



Inverness Ross & Skye  
Forest District  
Title: Glen Brittle Future species and habitat map  
Date: 08/09/2017  
Scale: 1:10,000

Current poor yield Sitka spruce and Lodgepole pine mixture planted on heath and blanket bog. Prescription here is to allow the current crop to grow on to harvest as a biomass crop which will provide enough brash to allow machines to access the site. Areas of blanket bog will not be restocked and measures will be taken to restore the peatland. Areas on drier soils will be restocked with low density group planting of native broadleaves.

Low Yield Sitka spruce will not be replanted to remove straight edges and create a treeline that is more sympathetic to the landscape as seen from Bealach a Mhaim

Failed Lodgepole pine and Sitka spruce, very low yield class. This will be returned to open heathland after felling the existing crop.

Wet open areas to be returned to blanket bog.

Treeline altered to reflect the shape and scale of the landscape. This will be mixed broadleaved planting to enrich the natural regeneration that is already establishing here.

Area not to be restocked to create treeline that reflects landscape scale and shape.

Area of low yield Sitka spruce, this will be harvested traditionally but will not be replanted according to FES policy for crops less than Yield Class 8. This will also enhance the landscape and habitat connectivity by creating a link between the open hill ground.

**Legend**

[Solid Brown]	Broadleaved
[Brown with dots]	Broadleaved/Birch
[Brown with vertical lines]	Broadleaved/Conifer
[Brown with horizontal lines]	Broadleaved/Douglas Fir
[Brown with diagonal lines]	Broadleaved/Larch
[Brown with wavy lines]	Broadleaved/Lodgepole Pine
[Brown with cross-hatch]	Broadleaved/Norway Spruce
[Brown with small dots]	Broadleaved/Scots Pine
[Brown with large dots]	Broadleaved/Sitka Spruce
[Solid Blue]	Conifer
[Blue with dots]	Conifer/Birch
[Blue with vertical lines]	Conifer/Broadleaved
[Blue with horizontal lines]	Conifer/Douglas Fir
[Blue with diagonal lines]	Conifer/Larch
[Blue with wavy lines]	Conifer/Lodgepole Pine
[Blue with cross-hatch]	Conifer/Norway Spruce
[Blue with small dots]	Conifer/Scots Pine
[Blue with large dots]	Conifer/Sitka Spruce
[White]	Open
[Solid Green]	Scots Pine
[Green with dots]	Scots Pine/Birch
[Green with vertical lines]	Scots Pine/Broadleaved
[Green with horizontal lines]	Scots Pine/Conifer
[Green with diagonal lines]	Scots Pine/Douglas Fir
[Green with wavy lines]	Scots Pine/Larch
[Green with cross-hatch]	Scots Pine/Lodgepole Pine
[Green with small dots]	Scots Pine/Norway Spruce
[Green with large dots]	Scots Pine/Sitka Spruce
[Light Blue]	Sitka Spruce
[Light Blue with dots]	Sitka Spruce/Birch
[Light Blue with vertical lines]	Sitka Spruce/Broadleaved
[Light Blue with horizontal lines]	Sitka Spruce/Conifer
[Light Blue with diagonal lines]	Sitka Spruce/Douglas Fir
[Light Blue with wavy lines]	Sitka Spruce/Larch
[Light Blue with cross-hatch]	Sitka Spruce/Lodgepole Pine
[Light Blue with small dots]	Sitka Spruce/Norway Spruce
[Light Blue with large dots]	Sitka Spruce/Scots Pine
[Light Green]	open