

An update to the Proteus Partners

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THE IBAT VISION

“Decisions affecting critical natural habitats are informed by the best scientific information and in turn decision-makers support the generation and maintenance of that scientific information.”





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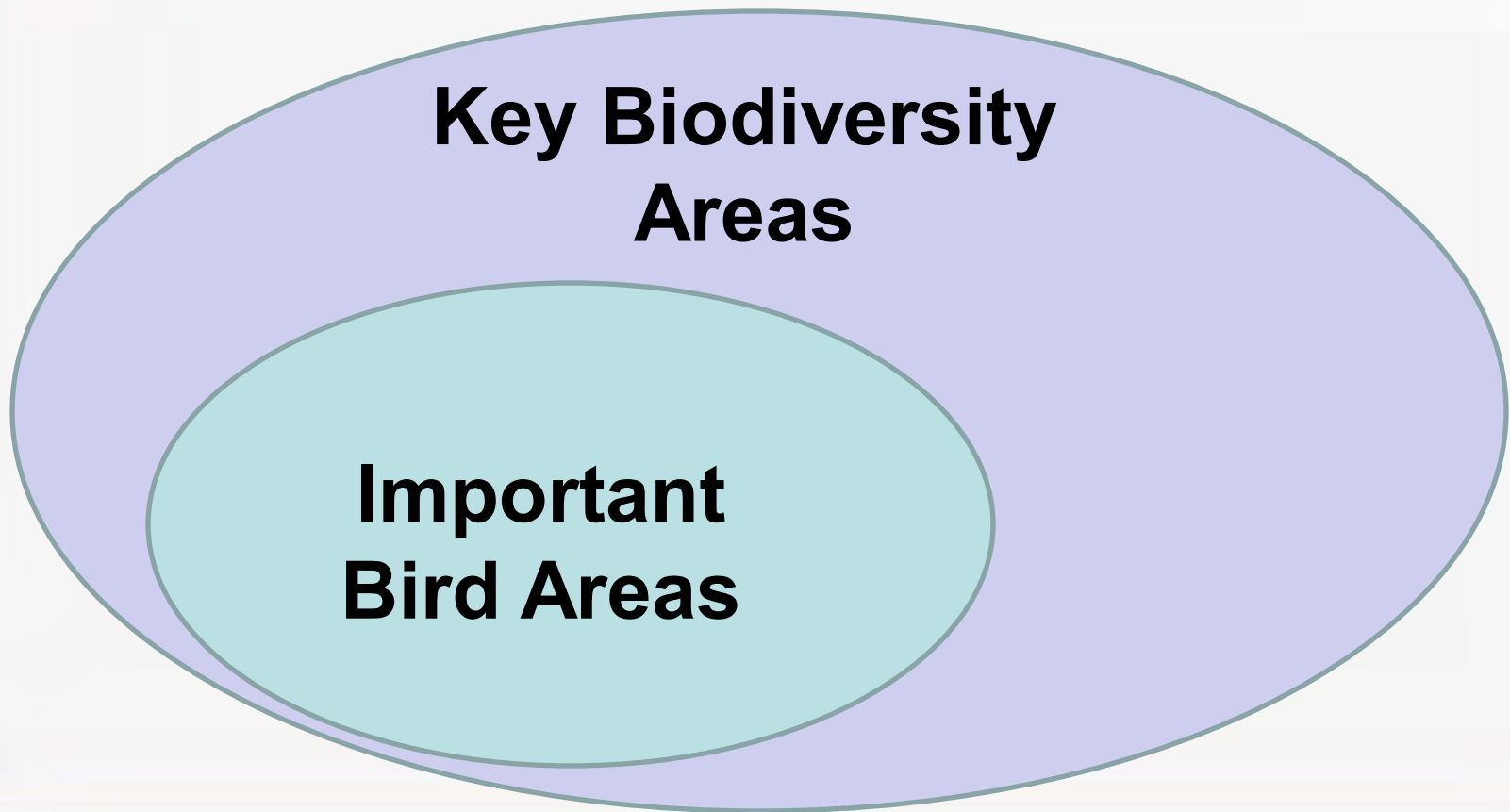
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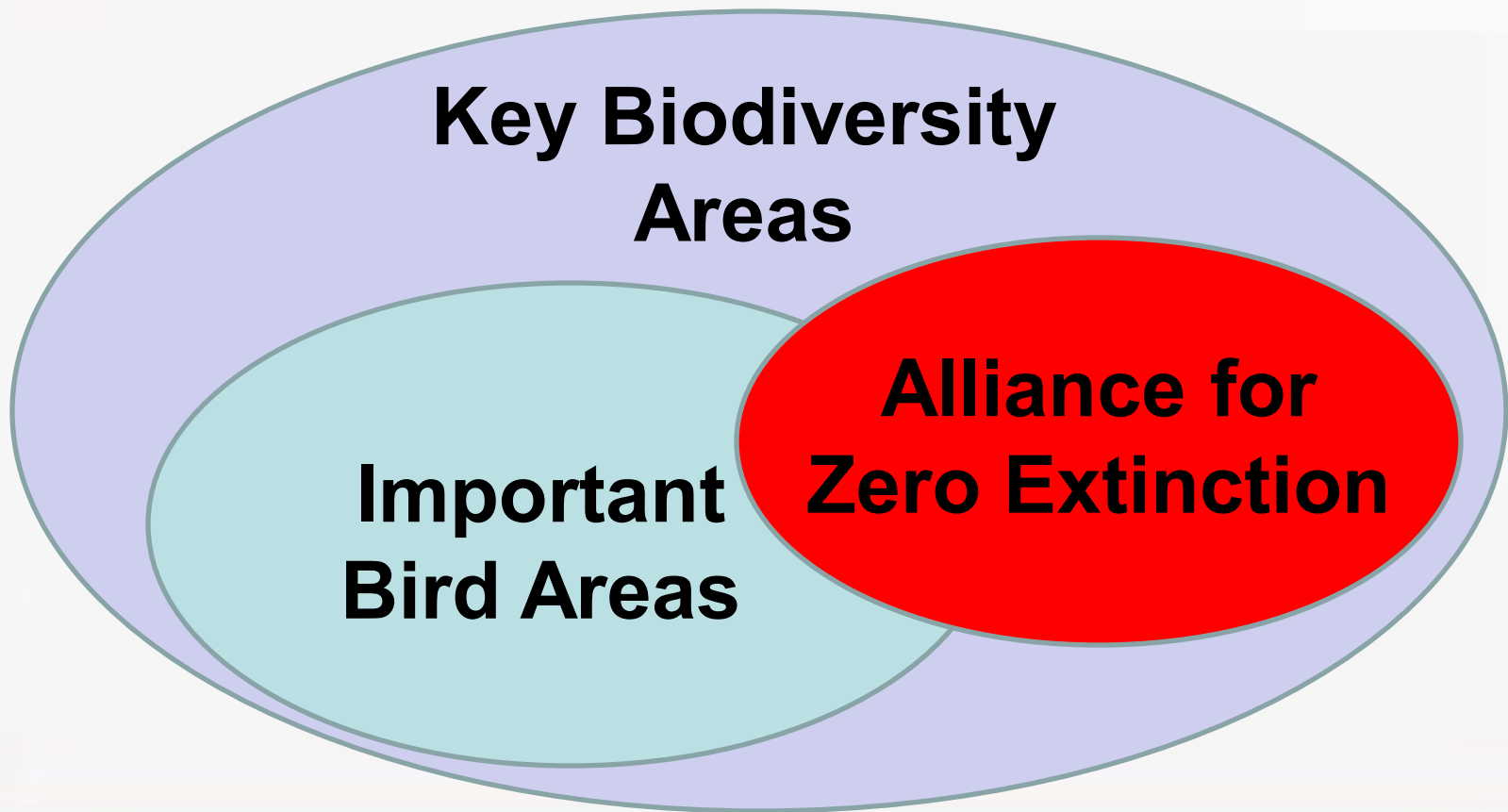
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**Important
Bird Areas**

