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Part 1: Carbon in semi-natural habitats

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Appendices

Appendix 1: Baseline Habitats and their Relationship with Peat

Table 1. Priority habitat areas and percentage share of all priority habitats.

| Priority Habitat | Area (ha) | Priority Habitat (%) |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|
| Blanket bog | 235,641 | 11.80 |
| Calaminarian grassland | 296 | 0.01 |
| Coastal and floodplain grazing marsh | 220,571 | 11.04 |
| Coastal saltmarsh | 36,341 | 1.82 |
| Coastal sand dunes | 10,525 | 0.53 |
| Coastal vegetated shingle | 4,016 | 0.20 |
| Deciduous woodland | 759,522 | 38.02 |
| Limestone pavement | 1,167 | 0.06 |
| Lowland calcareous grassland | 65,662 | 3.29 |
| Lowland dry acid grassland | 17,723 | 0.89 |
| Lowland fens | 19,934 | 1.00 |
| Lowland heathland | 54,461 | 2.73 |
| Lowland meadows | 27,143 | 1.36 |
| Lowland raised bog | 12,445 | 0.62 |

| Priority Habitat | Area (ha) | Priority Habitat (%) |
|--|-----------|----------------------|
| Maritime cliff and slope | 13,074 | 0.65 |
| Mountain heaths and willow scrub | 1,502 | 0.0 |
| Mudflats | 66,216 | 3.31 |
| Purple moor grass and rush pastures | 10,647 | 0.53 |
| Reedbeds | 4,283 | 0.21 |
| Saline lagoons | 1,359 | 0.07 |
| Traditional orchard | 18,544 | 0.93 |
| Upland calcareous grassland | 9,617 | 0.48 |
| Upland flushes, fens and swamps | 12,883 | 0.64 |
| Upland hay meadow | 2,581 | 0.13 |
| Upland heathland | 230,086 | 11.52 |
| Wood pasture and parkland | 161,298 | 8.07 |

Table 2. Non-priority habitat areas and percentage share of all non-priority habitats.

| Non-Priority Habitat | Area (ha) | Non-Priority Habitat (%) |
|--|-----------|--------------------------|
| Fragmented heath | 8,898 | 2.12 |
| Good quality semi-improved grassland | 73,055 | 17.37 |
| Grass moorland | 141,857 | 33.72 |
| No main habitat but additional habitats present | 196,822 | 46.79 |

Table 3. Priority habitats and underlain peat area.

| Habitat | Deep Peat (ha) | Shallow Peat (ha) | Peaty Pockets (ha) | No Peat (ha) | Total Area (ha) |
|---|----------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------|-----------------|
| Blanket bog | 212,482 | 17,476 | 1,840 | 3,844 | 235,641 |
| Calaminarian grassland | 4 | 67 | 11 | 215 | 296 |
| Coastal and floodplain grazing marsh | 40,875 | 124 | 15,067 | 164,506 | 220,571 |
| Coastal saltmarsh | 1,300 | | 36 | 35,005 | 36,341 |
| Coastal sand dunes | 61 | 4 | 235 | 10,226 | 10,525 |
| Coastal vegetated shingle | 0 | 13 | 1 | 4,002 | 4,016 |
| Deciduous woodland | 15,936 | 9,088 | 22,473 | 712,025 | 759,522 |
| Limestone pavement | 60 | 32 | 59 | 1,016 | 1,167 |

| Habitat | Deep Peat (ha) | Shallow Peat (ha) | Peaty Pockets (ha) | No Peat (ha) | Total Area (ha) |
|---|----------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------|-----------------|
| Lowland calcareous grassland | 197 | 263 | 563 | 64,639 | 65,662 |
| Lowland dry acid grassland | 621 | 991 | 1,250 | 14,861 | 17,723 |
| Lowland fens | 6,054 | 1,286 | 2,418 | 10,176 | 19,934 |
| Lowland heathland | 975 | 4,767 | 14,035 | 34,685 | 54,461 |
| Lowland meadows | 2,343 | 547 | 1,604 | 22,649 | 27,143 |
| Lowland raised bog | 11,762 | 210 | 37 | 435 | 12,445 |
| Maritime cliff and slope | 12 | 191 | 509 | 12,362 | 13,074 |
| Mountain heaths and willow scrub | 446 | 1,040 | 12 | 5 | 1,502 |
| Mudflats | 45 | 0 | 1 | 66,169 | 66,216 |

