

West Argyll Forest District
East Loch Awe:
Land Management Plan



M18 Management Overview

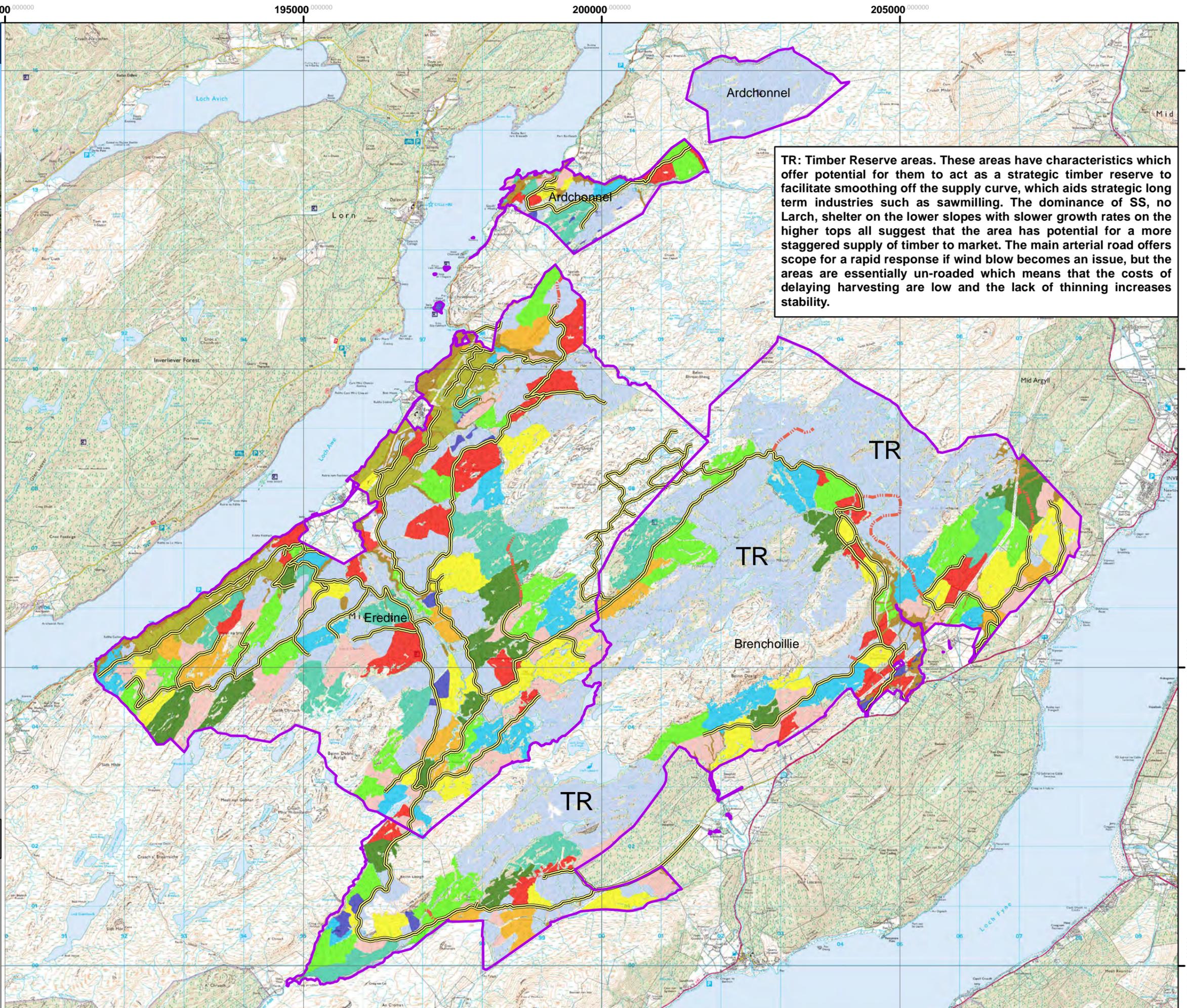
Legend

- Land Management Plan Area
- Planned Roads
- Forest Roads
- Felling**
- Phase 1: 2017 - 2021
- Phase 2: 2022 - 2026
- Phase 3: 2027 - 2031
- Phase 4: 2032 - 2036
- Phase 5: 2037 - 2041
- Phase 6: 2042 - 2046
- Phase 7: 2047 - 2051
- Conifer Long Term Retention (LTR)
- Felled
- Low Impact Silvicultural System
- Mixed Broadleaved LTR
- Felling Post 2051

The forest will be managed in accordance with the UKFS.

Forest cover will be managed to provide screening for key species.

Scale: 1:60,000 @ A3



TR: Timber Reserve areas. These areas have characteristics which offer potential for them to act as a strategic timber reserve to facilitate smoothing off the supply curve, which aids strategic long term industries such as sawmilling. The dominance of SS, no Larch, shelter on the lower slopes with slower growth rates on the higher tops all suggest that the area has potential for a more staggered supply of timber to market. The main arterial road offers scope for a rapid response if wind blow becomes an issue, but the areas are essentially un-roaded which means that the costs of delaying harvesting are low and the lack of thinning increases stability.