

**Department for Environment and Water**  
**Protected Areas Information System**  
**Area Statement: Summary of Protected Areas In South Australia**

*Terrestrial Parks*

<b>Reserve Classification</b>	<b>Number of Parks</b>	<b>Area Parks (ha)</b>	<b>Percent State Reserved</b>
<b>Crown Land Management Act 2009</b>			
Conservation Reserve	16	19,380	< 0.1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>19,380</b>	<b>&lt; 0.1%</b>
<b>Wilderness Protection Act 1992</b>			
Wilderness Protection Area	14	1,841,998	1.9%
<b>Total</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>1,841,998</b>	<b>1.9%</b>
<b>National Parks and Wildlife Act 1972</b>			
Conservation Park	272	5,173,165	5.3%
Game Reserve	10	24,236	< 0.1%
National Park	31	8,018,650	8.2%
Recreation Park	13	1,636	< 0.1%
Regional Reserve	5	6,155,409	6.3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>331</b>	<b>19,373,095</b>	<b>19.7%</b>
<b>Overall Total</b>	<b>361</b>	<b>21,234,474</b>	<b>21.6%</b>

*Marine Parks*

<b>Reserve Classification</b>	<b>Number of Parks</b>	<b>Area Parks (ha)</b>	<b>Percent State Waters Reserved</b>
<b>Marine Parks Act 2007</b>			
Marine Park	19	2,704,992	44.9%
<b>Total</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>2,704,992</b>	<b>44.9%</b>
<b>Overall Total</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>2,704,992</b>	<b>44.9%</b>

**Notes**

**Marine Parks:** Some or all mining activities may be inconsistent with the definition of one or more Marine Park zones and may not be allowed. However, the Minister for Environment and Water may grant a permit for any activity that would otherwise be prohibited or restricted in a zone on a case-by-case basis.

**Protected Areas:** Land proclaimed or reserved for conservation purposes pursuant to the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1972, Crown Land Management Act 2009, Wilderness Protection Act 1992 or the Marine Parks Act 2007.\*the Great Australian Bight Marine National Park (125,308 ha) is captured above under terrestrial national parks but note it is a marine area, and fully within the boundaries of the far West Coast Marine Park. Mining rights were revoked for this park on 5 Feb 2004, overriding that section of the Far West Coast Marine Park that it sits within.

**Totals:** Columns in this report may appear not to total due to rounding. The reported totals are correct.

**Data Sources:** The information included in this report is a summary compiled from draft data, consequently the accuracy of the information cannot be guaranteed.

**Area of South Australia:** 98,251,136 ha - Calculated by Lamberts Conformal Conic Projection, Datum GDA2020, from 1:50,000 mapping.

**Area of State Waters of South Australia:** 6,027,112ha - Calculated by Lamberts Conformal Conic Projection, Datum GDA2020, from 1:50,000 mapping.

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