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# Introduction to the Woodland Trust Estate

The Woodland Trust owns and cares for well over 1,250 sites covering almost 30,000 hectares (ha) across the UK. This includes more than 4,000ha of ancient semi-natural woodland and almost 4,000ha of non-native plantations on ancient woodland sites and we have created over 5,000ha of new native woodland. We also manage other valuable habitats such as flower-rich grasslands, heaths, ponds/lakes and moorland.

Our Vision is:

"A UK rich in native woods and trees for people and wildlife."

To realise all the environmental, social and economic benefits woods and trees bring to society, we:

- Create Woodland championing the need to hugely increase the UK's native woodland and trees.
- **Protect Woodland** fighting to defend native woodland, especially irreplaceable ancient woodland and veteran trees; there should be no loss of ancient woodland
- **Restore Woodland** ensuring the sensitive restoration of all damaged ancient woodland and the re-creation of native woodled landscapes.

## Management of the Woodland Trust Estate

All our sites have a management plan which is freely accessible via our website

#### www.woodlandtrust.org.uk

Our woods are managed to the UK Woodland Assurance Standard (UKWAS) and are certified with the Forest Stewardship Council® (FSC®) under licence FSC-C009406 and through independent audit.

The following principles provide an overarching framework to guide the management of all our sites but we recognise that all woods are different and that their management also needs to reflect their local landscape, history and where appropriate support local projects and initiatives.

- 1. Our woods are managed to maintain their intrinsic key features of value and to reflect those of the surrounding landscape. We intervene in our woods when there is evidence that it is necessary to maintain or improve biodiversity, safety and to further the development of more resilient woods and landscapes.
- 2. We establish new native woodland for all the positive reasons set out in our Conservation Principles, preferably using natural regeneration but often by planting trees, particularly when there are opportunities for involving people.
- 3. We provide free public access to woods for quiet, informal recreation and our woods are managed to make them accessible, welcoming and safe. Where possible, we pro-actively engage with people to help them appreciate the value of woods and trees.
- 4. The long term vision for all our ancient woodland sites is to restore them to predominantly native species composition and seminatural structure, a vision that equally applies to our secondary woods.
- 5. Existing semi-natural open ground and freshwater habitats are restored and maintained wherever their management can be sustained and new open ground habitats created where appropriate.
- 6. The natural and cultural heritage value of sites is taken into account in our management and in particular, our ancient trees are retained for as long as possible.
- 7. Land and woods can generate income both from the sustainable harvesting of wood products and the delivery of other services. We therefore consider the appropriateness of opportunities to generate income from our Estate to help support our aims.
- 8. We work with neighbours, local people, organisations and other stakeholders in developing the management of our woods. We recognise the benefits of local community woodland ownership and management. Where appropriate we encourage our woods to be used for local woodland, conservation, education and access initiatives.
- 9. We use and offer the Estate where appropriate, for the purpose of demonstration, evidence gathering and research associated with the conservation, recreational and sustainable management of woodlands. We maintain a network of sites for long-term monitoring and trials leading to reductions in plastics and pesticides.
- 10. Any activities we undertake are in line with our wider Conservation Principles, conform to sustainable forest management practices, are appropriate for the site and balanced with our primary objectives of enhancing the biodiversity and recreational value of our woods and the wider landscapes.

## The Public Management Plan

This public management plan describes the site and sets out the long term aims for our management and lists the Key Features which drive our management actions. The Key Features are specific to this site – their significance is outlined together with our long, 50 years and beyond, and our short, the next 5 years, term objectives for the management and enhancement of these features. The short term objectives are complemented by an outline Work Programme for the period of this management plan aimed at delivering our management aims.

Detailed compartment descriptions are listed in the appendices which include any major management constraints and designations. Any legally confidential or sensitive species information about this site is not included in this version of the plan.

There is a formal review of this plan every 5 years and we continually monitor our sites to assess the success of our management, therefore this printed version may quickly become out of date, particularly in relation to the planned work programme.

Please either consult The Woodland Trust website

www.woodlandtrust.org.uk

or contact the Woodland Trust

operations@woodlandtrust.org.uk

to confirm details of the current management programme.

A short glossary of technical terms can be found at the end of the plan.

# Location and Access

Location maps and directions for how to find and access our woods, including this site, can be found by using the following link to the Woodland Trust web-site which contains information on accessible woodlands across the UK

https://www.woodlandtrust.org.uk/visiting-woods/find-woods/

In Scotland access to our sites is in accordance with the Land Reform Act (of Scotland) 2003 and the Scottish Outdoor Access Code.

In England, Wales and NI, with the exception of designated Public Rights of Ways, all routes across our sites are permissive in nature and where we have specific access provision for horse riders and/or cyclists this will be noted in the management plan.

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## 1. SITE DETAILS

### Young People's Forest at Mead

Location: Smalley Grid reference: SK424445 OS 1:50,000 Sheet No. N/A

Area: 161.29 hectares (398.56 acres)

External Designations: Green Belt, Site of Local Nature Conservation Importance

Internal Designations: N/A

### 2. SITE DESCRIPTION

Mead is a 162 hectare (400 acre), woodland creation project on predominantly reclaimed land that was until recently occupied by the Lodge House opencast coal mine which ceased production in 2016.

Mead sits alongside Derbyshire County Council's Shipley Country Park and Derbyshire Wildlife Trust's Woodside Farm Reserve, and represents an opportunity to create 520ha (1,284 acres) of contiguous publicly accessible land, within the urban fringe between Nottingham and Derby. The Project is supported by the Pears Foundation who have a strong focus on youth engagement.

The key aim of the project alongside Woodland Creation is to engage with young people between the ages of 10 and 20 years old as well as communities within the vicinity of the property. As the project develops, a raft of exciting new initiatives will be developed in order to fulfil this ambition including on site practical and ecological based activities and the formation of a young people's forum that will help to guide and make decisions in relation to the project. Volunteering will be an important aspect to the Woodland Trusts work at Mead. To this end the Mead Project has been titled "The Young Peoples Forest" with three dedicated members of staff employed to develop and promote on-site activity; A Site Manager, Youth Development Manager and a Youth Development Officer. The project also aspires to go "plastics free" using alternative, environmentally sustainable materials. Mead sits within the Natural England, "Nottinghamshire, Derbyshire and Yorkshire Coalfield National Character

Mead sits within the Natural England, "Nottinghamshire, Derbyshire and Yorkshire Coalfield National Character Area" which is characterised by the impact of widespread industrialisation, this has had a strong impact upon the visual and ecological landscape of the area. The geological deposits of coal and iron, along with the water supply, brought mass industrialisation to the area to exploit these resources. A generally low-lying area, with hills and escarpments above wide valleys, the landscape embraces major industrial towns and cities as well as villages and countryside. Mead itself sits in an area which could be considered urban fringe being close to some large centres of population such as Derby and Nottingham and immediately on the edge of the settlements of Heanor and Smalley. Otherwise the area consists predominantly of farmland with scattered areas of woodland, ponds and lakes and other habitats. There are also plans for significant residential developments in the locale.

The project at Mead will help to safeguard a significant area of greenbelt land locally from further development and mineral extraction and will make a significant contribution to habitat diversity in the area with the planting of 264,000 native trees starting 2019 and ending 2022, the development of 63 hectares (156 acres) of floristically rich meadow habitat, wetland and aquatic habitat, natural regeneration and unmanaged grassland. The plans for the site (and surrounding land also part of the fomer Lodge House opencast) are subject to a 20 year restoration plan agreed with the Local Authority as part of the minerals planning process.

Whilst there will be significant changes in landuse from the existing restored grassland from 2018, to woodland over the next 5 years, the range of habitat planned and developing naturally will be a substantial increase on what is currently present. Through the ecological surveys and site visits, the biodiversity and species on site have been assessed and the results incorporated within the woodland design – hedgerows and mature trees all being retained, and enhanced through additional planting. The provision of permanent large areas (30ha) of species rich grassland, areas of natural regeneration and grassland/scrub with minimum intervention. Ponds enhanced where appropriate through marshy planting and through natural regeneration. The location of each habitat type providing complimentary adjacent habitats, including scrub, woodland edge habitat, open grassland and species rich grassland, increasing linkages and opportunities for wildlife, across the range of the priority and notable species, and those of local interest such as owls and the more common and widespread generalist bird species.

Approximatey 90ha (220acres) of new woodland will be created with native tree and shrub species and will be focussed around the northern belt of the site. This will be managed to maximise the biodiversity value of the

developing woodland while seeking to produce useable timber and woodfuel products. A continuous linkage of woodland will enable future management to be the most efficient, mimimising both access and environmental disturbance and be the least visually intrusive, utilising the site of the existing haul road and gaps within existing hedgerows. Tree species as defined in the Derbyshire Landscape Character Map include Sessile Oak 20%, Silver Birch 20%, Pedunculate Oak 10%, Downy Birch 10%, Field Maple, 10%, Alder 5%, Rowan 5%, Holly 5%, Hazel 5%, Hawthorn 3%, Blackthorn 3%, Dog rose 3%, Guelder Rose 3%. Reduction of plastics is important on this scale; hence the use of 11 deer fenced enclosures with rabbit netted lower section. Within these blocks trees will be guarded from damage by vole, using PLA guards (ply lactic acid – a form of compostable plastic produced from maize and sugar beet starch) and weeded chemically until established (year 3-5).

The woodland to the north and north east will create a woodland walk though from the Shipley visitor centre, along surfaced tracks, with areas of open ground, less dense planting, past wetland, regeneration, mature woodland and existing 2012 planting. Taking the access track to the south towards Bell lane then brings visitors out from woodland onto the high point of the path with views out to the south and east across species rich grassland and hedgerows. The woodland forms a backdrop within the landscape from the key external and internal viewpoints. The topography and the design from those viewpoints limits the extent of the views from any one location, giving the impression of a much smaller woodland.

To the north and south of Bell Lane, there will be the development of a workable unit of c.30ha/ 90 acres of specie rich grassland, on south facing well drained fields. Replacing the losses to surface mining and reflecting the adjacent (south and east) farmed/ paddock landscape, the fields will be hedged to all sides with species as defined in the Derbyshire Landscape Character including Hawthorn 70%, Blackthorn 15%, Field Maple 10%, Holly 5%. Hedgerow trees every 20-40m, comprising Sessile Oak 40%, Pedunculate Oak 40%, Field Maple 40%, Rowan 40%. In field trees planted in enclosures of 12-20 stems will be selected to single trees by year 20, most likely Sessile and Pedunculate Oak. During the conversion towards species ric grassland and following its establishment, th fields will then be retained as such through conservation grazing with cattle. Bell Lane provides key views out from the site and the open grassland permits those unhindered views across Shipley Country Park and south east towards the Erewash, improving as the hedgerows on Bell Lane come into a phased programme of hedgelaying. Small but significant areas of predominantly native woodland buffer the edge of Mead following streams that run along the northern, western and southern boundaries of the property; these are Manchester Wood, Abbots Rough, Whiteleys Plantation (all ancient woodland, planted ancient woodland) and Johns Wood ( plantation). 7 small sections of new native woodland were planted in 2012 as part of the site restoration. 6 of these form buffering to existing mature woodland.

Areas of Low density woodland planting (600/ha) and more dense planting (1600/ha) in groups, clumps, individual trees, and some significant areas left to natural regeneration (eg - Wardland Wood in the south western corner of the site is an area with no public access or planned access, and utilises the current landform being downslope or in the stream valley and will provide an area of undisturbed habitat with minimum intervention. Regeneration will be expected to be similar to that already present including oak, willow spp, rowan, ash, thorn spp) will complement the existing landscape and edge habitat, providing buffering and complete the 2 mile linkage along the watercourses, right through from Manchester Wood, Abbots Rough, John Wood through to Whiteley's Plantation. Rough grassland left as edge habitat to the mining operations buffering much of the site boundary already shows extensive regeneration – oak, willow, rowan, birch, ash, this links a number of mature retained oaks and linking through to Manchester Wood as part of this 2 mile habitat linkage.

A number of large mature trees predominantly oak around the former location of Prospect Farm – principally along the edges of Bell Lane, and a small number of retained oaks to the south of site along Abbots Rough ancient woodland, were retained within the opencast operations, in some cases being partly quarried around, protected

from damage and during this period regenerating well in the immediate area under and around the tree canopy.