| Habitat | Deep Peat (ha) | Shallow Peat (ha) | Peaty Pockets (ha) | No Peat (ha) | Total Area (ha) |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------|-----------------|
| Purple moor grass and rush pastures | 2,175 | 1,317 | 831 | 6,324 | 10,647 |
| Reedbeds | 1,167 | 2 | 75 | 3,040 | 4,283 |
| Saline lagoons | 34 | | 1 | 1,323 | 1,359 |
| Traditional orchard | 100 | 16 | 156 | 18,271 | 18,544 |
| Upland calcareous grassland | 615 | 1,190 | 759 | 7,053 | 9,617 |
| Upland flushes, fens and swamps | 4,108 | 5,456 | 260 | 3,059 | 12,883 |
| Upland hay meadow | 45 | 454 | 40 | 2,043 | 2,581 |
| Upland heathland | 52,259 | 130,356 | 15,577 | 31,894 | 230,086 |
| Wood pasture and parkland | 538 | 321 | 4,251 | 156,188 | 161,298 |

Table 4. Non-priority habitats and underlain peat area.

| Habitat | Deep Peat (ha) | Shallow Peat (ha) | Peaty Pockets (ha) | No Peat (ha) | Total Area (ha) |
|--|----------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------|-----------------|
| Fragmented heath | 2,523 | 4,789 | 315 | 1,272 | 8,898 |
| Good quality semi-improved grassland | 1,947 | 2,328 | 2,087 | 66,693 | 73,055 |
| Grass moorland | 34,652 | 64,356 | 4,743 | 38,107 | 141,857 |
| No main habitat but additional habitats present | 7,223 | 7,792 | 6,450 | 175,358 | 196,822 |

Table 5. Priority habitat and underlain peat coverage.

| Habitat | Deep Peat (%) | Shallow Peat (%) | Deep and Shallow Peat (%) | Peaty Pockets (%) | No Peat (%) |
|---|---------------|------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Blanket bog | 90.17% | 7.42% | 97.59% | 0.78% | 1.63% |
| Calaminarian grassland | 1.21% | 22.50% | 23.71% | 3.55% | 72.74% |
| Coastal and floodplain grazing marsh | 18.53% | 0.06% | 18.59% | 6.83% | 74.58% |
| Coastal saltmarsh | 3.58% | 0.00% | 3.58% | 0.10% | 96.32% |
| Coastal sand dunes | 0.58% | 0.03% | 0.61% | 2.24% | 97.15% |
| Coastal vegetated shingle | 0.01% | 0.32% | 0.32% | 0.02% | 99.65% |
| Deciduous woodland | 2.10% | 1.20% | 3.29% | 2.96% | 93.75% |
| Limestone pavement | 5.11% | 2.78% | 7.89% | 5.05% | 87.06% |

| Habitat | Deep Peat (%) | Shallow Peat (%) | Deep and Shallow Peat (%) | Peaty Pockets (%) | No Peat (%) |
|---|---------------|------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Lowland calcareous grassland | 0.30% | 0.40% | 0.70% | 0.86% | 98.44% |
| Lowland dry acid grassland | 3.50% | 5.59% | 9.09% | 7.06% | 83.85% |
| Lowland fens | 30.37% | 6.45% | 36.82% | 12.13% | 51.05% |
| Lowland heathland | 1.79% | 8.75% | 10.54% | 25.77% | 63.69% |
| Lowland meadows | 8.63% | 2.02% | 10.65% | 5.91% | 83.44% |
| Lowland raised bog | 94.52% | 1.69% | 96.21% | 0.30% | 3.50% |
| Maritime cliff and slope | 0.09% | 1.46% | 1.55% | 3.90% | 94.56% |
| Mountain heaths and willow scrub | 29.69% | 69.21% | 98.91% | 0.77% | 0.33% |
| Mudflats | 0.07% | 0.00% | 0.07% | 0.00% | 99.93% |

