

Madagascar, Africa

Number of Protected areas

157

↓ **78**

with management effectiveness evaluations

Polygons/Points ratio



92%

Polygons

8%

Points

Number of sources

For International designations	3
For National designations	7
TOTAL	10

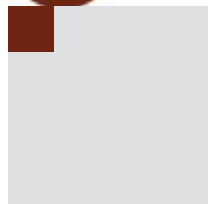
Governance types

Name	Governance type	Count	%
Federal or national ministry or agency		2	1.27
Not Reported		111	70.7
Local communities		34	21.66
Collaborative governance		2	1.27
Government-delegated management		3	1.91
Non-profit organisations		2	1.27
Sub-national ministry or agency		3	1.91

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



Area terrestrial



5.59%

coverage

33,242 km²

Land Area Protected

594,719 km²

Total Land Area

↓ **4.78%**

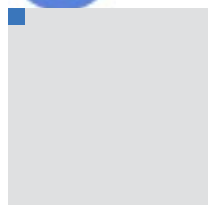
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28,442.54711 km²

Area Assessed



Area marine



0.75%

coverage

8,998 km²

Marine Area Protected

1,205,825 km²

Total Marine Area

↓ 0.22%

with management effectiveness evaluation

2,692.456031 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.

19 National designations

Categories	Count
National Park	26
Marine Park	4
Marine National Park	1
Natural Park	1
Strict Nature Reserve	3
Special Reserve	22
Classified Forest	1
Not Reported	1
Locally Managed Marine Area	26
Hunting Reserve	2
Paysage Harmonieux Protégé	20
Marine Protected Area	1
Proposed Protected Area	14
Reserve de ressource naturel	1
Proposed Marine Park	1
Réserve de Ressources Naturelles	1
Collaborative Fishery Management Area	1
New Protected Area	5
Protected Harmonious Landscape	1

0 Regional designations

3 International designations

Categories	Count
UNESCO-MAB Biosphere Reserve	3
World Heritage Site (natural or mixed)	2

Citation

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