IBAs, KBAs & AZEs



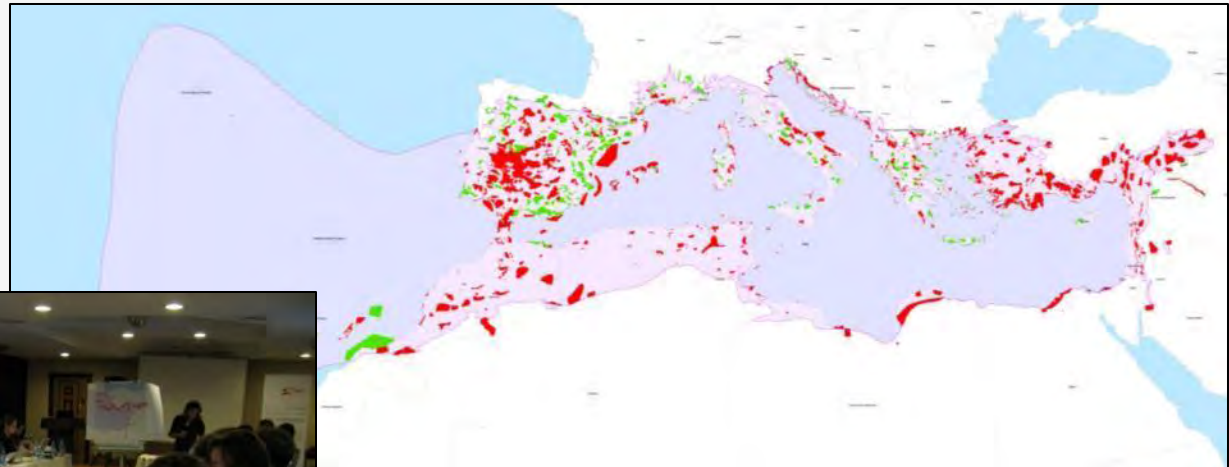
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UPDATES: DATA

- **2008**
 - IBAT for Business launched with baseline data
- **2009**
 - Data update from WDPA & WBDB
 - Global IBA baseline into WBDB
 - AZE reassessment & polygon data underway
 - KBAs for Caribbean & Mediterranean underway
- **2010**
 - Scheduled data update from WDPA & WBDB

