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**South England Forest District**

**Burnt Wood  
Current Structure**

- Native and Honourable Broadleaf
- Conifer
- Open Habitat
- Mixed Woodland
- Non-Native Broadleaf
- Ponds



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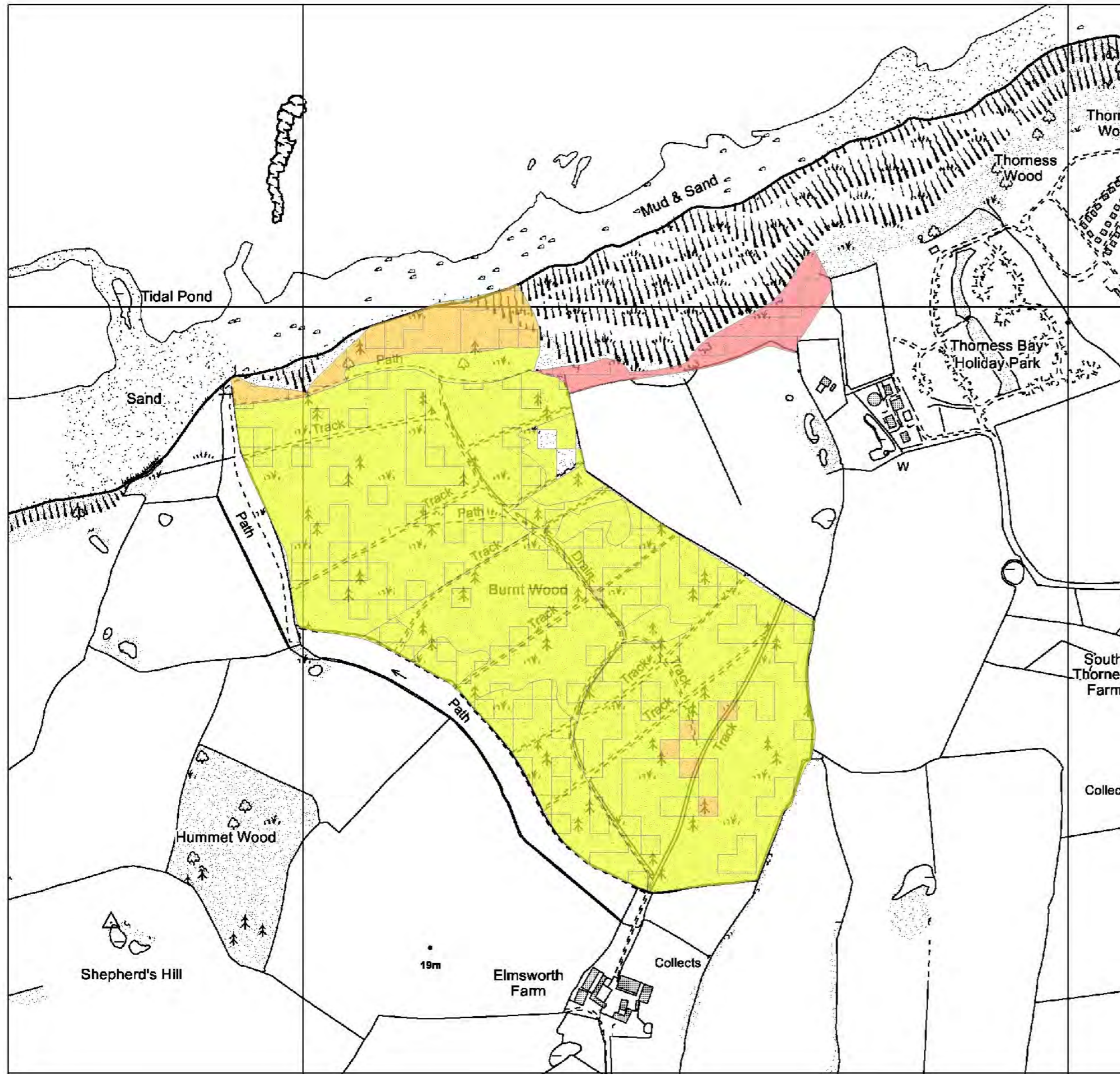
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**Burnt Wood  
Indicative Age Diversity**

- 1500 - 1911
- 1912 - 1938
- 1939 - 1953
- 1954 - 1966
- 1967 - 1981
- 1982 - 1998
- 1999 - 2016

Shows the planting years, seperated into broad age classes.



