

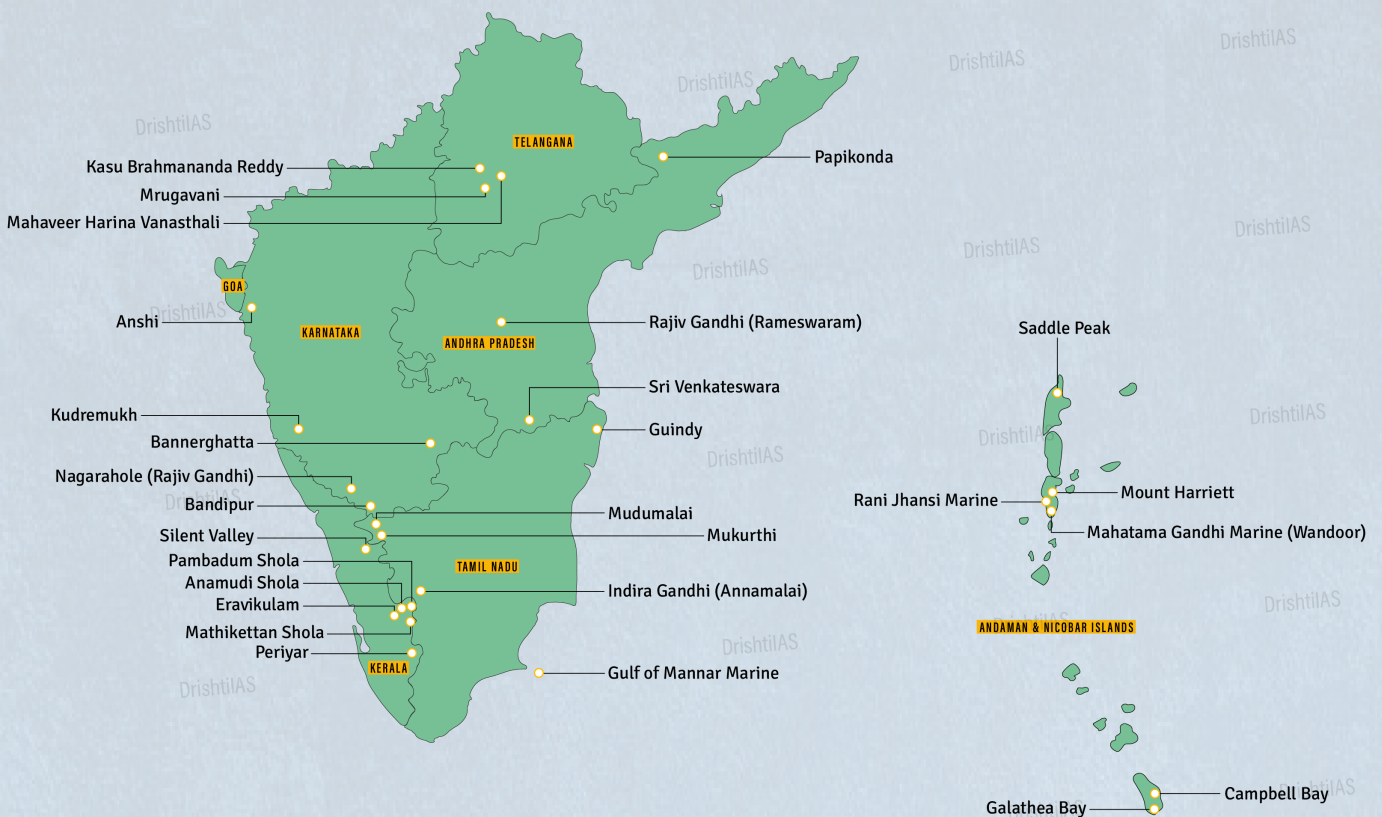


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ABOUT

- A national park can be notified by the state government for the preservation of its ecological, faunal, floral, geomorphological, or zoological importance.
- The areas are secured under the Wildlife Protection Act (WPA), 1972.
- No human activity is permitted inside the national park except for the ones permitted by the Chief Wildlife Warden of the state under the conditions given in the WPA.

FACTS

- Eravikulam National Park (Kerala): Famous for the natural habitat of Nilgiri Tahr, the endangered mountain goat. This is also the land of “Neelakurinji”, the flower that blooms once in twelve years.
- Mukurthi National Park, Silent Valley, Wyanaad Wildlife Sanctuary (Kerala), Bandipur National Park, Nagarhole National Park (Karnataka), and Mudumalai Wildlife Sanctuary (Tamil Nadu) are the protected areas within Nilgiri Biosphere Reserve - first biosphere reserve in India established in the year 1986.



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