| Habitat | Deep Peat (%) | Shallow Peat (%) | Deep and Shallow Peat (%) | Peaty Pockets (%) | No Peat (%) |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Purple moor grass and rush pastures | 20.43% | 12.37% | 32.80% | 7.80% | 59.40% |
| Reedbeds | 27.24% | 0.04% | 27.27% | 1.75% | 70.98% |
| Saline lagoons | 2.52% | 0.00% | 2.52% | 0.10% | 97.38% |
| Traditional orchard | 0.54% | 0.09% | 0.63% | 0.84% | 98.53% |
| Upland calcareous grassland | 6.39% | 12.38% | 18.77% | 7.89% | 73.33% |
| Upland flushes, fens and swamps | 31.89% | 42.35% | 74.24% | 2.02% | 23.74% |
| Upland hay meadow | 1.72% | 17.58% | 19.30% | 1.56% | 79.14% |
| Upland heathland | 22.71% | 56.66% | 79.37% | 6.77% | 13.86% |
| Wood pasture and parkland | 0.33% | 0.20% | 0.53% | 2.64% | 96.83% |

Table 6. Non-priority habitat and underlain peat coverage.

| Habitat | Deep Peat (%) | Shallow Peat (%) | Deep and Shallow Peat (%) | Peaty Pockets (%) | No Peat (%) |
|--|---------------|------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Fragmented heath | 28.35% | 53.81% | 82.16% | 3.54% | 14.29% |
| Good quality semi-improved grassland | 2.67% | 3.19% | 5.85% | 2.86% | 91.29% |
| Grass moorland | 24.43% | 45.37% | 69.79% | 3.34% | 26.86% |
| No main habitat but additional habitats present | 3.67% | 3.96% | 7.63% | 3.28% | 89.09% |

Appendix 2: Carbon Storage and Sequestration in Habitats

Table 7. Priority habitat carbon storage estimates, per hectare.

| Habitat | Lower Estimate t C ha ⁻¹ | Upper Estimate t C ha ⁻¹ | Typical Estimate t C ha ⁻¹ | Confidence (High, Medium, Low) |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Blanket bog | 354 | 619 | 525 | M |
| Calaminarian grassland | No data | No data | No data | N/A |
| Coastal and floodplain grazing marsh | 109 | 109 | 109 | L |
| Coastal saltmarsh | 113 | 713 | 393 | M/H |
| Coastal sand dunes | 5.6 | 23 | 14.5 | L |
| Coastal vegetated shingle | No data | No data | No data | N/A |
| Deciduous woodland (30yr) | 130 | 377 | 255 | M/H |
| Deciduous woodland (100yr) | 149 | 517 | 354 | M/H |

| Habitat | Lower Estimate t C ha ⁻¹ | Upper Estimate t C ha ⁻¹ | Typical Estimate t C ha ⁻¹ | Confidence (High, Medium, Low) |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Limestone pavement | No data | No data | No data | N/A |
| Lowland calcareous grassland | 69 | 69 | 69 | L |
| Lowland dry acid grassland | 87 | 87 | 87 | M |
| Lowland fens | 76 | 259 | 168 | L |
| Lowland heathland | 90 | 112 | 100 | M |
| Lowland meadows | 33 | 69 | 60 | M |
| Lowland raised bog | 810 | 2530 | 1610 | L |
| Maritime cliff and slope | 87 | 87 | 87 | L |
| Mountain heaths and willow scrub | 90 | 112 | 100 | L |
| Mudflats | 13 | 356 | 132 | L |

| Habitat | Lower Estimate t C ha ⁻¹ | Upper Estimate t C ha ⁻¹ | Typical Estimate t C ha ⁻¹ | Confidence (High, Medium, Low) |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Purple moor grass and rush pastures | 87 | 87 | 87 | L |
| Reedbeds | 76 | 259 | 168 | L |
| Saline lagoons | No data | No data | No data | N/A |
| Traditional orchard | 56 | 341 | 95 | L |
| Upland calcareous grassland | 69 | 69 | 69 | L |
| Upland flushes, fens and swamps | 251 | 268 | 259 | L |
| Upland hay meadow | 33 | 69 | 60 | M |
| Upland heathland | 90 | 112 | 100 | M |
| Wood pasture and parkland | 56 | 341 | 95 | L |

Table 8. Non-priority habitat carbon storage estimate, per hectare.