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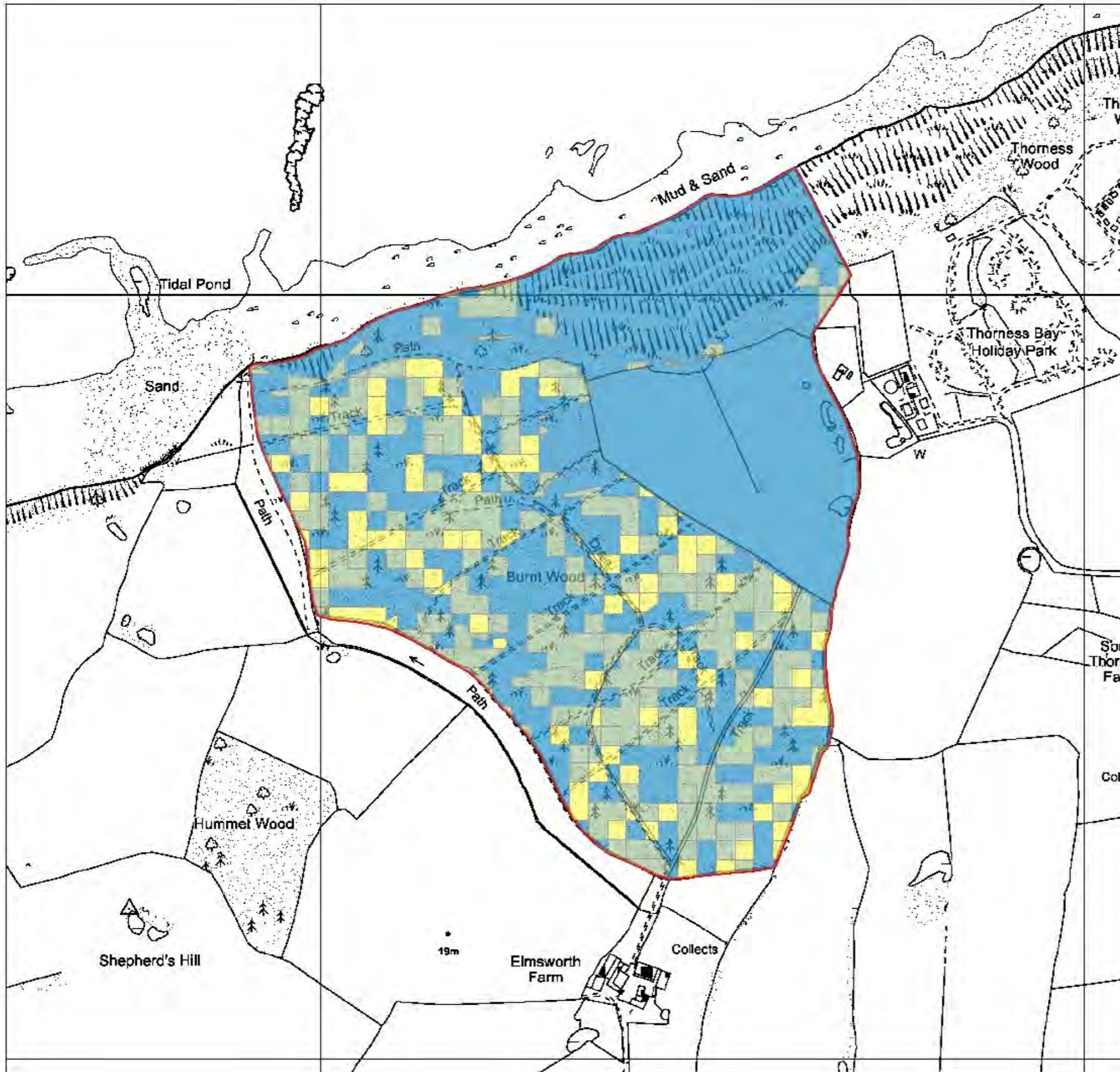


