

Cyprus, Europe

Number of Protected areas

130

↓ 24

with management effectiveness evaluations

Polygons/Points ratio



100%

Polygons

0%

Points

Number of sources

For National designations	1
For Regional designations	2
TOTAL	3

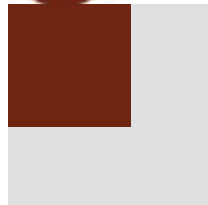
Governance types

Name	Governance type	Count	%
Federal or national ministry or agency		130	100.0

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



Area terrestrial



38.53%

coverage

3,493 km²

Land Area Protected

9,063 km²

Total Land Area

↓ **12.77%**

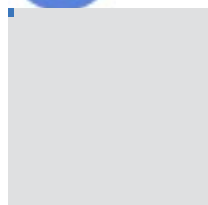
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1,157.122558 km²

Area Assessed



Area marine



0.12%

coverage

121 km²

Marine Area Protected

98,280 km²

Total Marine Area

↓ 0.0%

with management effectiveness evaluation

0.045238 km²

Area Assessed

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.

10 National designations

Categories	Count
Nature Reserve	7
Protected Landscape	7
RAMSAR Wetland	2
National Forest Park	11
Turtle Nesting Beach	1
Permanent Game Reserve Area	13
Marine Protected Area	2
Coasts And Areas For Nature Protection	11
Areas Of Special Aesthetic Value	4
UNESCO Global Geopark	1

3 Regional designations

Categories	Count
Specially Protected Areas of Mediterranean Importance (Barcelona Convention)	1
Site of Community Importance (Habitats Directive)	40
Special Protection Area (Birds Directive)	30

0 International designations

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