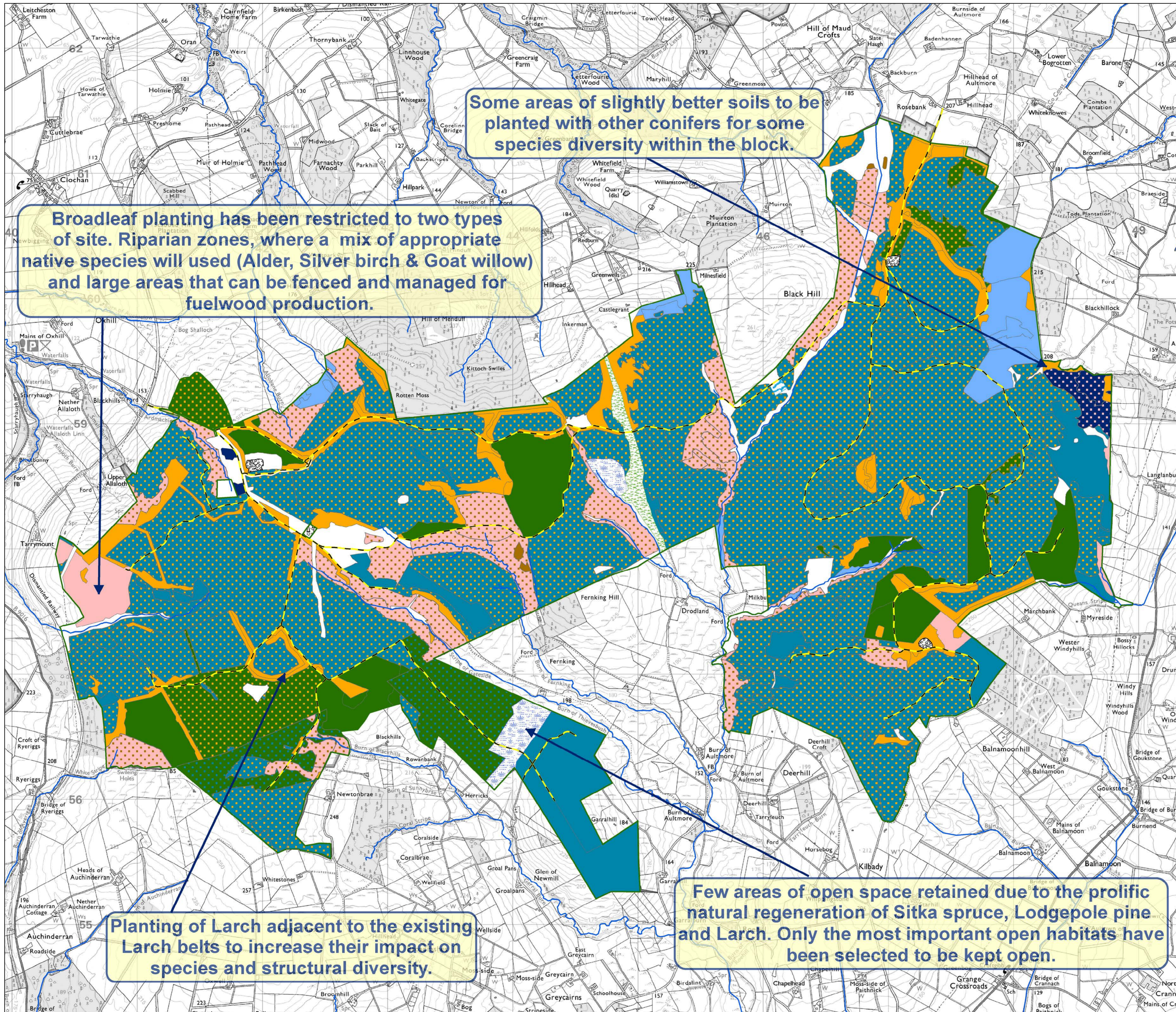


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Map 7 Future habitats and species

Scale : 1:15,000 @ A1

Date : April 2013



Some areas of slightly better soils to be planted with other conifers for some species diversity within the block.

Broadleaf planting has been restricted to two types of site. Riparian zones, where a mix of appropriate native species will be used (Alder, Silver birch & Goat willow) and large areas that can be fenced and managed for fuelwood production.

Planting of Larch adjacent to the existing Larch belts to increase their impact on species and structural diversity.

Few areas of open space retained due to the prolific natural regeneration of Sitka spruce, Lodgepole pine and Larch. Only the most important open habitats have been selected to be kept open.

- Aultmore boundary
- FC roads
- Watercourses
- Agricultural grazing
- Blanket bog
- Dry heath
- Quarry
- Wet moorland
- Open land
- Birch
- Birch/Broadleaf
- Broadleaf
- Larch
- Norway spruce
- Omorika spruce
- Scots pine
- Scots pine/Larch
- Scots pine/Sitka spruce
- Sitka spruce
- Sitka spruce/Larch
- Western red cedar

