

TABLE 2.4 FOREST AREA BY LEGAL STATUS**(In square kilometer)**

Sl.No	Name of State/UT	Recorded Forest Area			
		Reserved	Protected	Un classed	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Andhra Pradesh	50479	12365	970	63814
2	Arunachal Pradesh	19880	0	31660	51540
3	Assam	18060	0	8958	27018
4	Bihar	693	5384	1	6078
5	Chhatisgarh	23966	31107	4212	59285
6	Goa	236	0	988	1224
7	Gujarat	13904	396	4699	18999
8	Haryana	249	1155	147	1551
9	Himachal Pradesh	1896	33043	2094	37033
10	Jammu & Kashmir	20230	0	0	20230
11	Jharkhand	4387	19185	33	23605
12	Karnataka	28611	3932	6181	38724
13	Kerala	11038	183	0	11221
14	Madhya Pradesh	58734	35587	900	95221
15	Maharashtra	49217	8196	4526	61939
16	Manipur	1467	4171	11780	17418
17	Meghalaya	1112	12	8372	9496
18	Mizoram	7127	3568	5240	15935
19	Nagaland	308	508	7813	8629
20	Orissa	26329	15524	16282	58135
21	Punjab	44	1112	1903	3059
22	Rajasthan	11860	17658	2976	32494
23	Sikkim	5376	285	104	5765
24	Tamil Nadu	19325	2240	1306	22871
25	Tripura	3588	509	2196	6293
26	Uttar Pradesh	11078	2425	3323	16826
27	Uttaranchal	23827	10673	162	34662
28	West Bengal	7054	3772	1053	11879
29	Andaman Nicobar	2929	4242	0	7171
30	Chandigarh	31	0	2	33
31	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	198	5	0	203
32	Daman & Diu	0	1	0	1
33	Delhi	78	7	0	85
34	Lakshyadweep	0	0	0	0
35	Pondicherry	0	0	0	0
	TOTAL	423311	217245	127881	768437

Source: State of Forest Report, 2001, FSI, MoEF, GOI.