

Uganda, Africa

Number of Protected areas

712

↓ 37

with management effectiveness evaluations

Polygons/Points ratio



99%

Polygons

1%

Points

Number of sources

For International designations	3
For National designations	3
TOTAL	6

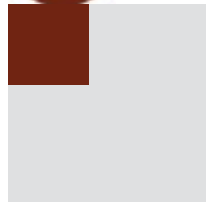
Governance types

Name	Governance type	Count	%
Federal or national ministry or agency		696	97.75
Not Reported		13	1.83
Government-delegated management		3	0.42

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



Area terrestrial



16.06%

coverage

39,059 km²

Land Area Protected

243,145 km²

Total Land Area

18%

5th National Report Coverage

↓ **6.58%**

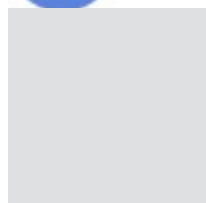
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16,000.01107 km²

Area Assessed



Area marine



0.0%

coverage

0 km²

Marine Area Protected

0 km²

Total Marine Area

0%

5th National Report Coverage

↓ 0.0%

with management effectiveness evaluation

0.0 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.

6 National designations

Categories	Count
National Park	10
Forest Reserve	661
Wildlife Sanctuary	7
Wildlife Reserve	12
Sanctuary	1
Community Wildlife Management Area	5

0 Regional designations

3 International designations

Categories	Count
UNESCO-MAB Biosphere Reserve	2
World Heritage Site (natural or mixed)	2
Ramsar Site, Wetland of International Importance	12

Citation

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