| Habitat | Lower Estimate t C ha ⁻¹ | Upper Estimate t C ha ⁻¹ | Typical Estimate t C ha ⁻¹ | Confidence (High, Medium, Low) |
|--|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Fragmented heath | 87 | 87 | 87 | L |
| Good quality semi-improved grassland | 33 | 69 | 60 | L |
| Grass moorland | 87 | 87 | 87 | L |
| No main habitat but additional habitats present | 69 | 69 | 69 | L |

Table 9. Priority habitat carbon sequestration estimates, per hectare.

| Habitat | Lower Estimate t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ ha ⁻¹ | Upper Estimate t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ ha ⁻¹ | Typical Estimate t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ ha ⁻¹ | Confidence (High, Medium, Low) |
|---|--|--|--|-----------------------------------|
| Blanket bog | 18.86 | 0.32 | 3.42 | M |
| Calaminarian grassland | No data | No data | No data | N/A |
| Coastal and floodplain grazing marsh | No data | No data | No data | N/A |
| Coastal saltmarsh | -2.35 | -8.03 | -5.19 | L |
| Coastal sand dunes | -2.13 | -2.68 | -2.18 | L |
| Coastal vegetated shingle | No data | No data | No data | N/A |
| Deciduous woodland (30yr) | -2.5 | -25.5 | -14.5 | M |
| Deciduous woodland (100yr) | -2 | -13 | -7 | M |
| Limestone pavement | No data | No data | No data | N/A |

| Habitat | Lower Estimate t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ ha ⁻¹ | Upper Estimate t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ ha ⁻¹ | Typical Estimate t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ ha ⁻¹ | Confidence (High, Medium, Low) |
|---|--|--|--|-----------------------------------|
| Lowland calcareous grassland | 0 | 0 | 0 | L |
| Lowland dry acid grassland | 0 | 0 | 0 | L |
| Lowland fens | 3.31 | -0.36 | 3.31 | M |
| Lowland heathland | 0.054 | 0.054 | 0.054 | L |
| Lowland meadows | 0 | 0 | 0 | L |
| Lowland raised bog | 18.86 | 0.32 | 3.42 | M |
| Maritime cliff and slope | No data | No data | No data | N/A |
| Mountain heaths and willow scrub | 0.054 | 0.054 | 0.054 | L |
| Mudflats | 3.45 | -0.4 | 1.98 | L |

| Habitat | Lower Estimate t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ ha ⁻¹ | Upper Estimate t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ ha ⁻¹ | Typical Estimate t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ ha ⁻¹ | Confidence (High, Medium, Low) |
|-------------------------------------|--|--|--|-----------------------------------|
| Purple moor grass and rush pastures | 0 | 0 | 0 | L |
| Reedbeds | No data | No data | No data | N/A |
| Saline lagoons | No data | No data | No data | N/A |
| Traditional orchard | 1.65 | -5.89 | -2.89 | L |
| Upland calcareous grassland | 0 | 0 | 0 | L |
| Upland flushes, fens and swamps | 18.86 | 0.32 | 3.42 | L |
| Upland hay meadow | 0 | 0 | 0 | L |
| Upland heathland | 0.054 | 0.054 | 0.054 | L |
| Wood pasture and parkland | No data | No data | No data | N/A |

Table 10. Non-priority habitat carbon sequestration estimates, per hectare.

| Habitat | Lower Estimate t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ ha ⁻¹ | Upper Estimate t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ ha ⁻¹ | Typical Estimate t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ ha ⁻¹ | Confidence (High, Medium, Low) |
|--|--|--|--|-----------------------------------|
| Fragmented heath | 0 | 0 | 0 | L |
| Good quality semi-improved grassland | 0 | 0 | 0 | L |
| Grass moorland | 0 | 0 | 0 | L |
| No main habitat but additional habitats present | No data | No data | No data | N/A |

Table 11. Priority habitat carbon storage estimate, per hectare, with a consideration for peat.

| Habitat | Value over Deep Peat t C ha ⁻¹ | Value over Shallow Peat t C ha ⁻¹ | Value over Peaty Pockets t C ha ⁻¹ | Value not over Peat t C ha ⁻¹ |
|--|---|--|---|--|
| Blanket bog | 525 | 132 | 132 | 100 |
| Lowland fens | 1971 | 168 | 168 | 168 |
| Lowland heathland | 525 | 132 | 100 | 100 |
| Lowland raised bog | 1610 | 1610 | 1610 | 1610 |
| Reedbeds | 1971 | 168 | 168 | 168 |
| Upland flushes, fens and swamps | 525 | 259 | 132 | 100 |
| Upland heathland | 525 | 132 | 132 | 100 |
| Blanket bog | 525 | 132 | 132 | 100 |