Mature hedgerows and hedgerow trees have also escaped mining, in the east and the west of the site and along Bell Lane. These trees and hedgerows are significant features in the local landscape as well as being of great ecological value, they will also be the seed source for future natural tree regeneration. A combination of this existing woodland, woodland planting, scrub woodland and rough grassland forms linkages around the site, creating some 2 miles of linked habitats, following existing streams and watercourses.

Four small ponds and a small lake are located within Mead itself at various points around the boundary, these are largely settlement ponds associated with the open cast coal mine and its reclamation that have been re-landscaped and now accommodate drainage from the fields. Whist only young (2012 – 2016) these are already developing into really attractive wetland habitats.

Flora and Fauna at Mead is already quite varied with common spotted orchid noted on site as well some remnant ancient woodland indicator species such as bluebell, dogs mercury and yellow archangel on the edges of Bell Lane and near to some of the existing hedgerows undisturbed by the opencast mine. Mead already harbours more than 40 bird species, including red listed linnets, lapwing and skylark. There are protected species including badger and water voles on adjacent land nearby. Foxes, Barn Owls, short eared owls and brown hare have been noted during site visits, large numbers of butterflies and moths as well as various species of dragon fly, damsel fly and other aquatic invertebrates. Deer (fallow, roe and muntjac) are also present on site as evidenced by the presence of slots and the fraying of young trees at various points around Mead. Considerable damage from grey squirrels is apparent, and with the widespread effects of ash die-back present and management of these will have to be factored into future work programmes for the property.

Flatmeadow Farm, a smallholding is located immediately adjacent to the Eastern boundary of Mead, surrounded to the east by Shipley Country Park. The site is bounded to the north by predominantly reclaimed grassland, farmed for beef, with further grassland and arable cropping to the west between the site and Smalley village and to the south. The fields are largely bound by a network of hedgerows of varied structure, those to the east subject to heavy management and less structurally diverse or gappy, with lower species diversity, becoming more outgrown in nature with mature hedgerow trees, structurally diverse and higher ecological value to the south and closer to Mapperley reservoir. These hedgerows, dominated by native species, provide a fantastic network of connective habitat around the site, which link with other hedgerows, woodland blocks and habitats in the wider area.

Large bodies of water also sit in the vicinity with a fishing pond managed by National Coal Board (NCB) Area 5 Fishing Club on the north eastern boundary adjacent to Adams Road and the industrial estate at Heanor, and Mapperley Reservoir a short distance away from the south eastern tip of Mead. A number of other ponds are also present locally which allow fishing and are managed by NCB Area 5 (as above).

The sites has a truly fascinating history, from the Danelaw Vikings of the 11th century and then Norman mediaeval and Tudor owners, the deer park and the hundreds of years of coal mining as part of the Shipley Hall Estate, the remnants of which also form adjacent Shipley Country Park; the ruins of Shipley Hall and gardens demolished in 1943 by the Shipley Colliery Company can still be visited within the country park. A number of remnant features from the estate can be found locally including old lodge houses and access roads including Bell Lane which runs through Mead east / west dividing the property into a northern and southern section. There has been a hall at Shipley since the 13th Century the last owners of the property being the Miller-Mundy family who made their money from coal production. The old Shipley estate is of significant historical interest with a former Sheriff of Nottingham being a resident, links to 'Lady Chatterley' and direct links through a resident family to Skipton Castle Wood – another woodland trust destination site on the edge of the Yorkshire Dales. Information on the history of

the Shipley Estate and old photographs can be found on the "Heanor and District Local History Society" web page and is well worth viewing (www.heanorhistory.org.uk/shipley.htm). Prospect Farm which was located off of a short track running north off of Bell Lane is visible on historical maps but was demolished following the commencement of open cast coal mining at the property.

Whilst the site has only been accessible in the main since late 2017 (following the ground restoration phase), there is clearly a desire to ensure that the site is, and remains accessible to a wide range of informal recreation, including pedestrians, cyclists, horse riders and for disabled access. The vast majority of the visitors currently access the site by car via Shipley Country Park, accessing the site from the locations closest to the existing car parks at the visitor centre and Mapperley Reservoir, and also on foot from the east and north. At Shipley Country Park (located off of Slack Lane, Heanor, DE75 7GX) there is a large pay and display car park is available for visitors, along with play parks for families with children, a visitor centre, toilets and cafe. The Country Park hosts a number of public events throughout the year, more information can be found by visiting Derbyshire County Councils website for Shipley Country Park.

To access Mead from the car park at Shipley, follow the track that runs adjacent to the visitor centre on its western side (to the right of the visitor centre if your back is facing towards the car park). Access into Mead itself is via a metal bridle gate on a surfaced track with a loose stone surface marked with Woodland Trust signage. The surfaced track which circumnavigates Mead is accessible for use by pedestrians, horse riders and cyclists. In total there is provision of around 5 kilometres (3 miles) of surfaced track at Mead for visitors use. There will be an access road for management and events constructed from the A608 Heanor Road, following the route of the old 'haul road' where all of the mine access used to be – this will be essential for the future management of the woodland, avoiding the confines of Bell Lane, and providing suitable parking for events and when timer production begins at around year 20. Excellent visitor facilities are already available at Shipley Country Park and so the majority of visitors will be directed to access Mead via Shipley County Park and the car park already located there. Access for the widest range of visitors is and will continue to be encouraged on the surfaced permissive routes, which are accessible to all of the same visitors who already access the 18 miles of contiguous accessible trails including public footpath, bridleway and permissive routes within Shipley Country Park, the bridleways at Bell Lane and Mapperley Reservoir, the Nutbrook Trail – a 10 mile traffic free path forms part of the longer Sustrans National Cycle Network Route 67, and can be used by walkers, cyclists and horse riders, with links through to Derbshire Wildlife Trust's Woodside Farm reserve. These multi-user routes sit alongside the other unsurfaced designated public rights of way (footpaths) on site, and as the woodland is planted, so additional permissive pedestrian paths will be opened up.

## 3. LONG TERM POLICY

The long term vision of the site is of a large native broadleaved high-forest habitat, recognised and valued as a "Young Peoples Forest", the aim in the long term being to engage with, inspire and empower young people between the ages of 10 and 20 years old in environmental and conservation management through a variety of engagement opportunities including a Youth Forum who will help guide the direction and future management of the woodland.

The woodland will not only become a flagship for young people but also be an outstanding example of woodland creation with public access at its heart. The bulk of the woodland will comprise a diverse planting of native broad leaved trees, with natural regeneration encouraged as the mechanism for recruiting new trees thereby ensuring a mixed age structure. Deadwood will be encouraged and allowed to stand, where it is safe to do so. As such, diversity of wildlife and native flora will also be well established, securing the site as an important refuge within the arable landscape. The site will also act as a refuge for people from modern life, remaining open and inviting to the public for informal recreation.

Woodland management will be integral to the development of Mead in the long term and management operations aimed at improving the structural diversity and biodiversity of the stands will include thinning and coppicing. This management will also provide for sustainable, environmentally sound timber production thus creating a biodiverse and sustainable woodland habitat.

A species rich grassland habitat will be created in the early stages of the project on 30ha of grassland through the use of conservation grazing using suitable numbers and breeds of livestock. this will be managed, maintained and where possible or required enhanced in the long term.

Likewise ponds and wetland areas will be enhanced in the early stages of the project and managed and maintained for maximum habitat value.

At all stages in this project youth engagement and consultation will be key to decision making and delivery on site for as long as that interest is able to be maintained.

### 4. KEY FEATURES

#### 4.1 Semi Natural Open Ground Habitat

#### Description

Mead is a 162 hectare lowland urban fringe site in South Derbyshire near to the cities of Derby and Nottingham that has seen large scale intensive industrial activity in the past, predominantly in the form of open cast coal mining which ceased in 2016 and has since been fully restored. The property borders the conurbations of Heanor and Smalley and the 283 hectare Derbyshire County Council owned Shipley Country Park and the 77 hectare Derbyshire Wildlife Trust managed Woodside Farm Reserve. The property initially consisting of grazed fields and rough grassland habitat with some new planting and existing patches of scrubby woodland, veteran trees and hedgerow habitat will be transformed into a new native woodland habitat with 30 hectares of grazed, species rich grassland habitat on what is currently restored open cast grassed fields seeded with ryegrass.

#### **Significance**

The property is situated on what was up until 2016 a large open cast coal mine in an urban fringe environment surrounded predominantly by farmed fields, country park and nature reserve. The provision of 30 hectares of managed floristically rich grassland habitat is a significant opportunity to improve biodiversity in the locality and will connect, expand and diversify upon the habitats found at Shipley Country Park and the Woodside Farm Reserve, and is a requirement within the minerals restoration plan.

#### **Opportunities & Constraints**

The property is currently a blank canvas being restored open cast coal mine currently of relatively low floristic value, this allows a great deal of freedom and flexibility of movement in terms of decision making and management application with the aim of creating floristically rich grassland habitat.

The property is currently under a farm tenancy agreement renewed on an annual basis, this potentially allows us to work with supportive farm tenants regarding any future management with the aim of diversifying the area floristically. The Woodland Trust has the support of of our neighbours at Derbyshire County Council and Derbyshire Wildlife Trust whose advice and practical assistance will help with achieving the above aim.

The property is very accessible for management purposes with existing surfaced tracks and good access from Bell Lane which cuts through the property.

A large proportion of the infrastructure is in place for continued management via grazing at the property such as stock fencing and management gates which are in excellent condition, however further work will be needed in order to manage the property effectively via grazing, this may involve the installation of additional stock fencing, water troughs for stock, management gates and corral areas for livestock.

Although drainage at the property is excellent overall some of the fields in part do get very wet in the winter which may be a hindrance to future management.

### **Factors Causing Change**

Changes in management regime in terms of stocking density, the types / breeds of livestock used for management alongside the introduction of green hay from wild flower meadows and management techniques used to manage / graze the grassland areas will have it is hoped an overall positive impact on change to this area of land resulting in an increase in floristic diversity and biodiversity.

There is a strong demand for informal recreation, an escape from the built up urban areas into the wild and open countryside which could impact on these areas should visitor numbers increase over time.

#### Long term Objective (50 years+)

To improve the quality (species and structural diversity) of the mosaic of habitats on site, with 100% of the floristically rich grassland habitat in good condition.

To increase the range of species occurring on the property.

Constructive relationships established and maintained with tenants, neighbours and partner organisations. Landowners/professionals taking action in similar landscapes as a result of being involved with our project. To fully involve young people between the ages of 10 and 20 years old in the decision making, planning and management of the grassland habitat.

#### Short term management Objectives for the plan period (5 years)

To obtain a Mid-Tier Countryside Stewardship Grant on the 30 hectares of open ground earmarked for improvement as species rich grassland (and other areas suitable for inclusion - including hedgerows, hedgerow trees, waterbodies, regeneration areas) during 2020, for delivery during 2021 - 2031. This will include:

Working with consultants and farming professionals to determine a short to mid term plan for the proposed species rich grassland area, likely to include grazing, and maximise conservation gain within the limits set by the available funding and the minerals restoration plan.

New infrastructure will be required to facilitate the grassland management (eg access points, water, electricity etc for grazing)

To produce a new tenancy agreement based on an approved grazing plan aimed at delivering the farming pln To maintain good relationships with local farmers and farm tenants.

To fully involve youth between the ages of 10 and 20 years old in the development and management processes associated with enhancing the grassland and to act upon other associated opportunities that will aid in the development of young people in relation to this area of land as and when they arise.

#### 4.2 New Native Woodland

#### Description

Mead is a 162 hectare lowland urban fringe site in South Derbyshire near to the cities of Derby and Nottingham that has seen large scale intensive industrial activity in the past, predominantly in the form of open cast coal mining which ceased in 2016 and has since been fully restored. The property borders the conurbations of Heanor and Smalley and the 283 hectare Derbyshire County Council owned Shipley Country Park and the 77 hectare Derbyshire Wildlife Trust managed Woodside Farm Reserve. The property initially consisting of grazed fields and rough grassland habitat with a small amount of new native planting and existing patches of scrubby woodland, veteran trees and hedgerow habitat will be transformed into a new native woodland habitat through the planting of 264,000 native trees on what is predominantly restored open cast grassed fields seeded with ryegrass. There will also be opportunities for natural

regeneration and hedgerow planting and management.