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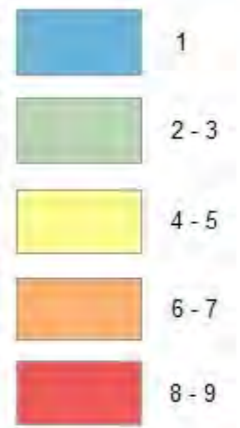


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**Indicative Species Diversity**



Shows the number of species with the canopy only (including open space) and should be treated as indicative only. For more detail please see the statistics section.



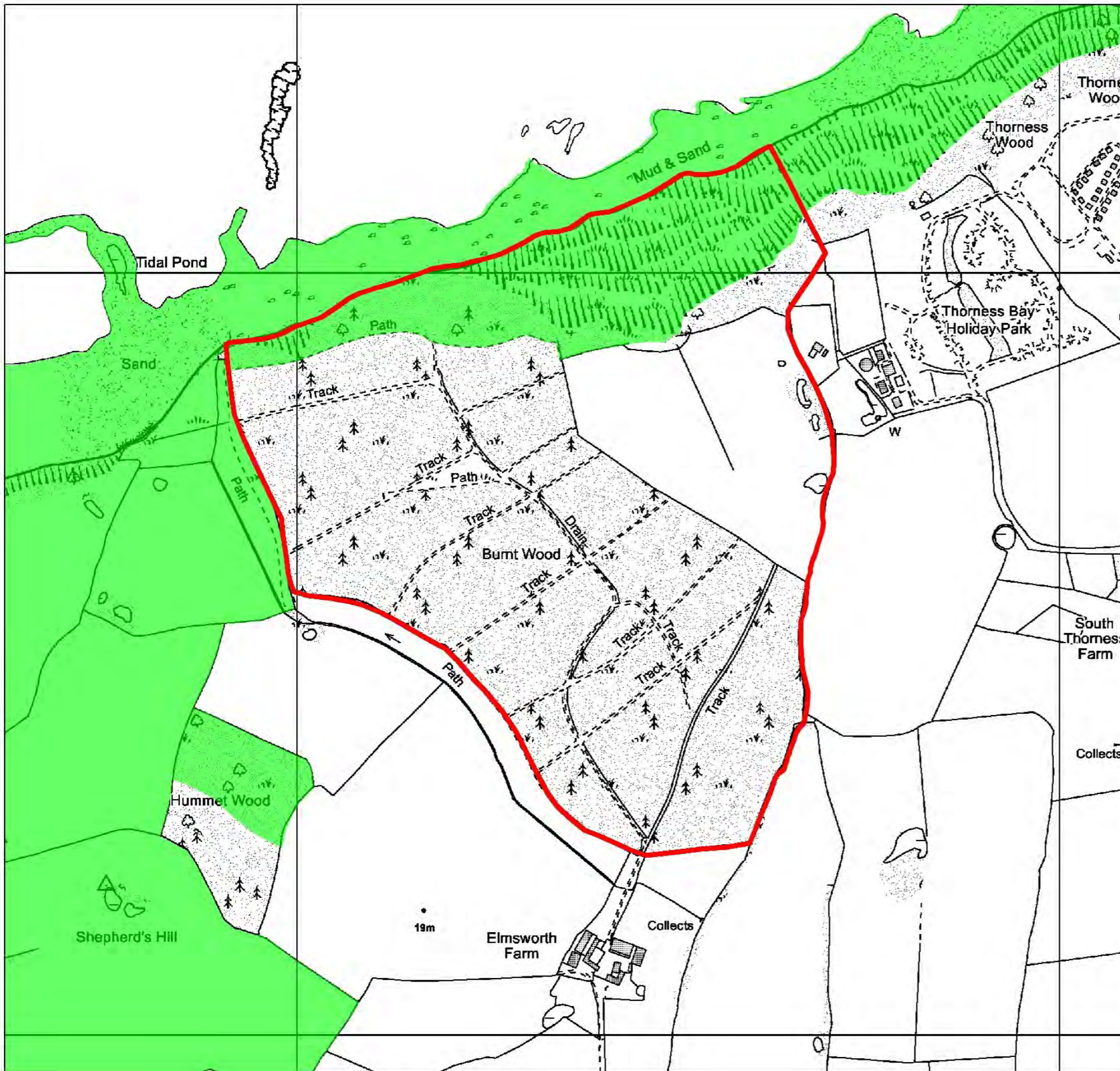
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 2006-2015  
 2015-2020  
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**Burnt Wood  
Statutory Designations Map**

