

Nature Restoration in Practice



FOREST OF BOYLAND

Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty



Forest of Bowland AONB

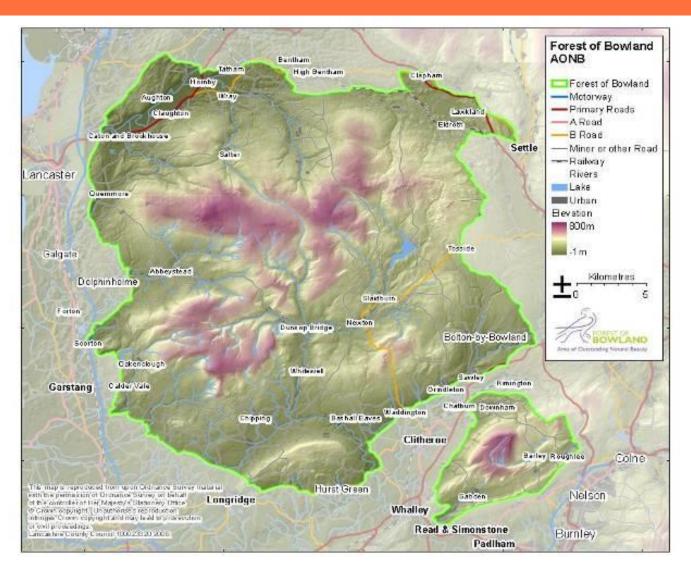
- One of 46 Areas of Outstanding Natural Beauty in England, Wales & Northern Ireland
- 34 in England
- Cover 18% of the countryside



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Geography





Key facts

- Internationally important for its heather moorland, blanket bog, upland hay meadows and rare birds
- Covers an area of 810km²
- Highest point of the Bowland Fells 570m
- Almost 20% of area is designated for nature
- Approximately 16,000 people live within the boundary of the AONB
- Around 8 million people within 90 minutes travel time





- AONB Climate Change Adaptation Plan 2011, using modelling from UK Climate Impacts Programme (UKCIP)
- Vulnerable Habitats
 - Blanket bog (upland peat)
 - Upland hay meadows
- Our highest nature restoration priorities over the last decade



Our Protected Area does not own any land

 Work in partnership with landowners and farmers to deliver nature restoration

 Our team secures private and public funding and manages project delivery



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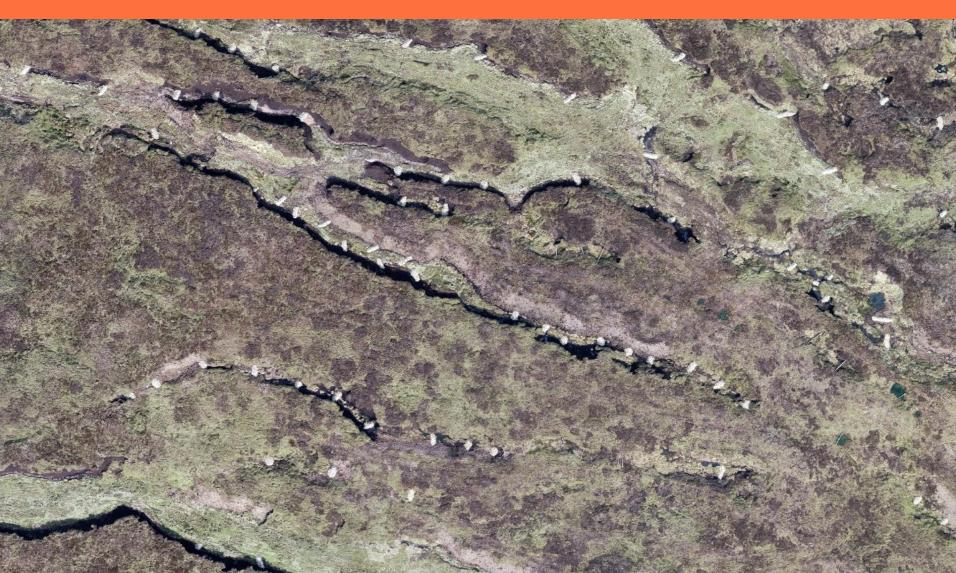


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Upland Hay Meadow Restoration





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