

Oman, West Asia

Number of Protected areas

16

Polygons/Points ratio



44%

Polygons

56%

Points

Number of sources

For International designations	1
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For National designations	1
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TOTAL	2
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Governance types

Name	Governance type	Count	%
Federal or national ministry or agency		15	93.75
Not Reported		1	6.25

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

Area terrestrial



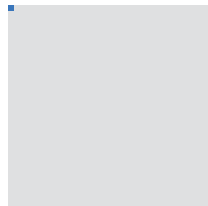
2.57%
coverage

7,985.0 km²
Land Area Protected

310,373.0 km²

Total Land Area

Area marine



0.12%
coverage

664.0 km²
Marine Area Protected

538,980.0 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.

2 National designations

Categories	Count
Nature Reserve	6
Reserve	9

0 Regional designations

1 International designations

Categories	Count
Ramsar Site, Wetland of International Importance	1

Citation

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