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# Bioland (CBD)

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### Fisheries production in the ASEAN region, 1950-2015

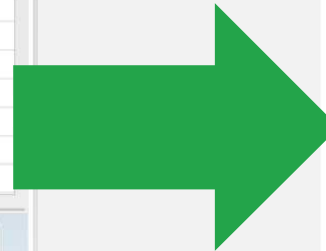
Production (Tonnes)

Legend: Aquaculture (Orange), Capture (Blue)

Year: 1950, 1970, 1990, 2010

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The ASEAN Biodiversity Dashboard is designed to facilitate more effective and timely conservation decisions through the flexible provision of the most up-to-date biodiversity data holdings for the ASEAN region.

### Latest news and updates

**NEWS**  
**ASEAN Dashboard**  
13 October 2020  
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**NEWS**  
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10 September 2020  
From left to right: Dr. Sheila G. Vergara, Director, ACB Biodiversity Information Unit; Mr. Dominic Taabon, President, Instigators, Inc.; Atty. Roberto V. Chua, ACB Executive Director; Mr. Warren Ibarra.  
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# Timeline migration

**2020**  
February-March  
Familiarizing the  
Bioland Content  
management System

**2020**  
June-July  
Implement  
Databases and Web  
services

**2021**  
Completed  
Migration to new CHM  
(Bioland)  
1<sup>st</sup> quarter



**2020**  
April-May  
Migrating static and  
dynamic web pages

**2020**  
July onwards  
Maps and tools

## ASEAN Biodiversity Dashboard

### Background

The ASEAN Member States (AMS) have committed to taking coordinated and bold action to prevent species extinction across the region and in line with their commitments and participation in the Convention on Biological Diversity, Ramsar Convention on Wetlands, the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals and other multilateral environmental agreements. These commitments call on AMS to take effective and informed action on biodiversity conservation driven by current and accessible data that supports forward-looking actions and allows for the evaluation of conservation efforts and tracking of targets.

Given the dynamic and accelerating nature of biodiversity loss, decision-makers, legislators, and the public need the latest scientific information from most credible sources possible. In response to this need, the ASEAN Centre for Biodiversity (ACB) has partnered with NatureServe in the creation of the ASEAN Biodiversity Dashboard to provide key stakeholders in ASEAN access to the reliable and up-to-date biodiversity information. The ASEAN Biodiversity Dashboard leverages NatureServe's expertise and experience in the design and development of powerful biodiversity data visualisation platforms.

The ASEAN Biodiversity Dashboard is designed to facilitate more effective and timely conservation decisions through the flexible provision of the most up-to-date biodiversity data holdings for the ASEAN region. This platform pools information from the AMS, the ACB and, where relevant, global data sources, including from data sources found on the ASEAN Regional Clearinghouse Mechanism. The ASEAN Biodiversity Dashboard is also designed to:



Streamline national and regional



Enable more powerful and near-real



Identify critical emerging issues facing



### Time Animations

Click on images below to view a high-resolution time animation of indicator changes over time in the ASEAN region.