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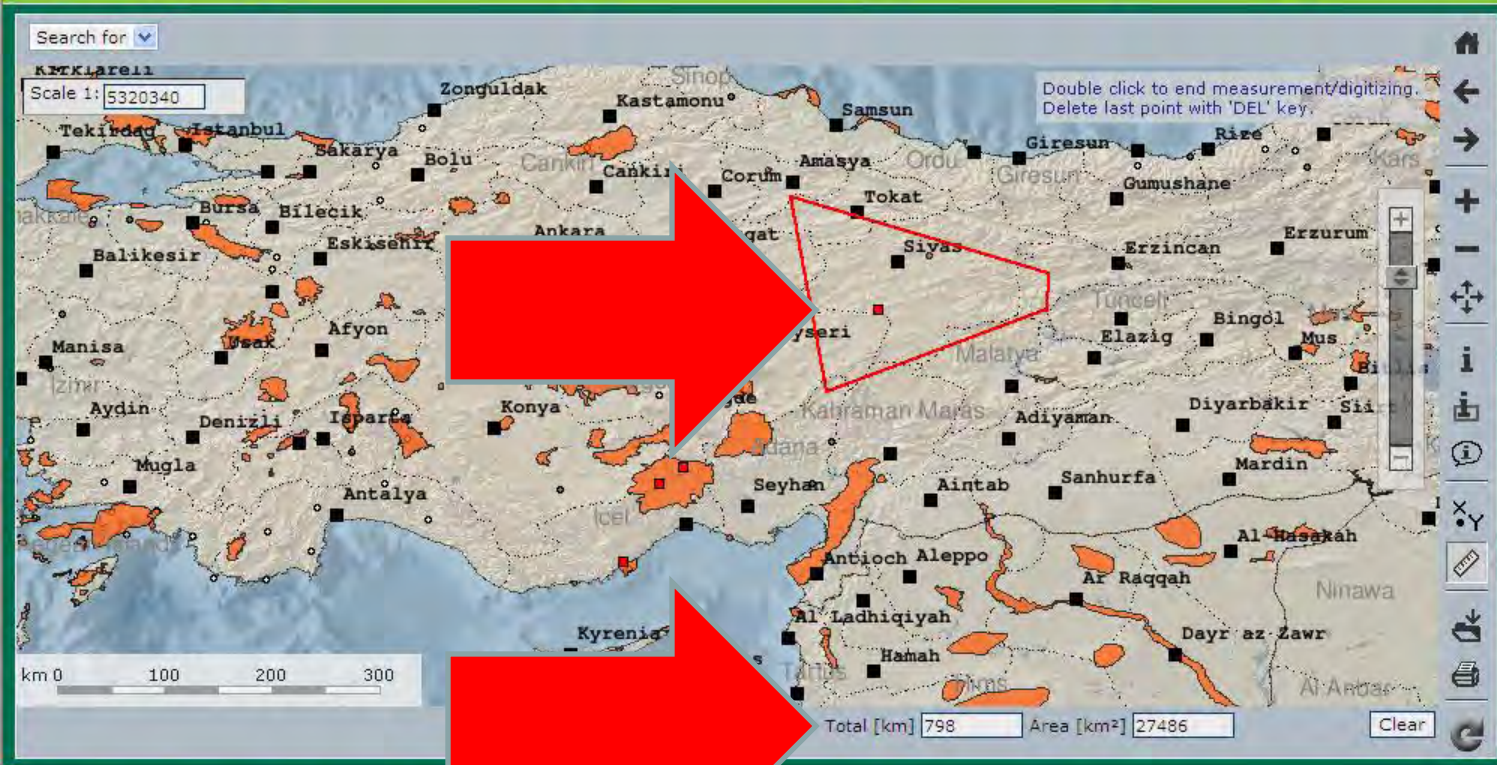
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UPDATES: GOVERNANCE

- **2008**
 - MoU
- **2009**
 - Revised management structures in place
 - IUCN becomes a partner
 - Subscription Service under review
 - Revised Agreement, Business Plan under review
 - Outreach to WWF & TNC underway to share data
- **2010**
 - Subscription Service launched
 - Revised Agreement signed



CRITICAL HABITAT DEFINITIONS

Critical habitat includes areas with high biodiversity value, including habitat required for the survival of **critically endangered** or **endangered species**; areas having special significance for **endemic** or restricted-range species; sites that are critical for the survival of **migratory** species; areas supporting **globally significant concentrations** or numbers of individuals of **congregatory** species; areas with **unique assemblages** of species or which are associated with key evolutionary processes or provide key ecosystem services; and areas having biodiversity of significant social, economic or cultural importance to local communities.”

- Critical Natural Habitat, Para. 9, IFC Performance Standard 6

THE NEED FOR DATA





Welcome

The Integrated Biodiversity Assessment Tool (IBAT) for the International Finance Corporation (IFC) builds on an existing alliance designed to facilitate access to accurate and up-to-date conservation information by decision-makers to promote responsible investment and development. IBAT for IFC is designed to support environmental and social specialists from IFC in the implementation of IFC Performance Standard (PS) 6. IBAT for IFC is also being offered to interested Equator Principle Financing Institutions (EPFIs) and OECD Export Credit Agencies (ECAs) to help ensure a more consistent interpretation of PS6 amongst financing institutions worldwide.