Table 12. Total carbon storage estimates for each individual priority habitat.

| Habitat | Total Lower t C | Total Upper t C | Total Typical t C | Total Typical t C when considering Peat |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|---|
| Blanket bog | 83,417,020 | 145,861,965 | 123,711,683 | 114,486,899 |
| Calaminarian grassland | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Coastal and floodplain grazing marsh | 24,042,248 | 24,042,248 | 24,042,248 | 24,042,248 |
| Coastal saltmarsh | 4,106,560 | 25,911,306 | 14,282,108 | 14,282,108 |
| Coastal sand dunes | 58,942 | 242,083 | 152,617 | 152,617 |
| Coastal vegetated shingle | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Deciduous woodland | 105,953,295 | 339,506,259 | 231,274,398 | 231,274,398 |
| Limestone pavement | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lowland calcareous grassland | 4,530,712 | 4,530,712 | 4,530,712 | 4,530,712 |

| Habitat | Total Lower t C | Total Upper t C | Total Typical t C | Total Typical t C when considering Peat |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|---|
| Lowland dry acid grassland | 1,541,913 | 1,541,913 | 1,541,913 | 1,541,913 |
| Lowland fens | 1,514,989 | 5,162,923 | 3,348,923 | 14,264,103 |
| Lowland heathland | 4,901,493 | 6,099,636 | 5,446,103 | 6,013,157 |
| Lowland meadows | 895,715 | 1,872,858 | 1,628,572 | 1,628,572 |
| Lowland raised bog | 10,080,167 | 31,484,967 | 20,035,888 | 20,035,888 |
| Maritime cliff and slope | 1,137,430 | 1,137,430 | 1,137,430 | 1,137,430 |
| Mountain heaths and willow scrub | 135,217 | 168,270 | 150,241 | 150,241 |
| Mudflats | 860,804 | 23,572,791 | 8,740,473 | 8,740,473 |
| Purple moor grass and rush pastures | 926,257 | 926,257 | 926,257 | 926,257 |
| Reedbeds | 325,514 | 1,109,317 | 719,557 | 2,822,873 |

| Habitat | Total Lower t C | Total Upper t C | Total Typical t C | Total Typical t C when considering Peat |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|---|
| Saline lagoons | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Traditional orchard | 1,038,468 | 6,323,527 | 1,761,686 | 1,761,686 |
| Upland calcareous grassland | 663,583 | 663,583 | 663,583 | 663,583 |
| Upland flushes, fens and swamps | 3,233,513 | 3,452,516 | 3,336,573 | 3,909,941 |
| Upland hay meadow | 85,179 | 178,102 | 154,871 | 154,871 |
| Upland heathland | 20,707,751 | 25,769,646 | 23,008,613 | 49,888,704 |
| Wood pasture and parkland | 9,032,701 | 55,002,696 | 15,323,332 | 15,323,332 |

Table 13. Total carbon storage share per priority habitat.

| Habitat | Total Lower t C (%) | Total Upper t C (%) | Total Typical t C (%) | Total Typical t C when considering Peat (%) |
|---|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|---|
| Blanket bog | 29.54% | 20.26% | 25.46% | 22.11% |
| Calaminarian grassland | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% |
| Coastal and floodplain grazing marsh | 8.51% | 3.34% | 4.95% | 4.64% |
| Coastal saltmarsh | 1.45% | 3.60% | 2.94% | 2.76% |
| Coastal sand dunes | 0.02% | 0.03% | 0.03% | 0.03% |
| Coastal vegetated shingle | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% |
| Deciduous woodland | 37.52% | 47.15% | 47.60% | 44.67% |
| Limestone pavement | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% |
| Lowland calcareous grassland | 1.60% | 0.63% | 0.93% | 0.88% |

