



A PROMISE TO THE PLANET; NEW RESERVED FORESTS OF TAMILNADU





Tamil Nadu, home to varied landscapes and rich biodiversity has always been in forefront in conserving its forest areas. Significant initiative has been taken towards this in recent years by notifying new Reserved Forests. This endeavour not only safeguards state's precious natural resources but also unlocks a multitude of ecosystem services that benefit both people and the planet. By declaring these areas as protected forests, we are not only conserving vital habitats for countless species of wildlife, but also ensuring the continued provision of essential ecosystem services.

These forests will act as lungs for planet, our producing oxygen, filtering water, and regulating the climate. They will also provide a natural barrier against soil erosion. landslides. and floods. protecting communities living in and around these forests. The expansion of forest cover in Tamil Nadu will have farbenefits. from reaching supporting rural livelihoods to mitigating the impacts of climate change. These forests will serve as carbon sinks. absorbing and storing carbon dioxide, and helping to reduce India's carbon footprint.





This repository is a celebration of Tamil Nadu's commitment to environmental conservation and sustainable development. showcases the natural beauty, ecological significance, and cultural importance of these newly notified reserved forests. We hope this book will inspire readers to join us in our mission to protect and preserve Tamil Nadu's natural heritage, and to recognize the immense value that these forests bring to our lives and our planet.



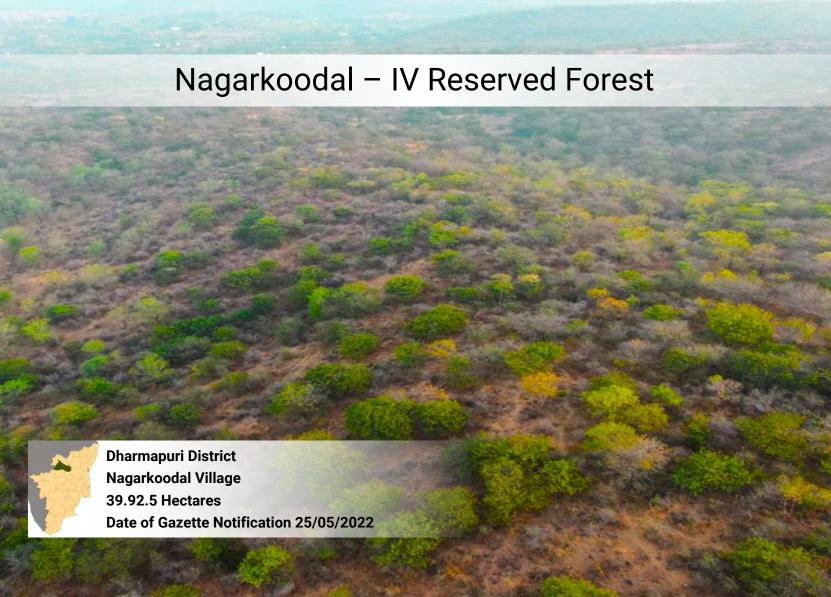




Mamalai Extension Reserved Forest







Uthappanaickanur Additional - III Reserved Forest









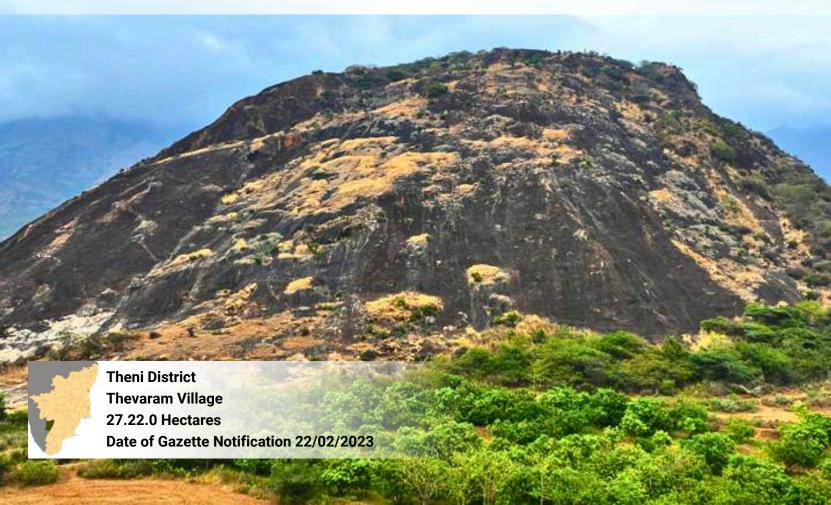








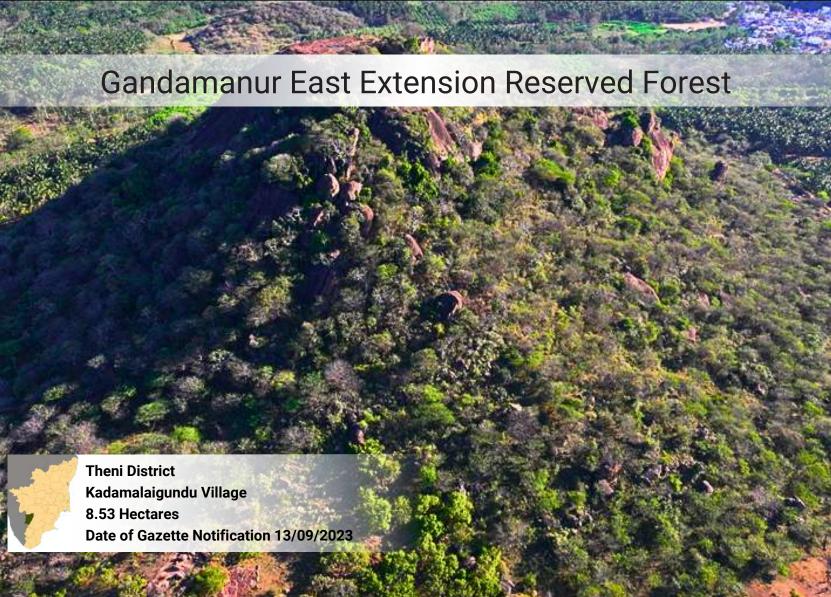
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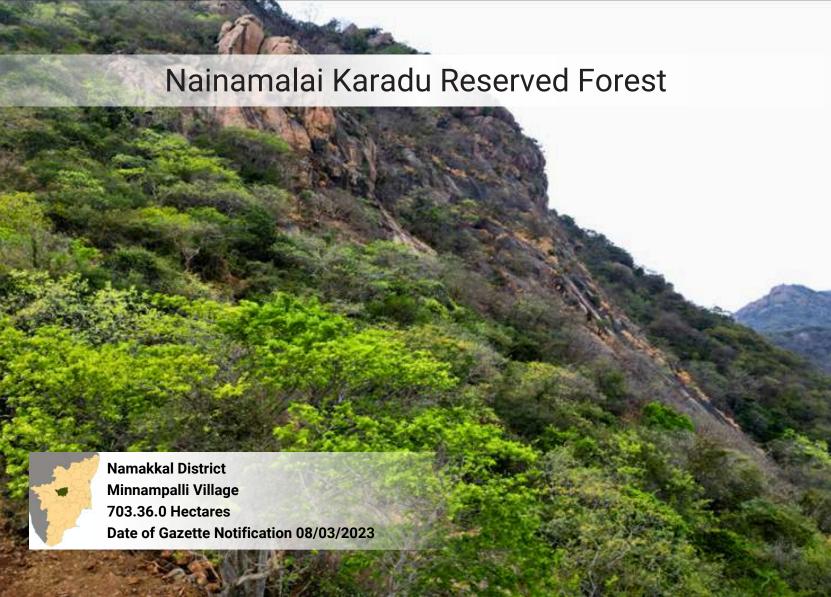