The restoration will incorporate 111ha of new native woodland (87ha planted at 2500trees/ha, 21ha of less dense planting, 3ha of additional regeneration) within a matrix of other habitats including 6ha of existing native broadleaved planting, 30ha of species rich grassland, 15ha of paths & edge habitats, 5 wetlands and existing retained trees and the restoration of hedgerow and hedgerow trees.

#### Significance

The new planting at Mead will be a significant addition to the woodland habitat in the local area and in fact within wider South Derbyshire which currently sits at about 9% woodland cover. The wider area has a number of small fragmented woodlands situated predominantly on farmed land, the addition of 110 hectares of new native woodland habitat will contribute significantly to local biodiversity and habitat targets. The new planting will also join up and buffer a number of ancient woodland habitats skirting the boundary of the property most notably Whiteley's Plantation to the north and Manchester Wood and Abbots Rough to the south. The property also adjoins directly to Shipley Country Park and Woodside Farm Nature Reserve thus adding to and again buffering significantly the habitat diversity, connectivity and mosaic of the local area on what was formerly open cast coal mine. 87ha will be established as productive woodland, with timberproduction a key element in the design.

Mead is also the countries first Young Peoples Forest, youth between the ages of 10 and 20 years old will be fully engaged in the decision, planning and management of the new woodland from planting onwards.

#### **Opportunities & Constraints**

To extend and buffer existing ancient woodlands adjacent including Whiteleys Plantation, Manchester Wood and Abbots Rough.

To significantly increase the area of native woodland in the locale through 110 hectares of new native woodland planting.

To add to the existing habitat diversity and mosaic in the area through direct connections with Shipley Country Park and Woodside Farm Nature Reserve.

To engage with Young People between the ages of 10 and 20 years old providing opportunities for development, empowerment and education.

Good relationships with all neighbours including Derbyshire County Council, Derbyshire Wildlife Trust, neighbouring farmers and the wider local community.

An opportunity to engage with large numbers of supporters in relation to Woodland Creation given the close proximity of Heanor and Smalley and the cities of Derby and Nottingham. The property is also within short driving distance of the M1 motorway providing opportunities for engagement via tree planting for supporters from further afield. There are also good rail links locally.

Opportunities for outreach teams associated with ancient woodland management and restoration and woodland creation to engage with local landowners as a result of positive local relationships.

Grant contracts associated with the planting will have tight conditions that will need to be adhered to pertaining to stocking densities, establishment and survival rates of tree stock, they will also have implications on the timings associated with delivery of the project.

#### **Factors Causing Change**

Tree diseases will be an ongoing concern associated with the new woodland and will need to be monitored - this is a UK wide issue.

Deer browsing, voles and squirrel damage will be a potential issue effecting the establishment of the new woodland and it's ongoing development. Squirrels could well be a particular issue.

There is a strong demand for informal recreation, an escape from the built up urban areas into the wild and open countryside which could impact on areas of woodland creation should visitor numbers increase over time.

#### Long term Objective (50 years+)

To establish environmentally sustainable native woodland high forest habitat in perpetuity with continued engagement with young people between the ages of 10 and 20 years old in its creation and ongoing management and with involvement from local communities and supporters. The new woodland will be diverse in terms of tree species and ultimately age classes acting as a buffer for existing ancient woodland habitats adjacent and as a sink for flora and fauna to move into over time. To provide green space for visitors to enjoy promoting health and well being and furthering the aims and objectives of the Woodland Trust and providing opportunities for wider promotion of the Woodland Trusts work and woodland management on the estate.

#### Short term management Objectives for the plan period (5 years)

To obtain a Forestry Commission Woodland Carbon Fund to help pay for tree stock, fencing, signage and access and management infrastructure in 2019, with delivery of all the grant aided elements of the plan during 2019 - 2022 To plant trees associated with the grant aided productive woodland in the 2019/2020, 2020/2021 and 2021/2022 planting seasons and to ensure the successful establishment of trees across all compartments by the end of 2025 to delliver the minerals restoration plan elements within a 6 year period.

To aim to reduce the use of single-use plastic on site through the adoption of fencing and the use of PLA (Poly Lactic Acid) compostable tree protection

To devise a set of timings for planting (including hedgerows and infield trees) in areas not covered by the Forestry Commission Woodland Carbon Fund, linked to funding, grant availability and the requirements of the minerals restoration timeline.

To fully engage with youth between the ages of 10 and 20 years old in the planting, management and decision making processes involved with the new woodland making the most of any engagement opportunities as they arise.

To engage with local communities and supporters in the creation and planting of the new woodland through a series of events and activities scheduled to take place during the planting season mentioned above.

At or around year 25 dependant on growth rates to start a thinning operation removing approximately 20% of the total tree numbers within the grant aided areas. This may be extended to the other compartments depending on growth rates and planting dates, but an assessment made at year 15 will give an assessment of the likely timings at which point the forecasts will be amended

#### 4.3 Connecting People with woods & trees

#### Description

The Young People's Forest at Mead is part of the Welcoming Sites Programme, which aims to deliver a high quality visitor experience. The Welcoming Site Programme will deliver an accessible and welcoming woodland and lead to a series of lasting upgrades that will improve the visitor experience and will increase the number and range of visitors to the wood. An attractive and serviceable network of tracks and paths will further encourage the appreciation of the

woodland both on the site and in the locality. The site will be managed to meet the required high standards of the Welcoming Site Programme and will provide a clear welcome: entrances, furniture, signs and other infrastructure as well as sustainable path and track surfaces across the variable ground conditions. Access will better facilitate use by a wider range of visitors. The site will be a truly valued resource in the local community and well respected.

#### Its position in the landscape

It sits within the Natural England, "Nottinghamshire, Derbyshire and Yorkshire Coalfield National Character Area" which is characterised by the impact of widespread industrialisation; this has had a strong impact upon the visual and ecological landscape of the area. The geological deposits of coal and iron, along with the water supply, brought mass industrialisation to the area to exploit these resources. A generally low-lying area, with hills and escarpments above wide valleys, the landscape embraces major industrial towns and cities as well as villages and countryside. Mead itself sits in an area which could be considered urban fringe, located to the west of Heanor in Derbyshire, less than 1 mile from the town centre. 9 miles from Nottingham city centre to the east and 7 miles from Derby city centre to the east. It is bounded to the south, west and north by farmland and to the east by Industrial estate and the 880 acres of the flagship Shipley Country Park and the Derbyshire Wildlife Trust Woodside Reserve.

#### General description of the access

Whilst the site has only been accessible in the main since late 2017 (following the ground restoration phase), there is clearly a desire to ensure that the site is, and remains accessible to a wide range of informal recreation, including pedestrians, cyclists, horse riders and for disabled access. The vast majority of the visitors currently access the site by car via Shipley Country Park, accessing the site from the locations closest to the existing car parks at the visitor centre and Mapperley Reservoir, and also on foot from the east and north. At Shipley Country Park (located off of Slack Lane, Heanor, DE75 7GX) there is a large pay and display car park is available for visitors, along with play parks for families with children, a visitor centre, toilets and cafe. The Country Park hosts a number of public events throughout the year, more information can be found by visiting Derbyshire County Councils website for Shipley Country Park. To access Mead from the car park at Shipley, follow the track that runs adjacent to the visitor centre on its western side (to the right of the visitor centre if your back is facing towards the car park). Access into Mead itself is via a metal bridle gate on a surfaced track with a loose stone surface marked with Woodland Trust signage. The surfaced track which circumnavigates Mead is accessible for use by pedestrians, horse riders and cyclists. In total there is provision of around 5 kilometres (3 miles) of surfaced track at Mead for visitors use. There will be an access road for management and events constructed from the A608 Heanor Road, following the route of the old 'haul road' where all of the mine access used to be - this will be essential for the future management of the woodland, avoiding the confines of Bell Lane, and providing suitable parking for events and when timer production begins at around year 20. Excellent visitor facilities are already available at Shipley Country Park and so the majority of visitors will be directed to access Mead via Shipley County Park and the car park already located there. Access for the widest range of visitors is and will continue to be encouraged on the surfaced permissive routes, which are accessible to all of the same visitors who already access the 18 miles of contiguous accessible trails including public footpath, bridleway and permissive routes within Shipley Country Park, the bridleways at Bell Lane and Mapperley Reservoir, the Nutbrook Trail – a 10 mile traffic free path forms part of the longer Sustrans National Cycle Network Route 67, and can be used by walkers, cyclists and horse riders, with links through to Derbyshire Wildlife Trust's Woodside Farm reserve. These multi-user routes sit alongside the other unsurfaced designated public rights of way (footpaths) on site, and as the woodland is planted, so additional permissive pedestrian paths will be opened up. Welcome signage is installed at each of the access points to site, with information boards and larger welcome ladderboards at the key accesses.

There is a large car park attracting over 47,000 vehicles per year next to the existing Shipley Country Park café / 'visitor centre' (this is only 300-500m from the nearest Mead site footpath entrance). There are three additional car parks

within the wider Shipley Country Park, owned and managed by Derbyshire County Council.

Shipley Coppiceside - A hard-standing space in the main car park next to the visitor centre. This car park attracts around 47,000 vehicles per year with many more visitors arriving by foot.

Mapperley - A hard-standing space in the car park next to Mapperley Reservoir. Around 12,200 vehicles use this car park per year with many more visitors arriving on foot.

Shipley Hill - A hard-standing space in the heart of Shipley Park in the grounds where Shipley Hall once stood. Around 5,000 vehicles use the car park per year but most visitors arrive by foot.

#### The visitor profile

The Mead site gives an exciting opportunity to connect to the local and wider community in and is within access (20 minutes driving time) of 1.3million people and over ½ million households. The majority of the visitors to the woodland are locals from within easy driving or walking distance, principally visiting the Country Park (1/2 million visitors), which offers very easy access for local people to enjoy informal recreation and access to nature very close to where they live. Many of the visitors walk further afield making use of the extensive path and bridleway network through Shipley Country Park, Woodside and the Nutbrook Trails. There are 927 schools within the 20 miles of the site. Of these 281 are already registered on the Green Trees Schools Award.

#### Events, activities and volunteering

Children and young people will be at the very heart of this woodland creation project. The Forest of Youth will be cherished by young people in the local community and further afield. They will have had the chance to plant trees and they will see it as their space because they will have helped make it happen. They will be involved right from the start of the project and will have the chance to be part of creating and watching this amazing new world grow around them, and they will want to join in because this will be a people's forest.

This will be the biggest outdoor classroom. Children will take part in planting events and learn about nature, teenagers will help to interpret the site in a way that is meaningful to them, and older students will have the chance to engage more deeply in designing, delivering and participating in volunteering and engagement activities. Their 'ownership' of the site will be such that they will bring their friends and families along, they will inspire others to value woods and trees and, in time, will bring their own children along to visit and explain to them how they helped bring this incredible forest to life.

Working in partnership with our adjoining neighbours, Shipley Country Park and the Woodside Farm reserves, the Young People's Forest will complement their sites; visitors will be able to roam across 500 hectares of publicly accessible land and enjoy a programme of events and activities that brings the site to life – both interpreting its past life as a coal mining community and celebrating its new role as a growing woodland – a home for people and wildlife. We propose an approach based on:

Community engagement

A Youth Forum

**Action Groups** 

The Woodland Trust's Green Tree Schools Award

Developing work skills

**Events and volunteers** 

A Youth Development Manager will work with the wider team, particularly the Site Manager and Youth Engagement Officer to develop and deliver high quality engagement that benefits those who take part, developing their skills and life opportunities as well as creating real measurable benefits to communities and the environment in which the activity takes place. They will create a groundswell of support from a cross section of agreed stakeholders that represent the communities within the project area, engaging young people both as supporters and also in specific volunteer roles

**Nearby Woodland Trust sites** 

The young Peoples Forest forms a central hub in Derbyshire surrounded by 11 much smaller woodland sites to the south of Derby, around Nottingham and north towards the Matlock area..

