

# Denmark, Europe

Number of Protected areas

**1,098**

↓ **157**

with management effectiveness evaluations

Polygons/Points ratio



**100%**

Polygons

**0%**

Points

Number of sources

For International designations	2
For National designations	1
For Regional designations	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>6</b>

Governance types

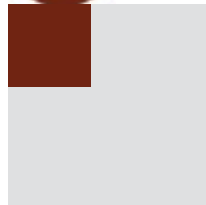
Name	Governance type	Count	%
Federal or national ministry or agency		968	88.16
Not Reported		96	8.74
Collaborative governance		34	3.1

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

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### Area terrestrial



**17.23%**

coverage

**7,809 km<sup>2</sup>**

Land Area Protected

**45,314 km<sup>2</sup>**

Total Land Area

↓ **37.76%**

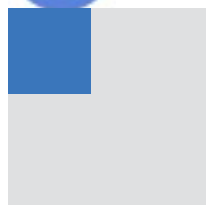
with management effectiveness evaluation

**2,949.070578 km<sup>2</sup>**

Area Assessed



### Area marine



**17.92%**

coverage

**18,004 km<sup>2</sup>**

Marine Area Protected

**100,470 km<sup>2</sup>**

Total Marine Area

↓ **22.73%**

with management effectiveness evaluation

**4,093.084992 km<sup>2</sup>**

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.

## Related countries & territories

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### ↓ Child countries & territories

Name 	Code 
Faroe Islands	FRO
Greenland	GRL

## 4 National designations

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Categories	Count
§3 Protected Habitats (All Lakes, Bogs, Streams, Heaths And Meadows Etc.)	97
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Protected By Conservation Order, Excl. Church Surroundings	344
Protected by conservation order, excl. Church surroundings	37

## 4 Regional designations

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Categories	Count
Site of Community Importance (Habitats Directive)	269
Baltic Sea Protected Area (HELCOM)	66
Special Protection Area (Birds Directive)	124
Marine Protected Area (OSPAR)	34

## 2 International designations

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Categories	Count
Ramsar Site, Wetland of International Importance	28
World Heritage Site (natural or mixed)	2

### Citation

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