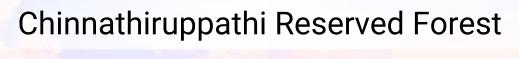






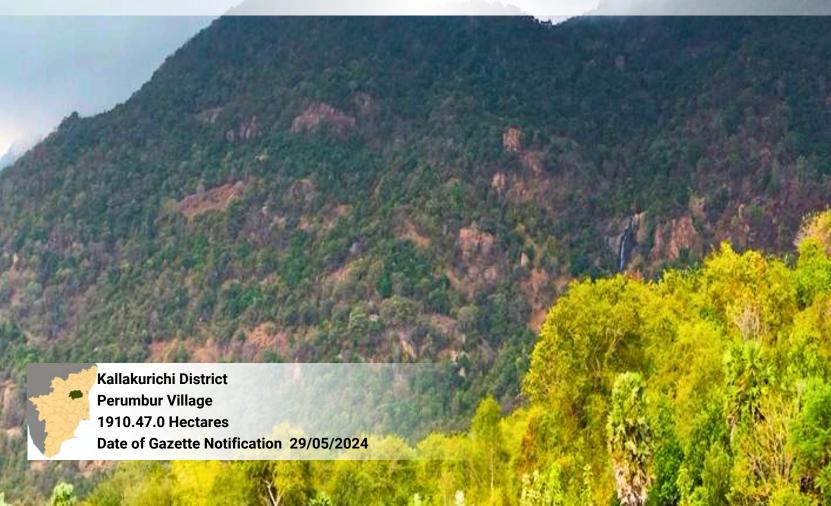




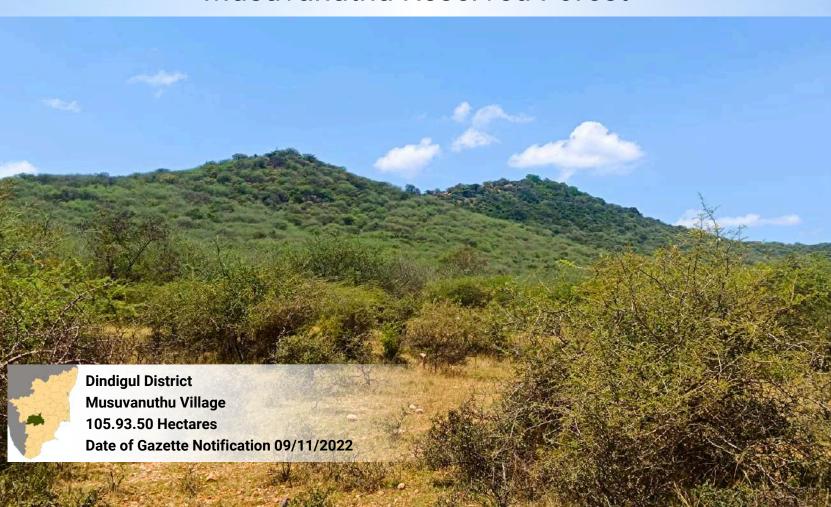








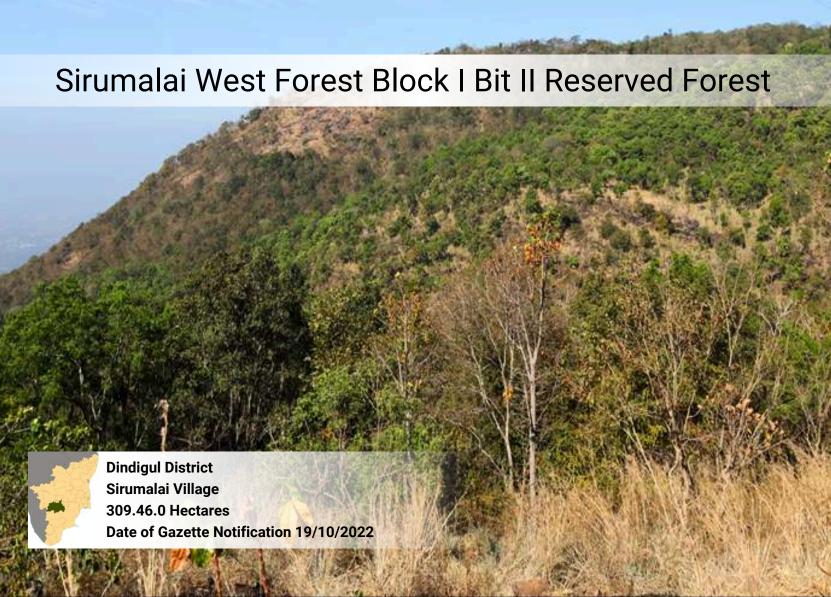
Musuvanuthu Reserved Forest



Sirumalai West Block - I Bit - IV Reserved Forest

