

# Paraguay, Latin America & Caribbean

Number of Protected areas

**98**

Polygons/Points ratio

**100%**

Polygons

**0%**

Points

Number of sources

For International designations

1

For National designations

1

TOTAL

2

Governance types

Name

Governance type

Count

%

Federal or national ministry or agency

1

1.02

Not Reported

97

98.98

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

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### Area terrestrial

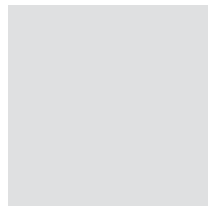


**14.0%** coverage  
**57,473.0 km<sup>2</sup>** Land Area Protected

**401,498.0 km<sup>2</sup>**

Total Land Area

### Area marine



**0.0%** coverage  
**0 km<sup>2</sup>** Marine Area Protected  
**0 km<sup>2</sup>** 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.

## 12 National designations

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Categories	Count
National Park	15
Ecological Reserve	2
Natural Monument	12
Wildlife Refuge	1
Scientific Reserve	1
Biosphere Reserve	2
Other Categories	6
Natural Reserve	9
Managed Resource Reserve	5
Scientific Monument	1
Natural Private Reserve	36
Protected landscape	3

## 0 Regional designations

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## 2 International designations

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Categories	Count
UNESCO-MAB Biosphere Reserve	2
Ramsar Site, Wetland of International Importance	3

### Citation

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