

## 75 Ramsar Sites in India 2022

### List of 75 Ramsar Sites in India 2022

**75 Ramsar Sites in India in 75th Year of Independence 2022.** India adds 11 new wetlands to the list of Ramsar Sites with a total area of 13,26,677 hectares.

The new 11 sites includes :-**4 sites in Tamil Nadu,3 in Odisha, 2 in Jammu and Kashmir, and 1 each in Madhya Pradesh and Maharashtra**

- **In year 2022, 28 sites have been designated as Ramsar sites.** Based on the designation date shown on the Ramsar Certificate, the number is 19 for this year 2022 and 14 for the year 2021.
- As of Aug 2022, The state of **Tamil Nadu has the most Ramsar sites in India i.e 14, followed by the state of Uttar Pradesh with 10 sites.**
- **Goa, Karnataka and Mizoram got there First Ramsar Sites, this year.**

### 75 Ramsar Sites Declared by/Added on

- As of 9 December 2021, there were **47 Ramsar** wetlands in India.
- On **2 February 2022**, India adds **two more Ramsar sites** upscaling the number from 47 to 49.
- On **26 July 2022**, India added **5 more** Ramsar sites to its existing list.
- On **3 August 2022**, India added **10 more** Ramsar sites to its existing list.
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Sl. No	Name of wetland	State
1.	<b>Tampara Lake</b>	Odisha
2.	<b>Hirakud Reservoir</b>	Odisha
3.	<b>Ansupa Lake</b>	Odisha
4.	<b>Yashwant Sagar</b>	Madhya Pradesh
5.	<b>Chitrangudi Bird Sanctuary</b>	Tamil Nadu
6.	<b>Suchindram Theroor Wetland Complex</b>	Tamil Nadu
7.	<b>Vaduvur Bird Sanctuary</b>	Tamil Nadu
8.	<b>Kanjirankulam Bird Sanctuary</b>	Tamil Nadu
9.	<b>Thane Creek</b>	Maharashtra
10.	<b>Hygam Wetland Conservation Reserve</b>	Jammu and Kashmir
11.	<b>Shallbugh Wetland Conservation Reserve</b>	Jammu and Kashmir

[On 3 August 2022, India added 10 more Ramsar sites.](#)

Name	State	Added on Date
Koothankulam Bird Sanctuary	Tamil Nadu	3 August 2022
Gulf of Mannar Marine Biosphere Reserve	Tamil Nadu	3 August 2022
Vembannur Wetland Complex	Tamil Nadu	3 August 2022
Vellore Bird Sanctuary	Tamil Nadu	3 August 2022
Vedanthangal Bird Sanctuary	Tamil Nadu	3 August 2022
Udhayamarthandapuram Bird Sanctuary	Tamil Nadu	3 August 2022
Satkosia Gorge	Odisha	3 August 2022
Nanda Lake	Goa	3 August 2022
Ranganathittu Bird Sanctuary	Karnataka	3 August 2022
Sirpur Wetland	Madhya Pradesh	3 August 2022

[On 26 July 2022, 5 new Indian sites were added to the List of Ramsar sites, or wetlands.](#)

Name	State	Added on Date
Karikili Bird Sanctuary	Tamil Nadu	26 July 2022
Pallikaranai Marsh Reserve Forest	Tamil Nadu	26 July 2022
Pichavaram Mangrove	Tamil Nadu	26 July 2022
Sakhya Sagar	Madhya Pradesh	26 July 2022
Pala Wetlands	Mizoram	26 July 2022

[On 2nd February 2022 designated 2 new sites on Wetlands in The Ramsar Convention.](#)

Name	State	Added on Date
Khijadia Bird Sanctuary near Jamnagar	Gujarat	2nd February 2022
Bakhira Wildlife Sanctuary	Uttar Pradesh	2nd February 2022

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Site	State/UT	Date of Designation	Area (km <sup>2</sup> )
Chilika Lake	Odisha	1 October 1981	1165
Keoladeo National Park	Rajasthan	1 October 1981	28.73
Harike Wetland	Punjab	23 March 1990	41
Loktak Lake	Manipur	23 March 1990	266
Sambhar Lake	Rajasthan	23 March 1990	240
Wular Lake	Jammu and Kashmir	23 March 1990	189
Ashtamudi Wetland	Kerala	19 August 2002	614
Bhitarkanika Mangroves	Odisha	19 August 2002	650
Bhoj Wetland	Madhya Pradesh	19 August 2002	32
Deepor Beel	Assam	19 August 2002	40
East Kolkata Wetlands	West Bengal	19 August 2002	125
Kanjli Wetland	Punjab	22 January 2002	1.83
Kolleru Lake	Andhra Pradesh	19 August 2002	901
Point Calimere Wildlife and Bird Sanctuary	Tamil Nadu	19 August 2002	385
Pong Dam Lake	Himachal Pradesh	19 August 2002	156.62