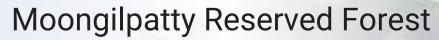


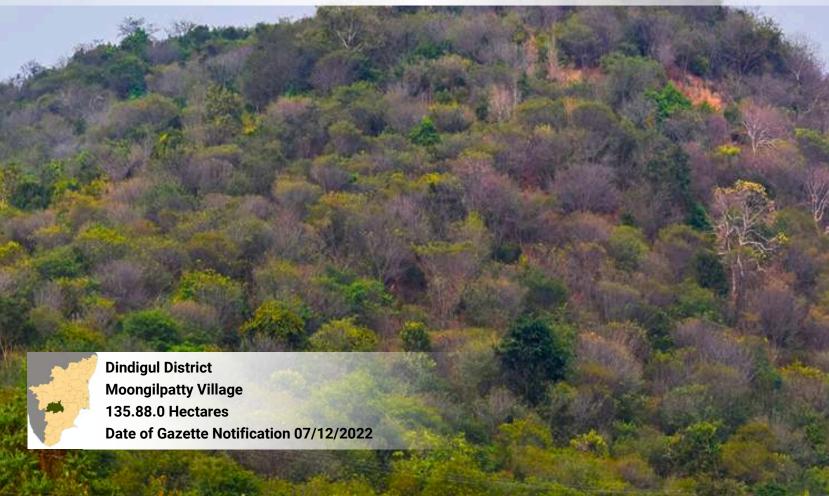


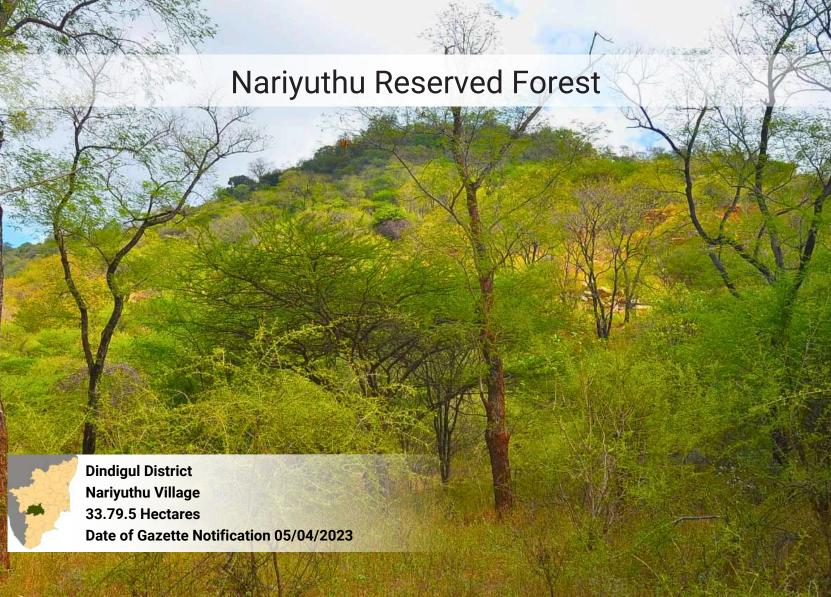


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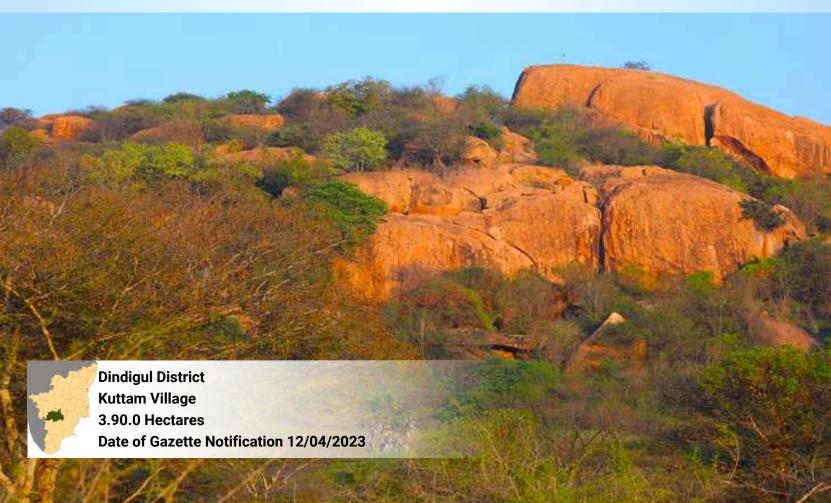


