

FIGURE 3.3

Proportion of forest area designated for conservation of biodiversity by country, 2010

TABLE 3.5

Trends in area of forest designated for conservation of biodiversity by region and subregion, 1990–2010

Region/subregion	Information availability		Area of forest designated for conservation of biodiversity (1 000 ha)				Annual change (1 000 ha)		Annual change rate (%)	
	Number of countries	% of total forest area	1990	2000	2005	2010	1990– 2000	2000– 2010	1990– 2000	2000– 2010
Eastern and Southern Africa	21	80.9	14 467	15 539	17 176	17 064	107	153	0.72	0.94
Northern Africa	7	99.1	13 325	12 597	12 677	12 769	-73	17	-0.56	0.14
Western and Central Africa	22	52.5	22 135	23 215	24 791	25 039	108	182	0.48	0.76
Total Africa	50	69.2	49 927	51 351	54 644	54 873	142	352	0.28	0.67
East Asia	4	90.2	10 167	10 798	13 737	14 889	63	409	0.60	3.26
South and Southeast Asia	17	100.0	47 312	51 005	62 254	60 846	369	984	0.75	1.78
Western and Central Asia	23	99.7	1 710	2 095	2 775	2 775	39	68	2.05	2.85
Total Asia	44	95.8	59 188	63 898	78 766	78 510	471	1 461	0.77	2.08
Europe excl. Russian Federation	44	98.2	6 840	13 203	18 240	19 407	636	620	6.80	3.93
Total Europe	45	99.7	18 655	29 393	34 728	36 979	1 074	759	4.65	2.32
Caribbean	11	53.1	617	671	696	711	5	4	0.85	0.58
Central America	3	36.9	4 337	4 023	3 841	3 677	-31	-35	-0.75	-0.90
North America	5	100.0	89 811	92 619	95 316	99 049	281	643	0.31	0.67
Total North and Central America	19	97.8	94 765	97 314	99 853	103 437	255	612	0.27	0.61
Total Oceania	18	21.6	7 196	8 412	8 334	8 234	122	-18	1.57	-0.21
Total South America	10	85.1	40 683	52 548	70 804	84 222	1 187	3 167	2.59	4.83
World	186	86.9	270 413	302 916	347 129	366 255	3 250	6 334	1.14	1.92