| Habitat | Total Lower t C (%) | Total Upper t C (%) | Total Typical t C (%) | Total Typical t C when considering Peat (%) |
|--|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|---|
| Lowland dry acid grassland | 0.55% | 0.21% | 0.32% | 0.30% |
| Lowland fens | 1.68% | 2.87% | 0.69% | 2.76% |
| Lowland heathland | 1.74% | 0.85% | 1.12% | 1.16% |
| Lowland meadows | 0.32% | 0.26% | 0.34% | 0.31% |
| Lowland raised bog | 3.57% | 4.37% | 4.12% | 3.87% |
| Maritime cliff and slope | 0.40% | 0.16% | 0.23% | 0.22% |
| Mountain heaths and willow scrub | 0.05% | 0.02% | 0.03% | 0.03% |
| Mudflats | 0.30% | 3.27% | 1.80% | 1.69% |
| Purple moor grass and rush pastures | 0.33% | 0.13% | 0.19% | 0.18% |
| Reedbeds | 0.12% | 0.15% | 0.15% | 0.55% |

| Habitat | Total Lower t C (%) | Total Upper t C (%) | Total Typical t C (%) | Total Typical t C when considering Peat (%) |
|--|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|---|
| Saline lagoons | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% |
| Traditional orchard | 0.37% | 0.88% | 0.36% | 0.34% |
| Upland calcareous grassland | 0.23% | 0.09% | 0.14% | 0.13% |
| Upland flushes, fens and swamps | 1.14% | 0.48% | 0.69% | 0.76% |
| Upland hay meadow | 0.03% | 0.02% | 0.03% | 0.03% |
| Upland heathland | 7.33% | 3.58% | 4.74% | 9.64% |
| Wood pasture and parkland | 3.20% | 7.64% | 3.15% | 2.96% |

Table 14. Total carbon storage estimates for each individual non-priority habitat.

| Habitat | Total Lower t C | Total Upper t C | Total Typical t C | Total Typical t C when considering Peat |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|---|
| Fragmented heath | 774,167 | 783,066 | 774,167 | 774,167 |
| Good quality semi-improved grassland | 2,410,823 | 5,040,811 | 4,383,314 | 4,383,314 |
| Grass moorland | 12,341,602 | 12,341,602 | 12,341,602 | 12,341,602 |
| No main habitat but additional habitats present | 13,580,749 | 13,580,749 | 13,580,749 | 13,580,749 |

Table 15. Total carbon sequestration estimates for priority habitats with a sequestration value. Negative values indicate carbon sequestration, positive values indicate net emissions of carbon released into the atmosphere.

| Habitat | Total Lower Estimate t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Upper Estimate t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Typical Estimate t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ |
|------------------------------|---|---|---|
| Blanket bog | 4,444,195 | 75,405 | 805,893 |
| Coastal saltmarsh | -85,402 | -291,820 | -188,611 |
| Coastal sand dunes | -22,419 | -28,208 | -22,945 |
| Deciduous woodland | -1,708,924 | -14,620,795 | -8,164,860 |
| Lowland calcareous grassland | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lowland dry acid grassland | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lowland fens | 65,982 | -7,176 | 65,982 |
| Lowland heathland | 2,723 | 2,723 | 2,941 |
| Lowland meadows | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| Habitat | Total Lower Estimate t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Upper Estimate t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Typical Estimate t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ |
|--|---|---|---|
| Lowland raised bog | 234,706 | 3,982 | 42,561 |
| Mountain heaths and willow scrub | 75 | 75 | 81 |
| Mudflats | 228,444 | -26,486 | 131,107 |
| Purple moor grass and rush pastures | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Traditional orchard | 30,598 | -109,225 | -53,592 |
| Upland calcareous grassland | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Upland flushes, fens and swamps | 242,964 | 4,122 | 44,058 |
| Upland hay meadow | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Upland heathland | 11,504 | 11,504 | 12,425 |

Appendix 3: Habitat Carbon in Ecologically Designated Sites

Table 16. Carbon storage estimates from priority habitats in ecologically designated sites.

| Designation | Total Lower t C | Total Upper t C | Total Typical t C | Total Typical Considering Peat t C |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| Sites of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI) | 116,484,103 | 259,068,251 | 189,983,111 | 215,119,551 |
| Ramsar Sites | 12,405,952 | 59,435,731 | 32,162,450 | 37,991,092 |
| Special Protection Areas (SPA) | 71,470,381 | 160,494,098 | 116,500,105 | 134,444,149 |
| Special Areas of Conservation (SAC) | 88,140,472 | 187,717,537 | 140,199,977 | 158,017,934 |
| National Nature Reserves (NNR) | 12,798,853 | 38,662,499 | 24,983,587 | 29,667,493 |