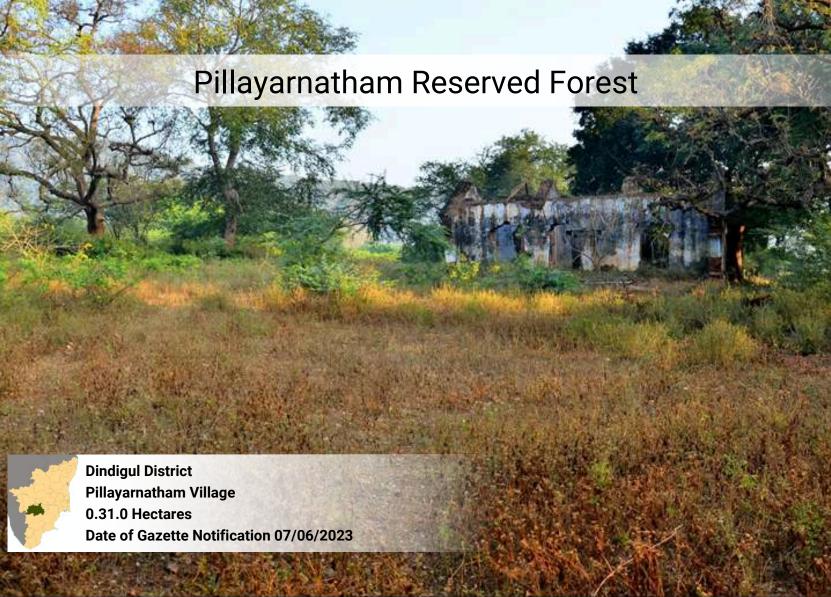




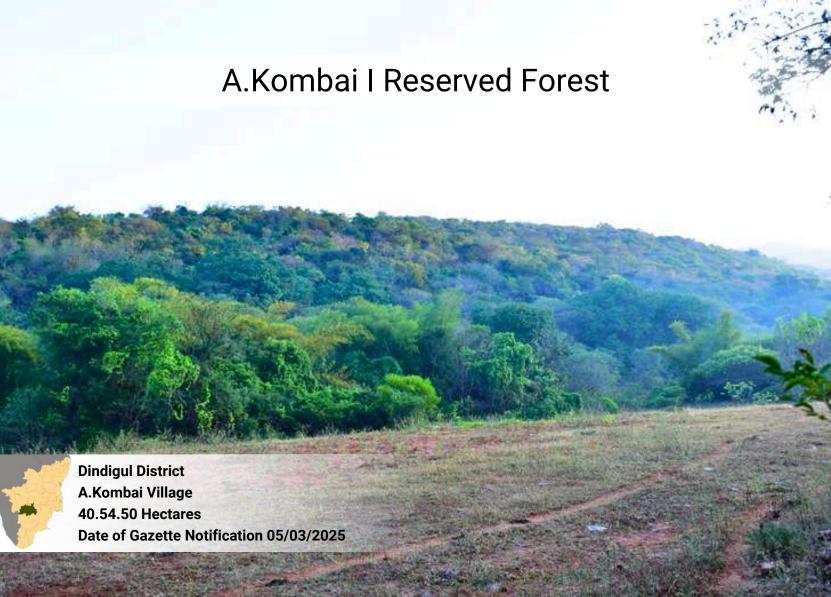


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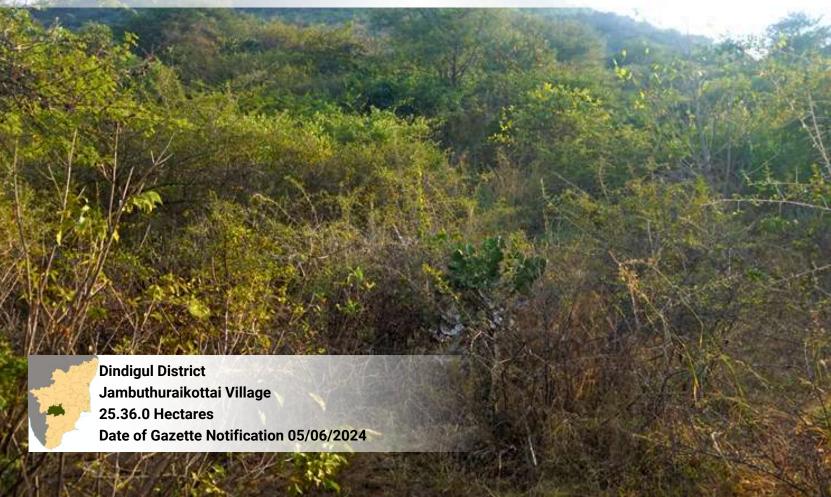




