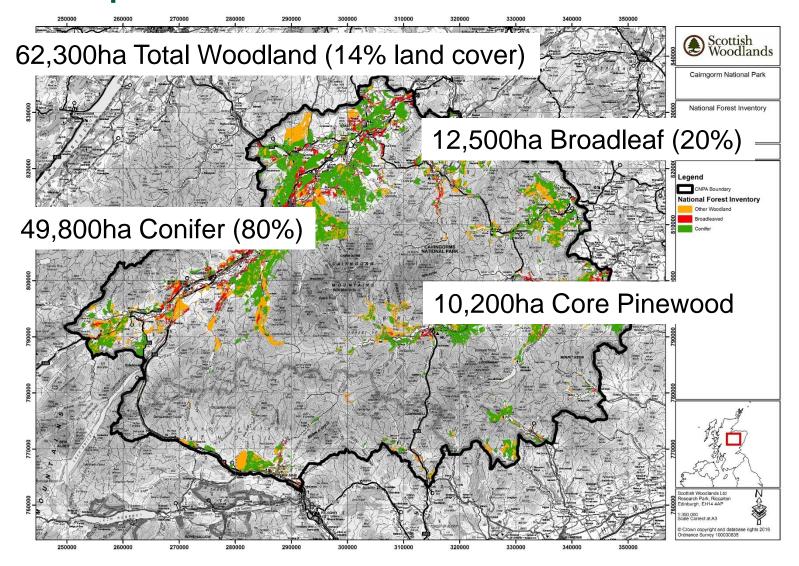
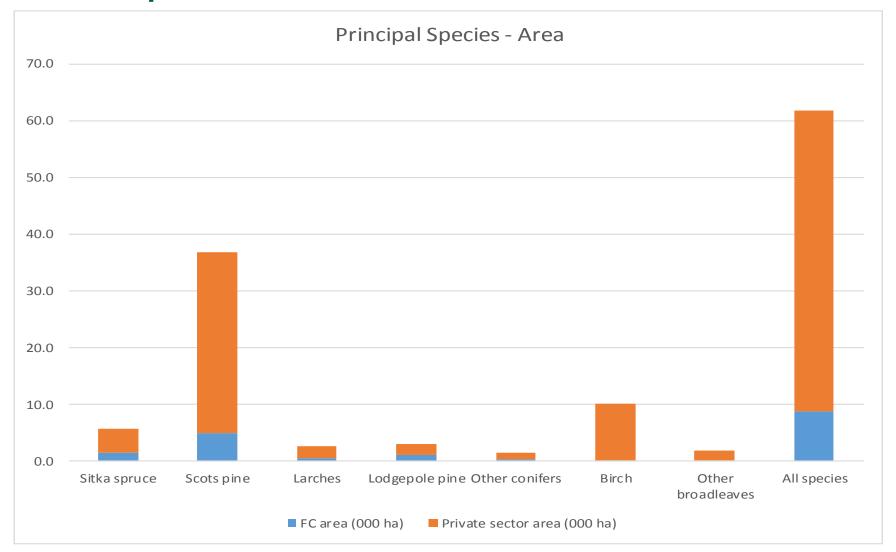
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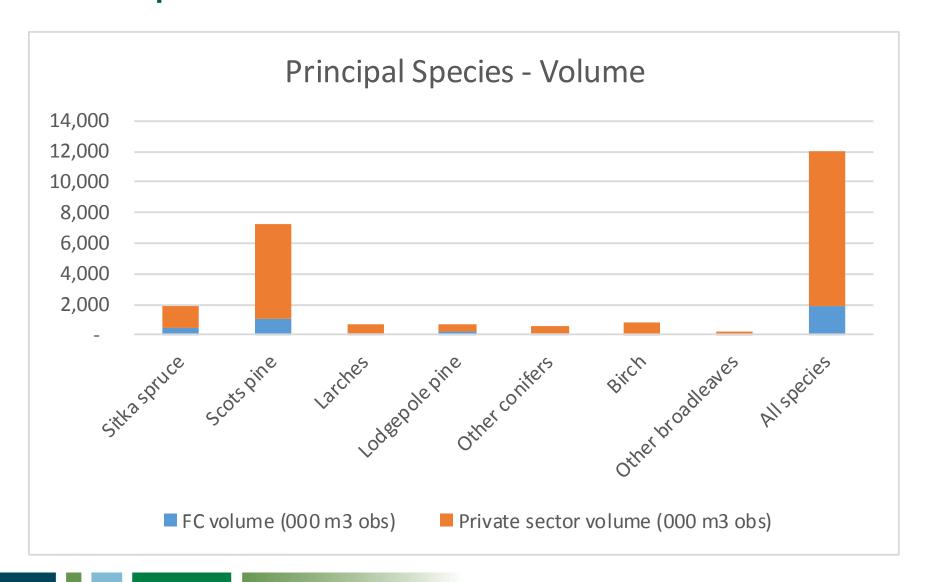