#### Pressure Indicators



2018  
Fire Alerts



1993  
Human Footprint



2017  
Human Population

#### State Indicators



2005  
Bioclimatic Ecosystem Resilience Index



2005  
Biodiversity Habitat Index



2018  
Forest Cover



2015  
Mangrove Cover

#### Response Indicators



2018  
Biodiversity Records Available through GBIF



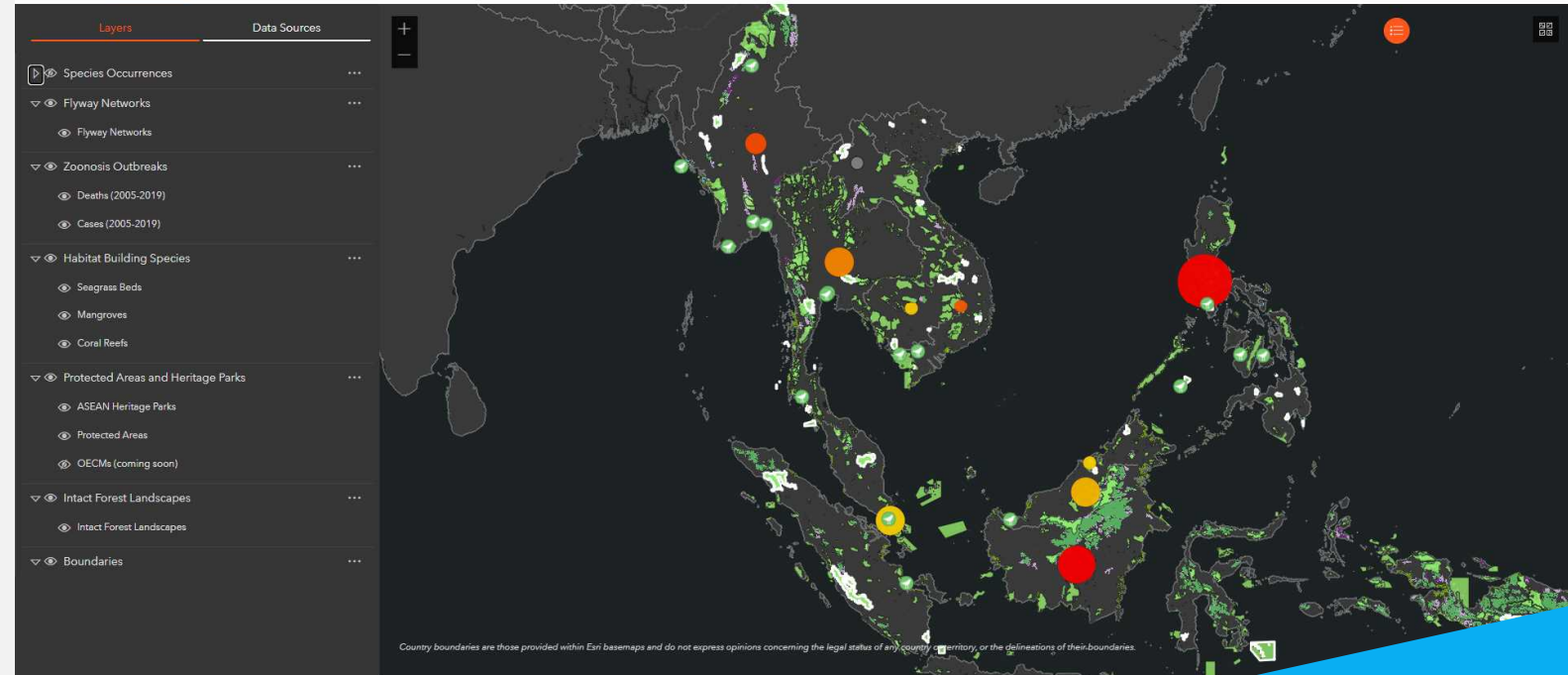
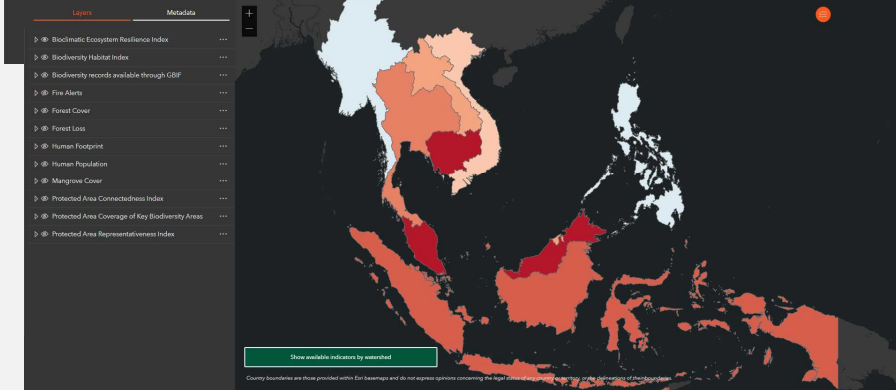
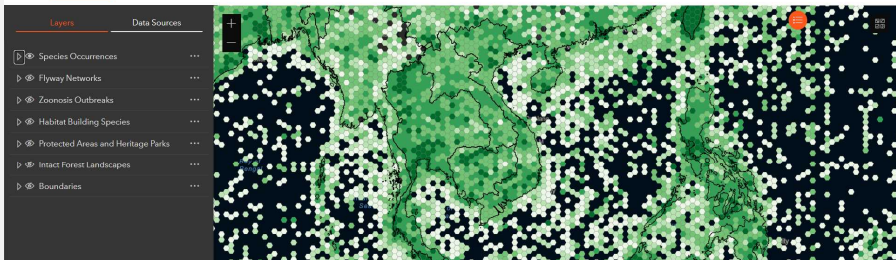
2015  
Protected Area Connectedness Index



1986  
Protected Area Coverage of KBAs



2011  
Protected Area Representativeness Index



Country boundaries are those provided within Esri basemaps and do not express opinions concerning the legal status of any country, territory, or the delineations of their boundaries.

