

Croatia, Europe

Number of Protected areas

1,196

↓ **20**

with management effectiveness evaluations

Polygons/Points ratio



93%

Polygons

7%

Points

Number of sources

| | |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| For International designations | 3 |
| For National designations | 1 |
| For Regional designations | 1 |
| TOTAL | 5 |

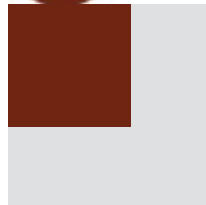
Governance types

| Name | Governance type | Count | % |
|--|-----------------|-------|-------|
| Federal or national ministry or agency | | 1187 | 99.25 |
| Not Reported | | 9 | 0.75 |

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



Area terrestrial



38.26%

coverage

21,752 km²

Land Area Protected

56,856 km²

Total Land Area

12%

5th National Report Coverage

↓ 8.28%

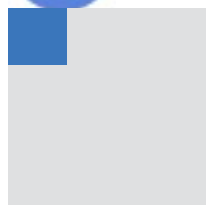
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4,710.295612 km²

Area Assessed



Area marine



8.54%

coverage

4,737 km²

Marine Area Protected

55,462 km²

Total Marine Area

2%

5th National Report Coverage

↓ 0.69%

with management effectiveness evaluation

383.491262 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.

9 National designations

| Categories | Count |
|------------------------|-------|
| National Park | 8 |
| Natural Monument | 80 |
| Nature Park | 11 |
| Special Reserve | 77 |
| Regional Park | 2 |
| Forest Park | 27 |
| Significant Landscape | 82 |
| Strict Reserve | 2 |
| Horticultural Monument | 119 |

2 Regional designations

| Categories | Count |
|---|-------|
| Site of Community Importance (Habitats Directive) | 741 |
| Special Protection Area (Birds Directive) | 38 |

3 International designations

| Categories | Count |
|--|-------|
| UNESCO-MAB Biosphere Reserve | 2 |
| World Heritage Site (natural or mixed) | 2 |
| Ramsar Site, Wetland of International Importance | 5 |

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