



# Forest Management Plan

Templemore

TY08

2006 to 2010

District Manager

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District

S2



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## Introduction

<b>Forest</b>	TY08	Templemore
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Templemore forest is situated in Templemore forest stretches from the town of Thurles in the South to the town of Roscrea in the North and from the village of Borisoleigh in the West to the village of Templetuohy in the East with all of the forest in the county of Tipperary. Other villages located in the forest area are Holycross, Moyne, Loughmore, Ragg etc.

The soils are of blanket bog on the Eastern side of the forest and of brown earth on the Western side. The terrain of the whole forest is of a flat, low-lying nature.

The forest has a total area of 1,017 hectares of which 50 hectares are in Farm Partnerships with the principal properties Monaincha in the North and Clonbough and Tullowmacjames in the centre of the forest.

The main species growing in the forest would be Sitka Spruce, Norway Spruce and Scots Pine with Ash in the better soils and Farm Partnerships.

The main soil type in Templemore are

The main towns and villages located in the catchment area of Templemore forest are

The management focus for the forest is concerned with The primary focus for this forest is timber production totalling approximately 66% of the forest area. Quite a large area i.e. 34% of this forest is managed for biodiversity due to its suitable low-lying wet areas.

The forest contains 0 and 0 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**

<b>OBJECTIVE</b>	<b>AREA (ha)</b>	<b>%</b>
Timber Production	672.4	66.1%
Biodiversity	344.4	33.9%
Non-forest Commercial	0.3	0.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,017.1</b>	<b>100.0%</b>



## Table 2 - Area by Special Consideration

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<b>SPECIAL CONSIDERATION</b>	<b>AREA (ha)</b>	<b>%</b>
Access - Other	12.0	1.2%
Access County Road	8.2	0.8%
Farm Partnership	50.3	4.9%
Legal	47.6	4.7%
NWS	37.9	3.7%
None	669.8	65.9%
Old Woodland Site	128.2	12.6%
Statutory Designation	60.5	6.0%
Wildlife	2.5	0.2%
<hr/> <b>Total</b>	<hr/> <b>1,017.1</b>	<hr/> <b>100.0%</b>



### Table 3 - Area by Fell Year

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FELL YEAR	AREA (ha)	ANNUAL AVERAGE
2006	0.0	
2007	18.5	
2008	15.5	
2009	17.5	
<b>5 Year Total and Average</b>	<b>51.5</b>	<b>12.9</b>
2010	49.4	
2011	49.9	
2012	70.9	
2013	0.0	
2014	29.3	
<b>5 Year Total and Average</b>	<b>199.4</b>	<b>39.9</b>
2015	0.0	
2016	20.8	
2017	10.8	
2018	0.0	
2019	1.2	
<b>5 Year Total and Average</b>	<b>32.7</b>	<b>6.5</b>



FELL YEAR	AREA (ha)	ANNUAL AVERAGE
2020	57.0	
2021	5.0	
2022	8.5	
2023	0.0	
2024	31.1	
<hr/> 5 Year Total and Average	<hr/> 101.7	<hr/> 20.3

**Table 4 - Area by Species Group**

Forest	TY08	Templemore
<b>SPECIES GROUP</b>	<b>AREA (ha)</b>	<b>%</b>
ALD	16.7	2.0%
ASH	22.8	2.8%
BE	8.8	1.1%
BI	66.3	8.1%
DF	4.5	0.5%
FIR	0.2	0.0%
LAR	6.3	0.8%
LP	55.0	6.7%
NS	333.2	40.8%
OAK	8.0	1.0%
OB	11.2	1.4%
OP	139.9	17.1%
SS	144.6	17.7%
<b>Total</b>	<b>817.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>



**Table 5 - Listing of Restocking MUs**

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**2007**

MU	Map Cutting	Objective	Special Considerations	MU Area (ha)	Area (ha)												
					Open	Spruce	LP	SP	LAR	FIR	OC	Oak	BE	Ash	BI	Ald	OB
43	TY08-1	Biodiversity	Statutory Designat	18.5	9.2	0.0	0.0	3.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.0	0.0	3.7	0.0	0.9
<b>Total MU Area</b>				<b>18.5</b>													

**2008**

MU	Map Cutting	Objective	Special Considerations	MU Area (ha)	Area (ha)												
					Open	Spruce	LP	SP	LAR	FIR	OC	Oak	BE	Ash	BI	Ald	OB
39	TY08-10	Timber Production	None	15.5	2.3	7.9	0.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.3	0.0	0.0
<b>Total MU Area</b>				<b>15.5</b>													

**2009**

MU	Map Cutting	Objective	Special Considerations	MU Area (ha)	Area (ha)												
					Open	Spruce	LP	SP	LAR	FIR	OC	Oak	BE	Ash	BI	Ald	OB
44	TY08-6	Timber Production	None	12.2	1.8	3.1	0.0	5.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.1	0.0	0.0
45	TY08-6	Timber Production	None	5.2	0.5	4.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>Total MU Area</b>				<b>17.5</b>													