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Map Tool
Use the interactive mapping tool to find areas of interest and explore data on species, sites and ecosystems.

Country/Territory Profile
Jump to a summary of species, critical sites for biodiversity and ecosystems for each country or territory.



Latest News

- KBAs updated - 30th June 2009
- WDPA updated - June 2009
- WDPA annual release - 2009

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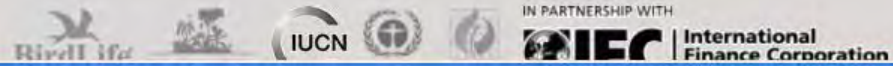
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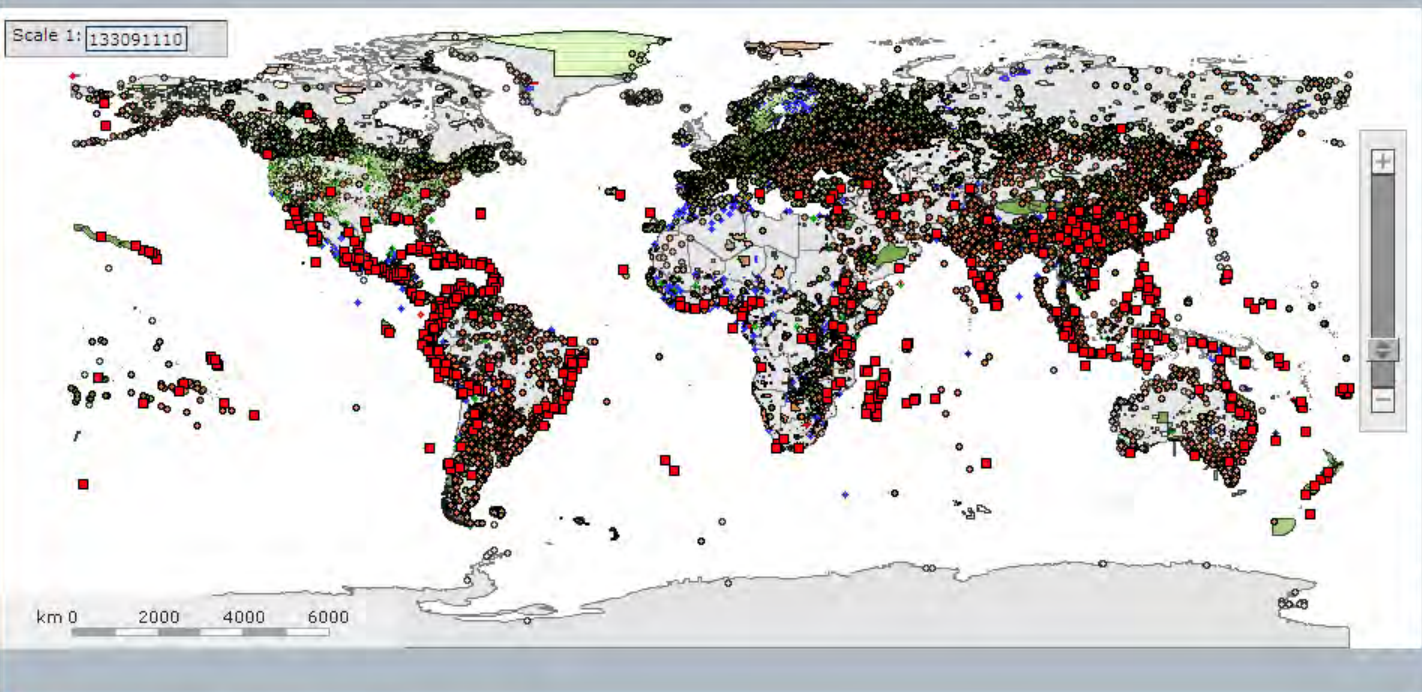
The Integrated Biodiversity Assessment Tool (IBAT) for the International Finance Corporation (IFC) is tailored to meet the needs of Environmental and Social (E&S) specialists by supporting practical application of IFC's Performance Standard (PS) 6 on Biodiversity Conservation and Sustainable Natural Resource Management as part of their Environmental and Social Review Process (ESRP). IBAT for IFC focuses on spatial data that support IFC definitions, with particular emphasis on definitions of Critical Habitat (Paragraph 9) and Legally Protected Sites (Paragraph 11). IBAT for IFC is being offered to interested Equator Principle Financing Institutions (EPFIs) and OECD Export Credit Agencies (ECAs) to help ensure a more consistent interpretation of PS 6 among financing institutions worldwide.

