

# Egypt, Africa

## Number of Protected areas

**50**

## Polygons/Points ratio



**94%**

Polygons

**6%**

Points

## Number of sources

For International designations	4
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For National designations	1
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TOTAL	5
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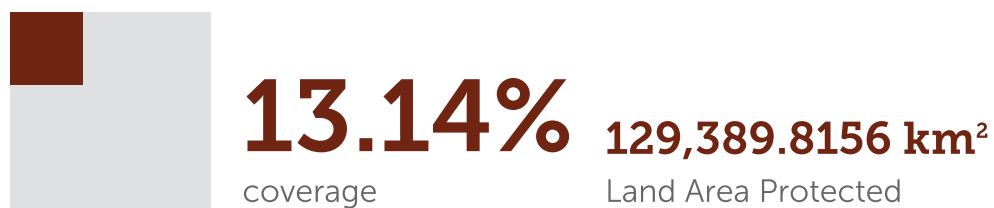
## Governance types

Name	Governance type	Count	%
Federal or national ministry or agency		24	48.0
Not Reported		26	52.0

## Protected areas coverage [\(Ref 1 ↓\)](#)

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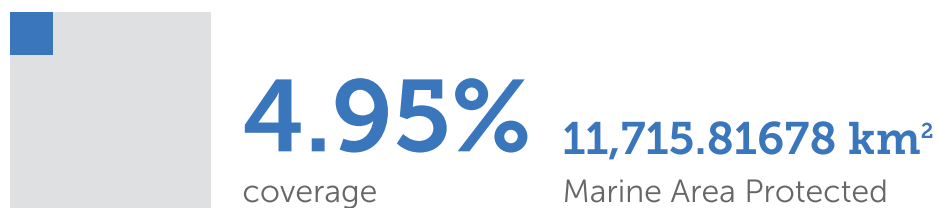
### Area terrestrial



**984,997.4881 km<sup>2</sup>**

Total Land Area

### Area marine



**236,612.0 km<sup>2</sup>**

Total Marine Area

**Warning:** These statistics might differ from those reported officially by countries due to difference in methodologies and datasets used to assess protected area coverage and differences in the base maps used to measure terrestrial and marine area of a country or territory.

## 11 National designations

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Categories	Count
National Park	3
Natural Monument	2
Protected Area	13
Protected Landscape	3
Strict Nature Reserve	5
Multiple Use Management Area	11
Nature Conservation Reserve	2
Marine Protected Area	1
Developing Resources Protected Area	1
Geological Protected Area	1
Natural Heritage Protected Area	1

## 0 Regional designations

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## 3 International designations

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Categories	Count
UNESCO-MAB Biosphere Reserve	2
World Heritage Site (natural or mixed)	1
Ramsar Site, Wetland of International Importance	4

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