

Nepal, Asia & Pacific

Number of Protected areas

49

Polygons/Points ratio



78%

Polygons

22%

Points

Number of sources

For International designations	2
For National designations	2
TOTAL	4

Governance types

Name	Governance type	Count	%
Federal or national ministry or agency		36	73.47
Not Reported		9	18.37
Local communities		1	2.04
Non-profit organisations		3	6.12

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

Area terrestrial



23.63%

coverage

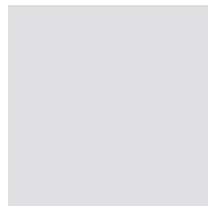
34,897.91838 km²

Land Area Protected

147,709.5419 km²

Total Land Area

Area marine



0.0%

coverage

0.0 km²

Marine Area Protected

0 km²

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.

6 National designations

Categories	Count
Conservation Area	11
National Park	10
Wildlife Reserve	3
National Park - Buffer Zone	9
Hunting Reserve	1
Wildlife Reserve - Buffer Zone	3

0 Regional designations

2 International designations

Categories	Count
Ramsar Site, Wetland of International Importance	10
World Heritage Site	2

Citation

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