- FC management area
- Site of Special Scientific Interest



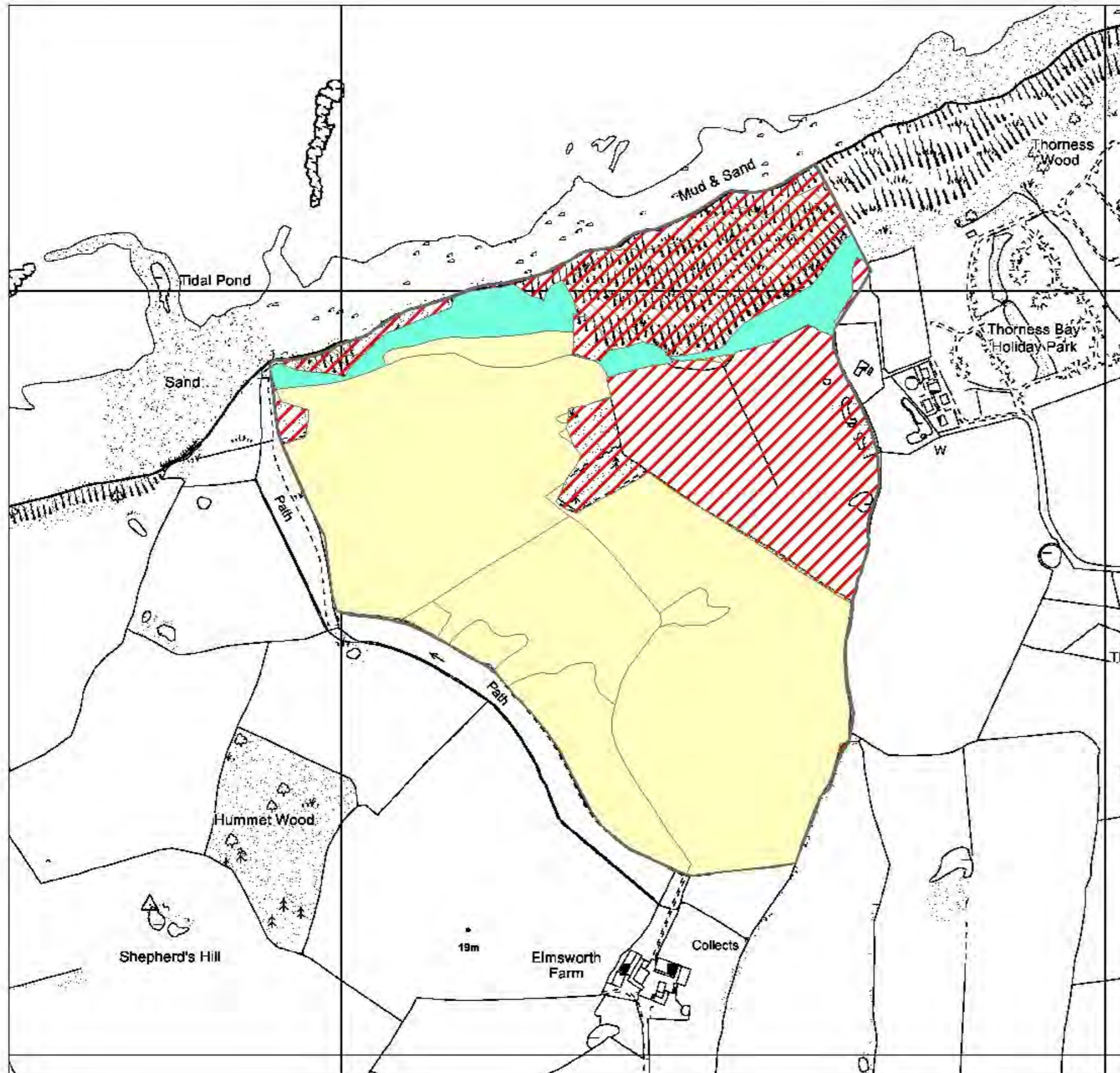
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**Burnt Wood**  
**Ancient Woodland & Semi Natural Scoring**