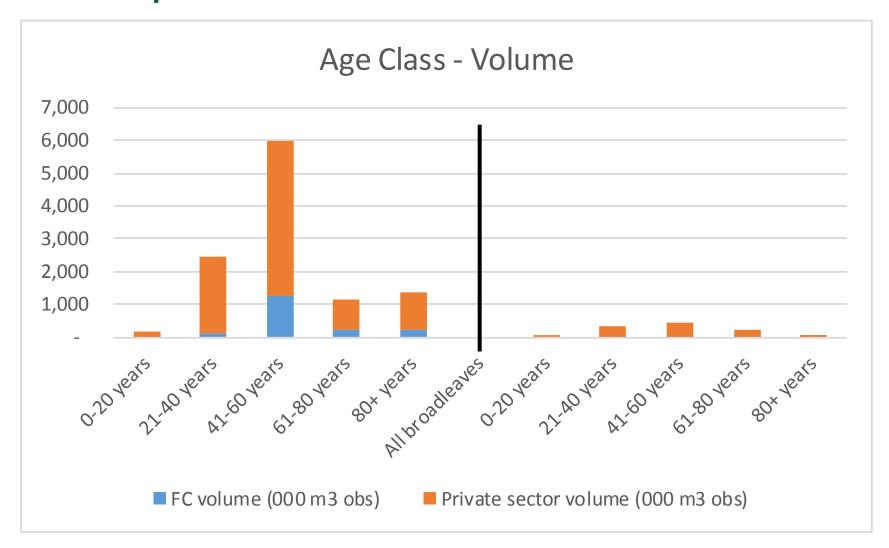






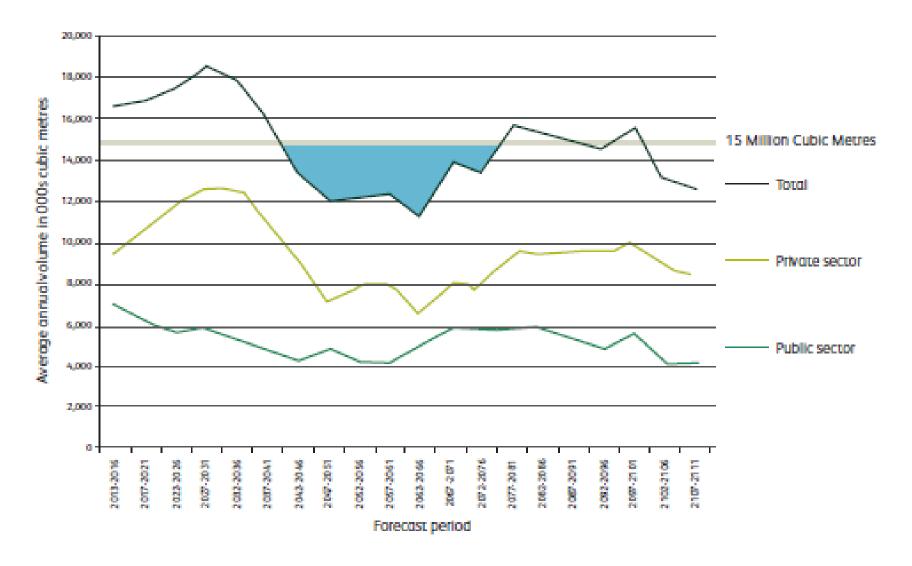






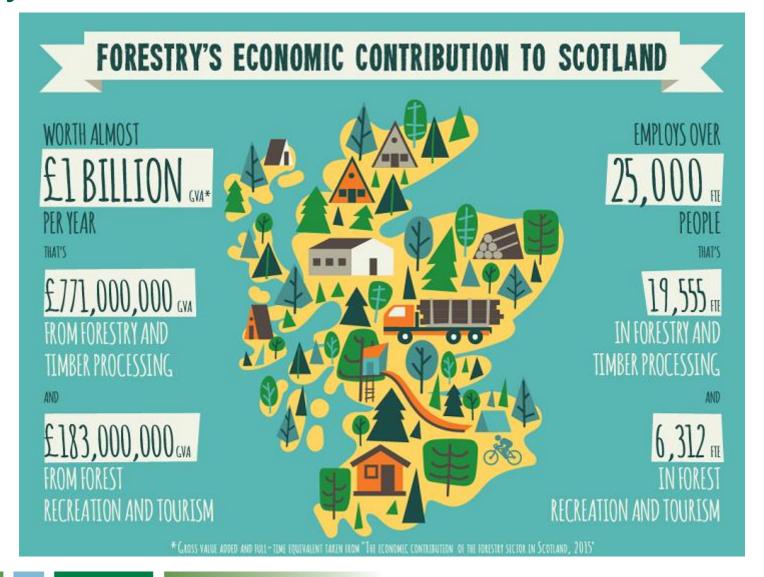


## Backdrop (FC 50yr Timber Availability)





#### Policy





#### **Policy**

## Confor's five-point forestry action plan

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Deliver on the commitment to plant 100,000 hectares of trees in the decade to 2022, including at least 60,000 hectares of productiv



"We are committed to increase planting rates even further so that we plant 100,000 hectares of trees in the decade to 2022"