#### Significance

The young People's Forest at Mead is situated in a fantastic rolling, historic landscape, the wider area has a wealth of history and stories to reveal, it's proximity to significant centres of population and is already well used by a variety of user groups and has a well defined network of existing paths,, and situated adjacent to an existing flagship Country Park, visitor centre and visitor facilities.

There is a significant expansion of the woodland creation, engagement and welcome provision planned for 2019 - 2024. This includes access around the wider site with permissive paths, creation of a management access and events parking, events area and all new site signage, way marking, interpretation and entrance furniture. The infrastructure, trails and on site interpretation will support the needs of the identified key visitor groups, as well as providing development opportunities for events, volunteering and community engagement.

This infrastructure work is just part of a wider programme of woodland management on the site as a whole, create a diverse range of habitats, by creating a mosaic of age structures, restoring species rich grassland, wetlands and allowing species diversity through regeneration, which in turn will give the woodland more resilience for the future

Please refer to the background project documents: Outline Engagement Plans, #iwill agreement and youth strategy. for the site for further information.

#### **Opportunities & Constraints**

There are few constraints to access and engagement on site apart from the areas of more sensitive habitat (water/ regeneration and species rich grassland), with ample space available for activities and access on the existing surfaced and accessible routes. Large increases in visitor numbers may impact on antisocial behaviour and littering, but with on-site staffing and engagement these should be minimised. Site development must be in-keeping with the minerals restoration plan and fit with the Woodland Trust management approaches, as well as being acceptable to the key neighbours and stakeholders.

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#### **Factors Causing Change**

Visitor numbers are likely to be the biggest factor causing change, increasing as the site and the habitats develop, and as engagement and activities programme develops on site. The existing surfaced routes are likely to stay unchanged, but additional permissive routes will be created as the woodland creation extends over the next 5 years until 2024.

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#### Long term Objective (50 years+)

Please refer to the background project documents: Outline Engagement Plans, #iwill agreement and youth strategy. for the site for further information.

#### Short term management Objectives for the plan period (5 years)

Our pledge is to work with children and young people to create a Young People's Forest; a newly created native woodland site, interspersed with open spaces that will offer space, peace and active exploration, by:

- planting and caring for young trees, creating a new woodland of over a quarter of a million trees
- helping to interpret the site and forest in a way that is meaningful to them
- engaging more deeply in designing, delivering and participating in volunteering and engagement activities
- through connection with their forest, young people will inspire their counterparts elsewhere in the UK Woodland Trust Core Strategy Links:
- 1- To create conservationists of the future...
- 2- To achieve the vision of planting 64 million trees in the next 10 years, The Young Peoples Forest being part of this.

This plan will naturally develop over time as more young people become engaged in the project. Other engagement opportunities will present themselves throughout the year.

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#### 4.4 Watercourses

#### Description

Mead is a 162 hectare lowland urban fringe site in South Derbyshire near to the cities of Derby and Nottingham that has seen large scale intensive industrial activity in the past, predominantly in the form of open cast coal mining which ceased in 2016 and has since been fully restored. The property borders the conurbations of Heanor and Smalley and the 283 hectare Derbyshire County Council owned Shipley Country Park and the 77 hectare Derbyshire Wildlife Trust managed Woodside Farm Reserve. Mead is bounded by a stream and fishing pond on its north western boundary in the phase 1 area of acquisition (closest to the Shipley Visitor Center) and on its northern, western and southern boundary in the phase 2 area of acquisition.

Four small ponds and a large pond are located within Mead itself at various points around the boundary, these are largely settlement ponds associated with the open cast coal mine and its reclamation that have been re-landscaped and now accommodate drainage from the surrounding fields. Around the site to the north east and south are small watercourses that dry to little more than a trickle during summer.

The site also has an extensive drainage network which feed into the main waterbodies present on site.

#### **Significance**

The water courses that run adjacent to the site boundary are an important habitat locally, the streams are bounded by a combination of existing woodland, woodland planting, scrub woodland and rough grassland that form linkages around

the site, creating some 2 miles of interconnected habitat, following the existing streams and watercourses that run to the north east and south of the property. Whilst only very minor waterways in themselves, they do link with larger waterbodies and wetlands, including Mapperley Reservoir and adjacent fishing ponds. The onsite ponds consist of established and newly created ponds (2012 – 2016), they are developing into really attractive wetland habitats.

#### **Opportunities & Constraints**

There are opportunities to protect and enhance the stream side habitat and to extend and buffer the existing wet woodland through the planting of the new native woodland plantation. In the longer term there may be the potential to work with neighboring landowners to improve the water courses through habitat improvement works and through improving connectivity.

#### **Factors Causing Change**

Threats from tree diseases such as Ash die back could result in a composition change of the tree species growing along the watercourse edge.

Pest species such as a grey squirrel could also have a detrimental effect upon trees growing within the riparian zone. Occasional pollution incidents (e.g. from the industrial estate, and from the A608) can and do affect the streams and lakes adjacent, whilst the increased site usage may have detrimental impacts on the ponds themselves (e.g. dogs, people access) and the disturbance to associated wildlife.

#### Long term Objective (50 years+)

The long-term objective is to protect and conserve the habitats associated with the water courses. This will be done through the planting of new native woodland adjacent to the existing wet woodland habitat in order to create a buffer zone and to extend up on that already existing. Periodic monitoring of the habitat associated with the riparian zone will take place to ensure it's continued health and management undertaken where necessary to ensure survival of the the riparian zone habitat in perpetuity. The ponds and lakes onsite will be developed where appropriate to maximise conservation gain.

#### Short term management Objectives for the plan period (5 years)

To assess existing aquatic habitats and the riparian zones through conducting surveys through 2021 - 2022.

To devise a conservation plan for the water courses, water bodies and drainage networks during the period 2021 - 2022.

Informally monitor the water quality visually, assessing the associated habitats, looking for any changes in access and usage and undertaking remedial action if necessary.

At compartment 13a, introducing scrapes of varying depth inbetween three butterfly mounds in an area exposed to periods of very wet and very dry soil conditions. Plans to be drawn up by University of Nottingham students in May - June 2021, with work to be initiated in this period.

In compartment 24a, at John's Wood Pond, to look at habitat improvements with students from the University of Nottingham to include installation of a new fence line, to create a wildlife-only zone, to install two new bird hides and associated interpretation. Works will also include creation of three new floating bird raft islands.

n compartment 24a, to look into the issue that is the invasive species of floating pennywort that has colonised the bond's perimeter, and then investigate methods to manage and control its presence and spread.		

# 5. WORK PROGRAMME

Year	Type Of Work	Description	Due Date
2020	AW - Car Park Construction - Bond Fee	Funds required to secure a bond associated with planning conditions	February
2020	AW - Management Access Capital	Works associated with installing new or replacement management access infrastructure. Such as management access gates, vehicle bridges, fencing and surfacing works.	February
2020	AW - Car Park Construction	Works associated with the construction of a new or extension to existing car parking facilities.	February
2020	WC - Tree / Seed Supply	The supply of trees/seeds for woodland creation sites	March
2020	AW - Management Access Capital	Works associated with installing new or replacement management access infrastructure. Such as management access gates, vehicle bridges, fencing and surfacing works.	March
2020	WC - Shelter Supply / Erection	Works associated with the supply, erection, maintenance and removal of tree shelters	March
2020	WMM - General Site Management	Works associated with maintaining conservation and physical features within the sites such as boundary ditches, fences and walls, hedges,	April
2020	AW - Management Access Capital	Works associated with installing new or replacement management access infrastructure. Such as management access gates, vehicle bridges, fencing and surfacing works.	April
2020	WC - Tree Planting / Seeding	Works associated with tree planting / tree seeding for woodland creation sites	April
2020	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	May
2020	WC - Shelter Supply / Erection	Works associated with the supply, erection, maintenance and removal of tree shelters	May
2020	NWH - Grazing Work	Works associated with the maintenance of grazing of a non-woodland habitat to protect and enhance its conservation value – grazier costs, fence repairs, water supply costs etc	May
2020	CS - General Consultancy	Use of external consultant to support Woodland Trust site management	May

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2020	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	June
2020	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works, hedge trimming etc	June
2020	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	June
2020	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	June
2020	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	June
2020	AW - Management Access Capital	Works associated with installing new or replacement management access infrastructure. Such as management access gates, vehicle bridges, fencing and surfacing works.	July
2020	WMM - General Site Management	Works associated with maintaining conservation and physical features within the sites such as boundary ditches, fences and walls, hedges,	July
2020	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works , hedge trimming etc	July
2020	NWH - Maintenance Work	Works associated with the maintenance of non-woodland habitats – mechanical management, hay cutting, fence and wall maintenance etc	July
2020	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	July
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2020	LC - Initial Site Clearance	Works associated with the clearance/removal of site debris / rubbish	July

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2020	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	July
2020	NWH - Maintenance Work	Works associated with the maintenance of non-woodland habitats – mechanical management, hay cutting, fence and wall maintenance etc	July
2020	NWH - Grazing Work	Works associated with the maintenance of grazing of a non-woodland habitat to protect and enhance its conservation value – grazier costs, fence repairs, water supply costs etc	August
2020	AW - Management Access Capital	Works associated with installing new or replacement management access infrastructure. Such as management access gates, vehicle bridges, fencing and surfacing works.	August
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2020	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	August
2020	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works , hedge trimming etc	September
2020	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	September
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2020	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	September
2020	NWH - Maintenance Work	Works associated with the maintenance of non-woodland habitats – mechanical management, hay cutting, fence and wall maintenance etc	September
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2020	WMM - General Site Management	Works associated with maintaining conservation and physical features within the sites such as boundary ditches, fences and walls, hedges,	October
2020	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	October
2020	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works , hedge trimming etc	October
2020	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	October
2020	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	November
2020	PE - Events - Tree Planting	Provision of materials needed to support public, corporate and school events associated with tree planting /activities such as refreshments / shelters / materials / mobile toilets	November
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2020	AW - Management Access Capital	Works associated with installing new or replacement management access infrastructure. Such as management access gates, vehicle bridges, fencing and surfacing works.	November

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2020	AW - Visitor Access Infrastructure	Works associated with the construction of a new or extension to existing car parking facilities.	November
2020	AW - Car Park Construction	Works associated with the construction of a new or extension to existing car parking facilities.	November
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2020	CS - General Consultancy	Use of external consultant to support Woodland Trust site management	December
2020	WC - Tree / Seed Supply	The supply of trees/seeds for woodland creation sites	December
2020	WC - Shelter Supply / Erection	Works associated with the supply, erection, maintenance and removal of tree shelters	December
2020	WC - Fencing	Works associated with fencing to protect planting areas	December
2020	WC - Tree / Seed Supply	The supply of trees/seeds for woodland creation sites	December
2020	WC - Tree Planting / Seeding	Works associated with tree planting / tree seeding for woodland creation sites	December
2020	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works , hedge trimming etc	December
2021	WMM - General Site Management	Works associated with maintaining conservation and physical features within the sites such as boundary ditches, fences and walls, hedges,	January
2021	CS - Planning Permissions / Designs	Use of external consultants to undertake planning permission designs, supporting documents, oversee planning application process and presentation to planning committees	May
2021	WC - Tree Planting / Seeding	Works associated with tree planting / tree seeding for woodland creation sites	May

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2021	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works, hedge trimming etc	May
2021	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	May
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2021	WC - Tree Weeding / Fertilising	Works associated with tree weeding and fertilising operations to ensure the successful establishment of planted trees	May
2021	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	May
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2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	August
2021	PE - Volunteer on site activity	Support for activities at the site of visiting volunteer groups, such as corporate partners, local groups. Support could include tools, external trainers or materials for work parties	August
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	August

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2021	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	August
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	August
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	August
2021	PE - Volunteer on site activity	Support for activities at the site of visiting volunteer groups, such as corporate partners, local groups. Support could include tools, external trainers or materials for work parties	August
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	August
2021	NWH - Maintenance Work	Works associated with the maintenance of non-woodland habitats – mechanical management, hay cutting, fence and wall maintenance etc	August
2021	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	August
2021	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	August
2021	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	August
2021	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	August
2021	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	August
2021	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	August

