



Scotland's National Forest Estate is responsibly managed to the UK Woodland Assurance Standard.



Map 3 - Analysis & Concept

Scale @ A1 1:25,000

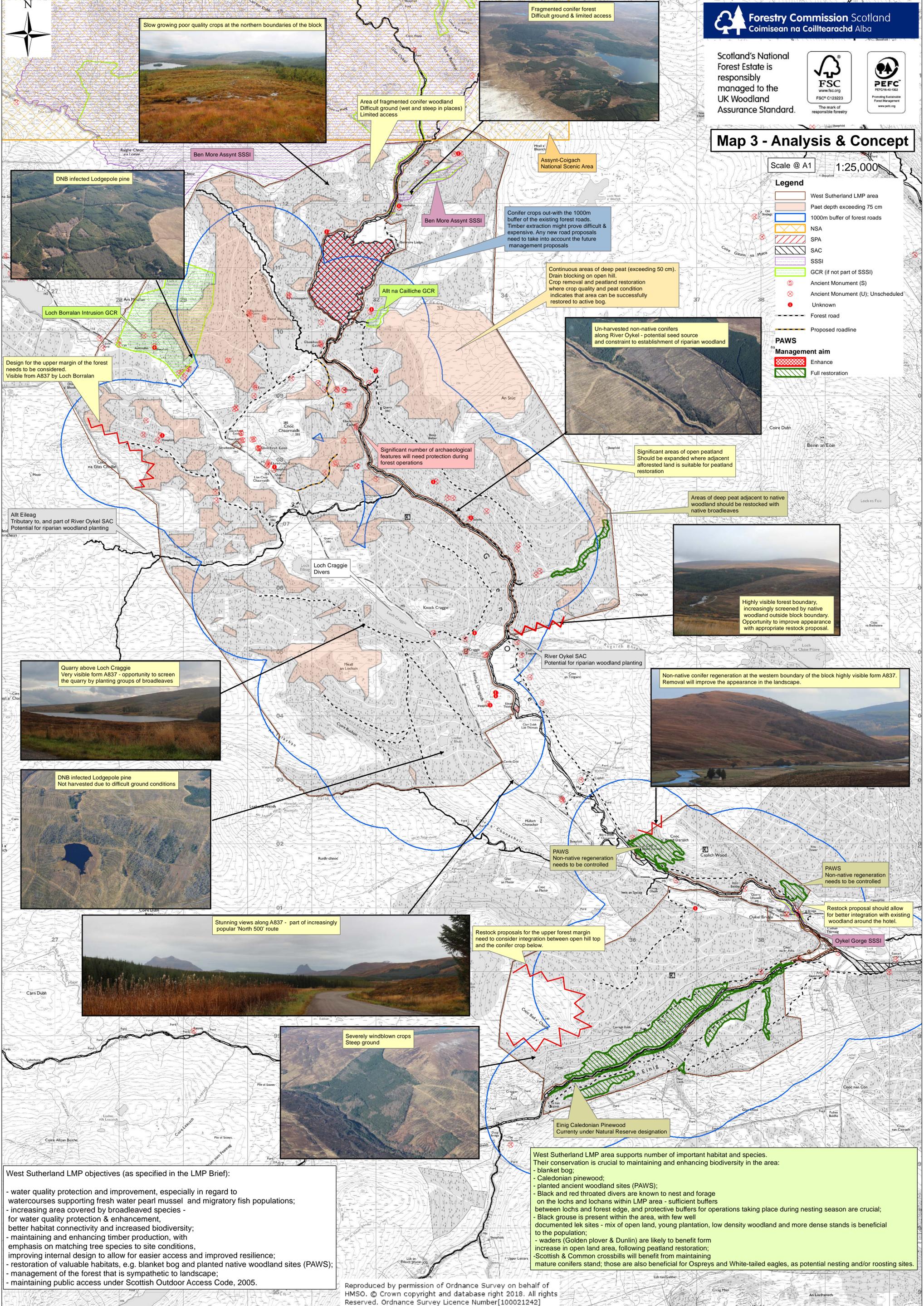
Legend

- West Sutherland LMP area
- Peat depth exceeding 75 cm
- 1000m buffer of forest roads
- NSA
- SPA
- SAC
- SSSI
- GCR (if not part of SSSI)
- Ancient Monument (S)
- Ancient Monument (U); Unscheduled
- Unknown
- Forest road
- Proposed roadline

PAWS

Management aim

- Enhance
- Full restoration



West Sutherland LMP objectives (as specified in the LMP Brief):

- water quality protection and improvement, especially in regard to watercourses supporting fresh water pearl mussel and migratory fish populations;
- increasing area covered by broadleaved species - for water quality protection & enhancement, better habitat connectivity and increased biodiversity;
- maintaining and enhancing timber production, with emphasis on matching tree species to site conditions, improving internal design to allow for easier access and improved resilience;
- restoration of valuable habitats, e.g. blanket bog and planted native woodland sites (PAWS);
- management of the forest that is sympathetic to landscape;
- maintaining public access under Scottish Outdoor Access Code, 2005.