

Changes in area figures for Natural Parks

As of March 31, 2008 (Unit: ha)

Tally by year	National Parks		Quasi-National Parks		Prefectural Natural Parks		Total	
	Number of parks	Area	Number of parks	Area	Number of parks	Area	Number of parks	Area
1961	19	1,745,806	20	523,243			39	2,269,049
1962	20	1,793,208	19	462,113			39	2,255,321
1963	21	1,821,743	22	548,922			43	2,370,665
1964	23	1,963,052	24	593,832			47	2,556,884
1965	23	1,963,583	27	658,537	238	1,858,303	288	4,480,423
1966	23	1,963,583	27	658,537	261	2,003,654	311	4,625,774
1967	23	1,963,648	30	679,483	263	2,019,597	316	4,662,728
1968	23	1,963,654	36	839,752	274	2,101,817	333	4,905,223
1969	23	1,963,654	40	957,687	270	1,972,697	333	4,894,038
1970	23	1,963,741	44	992,101	279	2,023,546	346	4,979,388
1971	23	1,961,694	44	991,205	279	2,023,546	346	4,976,445
1972	26	1,991,578	46	999,812	286	1,990,618	358	4,982,008
1973	26	1,991,578	50	1,177,730	287	2,049,369	363	5,218,677
1974	27	2,013,183	50	1,127,059	290	2,014,392	367	5,154,634
1975	27	2,014,690	50	1,127,083	293	2,034,351	370	5,176,124
1976	27	2,018,204	50	1,127,083	290	1,996,564	367	5,141,851
1977	27	2,020,490	50	1,128,648	292	2,029,885	369	5,179,023
1978	27	2,020,373	51	1,146,059	291	2,937,731	369	5,204,163
1979	27	2,020,460	51	1,145,042	291	2,036,582	369	5,202,084
1980	27	2,020,573	51	1,147,201	293	2,045,234	371	5,213,008
1981	27	2,019,781	52	1,247,260	294	2,025,071	373	5,292,112
1982	27	2,020,937	54	1,287,997	294	2,008,991	375	5,317,925
1983	27	2,020,844	54	1,287,890	297	2,011,433	378	5,320,167
1984	27	2,023,924	54	1,287,934	298	2,011,882	379	5,323,740
1985	27	2,022,077	54	1,289,101	298	2,010,560	379	5,213,008
1986	27	2,022,162	54	1,288,774	298	1,985,078	379	5,296,014
1987	28	2,050,106	54	1,288,774	299	1,990,583	381	5,329,463
1988	28	2,048,817	54	1,291,044	300	1,985,342	382	5,325,203
1989	28	2,051,592	54	1,291,836	300	1,983,585	382	5,327,013
1990	28	2,051,400	55	1,333,505	299	1,945,406	382	5,330,311
1991	28	2,051,337	55	1,332,997	299	1,944,232	382	5,328,566
1992	28	2,051,337	55	1,332,537	301	1,951,112	384	5,334,986
1993	28	2,051,312	55	1,332,882	301	1,941,628	384	5,325,822
1994	28	2,051,190	55	1,332,370	301	1,943,046	384	5,326,606
1995	28	2,048,227	55	1,331,934	303	1,949,191	386	5,329,352
1996	28	2,047,408	55	1,339,347	304	1,948,687	387	5,335,442
1997	28	2,047,265	55	1,343,231	304	1,945,165	387	5,335,661
1998	28	2,046,635	55	1,343,181	306	1,951,761	389	5,341,577
1999	28	2,046,508	55	1,343,181	307	1,957,360	390	5,347,049
2000	28	2,051,179	55	1,343,273	307	1,957,732	390	5,352,184
2001	28	2,056,556	55	1,343,255	308	1,961,928	391	5,361,739
2002	28	2,058,095	55	1,343,889	308	1,961,830	391	5,363,814
2003	28	2,061,040	55	1,343,882	308	1,962,220	391	5,367,142
2004	28	2,065,167	55	1,344,453	309	1,961,287	392	5,370,907
2005	28	2,065,156	55	1,344,500	309	1,959,143	392	5,368,799
2006	28	2,067,836	55	1,344,499	309	1,959,255	392	5,371,590
2007	29	2,086,945	56	1,361,448	309	1,941,445	392	5,389,838