Table 17. Carbon sequestration estimates from priority habitats in ecologically designated sites. Negative values indicate carbon sequestration, positive values indicate net emissions of carbon released into the atmosphere.

| Designation | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Upper Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Typical Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ |
|--|---|---|---|
| Sites of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI) | 3,410,133 | -2,140,976 | -447,039 |
| Ramsar Sites | 136,173 | -508,447 | -157,680 |
| Special Protection Areas (SPA) | 2,475,922 | -613,414 | 195,456 |
| Special Areas of Conservation (SAC) | 2,990,300 | -886,288 | 111,108 |
| National Nature Reserves (NNR) | 281,252 | -307,772 | -92,378 |

Appendix 4: Habitat Carbon in Landscape Designations

Table 18. Carbon storage estimates from priority habitats in landscape designations.

| Designation | Total Lower t C | Total Upper t C | Total Typical t C | Total Typical Considering Peat t C |
|----------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| National Parks | 75,457,527 | 144,507,539 | 113,553,834 | 125,618,082 |
| National Landscapes | 73,588,996 | 176,706,707 | 125,879,636 | 133,540,927 |

Table 19. Carbon sequestration estimates from priority habitats in landscape designations. Negative values indicate carbon sequestration, positive values indicate net emissions of carbon released into the atmosphere.

| Designation | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Upper Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Typical Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ |
|----------------------------|---|---|---|
| National Parks | 2,152,162 | -1,634,544 | -491,885 |
| National Landscapes | 1,436,921 | -3,387,951 | -1,546,757 |

Table 20. Carbon storage estimates from priority habitats in England's National Parks.

| National Park | Total Lower t C | Total Upper t C | Total Typical t C | Total Typical Considering Peat t C |
|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| Dartmoor | 7,955,076 | 14,578,258 | 11,928,626 | 12,340,048 |
| Exmoor | 2,856,960 | 5,448,654 | 4,272,566 | 4,796,637 |
| Lake District | 10,273,556 | 19,899,928 | 15,311,336 | 16,780,747 |
| New Forest | 3,517,961 | 9,427,649 | 6,241,515 | 6,290,875 |
| North York Moors | 5,432,098 | 9,464,153 | 7,485,066 | 10,447,191 |
| Northumberland | 6,083,867 | 11,126,550 | 8,885,113 | 10,298,693 |
| Peak District | 12,059,372 | 21,475,376 | 17,687,460 | 19,271,902 |
| South Downs | 4,947,189 | 14,835,424 | 9,637,743 | 9,887,209 |
| The Broads | 1,787,033 | 3,050,461 | 2,420,094 | 5,444,824 |
| Yorkshire Dales | 20,544,416 | 35,201,086 | 29,684,316 | 30,059,956 |

Table 21. Carbon sequestration estimates from priority habitats in England's National Parks. Negative values indicate carbon sequestration, positive values indicate net emissions of carbon released into the atmosphere.

| National Park | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Upper Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Typical Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ |
|------------------|---|---|---|
| Dartmoor | 303,227 | -120,700 | -12,535 |
| Exmoor | 42,016 | -94,108 | -42,937 |
| Lake District | 280,524 | -255,649 | -86,705 |
| New Forest | -24,048 | -252,051 | -135,588 |
| North York Moors | -4,323 | -171,915 | -92,527 |
| Northumberland | 195,691 | -17,853 | 24,797 |
| Peak District | 478,886 | -113,919 | 21,823 |
| South Downs | -58,851 | -516,529 | -287,092 |
| The Broads | 396 | -46,185 | -20,183 |
| Yorkshire Dales | 938,644 | -45,637 | 139,063 |

Table 22. Carbon storage estimates from priority habitats in England's National Landscapes.

