

Nui Giang Man Proposed Nature Reserve

Alternative site name(s)

None

Province(s)

Quang Binh and Thanh Hoa

Status

Proposed

Management board established

No

Latitude

17°59'N

Longitude

105°40'E

Bio-unit

05c - North Annam



Conservation status

Nui Giang Man was included on a proposed list of Special-use Forests prepared for discussion at a national conference on Special-use Forests held at Cuc Phuong National Park in November 1997. The proposed area of Nui Giang Man was given as 60,000 ha, and the Special-use Forest category was given as nature reserve (MARD 1997). However, Nui Giang Man was not included on the 2010 list (FPD 1998).

Topography and hydrology

Nui Giang Man proposed nature reserve is situated in the Annamite mountains, in southern Ha Tinh province and northern Quang Binh province. The sector of the proposed nature reserve in Ha Tinh province is almost entirely situated below 1,000 m, and is drained by the Ngan Sau river, a tributary of the Ca river, which reaches the sea near Vinh city. In Quang Binh province, the highest point between the border of Ha Tinh province and the Ke Bang limestone area is Mount Bai Dinh at c.2,050 m. However, because the boundary of Nui Giang Man proposed nature reserve has yet to be defined, it is not clear whether this mountain lies within the proposed nature reserve or not. The sector of the proposed nature reserve in Quang Binh province is drained by the Rao Cai river, a

tributary of the Rao Nay river, which reaches the sea near Quang Trach town.

Biodiversity value

To date, a biodiversity survey has not been conducted at Nui Giang Man. Remote sensing data, however, indicate that the site supports significant areas of lowland evergreen forest and lower montane evergreen forest. Based on known distributions, Nui Giang Man is expected to support populations of several nationally and globally threatened conifer species, as well as populations of Sao La *Pseudoryx nghetinhensis* and Giant Muntjac *Megamuntiacus vuquangensis*.

Conservation issues

No information.

Other documented values

No information.

Related projects

No information.

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Literature sources

None.