# What's interesting?







**Amphibians**  
781



**Bacteria**  
270



**Birds**  
2,618



**Bony fish**  
7,813



**Crustaceans**  
1,883



**Cnidarians**  
784



**Demosponge**  
517



**Echinoderms**  
140



**Ferns**  
25



**Fungi**  
3,547



**Insects**  
2,696



**Plants**  
13,418



**Mammals**  
1,145



**Medicinal plants**  
729



**Molluscs**  
2,587



**Mosses**  
137



**Reptiles**  
935



**Unknown**  
10

**Amphibians** : Group > Amphibians    **Bacteria** : Kingdom > Bacteria    **Birds** : Class > Aves    **Bony fish** : Group > Fish    **Crustaceans** : Phylum > Crustacea    **Cnidarians** : Phylum > Cnidaria  
**Demosponge** : Group > Demosponge    **Echinoderms** : Phylum > Echinodermata    **Ferns** : Phylum > Pteridophyta    **Fungi** : Kingdom > Fungi    **Insects** : Group > Insect    **Plants** : Group > Plants  
**Mammalia** : Group > Mammals    **Medicinal plants** : Group > Medicinal plants    **Molluscs** : Group > Molluscs    **Mosses** : Phylum > Bryophyta    **Reptiles** : Group > Reptiles    **Unknown** : Taxonomic Group. Not assigned



### ASEAN Protected Areas Database

List of available Protected Areas [2,648]

Summary	Name	Designation	IUCN Category	Country
	A Yun Pa	Nature Reserve	Not Reported	Viet Nam
	Abai	Mangrove Forest Reserve	Not Reported	Malaysia
	Abasig - Matogdon - Mananap	Natural Biotic Area	V	Philippines
	Abdul Latief/ Sinjai	Taman Hutan Raya	VI	Indonesia
	Abun/Jamurba Medil	Kawasan Konservasi Perairan Daerah	VI	Indonesia
	Adlay	Marine Protected Area	Not Reported	Philippines
	Agan-an	Marine Reserve	VI	Philippines
	Agathis	Virgin Jungle Reserve	Ia	Malaysia
	Agoo - Damortis	Protected Landscape and Seascape	V	Philippines
	Agoo - Damortis Buffer Zone	Protected Landscape/Seascape - Buffer Zone	V	Philippines

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### BIM Web service API

General information on how to use the REST API

The Biodiversity Information Management handles API request using Darwincore structure using pre defined paramters. The cbelloran@aseanbiodiversity.org

#### Species by country

**1** To get a list of species per country

A simple way to get data from the server by API code when querying using "CountryID" as parameter and a unique API TOKEN provided (request).

**Note:** Parameters for "CountryID" are "BN", "KH", "ID", "LA", "MY", "MM", "PH", "SG", "TH", "VN"

```
Run API /bim_api/product/get_species.php?CountryID={CountryID}&API_TOKEN={}
```

#### Taxonomic group

**1** To get a list of Taxonomic group

To get a list of species based on their Taxonomic group (TaxonomicGroup). Using "TaxonomicGroup" as parameter.

**Note:** Parameters are listed below for reference

#### Taxonomic group

- Alga
- Amphibians
- Anthozoans
- Aquatic plant
- Arachnid
- Arachnids
- Archaea
- Bacteria
- Birds
- Bryozoa

### BIM Web service R Package

Data access using rBIM R package

BIM provides downloadable access in various databases using defined parameters. The mapper web service allows you to vis researchers, policy makers, universities, NGO and non-government organizations.

#### Species occurrence per country

**1** To get a list of species occurrence per country

A simple way to get data from the server and visualize using map using GBIF online mapper

