

M3 - Concept and Analysis

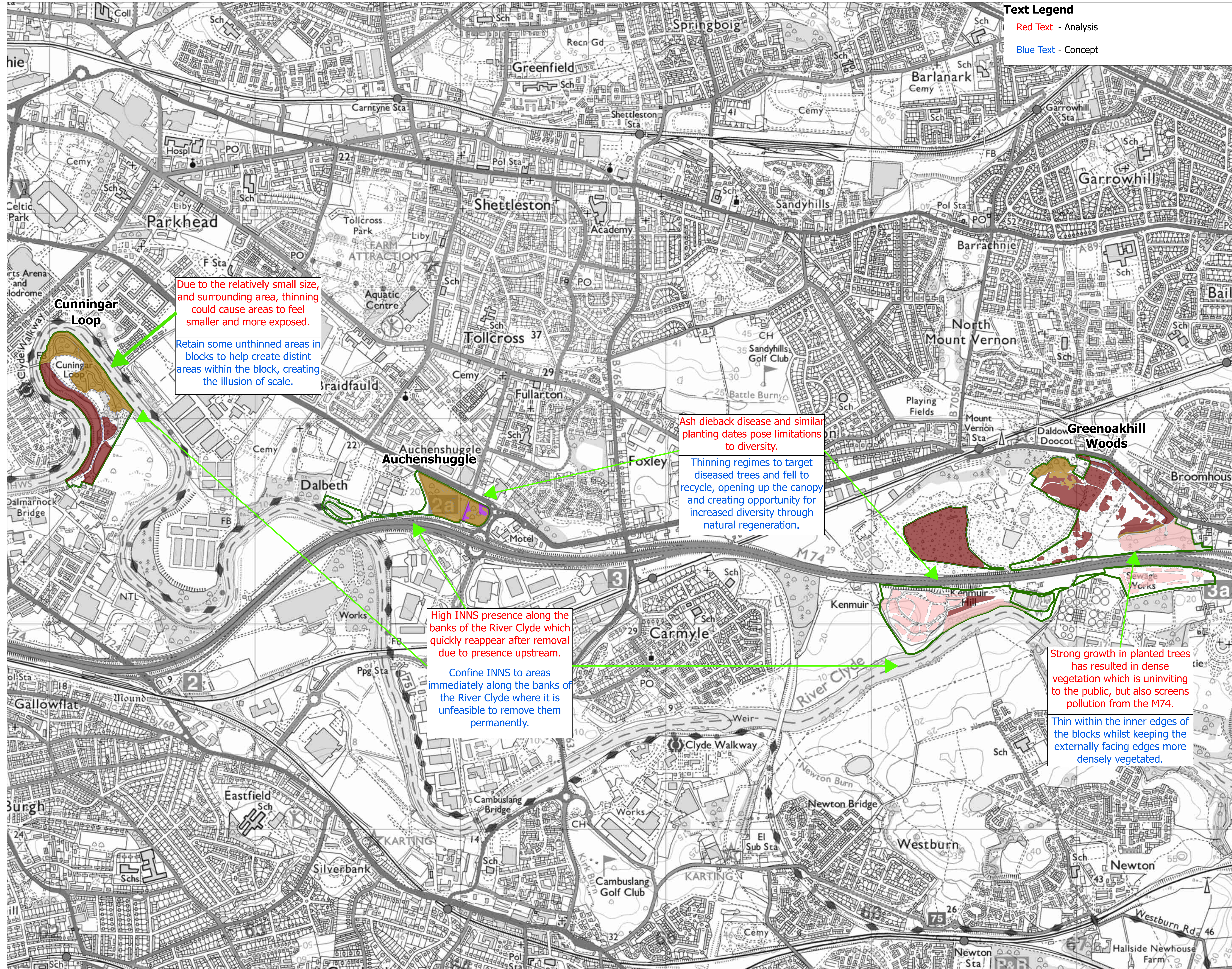
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Scale @ A0: 1:6,500

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- Block Boundary
 - Native Mixed/Other Broadleaves
 - Other/Mixed Broadleaves
 - Birch
 - Oak
 - No Species



Due to the relatively small size, and surrounding area, thinning could cause areas to feel smaller and more exposed.

Retain some unthinned areas in blocks to help create distinct areas within the block, creating the illusion of scale.

Ash dieback disease and similar planting dates pose limitations to diversity.

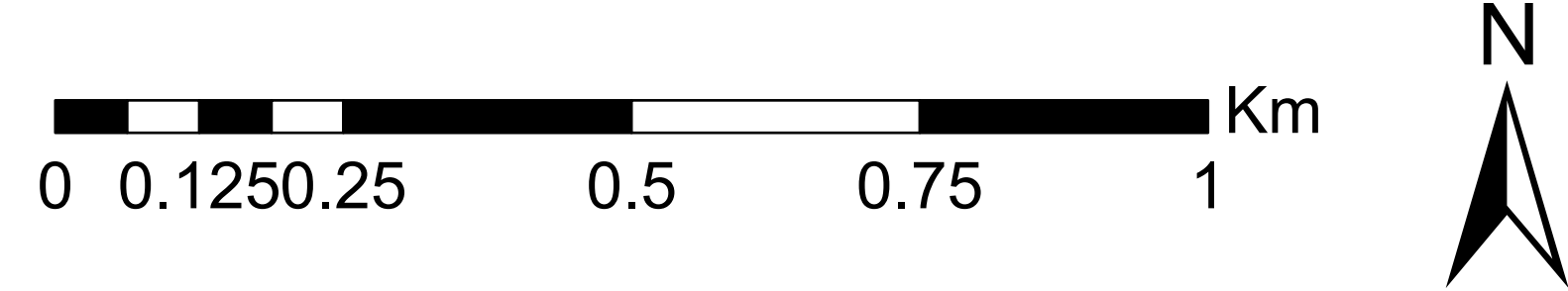
Thinning regimes to target diseased trees and fell to recycle, opening up the canopy and creating opportunity for increased diversity through natural regeneration.

High INNS presence along the banks of the River Clyde which quickly reappear after removal due to presence upstream.

Confine INNS to areas immediately along the banks of the River Clyde where it is unfeasible to remove them permanently.

Strong growth in planted trees has resulted in dense vegetation which is uninviting to the public, but also screens pollution from the M74.

Thin within the inner edges of the blocks whilst keeping the externally facing edges more densely vegetated.



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