Nicola Sturgeon MSP, First Minister

ue to support lable timber ort in rural nd through ategic Timber ort Fund.



Ensure the gran system and application profor woodland creation supports more planting and does not put potential applicants off.



Replant forests cut down to supply timber. This is in addition to new planting.



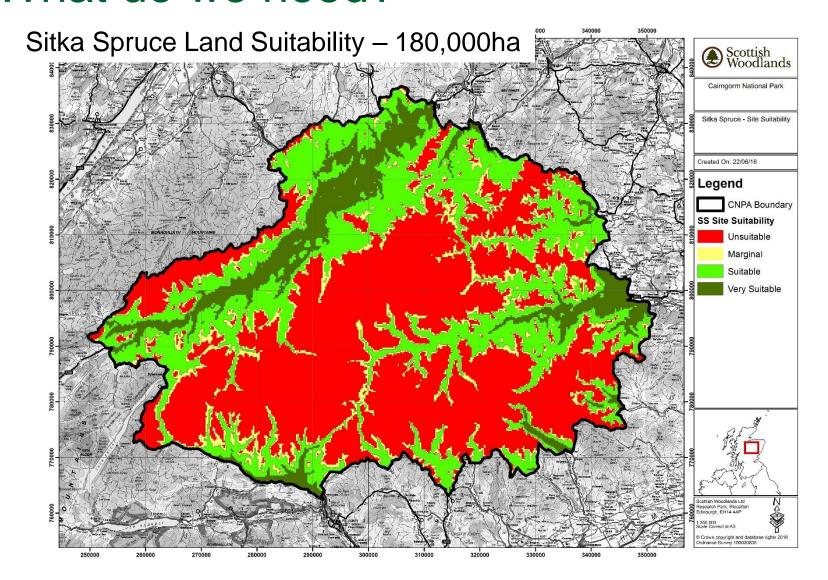
Increase the use of home-grown wood in housebuilding and construction, drawing on innovation and technology in timber use.





