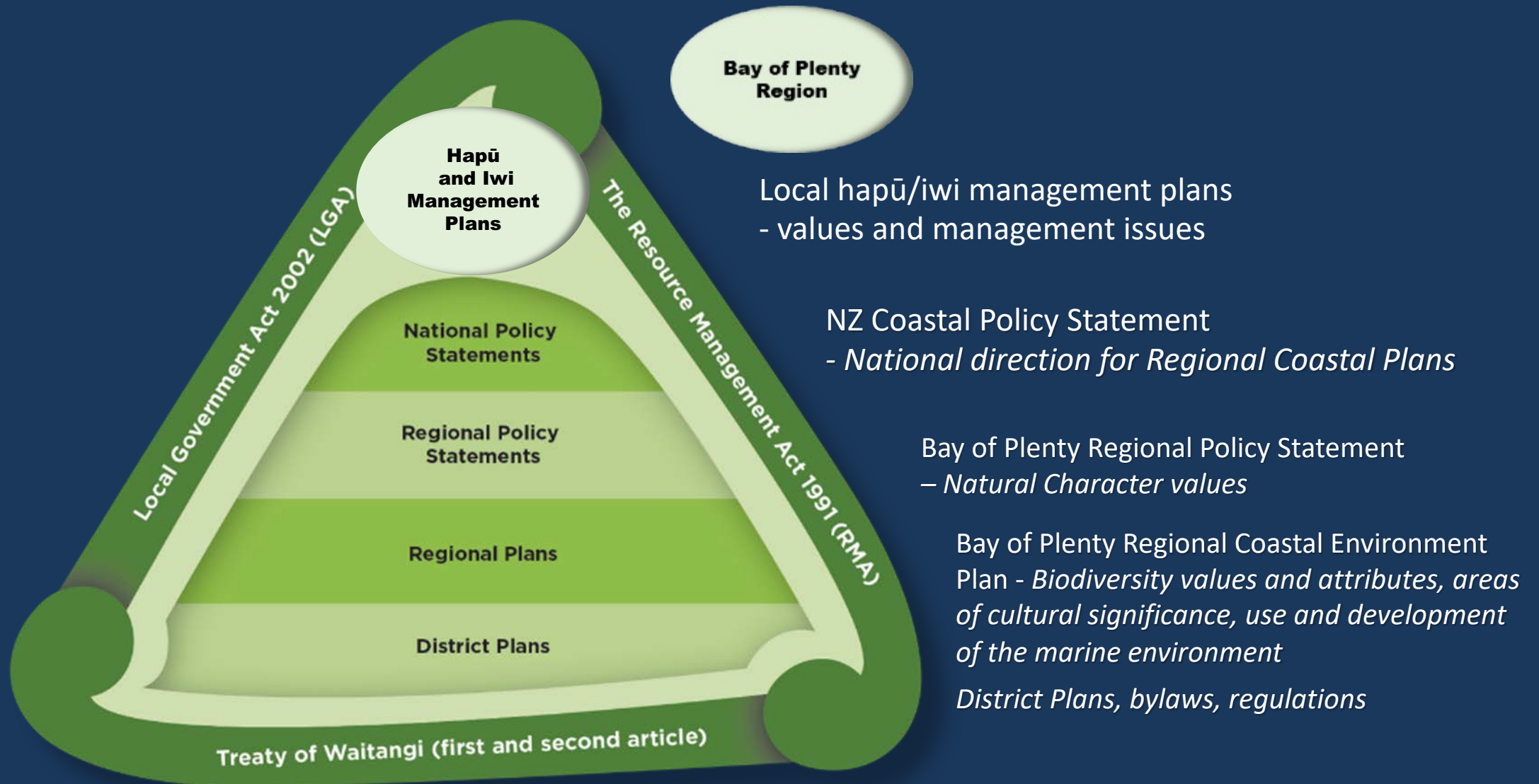




Presentation Overview

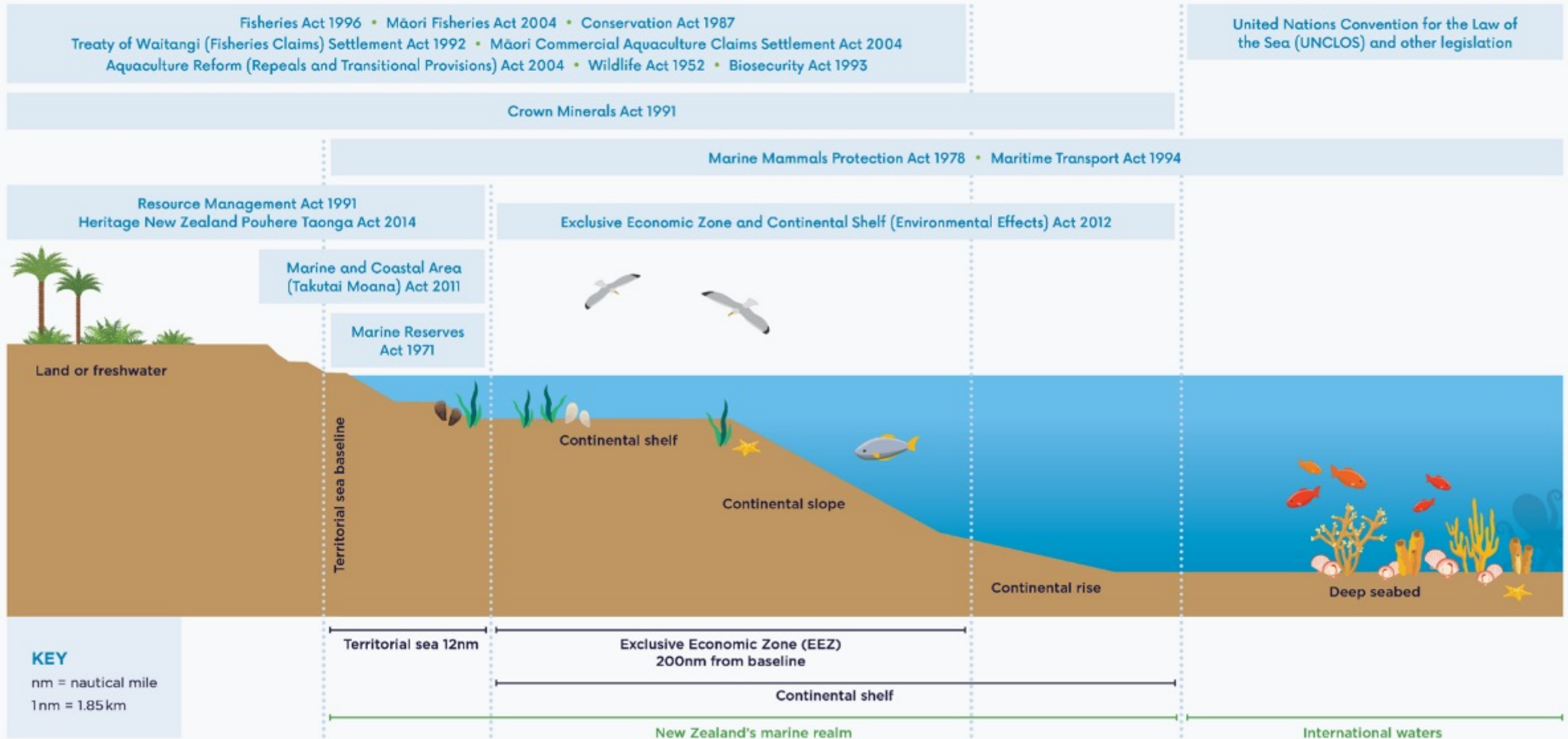
- **NZ Coastal Planning Framework**
- **Regulatory Function – Regional Coastal Environment Plan: Aquaculture Policies & Consenting requirements**
- **Regional Economic Support**

NZ Coastal Planning Framework



Aotearoa New Zealand's key marine legislation

This graphic shows key pieces of legislation for protecting the marine environment and managing its resources. It is not an exhaustive list of all national and international legislation in the marine space, nor does it depict the numerous rules and regulations in the legislation.



Regional Coastal Environment Plan Objectives and Policies



Protect values and attributes



Protect Biodiversity Areas (A)



Maintain Biodiversity Areas (B)



Restore Areas of Significant Cultural Values



Avoid adverse effects



Regional Coastal Environment Plan Objectives and Policies - Aquaculture

Policy 8: Aquaculture

In the “*New Zealand Coastal Policy Statement 2010*”

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Recognise the significant existing and potential contribution of aquaculture to the social, economic and cultural well-being of people and communities by:

- a. including in regional policy statements and regional coastal plans provision for aquaculture activities in appropriate places in the coastal environment, recognising that relevant considerations may include:
 - i. the need for high water quality for aquaculture activities; and
 - ii. the need for land-based facilities associated with marine farming;
- b. taking account of the social and economic benefits of aquaculture, including any available assessments of national and regional economic benefits; and
- c. ensuring that development in the coastal environment does not make water quality unfit for aquaculture activities in areas approved for that purpose.



