

Jordan, West Asia

Number of Protected areas

31

↓ 7

with management effectiveness evaluations

Polygons/Points ratio



97%
Polygons

3%
Points

Number of sources

For International designations	3
For National designations	1
TOTAL	4

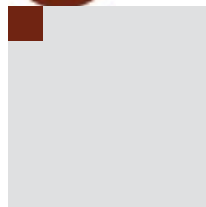
Governance types

Name	Governance type	Count	%
Federal or national ministry or agency		1	3.23
Not Reported		10	32.26
Local communities		5	16.13
Government-delegated management		14	45.16
Non-profit organisations		1	3.23

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



Area terrestrial



3.09%

coverage

2,774 km²

Land Area Protected

89,690 km²

Total Land Area

2%

6th National Report Coverage

↓ **40.02%**

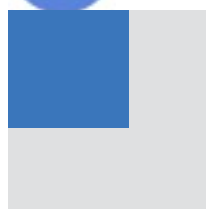
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1,110.121003 km²

Area Assessed



Area marine



35.72%

coverage

33 km²

Marine Area Protected

94 km²

Total Marine Area

25%

6th 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
Marine Park	1
Forest Reserve	1
Nature Reserve	7
Wetland Reserve	1
Proposed Nature Reserve	6
Special Conservation Area	10

0 Regional designations

3 International designations

Categories	Count
UNESCO-MAB Biosphere Reserve	2
World Heritage Site	1
Ramsar Site, Wetland of International Importance	2

Citation

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