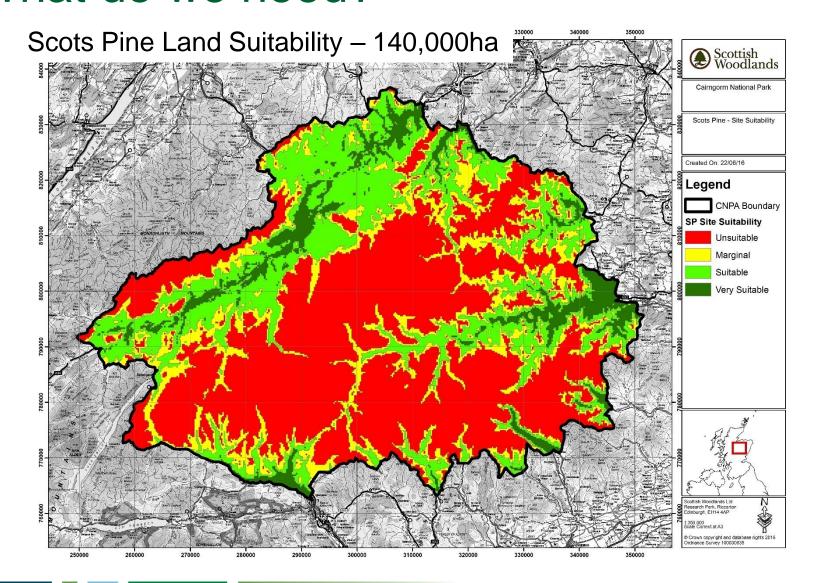


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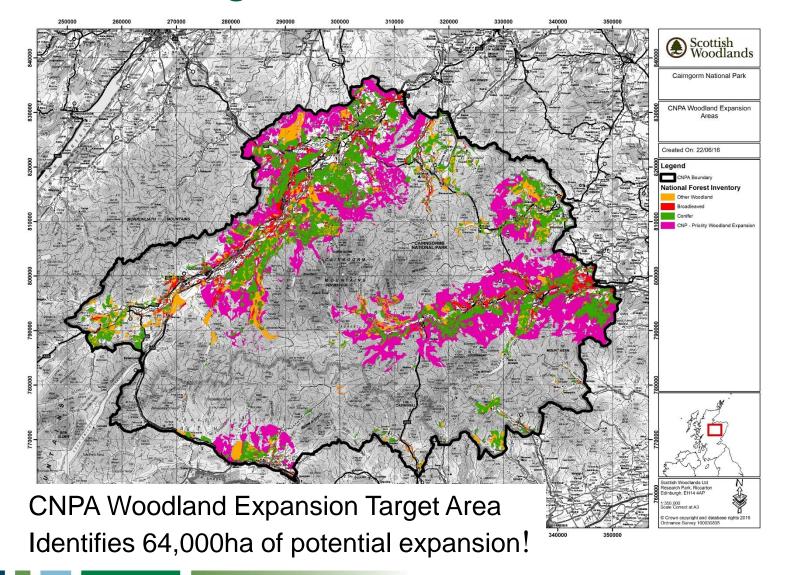
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## Where do we go from here?





#### Sum Up

- Most importantly we need to start by managing what we already have to it's best potential
- There is a great potential to develop new productive woodland within the CNP
- New woodland must be multi benefit
  - Production
  - Access/Recreation
  - Sporting
  - Attractive
  - Diverse
- Will provide increased employment opportunities
- Will form greater habitat networks
- Will be valued for what it is woodland
- Commercial production can easily coexist with conservation



#### Thank you, question session to follow.

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