IBAT for IFC is designed to provide an 'early warning' to direct investments and/or early equity deals in areas containing potential PS6 issues and providing E&S specialists with a landscape-level perspective of known areas of the highest priority to biodiversity conservation. This will allow E&S specialists to incorporate biodiversity considerations into the review and appraisal process more easily, especially at its early stages, such as assisting in the development of the Environment & Social Review Document (ESRD) and Environmental Action Plans (EAP). This, in turn, creates opportunities to save time and resources in the long-run by allowing E&S specialists to follow up on the highest priority issues and information gaps in a more strategic manner such as prioritization of follow up on-site biodiversity assessments and data collection necessary for compliance with PS




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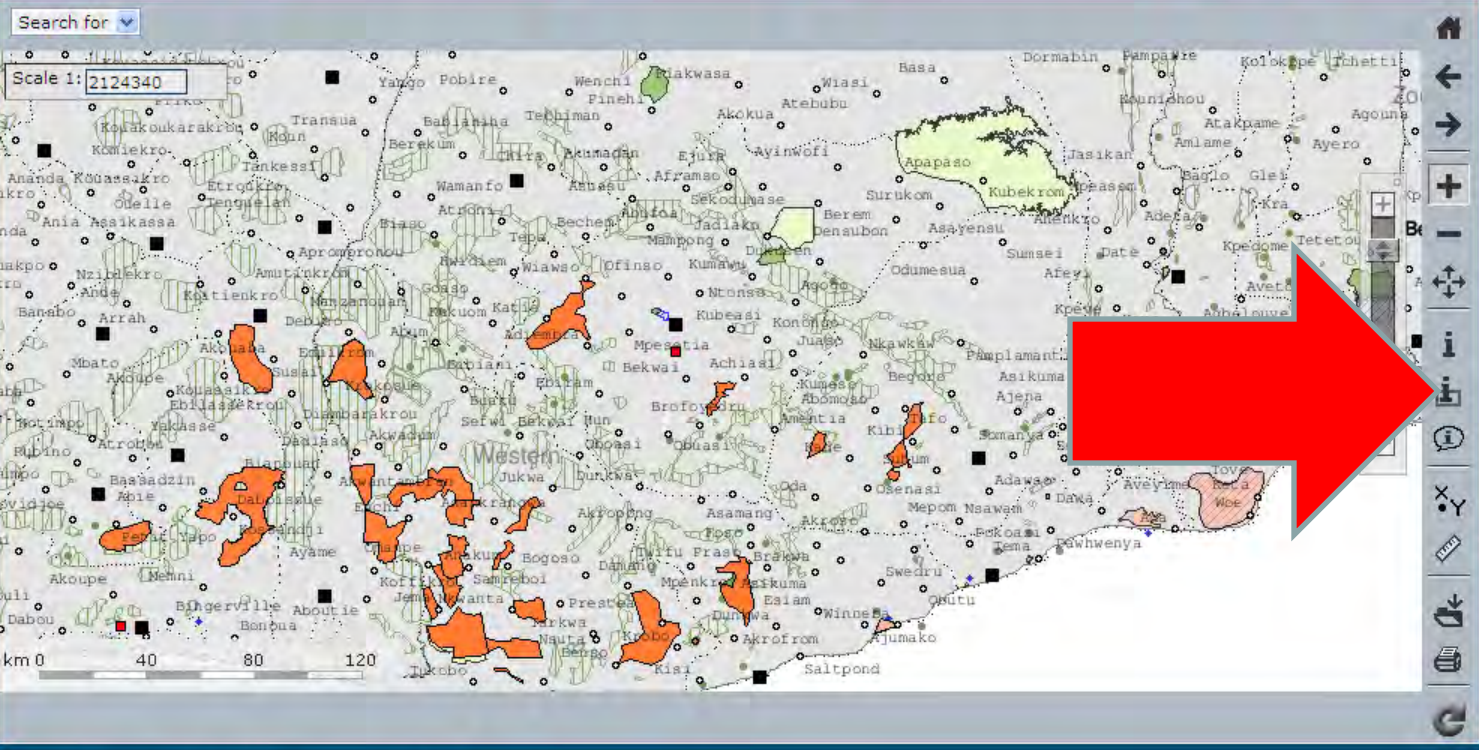
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	Bia	National Park	Designated	II	7770	372