Resource consents

- **Pre-lodgement advice**
 - **Reduces queries during the consent process,**
 - **Clarifies notification requirements**
 - **Identifies the scale of monitoring requirements**
 - **Establishes a platform for discussion**

Resource consents

THE RESOURCE CONSENT PROCESS



APPLICANT



He checks council plans and rules to see if his idea is an activity that needs consent.

CHECK HERE



! RESILIENCY OF NATURAL EFFECTS MAY BE REQUIRED



ANALYSING...

If complete, application is accepted for processing. If not, move back to step 4.



! WRITTEN APPROVALS CAN HELP SPEED THINGS UP

! NOTICE EFFECTS



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Resource consents

Key consenting requirements

- Assessment of effects and policy
- Requirement to consult with applicants who are in the process under Takutai Moana (Marine and Coastal Area Act 2011)
- Draft management plan
- Discretionary activity
- Public notification



Marine Science

Bay of Plenty State of
the Environment
Report

Provide access to
previous monitoring
reports

Support University of
Waikato Science
“Coastal Chair”
Aquaculture research

Support for the
Moana Project

National links and
support – include
AQNZ and other
agencies.

Coastal Planning Maps

Coastal Planning Maps - Toi Moana





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2009

- The Bay of Plenty Aquaculture Strategy was launched in 2009

2010

- Establishment of a Regional Aquaculture Organisation

2013

- Updated Aquaculture Strategy



2020

- MPI & BOPRC funded a snapshot into the circular economic opportunity for the Bay of Plenty



2021

- Establishment of the Bay of Plenty Aquaculture Group Inc. BOC/BOPRC is a platinum member of BOPAG.

2022

- BOP Aquaculture Strategy Stocktake in August 2022 by the BOP Aquaculture Group (BOPAG), co-funded by BOPRC and Toi EDA.

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