



Key Features Map Annotations

- Large areas of the LMP area are classed as Long Established of Plantation Origin (LEPO) which will affect management decisions.
- Many watercourses within the plan area drain to the River Spey and River Isla, the Spey is covered by a Special Area of Conservation designation and the Isla catchment is a Scottish Water Drinking Water Protected Area.
- The Hill of Towie windfarm site forms much of the southern boundary of the Rosarie blocks, with a shared access through the LMP area.
- The LMP area includes two large forest establishment areas completed in 2017 and 2019: Broadfield and Curlusk.
- Heritage features are spread across the LMP area, with several areas of historic smallholdings and enclosures identified.
- A water source used by Glentauchers distillery flows through a northern section of the LMP area.
- Some small areas of peaty soils are present although they are unlikely to be at a scale to be successfully restored.
- Western areas are visible in the landscape from the summit of Ben Aigen, a popular hill walk nearby.
- Eastern areas were impacted by Storm Arwen in 2021, with large clearance operations carried out recently.
- There are many private water supplies located in the surrounding landscape to be protected from forest operations.
- Roe deer and occasional Red deer are known to be resident in area. Careful management will be required for any broadleaf establishment.