-  1 Over 80% native
-  2 Between 50% and 80% native.
-  3 Between 20% and 50% native
-  4 Less than 20% native
-  0 Currently open or unestablished woodland
-  Not Ancient Woodland

Map shows areas of ancient woodland and the proportion of native species present.



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### Burnt Wood Long Term Vision

Priority Ecological Corridor

Open ride and road network, connecting habitats and woodland for enhanced biodiversity.

Native Broadleaf Woodland Management

Native Broadleaf Woodland. Predominately (<80%) native or honorary native species.

Natural Reserve

A mosaic of open space, shrub and woodland habitat managed under a system of minimum intervention.

Mixed Woodland Management

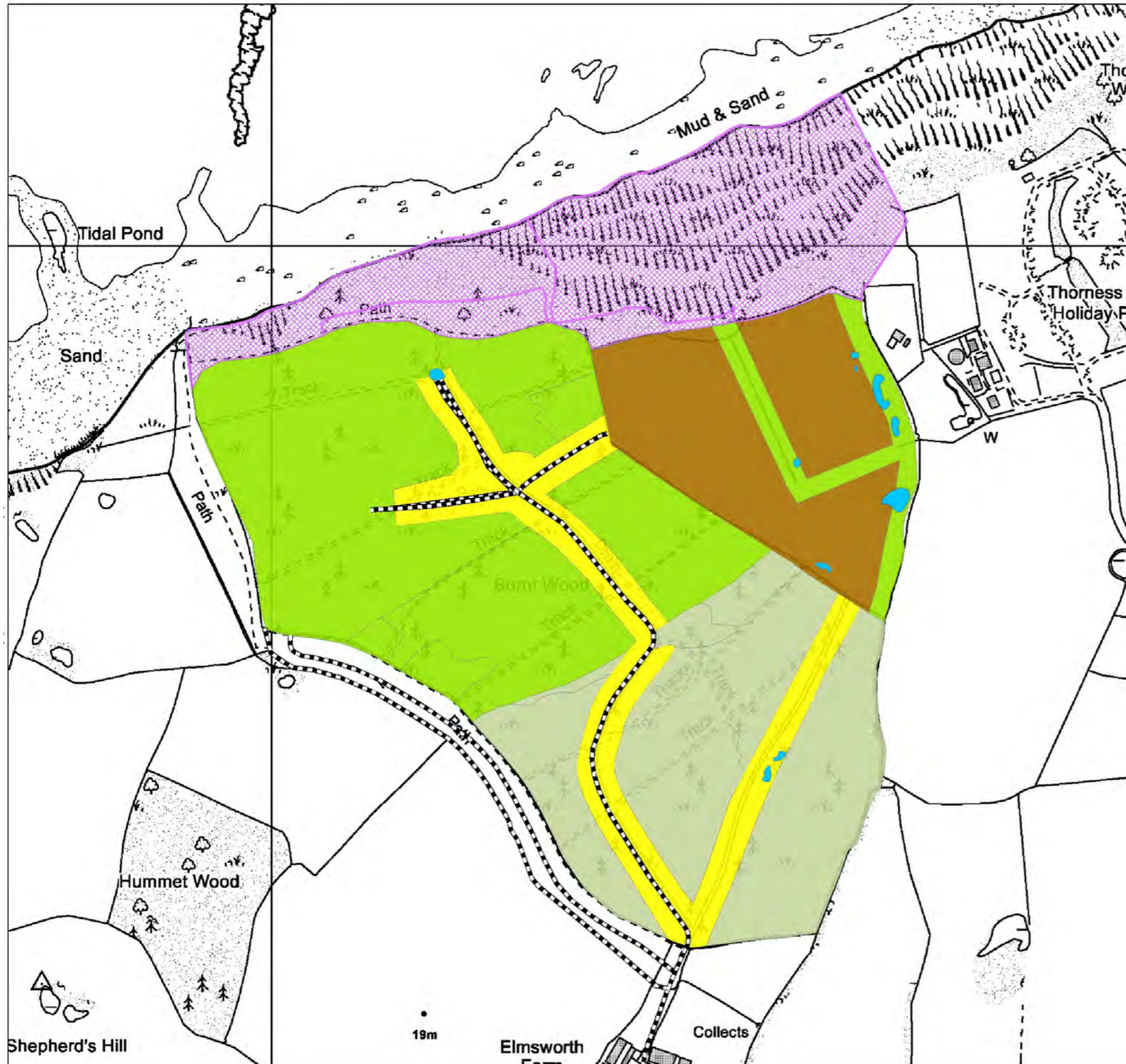
Woodland consisting of a mixture of native and non native species, neither of which dominates more than 80% of the canopy.

