

Lebanon, West Asia

Number of Protected areas

34

Polygons/Points ratio



56%

Polygons

44%

Points

Number of sources

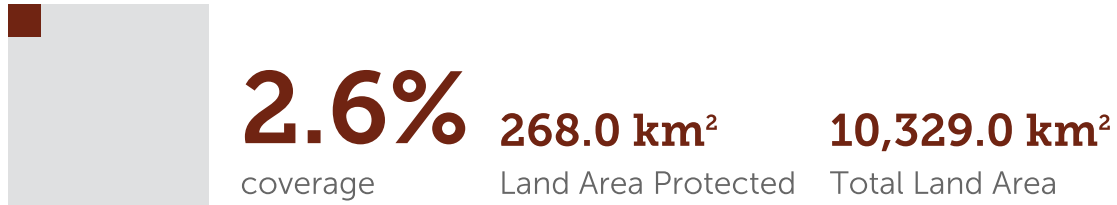
For International designations	2
For National designations	6
For Regional designations	2
TOTAL	10

Governance types

Name	Governance type	Count	%
Federal or national ministry or agency		2	5.88
Not Reported		17	50.0
Joint governance		15	44.12

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

Area terrestrial



Area marine



19,316.0 km²

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.

5 National designations

Categories	Count
National Park	4
Forest Reserve	4
Nature Reserve	14
Protection/Protected Forest	1
Private Protected Area	2

1 Regional designations

Categories	Count
Specially Protected Areas of Mediterranean Importance (Barcelona Convention)	2

2 International designations

Categories	Count
UNESCO-MAB Biosphere Reserve	3
Ramsar Site, Wetland of International Importance	4

Citation

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