

South America			
Hotspot	Hotspot original extent	Hotspot vegetation remaining	Area protected
	(in sq km)		
Coastal Atlantic Forests	1,233,875	99,944	50,370
Cerrado	2,031,990	438,910	111,051
Chilean Winter Rainfall Valdivian Forests	397,142	119,143	50,745
Tropical Andes	1,542,644	385,661	246,871
Tumbes-Chocó-Magdalena	274,597	65,903	34,338

Source: [www.biodiversityhotspots.org](http://www.biodiversityhotspots.org). Accessed in March 2008