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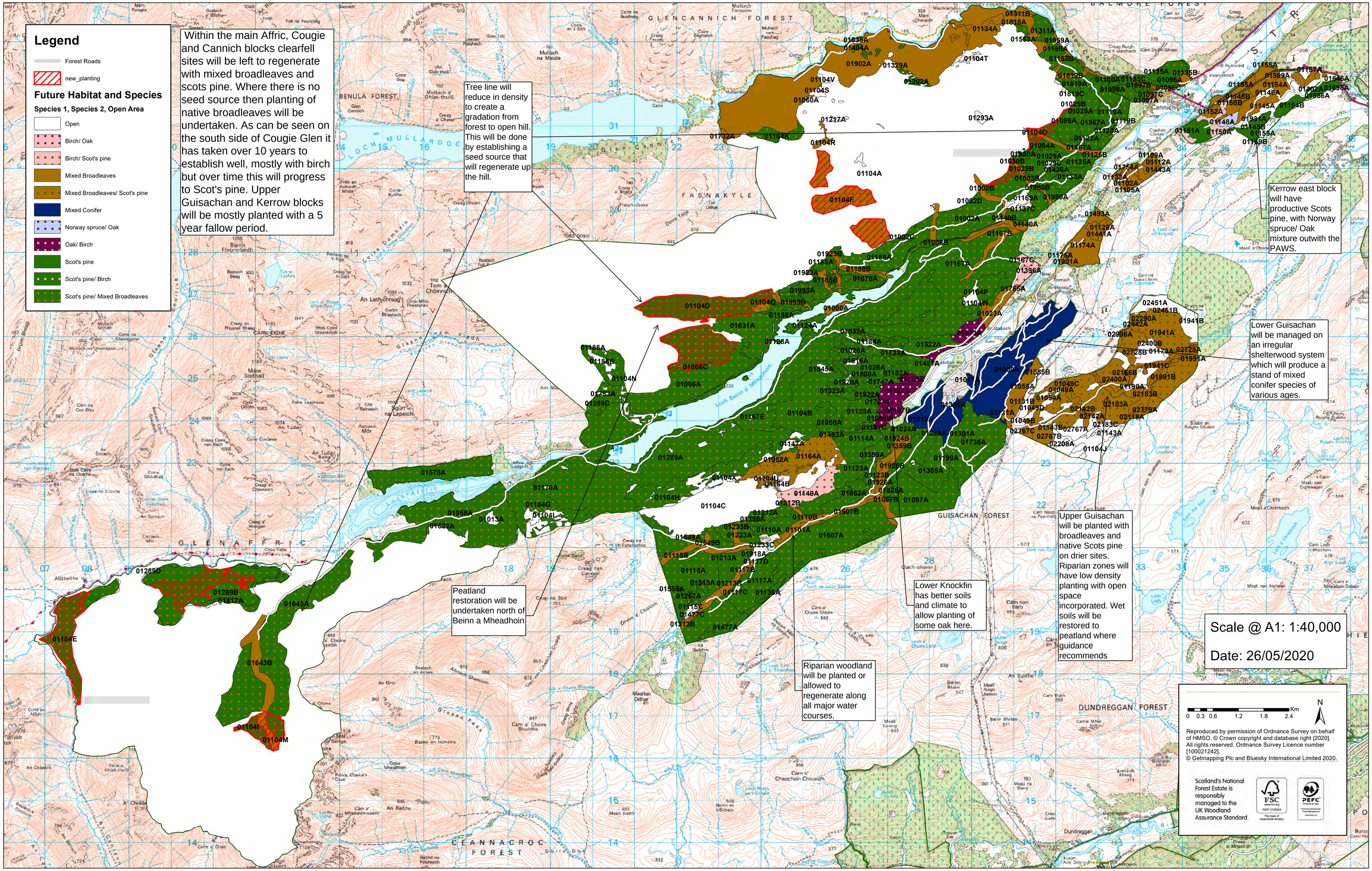
Glen Affric Land Management Plan
Map 11b - Future Habitat and Species Map


Legend
Forest Roads
new_planting
Future Habitat and Species
Species 1, Species 2, Open Area
Open
Birch/ Oak
Birch/ Scot's pine
Mixed Broadleaves
Mixed Broadleaves/ Scot's pine
Mixed Conifer
Norway spruce/ Oak
Oak/ Birch
Scot's pine
Scot's pine/ Birch
Scot's pine/ Mixed Broadleaves
Within the main Affric, Cougie and Cannich blocks clearfell sites will be left to regenerate with mixed broadleaves and scots pine. Where there is no seed source then planting of native broadleaves will be undertaken. As can be seen on the south side of Cougie Glen it has taken over 10 years to establish well, mostly with birch but over time this will progress to Scot's pine. Upper Guisachan and Kerrow blocks will be mostly planted with a 5 year fallow period.
Tree line will reduce in density to create a gradation from forest to open hill. This will be done by establishing a seed source that will regenerate up the hill.
Kerrow east block will have productive Scots pine, with Norway spruce/ Oak mixture outwith the PAWS.
Lower Guisachan will be managed on an irregular shelterwood system which will produce a stand of mixed conifer species of various ages.
Upper Guisachan will be planted with broadleaves and native Scots pine on drier sites. Riparian zones will have low density planting with open space incorporated. Wet soils will be restored to peatland where guidance recommends
Lower Knockfin has better soils and climate to allow planting of some oak here.
Peatland restoration will be undertaken north of Beinn a Mheadhoin
Riparian woodland will be planted or allowed to regenerate along all major water courses.
Scale @ A1: 1:40,000
Date: 26/05/2020
Km
0 0.3 0.6 1.2 1.8 2.4
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LOCH MULLARDOCH
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GLENAFFRIC
GUISACHAN FOREST
DUNDREGGAN FOREST
CEANNACROC FOREST
Loch Affric
Loch Beinn a' Mheadhoin
Cannich
Tom a' Choinnich
An Leth-chroig
Alltbeithe
Mullach na Maoile
Mullach a' Ghlas-thuill
Beinn Fhionnlaidh
Meallan Odhar
Meall Damh
Meall Dubhag
Meall Ruigh Uladein
Meall Coiley
Meall na Doire
Meall nan Aighean
Meall a' Chrathaich
Meall nan Cughreagan
Meall a' Mhadaidh
Meall Ban
Meall Fuar-mhonaidh
Meall Mhic Bharaich
Meall Buidhe