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2021	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works , hedge trimming etc	August
2021	AW - Car Park Construction	Works associated with the construction of a new or extension to existing car parking facilities.	August
2021	NWH - Initial Creation Work	Works associated with the creation of new non-woodland habitats such as ponds, ground prep and seeding of grassland areas etc	August
2021	WC - Tree / Seed Supply	The supply of trees/seeds for woodland creation sites	August
2021	PE - Events - Contractor/Provider	The provision of an external event provider or contractor to support events/activities/guided walks	September
2021	PE - Volunteer on site activity	Support for activities at the site of visiting volunteer groups, such as corporate partners, local groups. Support could include tools, external trainers or materials for work parties	September
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	September
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	September
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	September
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2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	September
2021	PE - Events - Contractor/Provider	The provision of an external event provider or contractor to support events/activities/guided walks	September
2021	PE - Events - Contractor/Provider	The provision of an external event provider or contractor to support events/activities/guided walks	September

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2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	September
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	September
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	September
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	September
2021	PE - Events - Contractor/Provider	The provision of an external event provider or contractor to support events/activities/guided walks	September
2021	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	September
2021	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	September
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	September
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	September
2021	Vehicle Repairs		September
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	September
2021	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	September
2021	NWH - Maintenance Work	Works associated with the maintenance of non-woodland habitats – mechanical management, hay cutting, fence and wall maintenance etc	September
2021	AW - Car Park Construction	Works associated with the construction of a new or extension to existing car parking facilities.	September

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2021	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works, hedge trimming etc	September
2021	WC - Tree Planting / Seeding	Works associated with tree planting / tree seeding for woodland creation sites	September
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	October
2021	AW - Car Park Construction	Works associated with the construction of a new or extension to existing car parking facilities.	October
2021	AW - Car Park Construction	Works associated with the construction of a new or extension to existing car parking facilities.	October
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	October
2021	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	October
2021	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	October
2021	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	October
2021	WMM - General Site Management	Works associated with maintaining conservation and physical features within the sites such as boundary ditches, fences and walls, hedges,	October
2021	SL - Routine Safety Work	Works associated with undertaking planned visitor and structure safety orientated actions, such as erection/creation or maintenance of safety features such as fencing, rails, re-pointing of retaining walls etc	October
2021	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works, hedge trimming etc	October
2021	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	October
2021	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing	October

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		pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	
2021	WC - Tree / Seed Supply	The supply of trees/seeds for woodland creation sites	October
2021	WC - Shelter Supply / Erection	Works associated with the supply, erection, maintenance and removal of tree shelters	October
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	October
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	October
2021	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	November
2021	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	November
2021	AW - Car Park Construction	Works associated with the construction of a new or extension to existing car parking facilities.	November
2021	WC - Tree Planting / Seeding	Works associated with tree planting / tree seeding for woodland creation sites	November
2021	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	November
2021	PE - Events - Contractor/Provider	The provision of an external event provider or contractor to support events/activities/guided walks	November
2021	PE - Events - Contractor/Provider	The provision of an external event provider or contractor to support events/activities/guided walks	November
2021	PE - Events - Contractor/Provider	The provision of an external event provider or contractor to support events/activities/guided walks	November
2021	NWH - Initial Restoration Work	Works associated with the initial restoration or significant reinvestment works of existing non-woodland habitats to improve or protect their conservation value	November
2021	PE - Events - Tree Planting	Provision of materials needed to support public, corporate and school events associated with tree planting /activities such as refreshments / shelters / materials / mobile toilets	November
2021	CS - General Consultancy	Use of external consultant to support Woodland Trust site management	November

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2021	SL - Tree Safety Works - Zone B	Work associated with planned tree safety works alongside routes such as paths and rides within the woodland	November
2021	WC - Tree / Seed Supply	The supply of trees/seeds for woodland creation sites	November
2021	WC - Tree / Seed Supply	The supply of trees/seeds for woodland creation sites	November
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	November
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	November
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	November
2021	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	November
2021	WMM - General Site Management	Works associated with maintaining conservation and physical features within the sites such as boundary ditches, fences and walls, hedges,	November
2021	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	November
2021	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	November
2021	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	November
2021	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	November
2021	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	November
2021	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works , hedge trimming etc	November

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2021	PE - Events - Contractor/Provider	The provision of an external event provider or contractor to support events/activities/guided walks	December
2021	PE - Events - Tree Planting	Provision of materials needed to support public, corporate and school events associated with tree planting /activities such as refreshments / shelters / materials / mobile toilets	December
2021	CS - General Consultancy	Use of external consultant to support Woodland Trust site management	December
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	December
2021	CS - General Consultancy	Use of external consultant to support Woodland Trust site management	December
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	December
2021	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	December
2021	AW - Car Park Construction	Works associated with the construction of a new or extension to existing car parking facilities.	December
2021	PE - Volunteer on site activity	Support for activities at the site of visiting volunteer groups, such as corporate partners, local groups. Support could include tools, external trainers or materials for work parties	December
2021	WC - Tree / Seed Supply	The supply of trees/seeds for woodland creation sites	December
2021	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works , hedge trimming etc	December
2021	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	December
2021	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	December
2021	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	December

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2021	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	December
2021	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	December
2021	WMM - General Site Management	Works associated with maintaining conservation and physical features within the sites such as boundary ditches, fences and walls, hedges,	December
2022	PE - Volunteer on site activity	Support for activities at the site of visiting volunteer groups, such as corporate partners, local groups. Support could include tools, external trainers or materials for work parties	January
2022	PE - Volunteer on site activity	Support for activities at the site of visiting volunteer groups, such as corporate partners, local groups. Support could include tools, external trainers or materials for work parties	January
2022	PE - Events - Contractor/Provider	The provision of an external event provider or contractor to support events/activities/guided walks	January
2022	PE - Events - Contractor/Provider	The provision of an external event provider or contractor to support events/activities/guided walks	January
2022	WC - Tree / Seed Supply	The supply of trees/seeds for woodland creation sites	January
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2022	PE - Events - Contractor/Provider	The provision of an external event provider or contractor to support events/activities/guided walks	January
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2022	PE - Events - Contractor/Provider	The provision of an external event provider or contractor to support events/activities/guided walks	January
2022	CS - General Consultancy	Use of external consultant to support Woodland Trust site management	February
2022	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	February

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2022	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	February
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2022	PE - Events - Contractor/Provider	The provision of an external event provider or contractor to support events/activities/guided walks	February
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2022	PE - Events - Contractor/Provider	The provision of an external event provider or contractor to support events/activities/guided walks	February
2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	February
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2022	WC - Tree / Seed Supply	The supply of trees/seeds for woodland creation sites	February
2022	WMM - General Site Management	Works associated with maintaining conservation and physical features within the sites such as boundary ditches, fences and walls, hedges,	February
2022	CS - General Consultancy	Use of external consultant to support Woodland Trust site management	February
2022	CS - General Consultancy	Use of external consultant to support Woodland Trust site management	February
2022	WC - Tree Planting / Seeding	Works associated with tree planting / tree seeding for woodland creation sites	February
2022	WC - Shelter Supply / Erection	Works associated with the supply, erection, maintenance and removal of tree shelters	February
2022	WC - Fencing	Works associated with fencing to protect planting areas	February
2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	February
2022	WC - Shelter Supply / Erection	Works associated with the supply, erection, maintenance and removal of tree shelters	February

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2022	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	February
2022	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works, hedge trimming etc	February
2022	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	February
2022	PE - Events - Contractor/Provider	The provision of an external event provider or contractor to support events/activities/guided walks	March
2022	PE - Events - Contractor/Provider	The provision of an external event provider or contractor to support events/activities/guided walks	March
2022	PE - Events - Contractor/Provider	The provision of an external event provider or contractor to support events/activities/guided walks	March
2022	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	March
2022	PE - Volunteer on site activity	Support for activities at the site of visiting volunteer groups, such as corporate partners, local groups. Support could include tools, external trainers or materials for work parties	March
2022	WC - Shelter Supply / Erection	Works associated with the supply, erection, maintenance and removal of tree shelters	March
2022	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	March
2022	WMM - General Site Management	Works associated with maintaining conservation and physical features within the sites such as boundary ditches, fences and walls, hedges,	March
2022	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	March
2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	March

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2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	March
2022	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works , hedge trimming etc	March
2022	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	March
2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	March
2022	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	March
2022	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	April
2022	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	April
2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	April
2022	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	April
2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	April
2022	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	April
2022	PE - Volunteer on site activity	Support for activities at the site of visiting volunteer groups, such as corporate partners, local groups. Support could include tools, external trainers or materials for work parties	April
2022	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points,	April

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		maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	
2022	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works , hedge trimming etc	April
2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	April
2022	PE - Volunteer on site activity	Support for activities at the site of visiting volunteer groups, such as corporate partners, local groups. Support could include tools, external trainers or materials for work parties	May
2022	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	May
2022	WC - Tree / Seed Supply	The supply of trees/seeds for woodland creation sites	May
2022	CS - General Consultancy	Use of external consultant to support Woodland Trust site management	May
2022	NWH - Maintenance Work	Works associated with the maintenance of non-woodland habitats – mechanical management, hay cutting, fence and wall maintenance etc	May
2022	WC - Tree Planting / Seeding	Works associated with tree planting / tree seeding for woodland creation sites	May
2022	WC - Tree Planting / Seeding	Works associated with tree planting / tree seeding for woodland creation sites	May
2022	WC - Fencing	Works associated with fencing to protect planting areas	May
2022	WC - Shelter Supply / Erection	Works associated with the supply, erection, maintenance and removal of tree shelters	May
2022	PE - Events - Tree Planting	Provision of materials needed to support public, corporate and school events associated with tree planting /activities such as refreshments / shelters / materials / mobile toilets	May
2022	SL - Routine Safety Work	Works associated with undertaking planned visitor and structure safety orientated actions, such as erection/creation or maintenance of safety features such as fencing, rails, re-pointing of retaining walls etc	May
2022	SL - H&S Signage	Provision of on-site signage both temporary and permanent to alert visitor to safety risks or measures	May

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2022	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	May
2022	NWH - Maintenance Work	Works associated with the maintenance of non-woodland habitats – mechanical management, hay cutting, fence and wall maintenance etc	May
2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	May
2022	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	May
2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	May
2022	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works , hedge trimming etc	May
2022	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	May
2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	May
2022	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	May
2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	May
2022	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works , hedge trimming etc	June
2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	June

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2022	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	June
2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	June
2022	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	June
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2022	NWH - Maintenance Work	Works associated with the maintenance of non-woodland habitats – mechanical management, hay cutting, fence and wall maintenance etc	June
2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	June
2022	PE - Volunteer on site activity	Support for activities at the site of visiting volunteer groups, such as corporate partners, local groups. Support could include tools, external trainers or materials for work parties	June
2022	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	June
2022	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	June
2022	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	July
2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	July

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2022	AW - Management Access Capital	Works associated with installing new or replacement management access infrastructure. Such as management access gates, vehicle bridges, fencing and surfacing works.	July
2022	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works, hedge trimming etc	July
2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	July
2022	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	July
2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	July
2022	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	July
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2022	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	July
2022	NWH - Maintenance Work	Works associated with the maintenance of non-woodland habitats – mechanical management, hay cutting, fence and wall maintenance etc	July
2022	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	August
2022	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	August
2022	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	August

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2022	WMM - General Site Management	Works associated with maintaining conservation and physical features within the sites such as boundary ditches, fences and walls, hedges,	August
2022	CS - General Consultancy	Use of external consultant to support Woodland Trust site management	August
2022	AW - Management Access Capital	Works associated with installing new or replacement management access infrastructure. Such as management access gates, vehicle bridges, fencing and surfacing works.	August
2022	WC - Shelter Supply / Erection	Works associated with the supply, erection, maintenance and removal of tree shelters	August
2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	August
2022	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works , hedge trimming etc	August
2022	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	August
2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	August
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2022	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	September
2022	PE - Volunteer on site activity	Support for activities at the site of visiting volunteer groups, such as corporate partners, local groups. Support could include tools, external trainers or materials for work parties	September
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2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	October
2022	WMM - General Site Management	Works associated with maintaining conservation and physical features within the sites such as boundary ditches, fences and walls, hedges,	October
2022	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	October
2022	AW - Visitor Access Infrastructure	Works associated with the construction of a new or extension to existing car parking facilities.	October
2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	October
2022	AW - Management Access Capital	Works associated with installing new or replacement management access infrastructure. Such as management access gates, vehicle bridges, fencing and surfacing works.	October