Ponds

Manage as Open Habitat

Lowland Meadow

A field habitat vegetated by grass and other non-woody plants.



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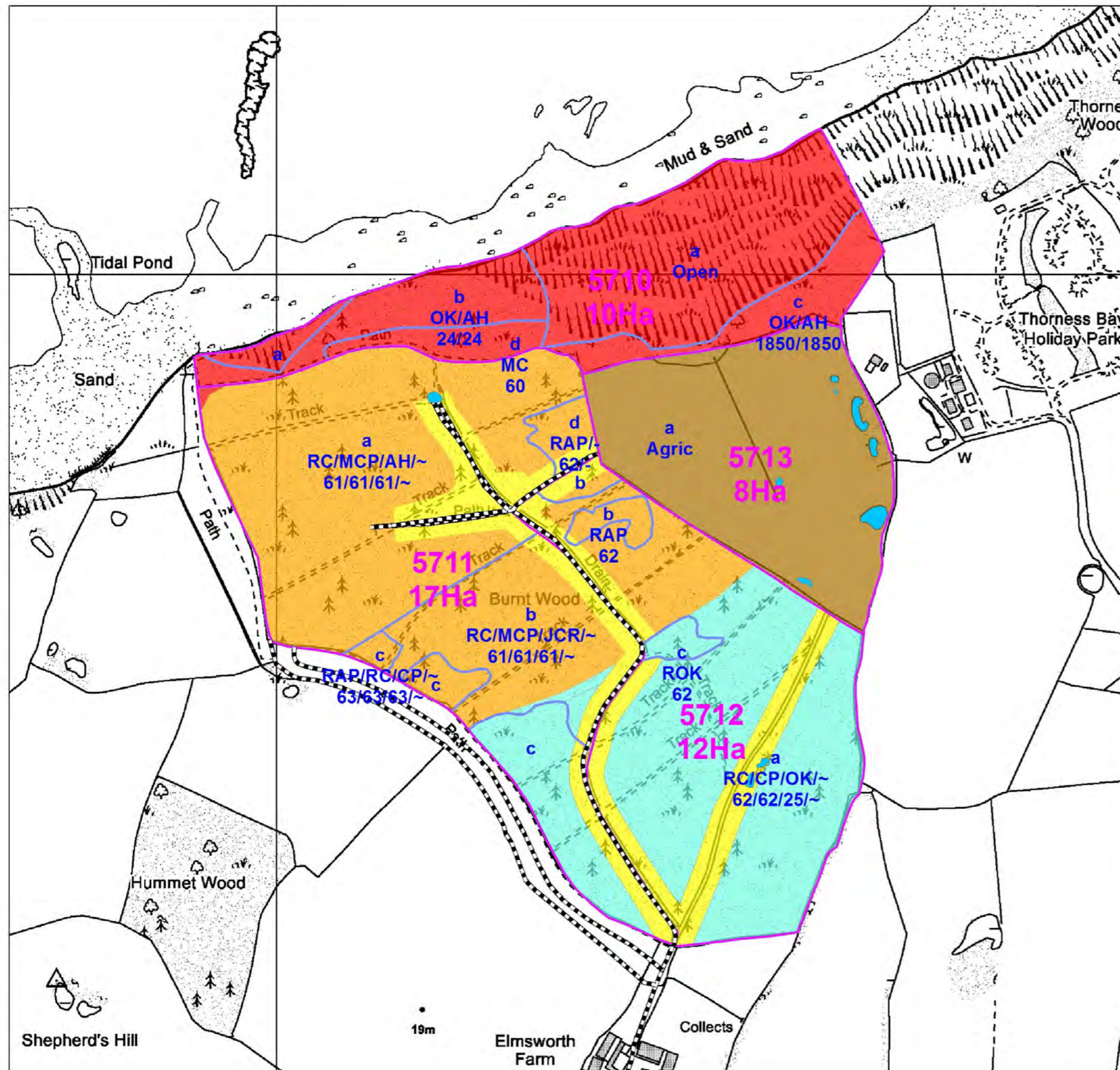
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**Burnt Wood  
Habitat Restoration & Felling**