**Note:** Parameters for &country = 'country=PH' # country code of Philippines

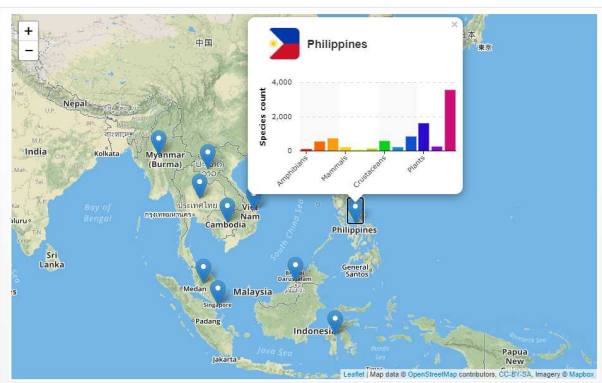
```
library(leaflet)
# need to define new projection. Only this projection will work with custom queries.
epsg4326 <- leafletCRS(crsClass = "L.CRS.EPSG4326", code = "EPSG:4326",
proj4def = "+proj=longlat +datum=WGS84 +no_defs",
Resolutions = 2^(18:0),
origin = c(0,0)
)
# create the gbif-geyser style raster layer
style <- '4326' # must use this projection code for custom maps
style <- 'style=gbif-geyser' # any style will work
tileRaster <- paste0('https://tile.gbif.org/', projection, '/omt/{z}/{x}/{y}@{x}.png?')
# create the data layer with dragonfly data # Note the "adhoc"
prefix <- 'https://apl.gbif.org/v2/maps/occurrence/adhoc/{z}/{x}/{y}@{x}.png?'
# make query
style <- 'style=classic.poly' # style of polygons
taxonKey = 'taxonKey=1' # taxon key of Odonata
country = 'country=PH' # country code of Philippines
tilePolygons = paste0(prefix, style, '&', taxonKey, '&', country)
# plot the map
leaflet(options = leafletOptions(crs = epsg4326)) %>%
setView(lng=121.65357287126402, lat=11.204269254887807, zoom=8) %>%
addTiles(urlTemplate=tileRaster) %>%
addTiles(urlTemplate=tilePolygons) %>%
```

### Assessed species summary in Philippines;

Taxonomic Group	Endemic	Native	IUCN Species assessed status		
			Critically Endangered	Endangered	Vulnerable
Amphibians	84	22	1	20	32
Bacteria	None	None	None	None	None
Birds	197	362			
Bony fish	62	78			
Crustaceans	44	58			
Cnidarians	None	31			
Demospogae	None	None			
Ferns	None	None			
Fungi	None	None			
Insects	61	95			
Plants	210	409			
Mammals	112	95			
Medicinal plants	None	3			
Molluscs	5	80			
Mosses	2	None			
Reptiles	164	59			
Unknown	None	None			





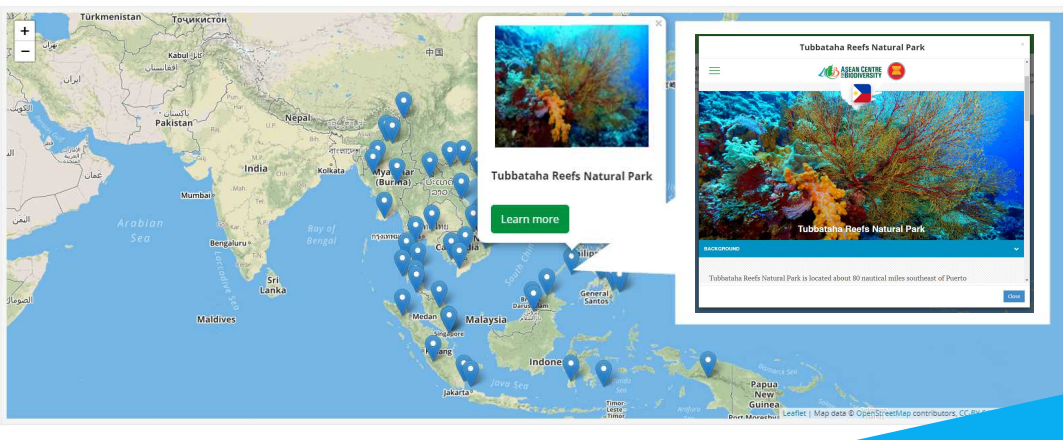


### ASEAN Heritage Parks (AHPs)

ASEAN Heritage Parks (AHPs) are selected protected areas in the ASEAN region which are known for their unique biodiversity and ecosystems, wilderness and outstanding values. AHPs were given the highest recognition because of their importance as conservation areas. Through the ASEAN Declaration on Heritage Parks and Reserves, the ASEAN Member States agreed to effectively manage these AHPs so as to maintain ecological processes and life support systems; preserve genetic diversity; ensure sustainable utilizations species and ecosystems; and maintain wilderness that have scenic, cultural, educational, research, recreational and tourism values.

As of 2020, a total of 49 ASEAN Heritage Parks had been established, the distribution is as follows:

- Burine Darussalam 1
- Cambodia 2
- Indonesia 7
- Lao PDR 1
- Malaysia 3
- Myanmar 3
- Philippines 9
- Agusan Marsh Wildlife Sanctuary
- Mc Apo Natural Park
- Mt. Hamiguitan Range Wildlife Sanctuary
- Mt. Kinabang Range Natural Park
- Mt. Makiling Forest Reserve
- Mt. Malindang Range Natural Park
- Mts. Iglit-Baco National Park
- Mts. Timpoing Hibok-Hibok Natural Monument-D43
- Tubbataha Reefs Natural Park
- Singapore 2
- Thailand 6
- Viet Nam 10





# Thank you!

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