IUCN Category III-IV

@	Name	Designation	Status	IUCN Category	Area (Ha)	Display factsheet
	Owabi	Wildlife Sanctuary	Designated	IV	1310	5154

IUCN Category V-VI

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	Bia	Resource Reserve	Designated	VI	27792	5150

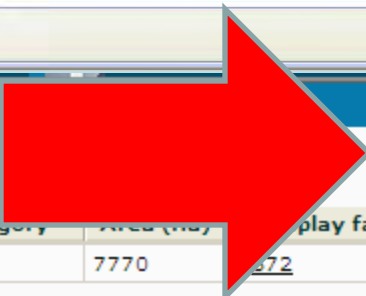
Ramsar wetlands

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	Owabi	Wetlands of International Importance (Ramsar)	67965

UNESCO MAB

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	Bia National Park	UNESCO-MAB Biosphere Reserve	5189

475 Sites



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Overview Report of Biodiversity Features
Generated from : IBAT for IFC
8th December 2009

This report identifies the Legally Protected Areas and the Biodiversity Priority Areas that are contained within the area of interest/area of project influence as indicated by the IBAT for IFC user.

These data do not represent a comprehensive up-to-date picture of the present day scenario. This report is based entirely on occurrence within the area of interest, and does not provide details of potential indirect, downstream or cumulative impacts. The user should consider this tool as an Early Warning System that can provide valuable guidance in making decisions.

Area of bounding rectangle: 3788046 ha

LEGALLY PROTECTED AREAS

The area of interest overlaps with the following Legally Protected Areas:

IUCN Protected Areas Category I-II (polygon)

Name	Designation	Status	IUCN Category	Total area of site (ha)	Intersected Area (ha)
Bia	National Park	Designated	II	7770	31081

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IUCN Protected Areas Category III-IV (polygon)

Name	Designation	Status	IUCN Category	Total area of site (ha)	Intersected Area (ha)
Owabi	Wildlife Sanctuary	Designated	IV	1310	883

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Bia	Resource Reserve	Designated	VI	27792	31081

IUCN Protected Areas Category Unknown (polygon)

Name	Designation	Status	IUCN Category	Total area of site (ha)	Intersected Area (ha)
Adzope	Classified Forest	Designated	Not Known	0	3567
Afao Hills	Forest Reserve	Designated	Not Known	3471	3992
Afram Headwaters	Forest Reserve	Designated	Not Known	20124	1366
Amama Shelterbelt	Forest Reserve	Designated	Not Known	4403	1298
Angoben Shelterbelt	Forest Reserve	Designated	Not Known	3471	2883
Anhwiaso East	Forest Reserve	Designated	Not Known	12432	33748
Anhwiaso	Forest	Designated	Not	363	700



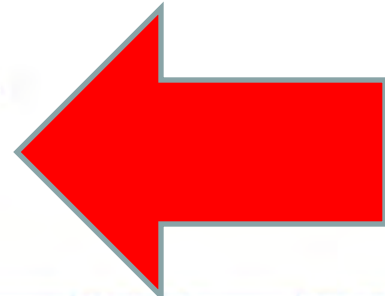
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KBA factsheet

