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Definition

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Protected Areas

Protected areas designated under international conventions and agreements

World Heritage sites
Natural
Cultural
Mixed
Ramsar sites (Wetlands of International Importance)
Man and the Biosphere Reserves
National-level protected areas
IUCN Protected Area Management Categories
Ia
Ib
II

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Biodiversity designations represent the sites or regions that have been identified as important for biodiversity conservation due to their biological uniqueness or the high threat that they face. A plethora of different approaches have been promoted by conservation organisations and researchers in order to guide decisions about where to invest in biodiversity conservation. These approaches use globally consistent criteria and available data in order to identify and classify sites. The designations themselves do not confer protected area status, but many of the sites identified may partly or fully overlap with a protected area designation on-ground.

Key Biodiversity AreasAlliance for Zero Extinction SitesCrisis EcoregionsCentres of Plant DiversityEndemic Bird AreasGlobal 200 EcoregionsHigh Biodiversity Wilderness AreasIntact Forest LandscapesLast of the Wild

Conventions and Treaties

Important conventions and multi-lateral agreements that relate to biodiversity and the environment.

Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD)	Accession
Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES)	Accession
Convention on the Conservation of Migratory Species of Wild Animals (CMS)	
International Convention for the Regulation of Whaling (ICRW)	Adherence
International Plant Protection Convention (IPPC)	Contracting party
International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (MARPOL Convention)	I-II; III; IV; V; VI
International Treaty on Plant Genetic Resources for Food and Agriculture (Plant Treaty)	
Convention on Wetlands of International Importance (Ramsar Convention)	
United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS)	Ratification
Chapter XXI 3. Convention on Fishing and Conservation of the Living Resources of the High Seas	
World Heritage Convention	Ratification
Antarctic Treaty	

Other Membership

Arctic Council International Maritime Organisation IPBES ↓ ↓ ↓

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