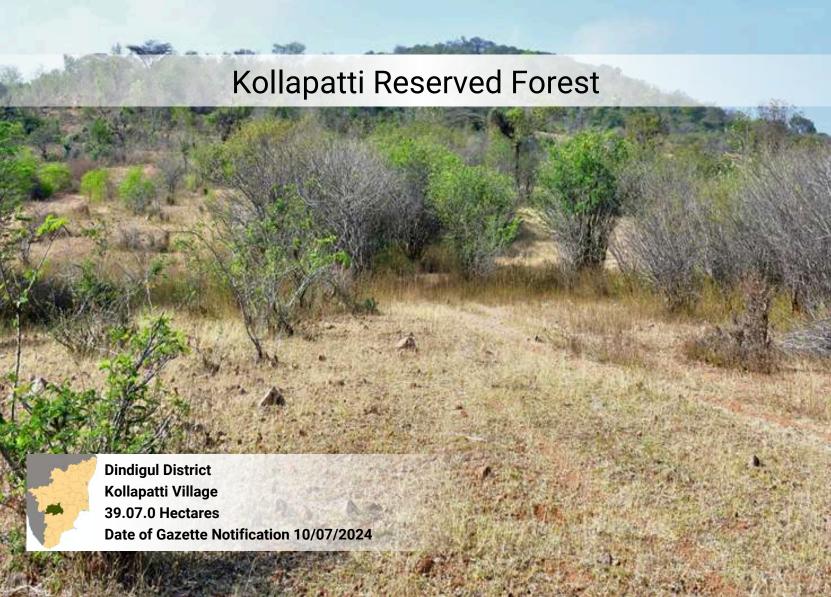




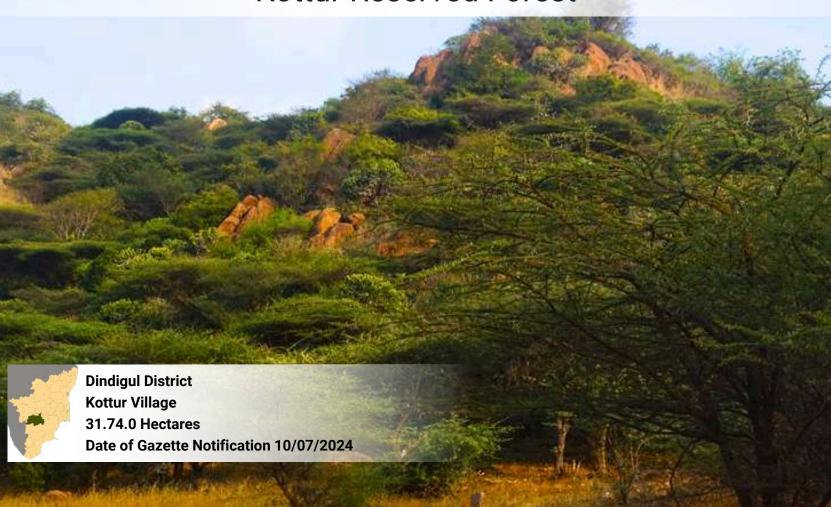




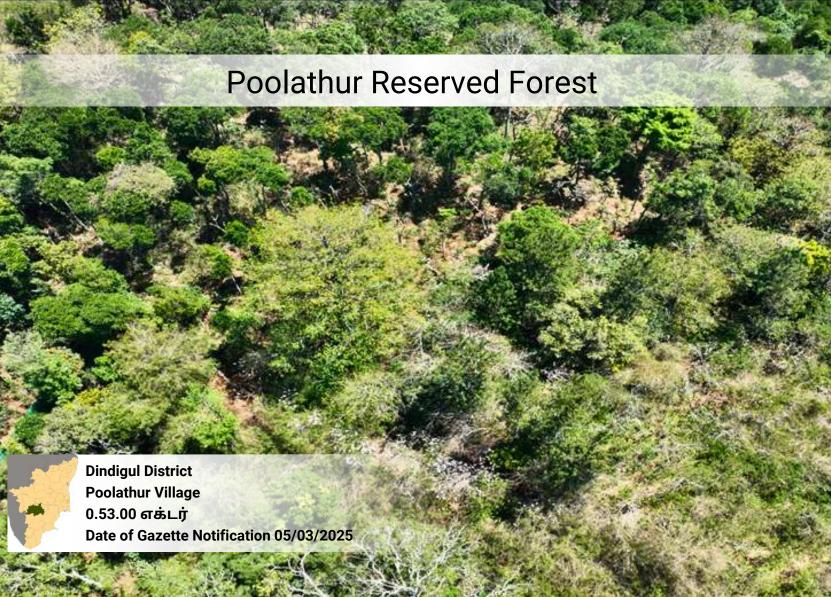




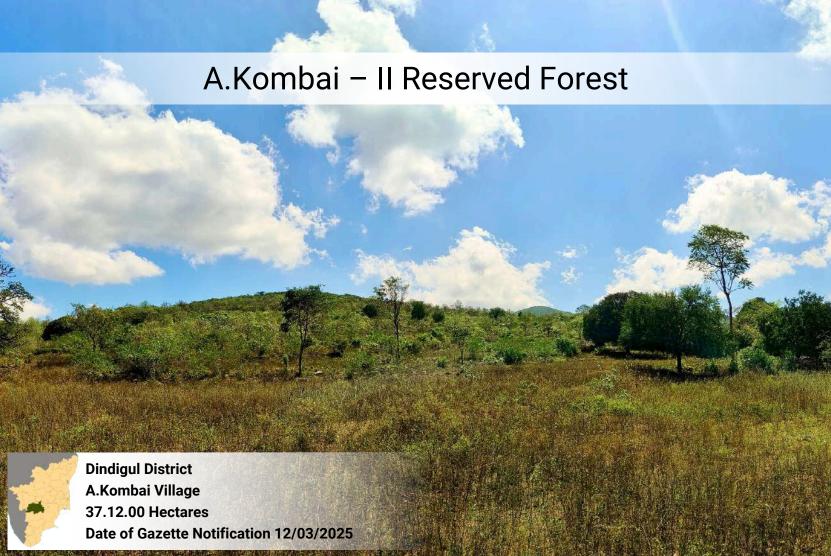
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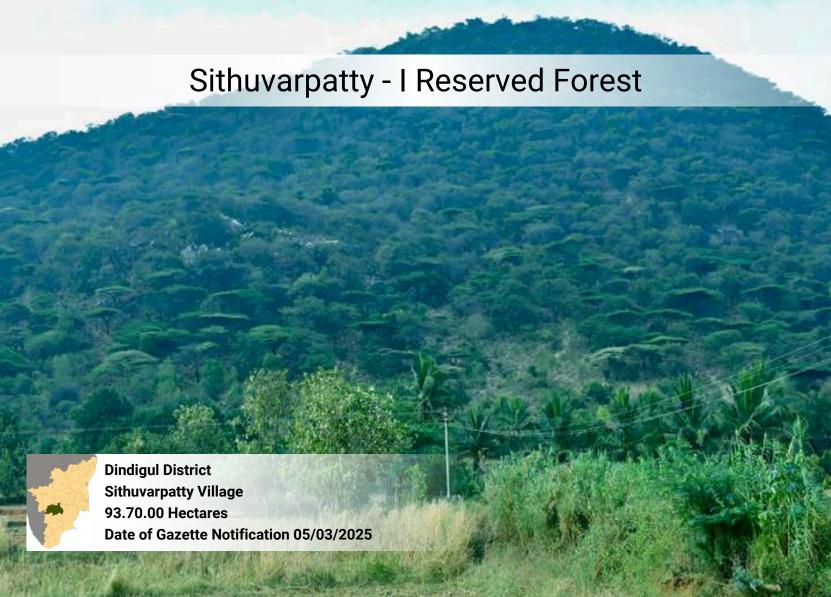


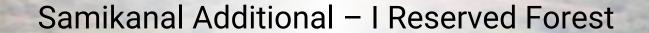




Ethilodu – II (Bit – I & II) Reserved Forest **Dindigul District Ethilodu Village** 26.90.78 Hectares Date of Gazette Notification 05/03/2025