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2022	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	November
2022	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	November
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2022	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	November
2022	WC - Planting Ground Preparation	Works associated with the physical preparation of the ground to ensure it is suitable for planting such as ripping, grass seeding, mounding	November
2022	LC - Fly Tipping	Works associated with removing fly tipped waste – one off /unplanned litter and rubbish removal	November
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2022	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	December
2022	WC - Tree / Seed Supply	The supply of trees/seeds for woodland creation sites	December
2022	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	December
2022	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	December

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2022	CS - General Consultancy	Use of external consultant to support Woodland Trust site management	December
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2022	WC - Tree Planting / Seeding	Works associated with tree planting / tree seeding for woodland creation sites	December
2022	WMM - General Site Management	Works associated with maintaining conservation and physical features within the sites such as boundary ditches, fences and walls, hedges,	December
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2022	Site Rent		December
2022	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	December
2022	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works , hedge trimming etc	December
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2022	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	December
2023	PE - Volunteer on site activity	Support for activities at the site of visiting volunteer groups, such as corporate partners, local groups. Support could include tools, external trainers or materials for work parties	January
2023	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	January
2023	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	January
2022	NWH - Initial Creation Work	Works associated with the creation of new non-woodland habitats such as ponds, ground prep and seeding of grassland areas etc	January
2023	WC - Tree Planting / Seeding	Works associated with tree planting / tree seeding for woodland creation sites	January
2023	WC - Tree / Seed Supply	The supply of trees/seeds for woodland creation sites	January
2023	SL - Safety Inspections / Reports	The provision of external consultants/contractors to provide specialist advice / inspections undertaken to assess safety and/or legal obligations of features such as bridges, walls, mineshafts and other site infrastructure	January
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2023	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works , hedge trimming etc	January
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2023	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	January
2023	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	January
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2023	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	February
2023	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	February
2023	CS - General Consultancy	Use of external consultant to support Woodland Trust site management	February
2023	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	February
2023	PE - Events - Contractor/Provider	The provision of an external event provider or contractor to support events/activities/guided walks	February

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2023	PE - Events - Contractor/Provider	The provision of an external event provider or contractor to support events/activities/guided walks	February
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2023	WMM - General Site Management	Works associated with maintaining conservation and physical features within the sites such as boundary ditches, fences and walls, hedges,	February
2023	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	February
2023	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	February
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2023	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	February
2023	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	February
2023	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	March
2023	CS - General Consultancy	Use of external consultant to support Woodland Trust site management	March
2023	SL - Safety Inspections / Reports	The provision of external consultants/contractors to provide specialist advice / inspections undertaken to assess safety and/or legal obligations of features such as bridges, walls, mineshafts and other site infrastructure	March
2023	WC - Tree Planting / Seeding	Works associated with tree planting / tree seeding for woodland creation sites	March
2023	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	March
2023	WMM - General Site Management	Works associated with maintaining conservation and physical features within the sites such as boundary ditches, fences and walls, hedges,	March
2023	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	March
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2023	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	March
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2023	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points,	March

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		maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	
2023	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	April
2023	SL - Safety Inspections / Reports	The provision of external consultants/contractors to provide specialist advice / inspections undertaken to assess safety and/or legal obligations of features such as bridges, walls, mineshafts and other site infrastructure	April
2023	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	April
2023	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	April
2023	WC - Shelter Supply / Erection	Works associated with the supply, erection, maintenance and removal of tree shelters	April
2023	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	April
2023	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works , hedge trimming etc	April
2023	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	April
2023	NWH - Grazing Work	Works associated with the maintenance of grazing of a non-woodland habitat to protect and enhance its conservation value – grazier costs, fence repairs, water supply costs etc	April
2023	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	April
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2023	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	May

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2023	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works , hedge trimming etc	May
2023	PE - Volunteer on site activity	Support for activities at the site of visiting volunteer groups, such as corporate partners, local groups. Support could include tools, external trainers or materials for work parties	May
2023	CS - Planning Permissions / Designs	Use of external consultants to undertake planning permission designs, supporting documents, oversee planning application process and presentation to planning committees	May
2023	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	June
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2023	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	October
2023	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	October

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2023	WMM - General Site Management	Works associated with maintaining conservation and physical features within the sites such as boundary ditches, fences and walls, hedges,	October
2023	AW - Management Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of management access infrastructure and tracks Such as repairs to vehicle entrance points, maintaining vehicle bridges and repairing / reinstating surfaced management access routes.	October
2023	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	October
2023	SL - Safety Inspections / Reports	The provision of external consultants/contractors to provide specialist advice / inspections undertaken to assess safety and/or legal obligations of features such as bridges, walls, mineshafts and other site infrastructure	October
2023	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	October
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2023	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	November
2023	CS - General Consultancy	Use of external consultant to support Woodland Trust site management	December
2023	PE - Volunteer on site activity	Support for activities at the site of visiting volunteer groups, such as corporate partners, local groups. Support could include tools, external trainers or materials for work parties	December
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2023	WC - Tree Planting / Seeding	Works associated with tree planting / tree seeding for woodland creation sites	February
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2024	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing pot-holes and path surfaces, mowing grass paths, path widening, maintaining footbridges and steps, cleaning signage etc,	May
2024	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	June
2024	AW - Visitor Access Maintenance	Works associated with the maintenance of existing visitor access infrastructure and paths. Work could include items such as repairing	June

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2024	NWH - Maintenance Work	Works associated with the maintenance of non-woodland habitats – mechanical management, hay cutting, fence and wall maintenance etc	June
2024	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	June
2024	PE - Interpretation & Signage	Works associated with the provision of visitor signage, waymarking, interpretation features and leaflets	June
2024	PE - Volunteer on site activity	Support for activities at the site of visiting volunteer groups, such as corporate partners, local groups. Support could include tools, external trainers or materials for work parties	July
2024	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	July
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2024	NWH - Maintenance Work	Works associated with the maintenance of non-woodland habitats – mechanical management, hay cutting, fence and wall maintenance etc	July
2024	AW - Visitor Access Infrastructure	Works associated with the construction of a new or extension to existing car parking facilities.	July
2024	PE - Events - General	Provision of materials needed to support a WT event / guided walk such as refreshments / shelters / mobile toilets	July
2024	LC - Routine Litter Picks	Planned/routine litter picks using contractors	August
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2024	WMM - Secondary Silviculture	Works associated with silvicultural operations within secondary woods to meet our primary aims of conserving woodlands and encouraging public enjoyment— such as the removal of non-natives, thinning and promotion of native trees and shrubs, creating and managing view points and providing welcoming sites for visitors	October
2024	WC - Site Maintenance	Works associated with routine site management and maintenance works on Woodland Creation sites such as boundary ditches and fencing works, hedge trimming etc	November
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# APPENDIX 1 : COMPARTMENT DESCRIPTIONS

Cpt No.	Area (ha)	Main Species	Year	Management Regime	Major Management Constraints	Designations
1a	19.34	Sessile oak	2019	Wood establishment		

Part former opencast site, restored to agricultural field on a gentle generally east facing slope. Remnant hedgerows, hedgerow trees and pockets of ground flora including bluebells remain along the eastern third which was not mined Planted with native tree species in the Q4 2019 / Q1 2020 tree planting season. Area protected with deer fencing with high tensile stock and rabbit fenced bottom section. Ground preparation was by continuous mounder, with tree species including Silver Birch, Pedunculate and Sessile Oak, Small Leaved Lime, Wild Cherry, Aspen, Alder, Field Maple, Rowan, Holly, Hazel, Hawthorn and Dog Rose. All protected with compostable Poly Lactic Acid (PLA) vole guard, and planted at 2500 stems per hectare using a mixture of contractor and vounteer planting. Future hedgerow planting will be undertaken along the line of the public footpath, with a hedgerow tree planted every 20m.

Permissive pedestrian access via the public footpath in compartment 2, linking to the permissive footpath running along the northern boundary outside the deer fence, and to the east along the site boundary within compartments 4a and 5a via a deer gate.

Management access to the compartment is via the gateway off the permissive track between cpt 1a and 2a, and from a management gate off the bridleway via the visitor centre.

This compartment also features the events field in the eastern portion, an open space 100m across that is unplanted and can host on site activities and events. Signage from the bridleway includes a standard welcome sign and ladderboard welcome sign. A standard welcome sign is in place to the north east on the permissive path. Bounded to the north west by restored agricultural fields, to the west by woodland creation in compartment 2a, northeast by woodland, fishing lakes and Shipley Country Park, fringing the industrial estate, to the east by further woodland creation in compartments 4a and 5a, and to the south east by a public bridleway (track). Falls within scope of Woodland Carbon Grant.

2a	10.86	Sessile oak	2019	Wood	
				establishment	

Former agricultural field on restored opencast coal mine on a gentle generally south facing slope.

Planted with native tree species in the Q4 2019 / Q1 2020 tree planting season. Area protected with deer fencing with high tensile stock and rabbit fenced bottom section. Ground preparation was by continuous mounder, with tree species including Silver Birch, Pedunculate and Sessile Oak, Small Leaved Lime, Wild Cherry, Aspen, Alder, Field Maple, Rowan, Holly, Hazel, Hawthorn and Dog Rose. All protected with compostable Poly Lactic Acid (PLA) vole guard, and planted at 2500 stems per hectare using a mixture of contractor and vounteer planting. Future hedgerow planting will be undertaken along the line of the public footpath, with a hedgerow tree planted every 20m.

Permissive pedestrian access via the public footpath, linking to the permissive footpath running along the northern boundary outside the deer fence in compartment 1a, and to the east along the site boundary within compartments

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2b	0.23	Sessile oak	1900	Min- intervention		
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3b	0.4	Sessile oak	1900	Wood establishment		

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Small area of mature trees between compartments 2a and 3a, to the north of the permissive track. It is believed that this was the location of a bungalow, demolished either prior to or during opencast work. The mature trees include oak, maple and hawthorn as well as mature cedar and fruit trees, with a grassy/ bramble dominated ground flora. Management access is available direct from the permissive track to the southeast.

No provision has been made in this area for public access.

Bounded by the permissive track and woodland creation in compartment 3a to the south east, and by woodland creation of compartment 2a to the north west

4a	1.78	Sessile oak	2020	Wood	
				establishment	

A small compartment enclosed by mature hedgerows to the north and west, adjacent to the Shipley Country Park Visitor Centre. Although not opencasted, it was disturbed and had a settling pond dug during the final phase of mining between 2007 - 2011. This pond has been re-landscaped and is a particularly attractive feature. Scattered oak, birch and alder have been planted around the banks, and further woodland planting will be undertaken - predominantly oak planted at 600 trees per hectare with species choice and planting being sympathetic and complimentary to the pond and aquatic edge and views from the bridleway and visitor centre, to emulate a parkland type feel in this area.

Ground flora is predominantly grass, but with a wider range of species than the opencast areas, and young, scattered oak regeneration developing.

Bounded to the east by mature woodland and stream - part of Shipley Country Park, and the visitor centre and bridleway to the south. to the north by woodland creation of compartment 5a and to the west by woodland creation of compartment 1a.

A permissive path runs to the west of the pond, through compartment 5a linking up with paths around Osbornes Pond (NCB Club fishing lake) and permissive path to the north of compartment 1a.

Management access is direct from the bridleway frack from the visitor centre, or via compartment 2a,1a from the permissive access track to the west.

5a	1.13	Sessile oak	2020	Wood	
				establishment	

A small compartment, not part of the opencast area, enclosed by mature hedgerows to all sides, adjacent to Osborne's Pond (NCB Club fishing lake), to be planted with predominantly oak planted at 1,600 trees per hectare. Ground flora is predominantly grass, but with a wider range of species than the opencast areas, and young, scattered oak regeneration developing.

Adjacent to the lake are a number of very large mature feature oaks with owl boxes.

