

## ENVIRONMENT

### TABLE 9.8 : NUMBER AND STATUS OF PLANT SPECIES IN INDIA

Sl. No.	Type	No. of Known Species in the World	No. of Known Species in India	Percentage of Occurrence in India	No. of Species Endemic	No. of Species Endangered
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
<b>I Flowering Plants</b>						
1	Gymnosperm	650	48	7.38	8*	7*
2	Angiosperm	250000	17672	7.00	5725*	1700*
<b>II Non-flowering Plants</b>						
1	Fern & Fernallics	10000	1135	11.35	193*	113*
2	Algae	40000	6500	16.25	1100*	120*
3	Fungi	70000	14500	20.71	3500*	140*
4	Lichens	13500	2021	14.97	417*	400*
5	Liverworts	7500	852	11.26	260*	100*
6	Mosses	7000	2000	28.6	608*	115

Source : Compendium of Environment Statistics India-2007

\* : Approximate