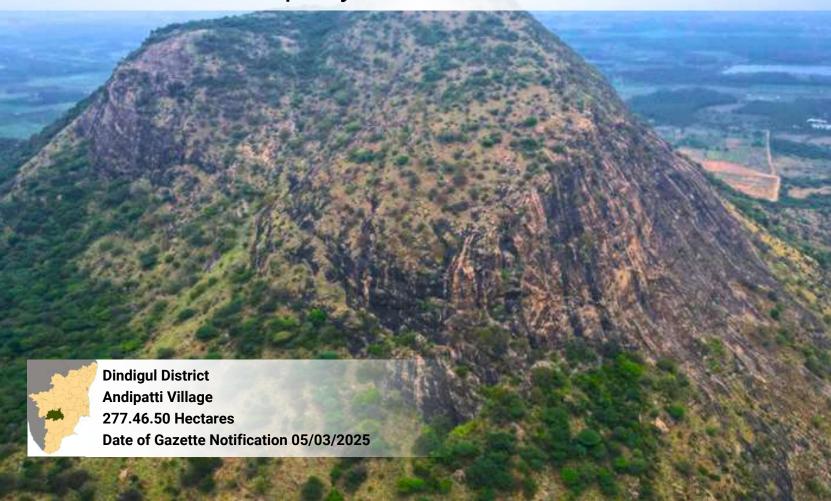




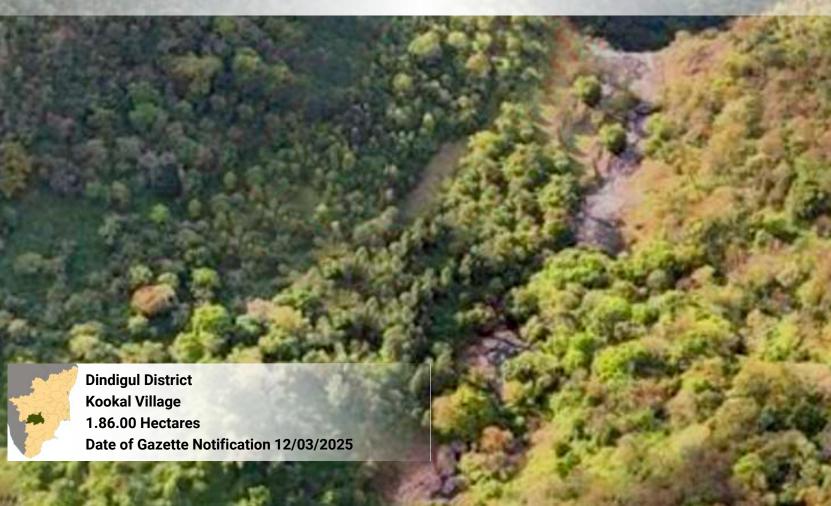


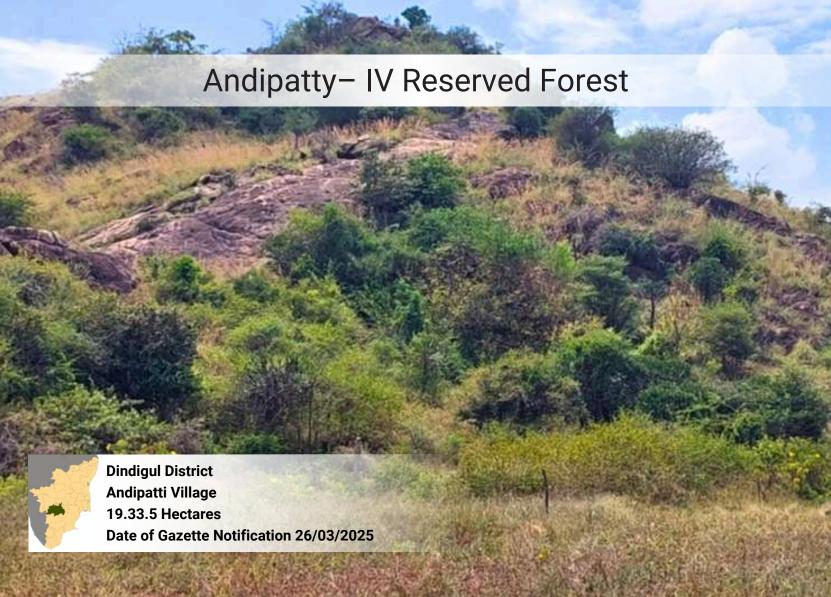


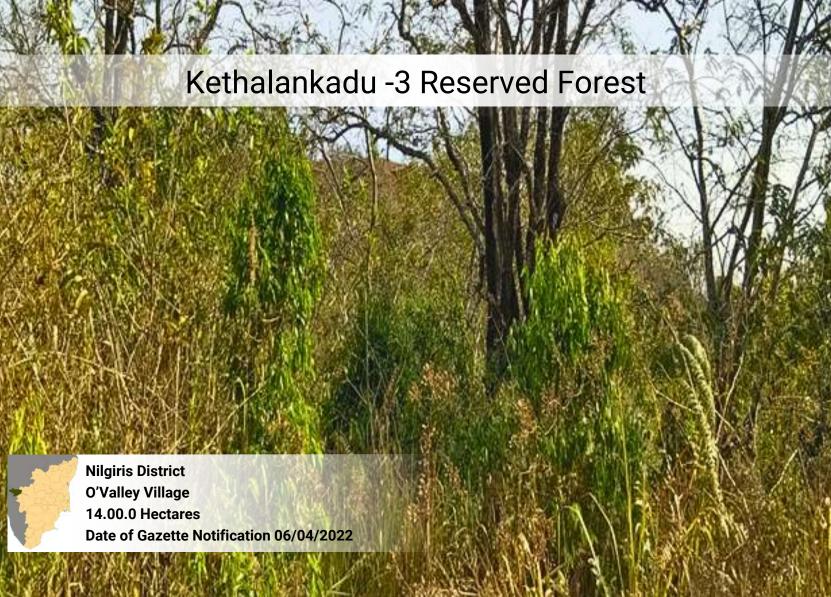
Andipatty - V Reserved Forest



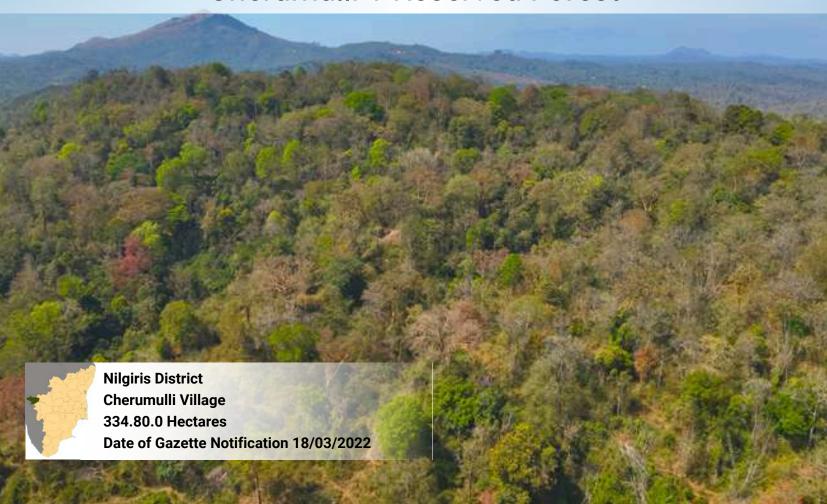








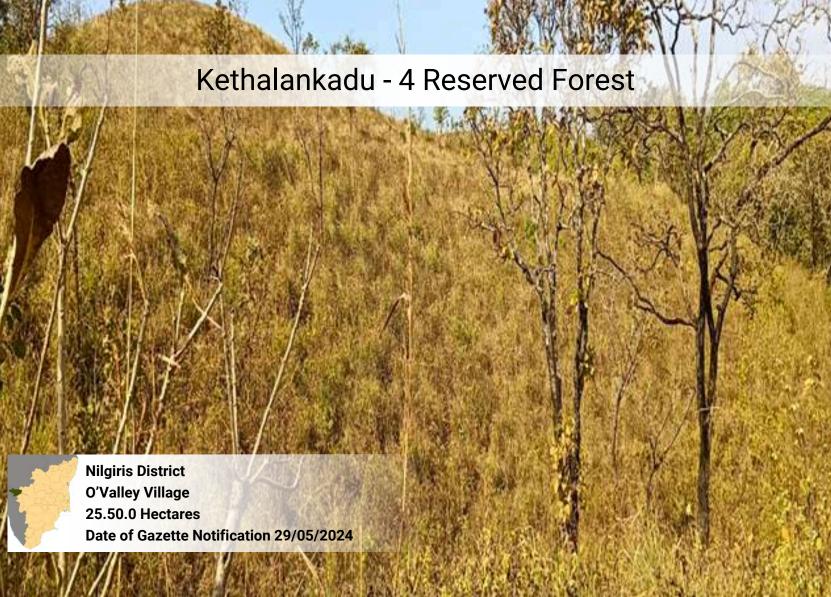