A permissive path runs to the west of the compartment, linking up with paths around Osborne's Pond and permissive path to the north of compartment 1a and back through 4a towards the visitor centre.

Management access is from the south via compartment 4a.

Bounded to the south by woodland creation of 4a, to the west by woodland creation of 1a and to the north by Osbornes pond and woodland fringe of Shipley Country Park.

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6a	0.76	Sessile oak	2020	Wood establishment		
track to the with native fencing and Cherry, As hectare Managem	e south, surro ve tree species d PLA tubes Ti pen, Alder, Fie ent access will	unded by the smale to take place in the ree species to included and Maple, Rowan, I be available direc	II, grassy comple 2020 / 2020 Ude: Silver Bird Holly, Hazel, I	partment of 6a. Pa I tree planting sea ch, Pedunculate an Hawthorn and Dog rmissive access tra	rtly restored oper son. Area likely pr id Sessile Oak, Sm g Rose. Planting w ck to the southea	orth and the permissive incast it will be planted of otected by a mixture of all Leaved Lime, Wild ill be at 1600 stems per st.  ermissive track to the
6b	1.04	Open ground	1900	Min- intervention		
Plantation predomina minimum Managem No formal	(ancient woo antly oak compintervention, a ent access is a public access	dland) to the north partment of 6a. Pa and provides open vailable directly fro will be created.	n and the perr rtly restored of ground adjac	nissive track to the opencast it has a n ent to the path.	e south, surroundi atural grassy feel	•
7a	1.61	Sessile oak	2021	establishment		
to Flatmea	adow Farm) ar	_	rack to the we	est, surrounded by	the small, grassy	de to the east (boundary compartment of 6a.

No formal permissive access will be created, although access is available directly from the permissive track to the

Hawthorn and Dog Rose.

west.

Management access is direct from the permissive track to the west.

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Cpt No.	Area (ha)	Main Species	Year	Management Regime	Major Management Constraints	Designations	
	T						
7b	1.06	Oak (sessile)	1900	Min- intervention			
east of con willow, ald	npartment 7a er, thorn spec	, partly forming the	e site bounda	ry with Flatmeado	w Farm to the eas	ng the streamside to the st. Includes, oak, ash, willow. The permissive	
8a	1.88	Sessile oak	2021	Wood establishment			
tree specie fencing and Cherry, Asp Manageme	s to take plac d PLA tubes. T pen, Alder, Fie ent access is d	e in the 2020 / 202	21 at 1600 ste ude: Silver Bir Holly, Hazel, I missive track t	ms per hectare A ch, Pedunculate a Hawthorn and Dog	rea likely protectond Sessile Oak, Sn	oe planted with native ed by a mixture of nall Leaved Lime, Wild	
9a	21.58	Sessile oak	2020	Wood establishment			
Former agricultural field on restored opencast coal mine on a gentle generally east and south facing slope.  Predominantly ryegrass, planted with native tree species in the Q4 2020/ Q1 2021 tree planting season. Area protected with deer fencing with high tensile stock and rabbit fenced bottom section. Ground preparation was by continuous mounder, with tree species including Silver Birch, Pedunculate and Sessile Oak, Small Leaved Lime, Wild Cherry, Aspen, Alder, Field Maple, Rowan, Holly, Hazel, Hawthorn and Dog Rose. All protected with compostable Poly Lactic Acid (PLA) vole guard, and planted at 2500 stems per hectare using a mixture of contractor and vounteer planting. Future hedgerow planting will be undertaken along the boundaries with the permissive tracks to the east, west and north, and with the species rich grassland of compartment 25a to the south, with a hedgerow tree planted every 20m. Permissive pedestrian access will be created through the compartment, linking east and west  Falls within scope of Woodland Carbon Grant.							
10a	1.45	Sessile oak	2020	Wood establishment			

				Regime	Management Constraints	
Whiteleys F track of 296 2021 at 160 include: Silv Rowan, Ho	Plantation and a to the south DO stems per I ver Birch, Ped Ily, Hazel, Hav	. Restored openca nectare Area likel unculate and Sessi	plantation of 1 st it will be pl y protected b ile Oak, Small	LOb to the north a anted with native y a mixture of fen Leaved Lime, Wild	nd the open grass tree species to ta cing and PLA tube d Cherry, Aspen, A	land and the permissive ke place in the 2020 / s. Tree species to
10b	1.08	Goat willow	2015	Coppice		
property bo	oundary edge	•	ne edge of Wh	niteley's Plantation	adjacent. Origina	nond in 10a, around the ally protected with deer
11a	1.84	Oak (sessile)	2020	Wood establishment		
ryegrass wi season. Are preparation Leaved Lim with compo contractor the north, e	th a large ame of protected we newas by cont e, Wild Cherro ostable Poly L and vounteer east and west	ount of dock, plant with deer fencing v inuous mounder, v y, Aspen, Alder, Fic actic Acid (PLA) vo	ted with native with high tens with tree speceld Maple, Rolle guard, and we pedestriant ows	e tree species in t ile stock and rabbi ies including Silve wan, Holly, Hazel, planted at 2500 st	he Q4 2020 / Q1 2 it fenced bottom s r Birch, Peduncula Hawthorn and Do tems per hectare	section. Ground ate and Sessile Oak, Small og Rose. All protected
<b>12</b> a	21.58	Sessile oak	2020	Wood establishment		
east facing 2020 / Q1 2 bottom sec Pedunculat Hawthorn a	slopes. Predo 2021 tree plar tion. Ground e and Sessile and Dog Rose	minantly ryegrass ating season. Area preparation was book, Small Leaved. All protected with	with a large a protected wit y continuous Lime, Wild Cl n compostable	mount of dock, pl th deer fencing wit mounder, with tre nerry, Aspen, Alde e Poly Lactic Acid (	anted with native th high tensile sto e species includir r, Field Maple, Ro PLA) vole guard, a	ntle generally south and tree species in the Q4 ck and rabbit fenced g Silver Birch, wan, Holly, Hazel, and planted at 2500 anting will be undertaken

along the line of the permissive track to the east and with compartment 19a to the south, with a hedgerow tree planted every 20m. Permissive pedestrian access will be from the permissive tracks to the east and north. Bounded

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Area (ha)

**Main Species** 

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Designations

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	t by mature he scope of Wo	edgerows. odland Carbon Gra	ant.			
13a	2	Sessile oak	2021	Wood establishment		
of sparse '\ construction per hectare mixture of	weed' species. on in 2020. A se, planted with contractor an	Construction taking small area of native	ng place 2020 e trees will be fencing and ong. High volta	, with the return on planted in 2021, compostable Poly	of the topsoil from predominantly oa Lactic Acid (PLA) v	seeded, so has a mixture the management access k planted at 600 trees role guard, using a s this area
14a	11.95	Sessile oak	2022	Wood establishment		
with hedge protected of continuous Cherry, Asp Poly Lactic planting. P Bell Lane w Bounded to across this	erow boundari with deer fence mounder, with ben, Alder, Fie Acid (PLA) voluded edestrian acces with Smalley Victorian wearea	ies, it will be planto cing with high tens th tree species inc eld Maple, Rowan, le guard, and plant ess will be via the p illage.	ed with native ile stock and i luding Silver E Holly, Hazel, i ed at 2500 sto public footpat by restored a	e tree species in the rabbit fenced botto birch, Pedunculate Hawthorn and Dog ems per hectare uses the running north s	e 2022 tree plantiom section. Groun and Sessile Oak, Strong Rose. All protections a mixture of couth along the we	slope. 5 individual fields ing season. Area nd preparation by Small Leaved Lime, Wild ed with compostable contractor and vounteer estern boundary linking s and pylons runs N-S
15a	1.76	Oak (sessile)	2021	Wood establishment		
ryegrass, p high tensile	lanted with na e stock and ral	ative tree species i bbit fenced bottor	n the 2022 tre n section. Gro	ee planting season und preparation w	. Area protected v	slope. Predominantly with deer fencing with mounder, with tree Aspen, Alder, Field

Cpt No.	Area (ha)	Main Species	Year	Management Regime	Major Management Constraints	Designations
guard, and hedgerows	planted at 16 form bounda	00 stems per hect	are using a mi ublic access vi	xture of contracto a the public footpa	or and volunteer p	Lactic Acid (PLA) vole planting. Existing south east/ north west
16a	3.08	Oak (sessile)	2022	Wood establishment		
high tensilincluding S Rowan, Hoplanted at access ed fields.	e stock and ra ilver Birch, Pe illy, Hazel, Hav 2500 stems p from the publi	bbit fenced bottor dunculate and Ses wthorn and Dog Ro er hectare using a	n section. Gro sile Oak, Smal ose. All protec mixture of co west in compa	und preparation be Il Leaved Lime, Wi ted with composta ntractor and volur	by continuous model Id Cherry, Aspen, able Poly Lactic Ad ateer planting. Pel	with deer fencing with under, with tree species Alder, Field Maple, cid (PLA) vole guard, and rmissive pedestrian by restored agricultural
17a	5.35	Sessile oak	2021	Wood establishment		
ryegrass, p seasonally high tensil species inc Maple, Ro guard, and hedgerows	lanted with nated water as stock and rassuding Silver Ewan, Holly, Haplanted at 60 s form bounda	ative tree species ind is likely associa bbit fenced bottor Birch, Pedunculate Izel, Hawthorn and Stems per hectanies to all sides. Pu	n the 2022 tre ted with prev n section. Gro and Sessile O I Dog Rose. All re using a mix ublic access via	ee planting season ious mining activit und preparation vak, Small Leaved L protected with cours of contractor athe public footpa	The centre of the y. Area protected was by continuous ime, Wild Cherry, ompostable Poly Land volunteer plant which crosses	with deer fencing with mounder, with tree Aspen, Alder, Field actic Acid (PLA) vole
18a	1.81	Sessile oak	2021	Wood establishment		
ryegrass, p eastern ed	lanted with nage of compart	ative tree species i	n the 2022 tre otected with	ee planting season deer fencing with	. This small comp high tensile stock	slope. Predominantly artment, forms the north and rabbit fenced g Silver Birch,

Cpt No.	Area (ha)	Main Species	Year	Management Regime	Major Management Constraints	Designations
Hawthorn	and Dog Rose	. All protected wit	h compostable	e Poly Lactic Acid (	PLA) vole guard, a	wan, Holly, Hazel, and planted at 1600 form boundaries to all
	lic access via tl n paddock/ gra		which crosses	s south east/ north	n west diagonally.	Bounded to the south
19a	2.92	Oak (sessile)	2020	Wood establishment		
Leaved Linwith comp contractor hedgerow east. Bour the south	ne, Wild Cherr postable Poly L and vounteer tree planted ended to the we	y, Aspen, Alder, Fi actic Acid (PLA) vo planting. Hedger every 20m. Permis	eld Maple, Ro le guard, and ow planting w sive pedestria Wood (PAart	wan, Holly, Hazel, planted at 2500 st ill be undertaken t n access will be av	Hawthorn and Do tems per hectare to the north and wallable from the p	ate and Sessile Oak, Small og Rose. All protected using a mixture of west boundaries, with a permissive track to the ws adjoining Bell Lane to
20a	5.08	Oak (sessile)	2020	Wood establishment		
ryegrass, p fencing wi with tree s Field Map vole guard hedgerow every 20m available f the east.	planted with nath high tensile species including the Rowan, Hole, and planted planting will be the Mature hedgrom Bell Lane.	ative tree species i stock and rabbit f ng Silver Birch, Pec ly, Hazel, Hawthor at 2500 stems per be undertaken alor gerows form the no	in the Q4 2020 enced bottom dunculate and nand Dog Ro hectare using the souther orthern and wouth by natura	O/ Q1 2021 tree plants as section. Ground plants as section. Ground plants as section. Ground plants as section and eastern boundaries as section boundaries.	anting season. Are preparation was but the leaved Lime, Wind with compostable ractor and vounte and aries, with a hear pedeas. Permissive pedeas	slope. Predominantly ea protected with deer by continuous mounder, ld Cherry, Aspen, Alder, Poly Lactic Acid (PLA) eer planting. Future edgerow tree planted estrian access will be becies rich grassland to