International name Mahé highlands and surrounding areas
Country/Territory Seychelles
Area 4600 ha

This site has been identified as an Important Bird Area (IBA) and Key Biodiversity Area (KBA) based on the presence of:

- Significant populations of threatened species
- Significant populations of endemic species known only to be found in a limited area



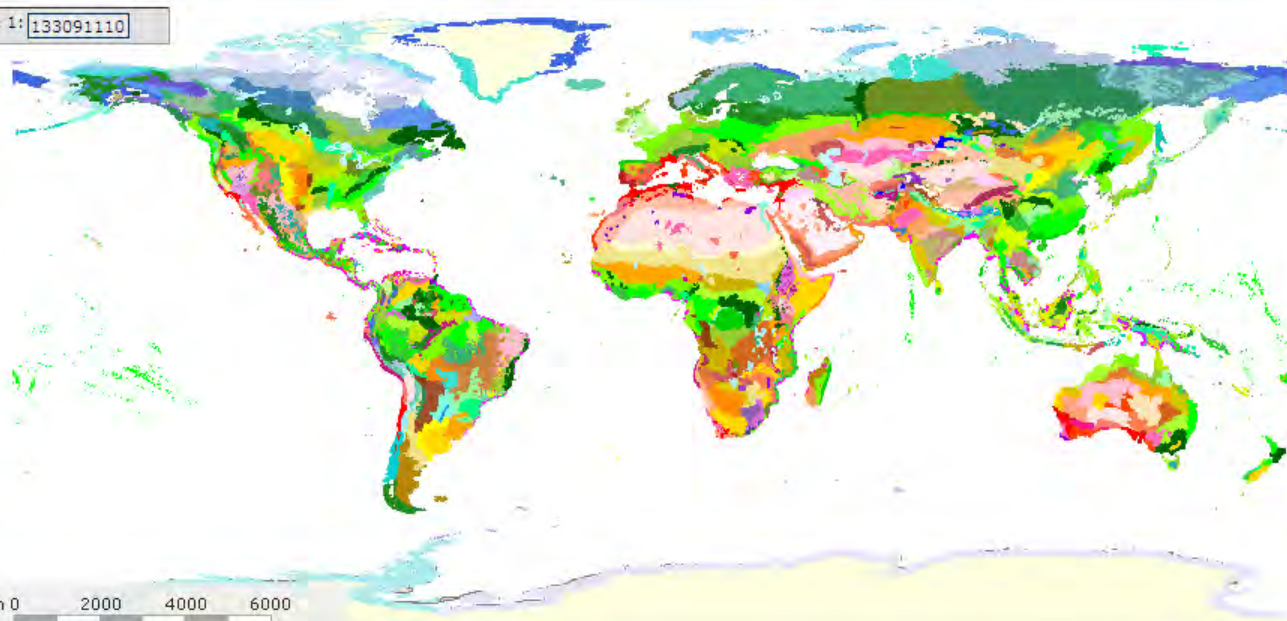
KBA trigger species

Taxonomic group	Species	IUCN Red List	Factsheet
Birds	<i>Alectroenas pulcherrima</i> Seychelles Blue-pigeon	LC	
Birds	<i>Collocalia elaphra</i> Seychelles Swiftlet	VU	
Birds	<i>Falco araea</i> Seychelles Kestrel	VU	
Birds	<i>Hypsipetes crassirostris</i> Seychelles Bulbul	LC	
Birds	<i>Nectarinia dussumieri</i> Seychelles Sunbird	LC	
Birds	<i>Otus insularis</i> Seychelles Scops-owl	EN	
Birds	<i>Otus insularis</i> Seychelles Scops-owl	EN	
Birds	<i>Zosterops modestus</i> Seychelles White-eye	EN	

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Tiger Conservation Landscapes ⓘ

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