- Natural Reserve**  
Manage under a system of minimum intervention to preserve and enhance the flora, fauna and physical features.
- Red Squirrel Reserve**  
Manage under an appropriate low impact silvicultural system favouring the long term retention of conifer species.
- Native Broadleaf Woodland Restoration**  
Manage with a combination of thinning and selective felling. Favour best native tree, focussing on the production of quality timber and the gradual reduction of non native species to 20% of the canopy or less (5% in a SSSI).
- Road/Ride Edge Management**  
Enhance the woodland edge developing a scalloped and graded structure in accordance with best practice guidelines.
- Lowland Meadow Management**  
Managed under an annual cut and collect cycle.
- Sub-Compartments**
- Compartments**
- Ponds**
- Manage as Open Habitat**

Declaration by FC as an Operator. All timber arising from the Forest Enterprise estate represents a negligible risk under EUTR (No 995/210)

### **Felling Coupes Thresholds**

Felling must be limited to 10% of the contiguous area in a 5 year period (20% for the duration of the forest plan).

A regeneration period should be adopted that is appropriate to site and species.

An indicative regeneration period is suggested as 20-30 years for conifer species & 50 years for broadleaf species.

Individual felling coupes should be planned to provide a connecting network of old growth woodland throughout the blocks.

### **Native Woodland Regeneration**

Coupes must be up to 2ha in size and non – adjacent.

