



Coillte Teoranta

Forest Management Plan

Tristia

MO09

2006 to 2010

District Manager

District

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W3



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Introduction

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Tristia forest is situated in M.O. 9, Tristia Forest, is located north of Crossmolina towards Bangor Erris and west of Crossmolina towards Keenagh, and is overlooked by the prominent Tristia mountain.

The main soil type in Tristia are The main soil type to be encountered here is deep blanket bog in the lowlying areas , and shallow peat over mineral on the more elevated areas.

The main towns and villages located in the catchment area of Tristia forest are The main town associated with the Forest is Crossmolina

The management focus for the forest is concerned with The main management focus will be the production of timber(mainly poplwood) on the better Yield class areas, while pursuing implementation of the Low Production Peatland Forestry Policy on the areas of low Yield Class, and,or,major environmental sensitivity.

Managing existing and future " Life Sites" will also be a significant management feature here.

Clearfell area in plan period is 35.8 ha

Clearfell volume in plan period is estimated at 9517 m³

High proportion of No thin category reflects thev difficulties in relation to severe exposure and poor soil types present in the Forest.

The forest contains 0 and 1 experiment plots. Proposed SPs (if any) containing either seedstands or experiment plots will be marked SD or EX as appropriate in tables 2.6 and 2.7



Table 1 Area by Objective

<u>OBJECTIVE</u>	<u>AREA (ha)</u>	<u>%</u>
Timber Production	985.9	68.3%
Biodiversity	445.9	30.9%
Conservation	11.0	0.8%
Total	1,442.8	100.0%



Table 2 Area by Special Consideration

Forest:	MO09	Tristia	
<u>SPECIAL CONSIDERATION</u>		<u>AREA (ha)</u>	<u>%</u>
Access - Other		56.9	3.9%
Fisheries Protection		9.0	0.6%
Legal		28.8	2.0%
Life Project		40.4	2.8%
None		1,272.3	88.2%
ROW Problems		24.5	1.7%
Statutory Designation		11.0	0.8%
Total		1,442.8	100.0%



Table 3 Area by Fell Year

Forest: MO09

Tristia

<u>FELL YEAR</u>	<u>AREA (ha)</u>	<u>ANNUAL AVERAGE</u>
2006	23.1	
2007	35.8	
2008	0.0	
2009	37.4	
<u>5 Year Total and Average</u>	<u>96.3</u>	<u>13.76</u>
2010	31.1	
2011	30.1	
2012	12.0	
2013	0.0	
2014	21.0	
<u>5 Year Total and Average</u>	<u>94.2</u>	<u>10.46</u>
2015	22.6	
2016	20.1	



<u>FELL YEAR</u>	<u>AREA (ha)</u>	<u>ANNUAL AVERAGE</u>
2017	20.8	
2018	13.1	
2019	0.0	
<u>5 Year Total and Average</u>	<u>76.6</u>	<u>8.51</u>
2020	34.9	
2021	43.5	
2022	11.4	
2023	18.9	
2024	23.5	
<u>5 Year Total and Average</u>	<u>132.2</u>	<u>14.69</u>

Table 4 Area by Species Group

Forest:	MO09	Tristia	
	<u>SPECIES GROUP</u>	<u>AREA (ha)</u>	<u>%</u>
	ALD	0.0	0.0
	ASH	1.8	0.2
	BE	0.2	0.0
	BI	1.0	0.1
	LAR	13.0	1.1
	LP	824.9	69.3
	OB	0.1	0.0
	OP	5.2	0.4
	SS	343.8	28.9
		1,190.1	100.0



Total MU Area

31.1

