

ELEPHANT CORRIDORS AT A GLANCE

State Corridors		Inter-State Corridors		International Corridors	
State	Number	States	Number	Countries	Number
Meghalaya	26	Jharkhand– Orissa	8	Indo- Bangladesh	6
Orissa	21	Arunachal– Assam	4	Indo- Bhutan	4
Tamilnadu	19	Karnataka– Tamilnadu	4	Indo- Myanmar	4
Assam	15	Assam– Nagaland	3	Indo – Nepal	3
W. Bengal	14	Jharkhand – W. Bengal	3		
Kerala	12	Arunachal– Nagaland	2		
Karnataka	9	Jharkhand– M.P.	1		
Arunachal	8	Orissa–W. Bengal	1		
Jharkhand	6	Karnataka– Kerala	1		
Uttranchal	5	Kerala-Tamilnadu	1		
Uttar Pradesh	3				
Total	138	Total	28	Total	17

Region-wise distribution of Corridors

Region	No. of Corridors	Elephant Habitat Sq. Km.(%)	Elephant Population Number (%)
North-East	58 (35%)	41,000 sq.km. (37.3%)	9200 (33%)
East	54 (32%)	23,500 sq.km. (21.4%)	2500 (10%)
North-West	8 (5%)	5,500 sq.km. (5%)	1500 (4%)
South	46 (28%)	40,000 sq.km. (36.3%)	14,800 (53%)
Total	166	110,000 sq.km.	28,000

Land use pattern of Corridors

Ownership	Status	Area (sq.km.)	Remarks
Forest Deptt.	R.F./P.F./U.S.F./P.A.	700-800	
Revenue Deptt.	U.S.F.	150-200	Mostly in Orissa
Individuals/Communities	Private Forests	200-250	Mostly in the North-East
Govt. Deptt. (PWD/ Railways /Army etc.)	Govt. Land	200-250	
Companies	Tea / Cofee Estates	150-200	Mostly in Assam, West Bengal, South India
Individuals/ Communities	Crop Land / Waste Land	200-300	
Total		1600-2000	