### **PAWS Regeneration**

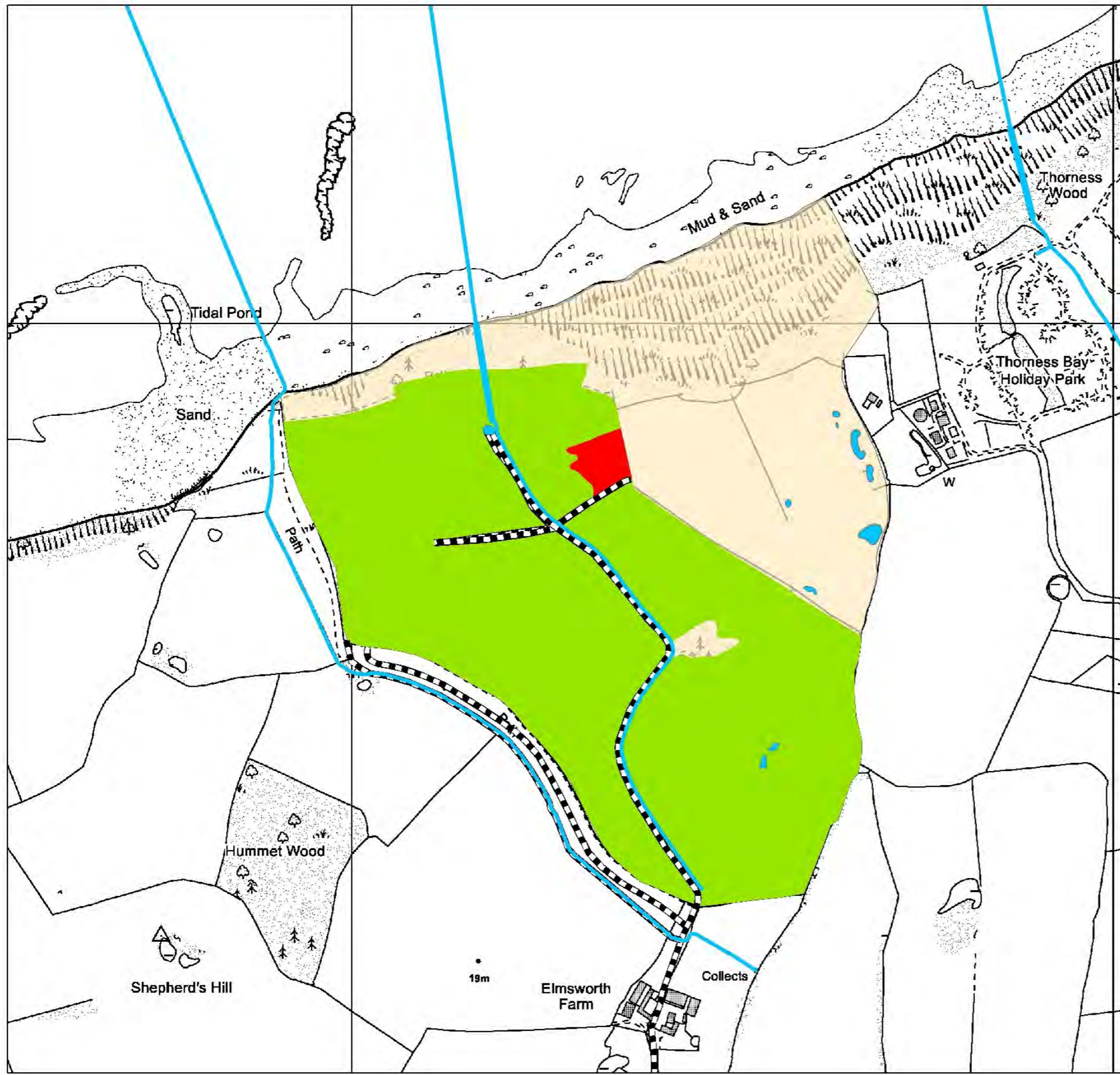
Coupes must be up to 0.25ha in size and non – adjacent.

### **Mixed Woodland Regeneration**

Coupes must be no more than 0.25ha in size and non – adjacent.

<b>Inclosure</b>	<b>Maximum size of combined felling coupes in a 5 year period.</b>	<b>Maximum size of combined felling coupes in a 10 year period.</b>	<b>Date of Intervention and area worked.</b>
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**Burnt Wood  
Fire Risk Map**

- High Risk Un-thinned Conifer
- Medium Risk Felled and Restock Areas
- Low Risk Post Thin Conifer
- Water Sources
- Low Risk Broadleaf & Non-Forest Areas
- Firebreak Network

Existing fire breaks utilising the road and ride network.