Ropar Wetland	Punjab	22 January 2002	13.65
Sasthamkotta Lake	Kerala	19 August 2002	3.73
Tsomoriri	Ladakh	19 August 2002	120
Vembanad-Kol Wetland	Kerala	19 August 2002	1512.5
Chandra Taal	Himachal Pradesh	8 November 2005	0.49
Hokera Wetland	Jammu and Kashmir	8 November 2005	13.75
Renuka Lake	Himachal Pradesh	8 November 2005	0.2
Rudrasagar Lake	Tripura	8 November 2005	2.4
Surinsar-Mansar Lakes	Jammu and Kashmir	8 November 2005	3.5
Upper Ganga River (Brijghat to Narora Stretch)	Uttar Pradesh	8 November 2005	265.9
Nalsarovar Bird Sanctuary	Gujarat	24 September 2012	123
Sundarban Wetland	West Bengal	1 February 2019	4230
Nandur Madhameshwar	Maharashtra	21 June 2019	14
Nawabganj Bird Sanctuary	Uttar Pradesh	19 September 2019	2
Sarsai Nawar Jheel	Uttar Pradesh	19 September 2019	2
Keshopur-Miani Community Reserve	Punjab	26 September 2019	34

Beas Conservation Reserve	Punjab	26 September 2019	64
Nangal Wildlife Sanctuary	Punjab	26 September 2019	1
Sandi Bird Sanctuary	Uttar Pradesh	26 September 2019	3
Samaspur Bird Sanctuary	Uttar Pradesh	3 October 2019	8
Parvati Arga Bird Sanctuary	Uttar Pradesh	2 December 2019	7
Saman Bird Sanctuary	Uttar Pradesh	2 December 2019	5
Asan Barrage	Uttarakhand	21 July 2020	4.44 stretch
Kanwar Taal or Kabar Taal Lake	Bihar	21 July 2020	26.2
Sur Sarovar	Uttar Pradesh	13 November 2020	4.31
Lonar Lake	Maharashtra	13 November 2020	4.27
Tso Kar Wetland	Ladakh	17 November 2020	95.77
Bhindawas Wildlife Sanctuary	Haryana	25 May 2021	4.11
Haiderpur Wetland	Uttar Pradesh	25 December 2021	142.5
Sultanpur National Park	Haryana	25 May 2021	142.5
Thol Lake	Gujarat	05 April 2021	6.99

Wadhvana Wetland	Gujarat	05 April 2021	10.38
Bakhira Sanctuary	Uttar Pradesh	2 February 2022	29.00
Khijadiya Bird Sanctuary	Gujarat	2 February 2022	6.05
Karikili Bird Sanctuary	Tamil Nadu	26 July 2022	0.61
Pallikaranai Marsh Reserve Forest	Tamil Nadu	26 July 2022	80
Pichavaram Mangrove Forest	Tamil Nadu	26 July 2022	11
Pala Wetland	Mizoram	26 July 2022	18.5
Sakhya Sagar	Madhya Pradesh	26 July 2022	
Koonthankulam Bird Sanctuary	Tamil Nadu	4 <sup>th</sup> Aug 2022	72.04
Satkosia Gorge	Odisha	4 <sup>th</sup> Aug 2022	98196.72
Nanda Lake	Goa	4 <sup>th</sup> Aug 2022	42.01
Gulf of Mannar Marine Biosphere Reserve	Tamil Nadu	4 <sup>th</sup> Aug 2022	52671.88
Ranganathittu BS	Karnataka	4 <sup>th</sup> Aug 2022	517.70
Vembannur Wetland Complex	Tamil Nadu	4 <sup>th</sup> Aug 2022	19.75
Vellode Bird Sanctuary	Tamil Nadu	4 <sup>th</sup> Aug 2022	77.19
Sirpur wetland	Madhya Pradesh	4 <sup>th</sup> Aug 2022	161
Udhayamarthandapuram Bird Sanctuary	Tamil Nadu	4 <sup>th</sup> Aug 2022	0.44
Vedanthangal Bird Sanctuary	Tamil Nadu	4 <sup>th</sup> Aug 2022	0.40
Tampara Lake	Odisha	13 <sup>th</sup> August 2022	-
Hirakud Reservoir	Odisha	13 <sup>th</sup> August 2022	-

Ansupa Lake	Odisha	13 <sup>th</sup> August 2022	-
Yashwant Sagar	Madhya Pradesh	13 <sup>th</sup> August 2022	-
Chitrangudi Bird Sanctuary	Tamil Nadu	13 <sup>th</sup> August 2022	-
Suchindram Theroor Wetland Complex	Tamil Nadu	13 <sup>th</sup> August 2022	-
Vaduvur Bird Sanctuary	Tamil Nadu	13 <sup>th</sup> August 2022	-
Kanjirankulam Bird Sanctuary	Tamil Nadu	13 <sup>th</sup> August 2022	-
Thane Creek	Maharashtra	13 <sup>th</sup> August 2022	-
Hygam Wetland Conservation Reserve	Jammu and Kashmir	13 <sup>th</sup> August 2022	-
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