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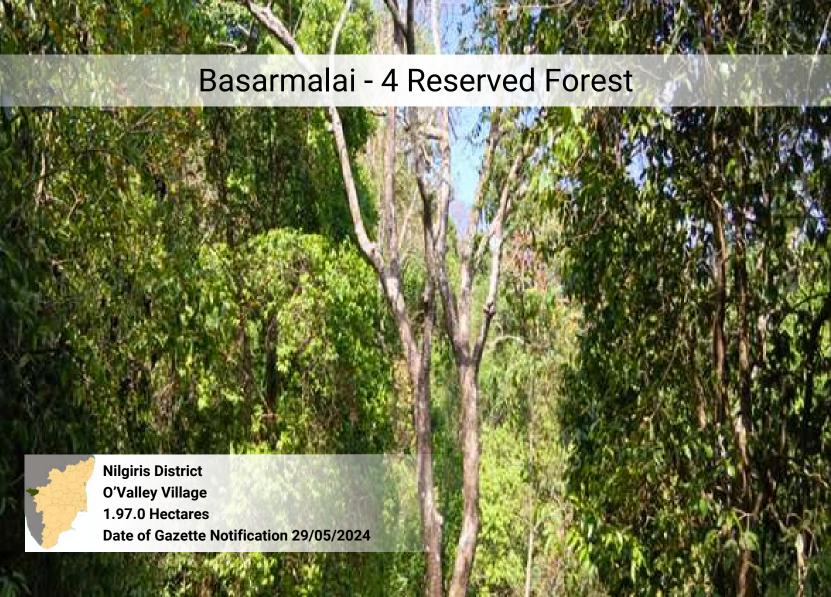




Kethalankadu - 5 Reserved Forest **Nilgiris District** O'Valley Village **12.80.0 Hectares** Date of Gazette Notification 06/04/2022

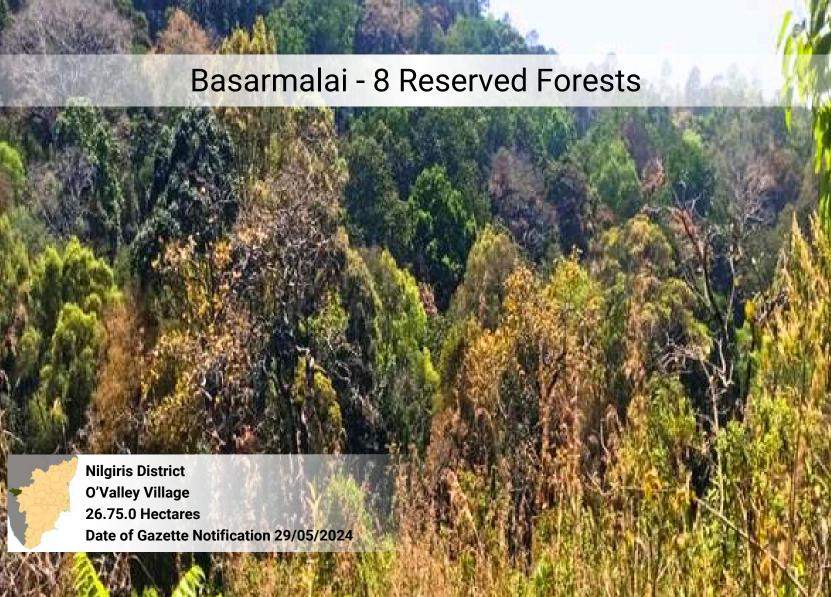
Devagiri Reserved Forest Nilgiris District Devala Village 8.52.0 Hectares Date of Gazette Notification 01/06/2022

