

TABLE 6.2 BIOSPHERE RESERVES**(Area in square kilometer)**

Sl. No.	Geographical Region	Name of the Biosphere Reserve	Date of Notification	Names of state (s)	Area
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Western Ghats	Nilgiri	1-8-86	Tamil Nadu, Karnataka and Kerala	5520
2	West Himalayas	Nanda Devi	1982	Uttaranchal	5861
3	Eastern Himalayas	Nokrek	1-9-98	Meghalaya	820
4	Eastern Himalayas	Manas	14-3-89	Assam	2837
5	Gigantic Delta	Sunder bans	29-3-89	West Bengal	9630
6	Coasts	Gulf of Mannar	18-2-89	Tamil Nadu	10500
7	Island	Great Nicobar	6-1-89	Andaman – Nicobar	885
8	Deccan Peninsula	Simlipal	21-6-94	Orissa	4374
9	Eastern Himalayas	Dibru – Saikhowa	28-7-97	Assam	765
10	Eastern Himalayas	Dehang Debang	2-9-98	Arunachal Pradesh	5112
11	Semi Arid Satpura	Pachmarhi	3-3-99	Madhya Pradesh	4926
12	Eastern Himalayas	Kanchanjunga	7-2-2000	Sikkim	2620
13	South West	Agasthyamalai	12-11-2001	Kerala	1701

Source: CS Division of MoEF, GOI.