

## Annexure

## Recorded Forest Areas (RFA) in States/UTs as per ISFR-2021

(Area in square kilometer)

S. No.	State/ UT	Geographical Area (GA)	RFA (in different categories)			Total RFA (2021)
			Reserved Forest	Protected Forest	Unclassed Forests*	
	Andhra Pradesh	1,62,968	31,959	5,069	230	37,258
	Arunachal Pradesh	83,743	12,371	11,857	27,312	51,540
	Assam	78,438	17,864	0	8,972	26,836
	Bihar	94,163	693	6,183	566	7,442
	Chhattisgarh	1,35,192	25,897	24,036	9,883	59,816
	Delhi	1,483	78	25	0	103
	Goa	3,702	119	755	397	1,271
	Gujarat	196,244	14,574	2,898	4,398	21,870

Haryana	44,212	249	1,158	152	1,559
Himachal Pradesh	55,673	1,883	28,887	7,178	37,948
Jharkhand	79,716	4,500	18,922	1,696	25,118
Karnataka	191,791	28,690	3,931	5,663	38,284
Kerala	38,852	11,522	0	0	11,522
Madhya Pradesh	3,08,252	61,886	31,098	1,705	94,689
<b>Maharashtra</b>	<b>3,07,713</b>	<b>50,865</b>	<b>6,433</b>	<b>4,654</b>	<b>61,952</b>
Manipur	22,327	984	3,254	13,180	17,418
Meghalaya	22,429	1,113	12	8,371	9,496
Mizoram	21,081	4,499	1,823	1,157	7,479
Nagaland	16,579	234	0	8,389	8,623
Odisha	1,55,707	36,049	25,133	22	61,204
Punjab	50,362	44	1,137	1,903	3,084

	Rajasthan	3,42,239	12,176	18,543	2,144	32,863	
	Sikkim	7,096	5,452	389	0	5,841	
	Tamil Nadu	1,30,060	20,523	1,053	1,612	23,188	
	Telangana	1,12,077	25,800	1,592	296	27,688	
	Tripura	10,486	3,588	2	2,704	6,294	
	Uttar Pradesh**	2,40,928	11,560	296	5,528	17,384	
	Uttarakhand	53,483	26,547	9,885	1,568	38,000	
	West Bengal	88,752	7,054	3,772	1,053	11,879	
	A & N Islands	8,249	5,613	1,558	0	7,171	
	Chandigarh	114	32	0	3	35	
	Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu	602	203	5	6	214	
	Jammu & Kashmir	Shape file Area*** (54,624)	2,22,236	17,648	2,551	0	20,199

Ladakh	Shape file Area*** (1,68,055)		7	0	0	7
Lakshadweep		30	0	0	0	0
Puducherry		490	0	2	11	13
<b>Total</b>		<b>32,87,469</b>	<b>4,42,276</b>	<b>2,12,259</b>	<b>1,20,753</b>	<b>7,75,288</b>

Source: State/UTs Forest Departments

\*Unclassed Forest includes all forest other than Reserve Forest and Protected Forest as reported by State/UTs Forest Departments.

\*\*In case of Uttar Pradesh, the RFA excludes 9,662.764 km of linear plantations along Road, Railway line and Canal.

\*\*\*Area of shape file provided by Survey of India (August, 2021). Notified geographical areas for individual UTs from SOI are awaited.