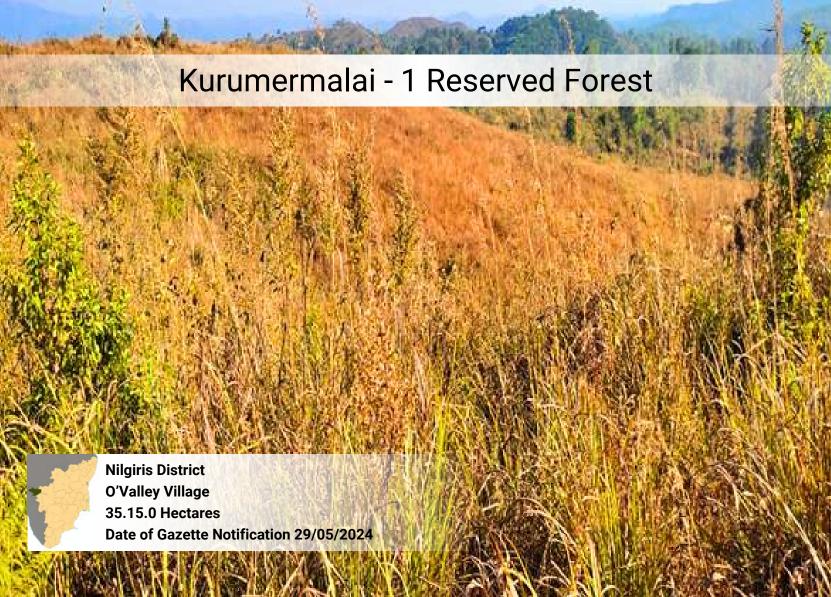


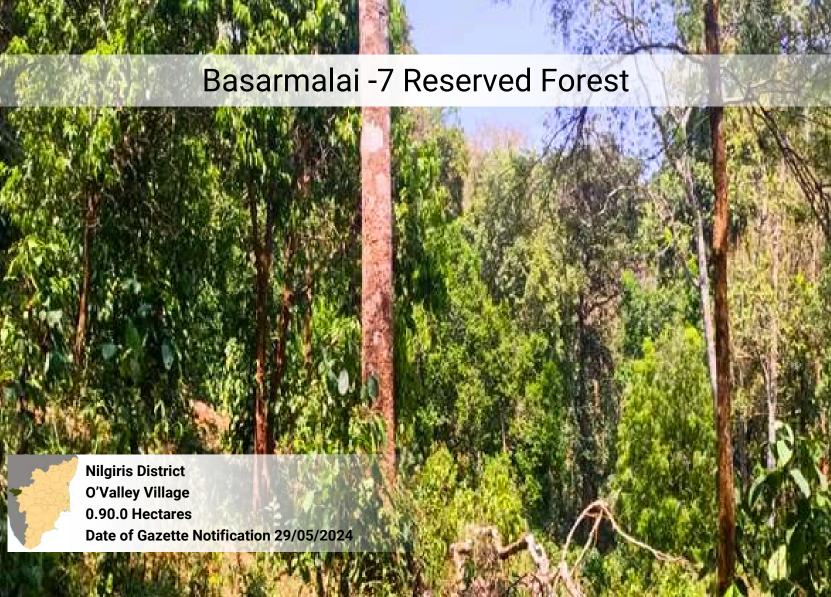














S. No	Reserved Forest	District
1	Kallikuttukaradu Reserved Forest	Madurai
2	Thallakakuttu Reserved Forest	Madurai
3	Mamalai Extension Reserved Forest	Madurai
4	Nagarkoodal – II Reserved Forest	Dharmapuri
5	Nagarkoodal – IV Reserved Forest	Dharmapuri
6	Uthappanaickanur Additional - III Reserved Forest	Madurai
7	Kappalur Bit-I, II, III Reserved Forest	Sivagangai
8	Kalluthu Reserved Forest	Madurai
9	Melappidavur Reserved Forest	Sivagangai
10	Poosalakudi Reserved Forest	Sivagangai
11	Amaravathi Reserved Forest	Sivagangai
12	Kalathur Bit - I &II Reserved Forest	Sivagangai
13	Ponthukundukaradu Reserved Forest	Theni
14	Suranganar Extension Reserved Forest	Theni
15	Vellaikaradu Reserved Forest	Theni
16	Gandamanur East Extension Reserved Forest	Theni

S. No	Reserved Forest	District
17	Megamalai Extension Reserve Forest	Theni
18	Alagapuri Reserved Forest	Theni
19	Nainamalai Karadu Reserved Forest	Namakkal
20	Longwood Shola Addition-III Reserved Forest	Nilgiris
21	Geddai Additional Reserved Forest	Nilgiris
22	Chinnathiruppathi Reserved Forest	Kallakurichi
23	Perumbur Reserved Forest	Kallakurichi
24	Musuvanuthu Reserved Forest	Dindigul
25	Sirumalai West Block - I Bit - IV Reserved Forest	Dindigul
26	Sithargalnatham Reserved Forest	Dindigul
27	Sirumalai West Forest Block I Bit II Reserved Forest	Dindigul
28	Ayyalur Block - I Reserved Forest	Dindigul
29	Moongilpatty Reserved Forest	Dindigul
30	Nariyuthu Reserved Forest	Dindigul
31	Oddanchatram Reserved Forest	Dindigul
32	Koovanuthu Reserved Forest	Dindigul

S. No	Reserved Forest	District
33	Kuttam Reserved Forest	Dindigul
34	Pillayarnatham Reserved Forest	Dindigul
35	Sendurai Reserved Forest	Dindigul
36	A.Kombai I Reserved Forest	Dindigul
37	Jambuthuraikottai - II Reserved Forest	Dindigul
38	Vilpatti Reserved Forest	Dindigul
39	Kollapatti Reserved Forest	Dindigul
40	Kottur Reserved Forest	Dindigul
41	Sirangathupatty – IV Reserved Forest	Dindigul
42	Poolathur Reserved Forest	Dindigul
43	Ethilodu - II (Bit - I & II) Reserved Forest	Dindigul
44	A.Kombai – II Reserved Forest	Dindigul
45	Sithuvarpatty - I Reserved Forest	Dindigul
46	Samikanal Additional – I Reserved Forest	Dindigul
47	Andipatty- V Reserved Forest	Dindigul
48	Kookal Reserved Forest	Dindigul

S. No	Reserved Forest	District
49	Andipatty- IV Reserved Forest	Dindigul
50	Kethalankadu -3 Reserved Forest	Nilgiris
51	Cherumulli 1 Reserved Forest	Nilgiris
52	Nadugani Kunnu Additional Reserved Forest	Nilgiris
53	Cherumulli - 2 Reserved Forest	Nilgiris
54	Kethalankadu - 4 Reserved Forest	Nilgiris
55	Peechanakolli Addition Reserved Forest	Nilgiris
56	Kethalankadu - 5 Reserved Forest	Nilgiris
57	Devagiri Reserved Forest	Nilgiris
58	Basarmalai - 3 Reserved Forest	Nilgiris
59	Basarmalai - 4 Reserved Forest	Nilgiris
60	Basarmalai - 6 Reserved Forest	Nilgiris
61	Yellamali - 2 Reserved Forest	Nilgiris
62	Basarmalai - 8 Reserved Forests	Nilgiris
63	Kurumermalai - 1 Reserved Forest	Nilgiris
64	Basarmalai -7 Reserved Forest	Nilgiris
65	Kurumermalai - 2 Reserved Forest	Nilgiris



