

Seychelles, Africa

Number of Protected areas

40

↓ 6

with management effectiveness evaluations

Polygons/Points ratio



95%

Polygons

5%

Points

Number of sources

For International designations	2
For National designations	2
TOTAL	4

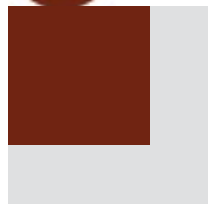
Governance types

Name	Governance type	Count	%
Federal or national ministry or agency		20	50.0
Not Reported		20	50.0

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



Area terrestrial



49.64%

coverage

242 km²

Land Area Protected

487 km²

Total Land Area

47%

5th National Report Coverage

↓ **34.35%**

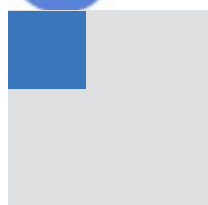
with management effectiveness evaluation

167.222355 km²

Area Assessed



Area marine



15.66%

coverage

209,930 km²

Marine Area Protected

1,340,839 km²

Total Marine Area

0%

5th National Report Coverage

↓ 0.18%

with management effectiveness evaluation

2,435.292329 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.

8 National designations

Categories	Count
Nature Reserve	9
National Park	4
Protected Area	1
Marine National Park	6
Special Reserve	8
Shell Reserve	4
MSP Zone 1	1
MSP Zone 2	1

0 Regional designations

2 International designations

Categories	Count
World Heritage Site (natural or mixed)	2
Ramsar Site, Wetland of International Importance	4

Citation

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