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22a	1.01	Oak (sessile)	2022	Min- intervention		
Cherry, Asp fencing and of contract with the sp area. Boun	pen, Alder, Fied compostable or and vounted ecies rich graded to the no	eld Maple, Rowan, e Poly Lactic Acid ( eer planting. Futur ssland, with a hed	Holly, Hazel, H PLA) tree guar e hedgerow p gerow tree pla tervention gr	Hawthorn and Dog rds, and planted a lanting will be und anted every 20m. I assland and ponds	g Rose. All protect t 1600 stems per I dertaken to the no No pedestrian acc s, to the south by	Small Leaved Lime, Wild ed with a mixture of nectare using a mixture orth on the boundary less is planned into this natural regeneration and
	1		4000		1	
22b	0.47	Oak (sessile)	1900	Wood establishment		
Area of exi Rough anci	sting oak woo	odland on a gentle	south facing s	establishment lope, dropping ste	• •	am valley of Abbots and to the north by new
Area of exi Rough anci	sting oak woo	odland on a gentle	south facing s	establishment lope, dropping ste	• •	•

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pond dug during the first phase of mining between 2007 - 2011. This large pond/ small lake has been re-landscaped and is a particularly attractive feature, frequented by waterbirds, and a diverse range of dragonflies in particular. Planted with native tree species in the 2021 tree planting season. Ground preparation was by continuous mounder, with tree species including Silver Birch, Pedunculate and Sessile Oak, Small Leaved Lime, Wild Cherry, Aspen, Alder, Field Maple, Rowan, Holly, Hazel, Hawthorn and Dog Rose. All protected with a mixture of fencing and compostable Poly Lactic Acid (PLA) tree guards, and planted at 1600 stems per hectare using a mixture of contractor and vounteer planting. No pedestrian access is planned into this area. Bounded to the north by minimum intervention grassland and ponds, to the south by natural regeneration and ancient woodland of Abbots Rough and to the east by John Wood (plantation).

24a	3.75	Open ground	2016	Non-wood	
				habitat	

Former restored opencast coal mine on a gentle generally south facing slope. Predominantly grasses, this was part buffer to Johns Wood (plantation) to the east and part opencasted, it was disturbed and includes a settling pond dug during the first phase of mining between 2007 - 2011. This large pond/ small lake has been re-landscaped and is a particularly attractive feature, frequented by waterbirds, and a diverse range of dragonflies in particular. It does take water draining from the grassland to the west via a number of small channels, and was designed to have variety of habitats - with the northern end much shallower thatn the southern portion. A second much smaller pond lies to the far west of the compartment with no formal accessibility through the grassland. It is accessed via a permissive path and a public footpath from Bell Lane to the north, leading towards Mapperley Reservoir to the south. Within the grassland are a number of mature oaks, surrounded by scattered regeneration, protected during the opencasting. Bounded to the west by species rich grassland, to the south by natural regeneration and ancient woodland of Abbots Rough and to the east by John Wood (plantation).

25a	29.49	Open ground	2016	Non-wood habitat	

Two separate sections of grassland divided by Bell Lane:

To the North - 3 separate fields forming a large single compartment of predominantly ryegrass on restored opencast coal mine on a gentle generally south and south east facing slope. To the north there is a remnant of hedgerow, replanted as part of the restoration process, and to the south, along with the mature hedgerow to Bell Lane there is a scattering of retained mature oak trees. Over time the ryegrass will be converted to species rich grassland and managed as such through conservation grazing. In addition hedgerow planting will be undertaken along all of the remaining field boundaries with a hedgerow tree planted every 20m. As part of the restoration additional access between fields may be required along with additional access infrastructure from Bell lane - utilising existing gaps in the hedgerow, as well as water supplies and cattle management corralls etc. Within the fields there will be a number of fenced enclosures created, planted with mixed species, thinned over time to create single infield trees. Bounded to the north east and west by productive woodland planting of compartments 9a, 12a and 19a and to the south by

Cpt No.	Area (ha)	Main Species	Year	Management	Major	Designations
				Regime	Management Constraints	
Rell Lane -	a restricted a	ccess bridleway.				
Dell Larie	a restricted a	cccss bridieway.				
	•	_		•		ass on restored opencast
		fretaily south and the fretained mature of		• ,		mature hedgerow to Bell
	_					ng will be undertaken
_	_	_	_	_	-	t of the restoration
additional	access betwee	en fields may be re	quired along	with additional acc	cess infrastructure	e from Bell lane - utilising
			• •	_		. Within the fields there
				•		ne to create single infield
		north by Bell Lane	•		partments 20a, 21	a and the grassland and
portus or 2	4a anu to the	north by ben Lane	- a restricted	access bildleway.		
			2015			Г
26a	2.93	Oak (sessile)	2016	Wood establishment		
				establisililelit		
Former agr	ı icultural field	on restored open	cast coal mine	on a gentle south	facing slope. Pre	I dominantly ryegrass, this
						an area of willow and
birch plant	ted in 2012 as	part of the restor	ation process	(26b) Named War	rdland Wood afte	r a legator, this area will
		•	•	•	_	Equestrian to the south
		Bell Lane bridlewa	•	•		
_	and to the sc	outh by compartme	ent 260 - Turtr	ier regeneration a	na a continuation	
woodland						of Abbots Rough ancient
woodland.						TOT ADDOLS ROUGH afficient
woodland.						TOT Abbots Rough ancient
	l n 9	Oak (sessile)	2016	Min-		TOT Abbots Rough ancient
woodland.	0.9	Oak (sessile)	2016	Min- intervention		TOT Abbots Rough ancient
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26b				intervention		sland, this area was part
26b Former res	tored openca	st coal mine on a g	gentle southea	intervention ast facing slope. Pr	edominantly gras	sland, this area was part
26b  Former resplanted in regeneration	tored openca 2012 as part on g well. This a	st coal mine on a g of the restoration p area will have mini	gentle southea process and th mum access i	intervention ast facing slope. Pr en since left to reg nto it, apart from a	edominantly gras generation with o a permissive route	sland, this area was part ak, birch, willow and ash e solely for the use of
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274	1.70	open ground	2010	habitat		
left unplan conservation	ted to develo on benefit to o by Bell Lane	p into rough grassl doing so. Bounded	and habitat, o to the north	or should the oppo by compartment 1	rtunity arise, ther 7a, to the east an	, the field edge will be n grazed if there is a nd west by properties and will ensure neighbours
28a	0.69	Oak (sessile)	2016	Coppice		
Existing str and ash. Fo and as high	ip of scrub wo orms the north ovoltage cable	oodland consisting n and west bounda	predominant ary to compar N-S across th	ly of birch and will tment 11a. No per	ow with mature be missive access is	nted part regeneration of coundary trees of oak planned into this area, neath will need regular
28b	0.14	NULL	2016	Min- intervention		
Small section	on of permiss	ive track to the so	uth of compar	tment 11a and 28	a	
29a	1.74	Open ground	2016	Non-wood habitat		
no or little species. thi woodland p will be acce	topsoil was re is open area a planting This a	eturned during resols Iso contains a sma area will remain ur ne permissive trac	toration and r II pond and is aplanted and a	emained unseede bounded to all sid allowed to develor	d, so has a mixtur les by compartme o into floristically	·

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30a	3.14	Birch (downy/silver)	2012	High forest		

Outside of the opencast area, this woodland was planted by UK Coal in 2012 at close spacing within a deer and rabbit fence (now removed) Area of native woodland planting, consisting of a variety of native woodland species including alder, oak, birch hazel and rowan. Growth rates are impressive and to dates hasn't suffered from the effects of squirrel damage. long the northern boundar is the main access to the woodland from Shipley Country Park, via management gate and bridleway kissing gate, with welcome signage and information board. Bounded to the southeast by bridleway and Shipley Country Park, by compartment 3a to the west and by Flatmeadow Farm to the south.

# **GLOSSARY**

#### **Ancient Woodland**

Ancient woods are defined as those where there has been continuous woodland cover since at least 1600 AD. In Scotland ancient woods are defined strictly as sites shown as semi-natural woodland on the 'Roy' maps (a military survey carried out in 1750 AD, which is the best source of historical map evidence) and as woodland all subsequent maps. However, they have been combined with long-established woods of semi-natural origin (originating from between 1750 and 1860) into a single category of Ancient Semi-Natural Woodland to take account of uncertainties in their identification. Ancient woods include Ancient Semi-Natural Woodland and plantations on Ancient Woodland Sites (see below). May support many species that are only found in ancient woodland.

#### **Ancient Semi - Natural Woodland**

Stands in ancient woods defined as those consisting predominantly of native trees and shrubs that have not obviously been planted, which have arisen from natural regeneration or coppice regrowth.

#### **Ancient Woodland Site**

Stands in ancient woods that have been converted to plantations, of coniferous, broadleaved or mixed species, usually for timber production, including plantations of native species planted so closely together that any semi-natural elements of the understorey have been suppressed.

# **Beating Up**

Replacing any newly planted trees that have died in the first few years after planting.

### **Broadleaf**

A tree having broad leaves (such as oak) rather than needles found on conifers (such as Scots pine).

# Canopy

The uppermost layer of vegetation in a woodland, or the upper foliage and branches of an individual tree.

#### Clearfell

Felling of all trees within a defined area.

# Compartment

Permanent management division of a woodland, usually defined on site by permanent features such as roads. See Sub-compartments.

#### Conifer

A tree having needles, rather than broadleaves, and typically bearing cones.

# **Continuous Cover forestry**

A term used for managing woods to ensure that there are groups or individual trees of different ages scattered over the whole wood and that some mature tree cover is always maintained. Management is by repeated thinning and no large areas are ever completely felled all at once.

# **Coppice**

Trees which are cut back to ground levels at regular intervals (3-25 years).

# **Exotic (non-native) Species**

Species originating from other countries (or other parts of the UK) that have been introduced by humans, deliberately or accidentally.

# **Field Layer**

Layer of small, non-woody herbaceous plants such as bluebells.

### **Group Fell**

The felling of a small group of trees, often to promote natural regeneration or allow planting.

## **Long Term Retention**

Discrete groups of trees (or in some cases single trees) that are retained significantly past their economic felling age. Operations may still be carried out within them and thinning is often necessary to maintain stability.

#### **Minimum Intervention**

Areas where no operations (such as thinning) will take place other than to protect public safety or possibly to control invasive exotic species.

#### **Mixed Woodland**

Woodland made up of broadleaved and coniferous trees.

### National vegetation classification (NVC)

A classification scheme that allows an area of vegetation to be assigned to the standardised type that best matches the combination of plant species that it contains. All woodlands in the UK can be described as being one of 18 main woodland types (W1 - W18), which principally reflect soil and climatic conditions. For example, Upland Oakwoods are type W11, and normally occur on well drained infertile soils in the cooler and wetter north and west of Britain. Each main type can be subdivided into numerous subtypes. Most real woods contain more than one type or sub-type and inevitably some woods are intermediate in character and can't be properly described by any sub type.

# **Native Species**

Species that arrived in Britain without human assistance.

### **Natural Regeneration**

Naturally grown trees from seeds falling from mature trees. Also regeneration from coppicing and suckering.

## **Origin & Provenance**

The provenance of a tree or seed is the place where seed was collected to grow the tree or plant. The origin is the geographical location within the natural range of a species from where seeds/tree originally derives. Thus an acorn collected from a Turkey oak in Edinburgh would have an Edinburgh provenance and a southern European origin.

# **Re-Stocking**

Re-planting an area of woodland, after it has been felled.

# **Shrub Layer**

Formed by woody plants 1-10m tall.

#### Silviculture

The growing and care of trees in woodlands.

#### Stand

Trees of one type or species, grouped together within a woodland.

# **Sub-Compartment**

Temporary management division of a compartment, which may change between management plan periods.

# **Thinning**

The felling of a proportion of individual trees within a given area. The remaining trees grow to fill in the space created.

# **Tubex or Grow or Tuley Tubes**

Tubes placed over newly planted trees or natural regeneration that promote growth and provide protection from animals such as rabbits and deer.

### Weeding

The control of vegetation immediately around newly planted trees or natural regeneration to promote tree growth until they become established.

### Windblow/Windthrow

Trees or groups of trees blown over (usually uprooted) by strong winds and gales.

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