| National Landscape | Total Lower t C | Total Upper t C | Total Typical t C | Total Typical Considering Peat t C |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| Arnside & Silverdale | 344,504 | 1,933,928 | 1,010,840 | 1,283,856 |
| Blackdown Hills | 552,807 | 1,715,836 | 1,156,936 | 1,156,936 |
| Cannock Chase | 237,608 | 592,320 | 411,365 | 411,365 |
| Chichester Harbour | 124,024 | 1,084,364 | 491,916 | 491,916 |
| Chilterns | 2,273,441 | 7,311,514 | 4,760,874 | 4,760,778 |
| Cornwall | 2,095,419 | 4,554,448 | 3,293,225 | 3,766,426 |
| Cotswolds | 3,473,366 | 11,351,082 | 6,893,652 | 6,893,652 |
| Cranborne Chase & West Wiltshire Downs | 1,813,477 | 5,305,271 | 3,439,996 | 3,439,996 |
| Dedham Vale | 220,917 | 540,786 | 365,129 | 365,129 |
| Dorset | 1,988,563 | 5,460,944 | 3,625,656 | 3,737,759 |
| East Devon | 598,821 | 1,509,676 | 1,030,660 | 1,030,660 |
| Forest Of Bowland | 5,578,223 | 9,782,964 | 8,116,963 | 9,832,976 |
| High Weald | 4,651,200 | 14,570,275 | 9,588,308 | 9,588,308 |
| Howardian Hills | 274,965 | 942,569 | 561,694 | 561,694 |
| Isle Of Wight | 471,167 | 1,431,641 | 904,935 | 935,279 |

| National Landscape | Total Lower t C | Total Upper t C | Total Typical t C | Total Typical Considering Peat t C |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| Isles Of Scilly | 59,332 | 84,582 | 68,966 | 77,688 |
| Kent Downs | 2,411,044 | 7,873,992 | 4,980,135 | 4,980,135 |
| Lincolnshire Wolds | 391,340 | 1,242,538 | 805,535 | 805,535 |
| Malvern Hills | 344,055 | 1,057,713 | 676,569 | 676,569 |
| Mendip Hills | 410,798 | 1,023,123 | 723,764 | 726,180 |
| Nidderdale | 4,532,218 | 7,968,689 | 6,529,211 | 8,008,116 |
| Norfolk Coast | 1,071,889 | 5,037,185 | 2,811,407 | 2,827,835 |
| North Devon | 318,756 | 778,434 | 558,810 | 561,842 |
| North Pennines | 29,112,521 | 49,753,114 | 42,169,600 | 45,064,403 |
| North Wessex Downs | 2,585,610 | 8,027,040 | 5,121,596 | 5,121,596 |
| Northumberland Coast | 146,079 | 1,502,550 | 647,594 | 647,594 |
| Quantock Hills | 354,141 | 904,548 | 616,976 | 636,976 |
| Shropshire Hills | 1,240,549 | 3,183,704 | 2,185,845 | 2,180,740 |
| Solway Coast | 1,502,803 | 5,094,241 | 3,176,049 | 3,176,567 |
| South Devon | 496,837 | 1,609,495 | 983,143 | 983,143 |
| Suffolk Coast & Heaths | 1,206,576 | 4,125,304 | 2,477,309 | 3,114,295 |

| National Landscape | Total Lower t C | Total Upper t C | Total Typical t C | Total Typical Considering Peat t C |
|--------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| Surrey Hills | 1,857,170 | 6,158,548 | 3,779,505 | 3,779,510 |
| Tamar Valley | 385,472 | 1,614,680 | 922,380 | 922,380 |
| Wye Valley | 463,303 | 1,579,610 | 993,093 | 993,093 |

Table 23. Carbon sequestration estimates from priority habitats in England's National Landscapes. Negative values indicate carbon sequestration, positive values indicate net emissions of carbon released into the atmosphere.

| National Landscape | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ |
|--|---|---|---|
| Arnside & Silverdale | 4,572 | -32,180 | -12,576 |
| Blackdown Hills | -7,525 | -68,610 | -37,968 |
| Cannock Chase | -2,080 | -18,491 | -10,265 |
| Chichester Harbour | 5,730 | -6,503 | 529 |
| Chilterns | -32,459 | -281,855 | -157,266 |
| Cornwall | 3,753 | -103,281 | -53,300 |
| Cotswolds | -41,785 | -367,152 | -204,789 |
| Cranborne Chase & West Wiltshire Downs | -20,760 | -178,369 | -99,592 |
| Dedham Vale | -1,775 | -15,755 | -8,772 |

| National Landscape | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ |
|-----------------------------|---|---|---|
| Dorset | -12,437 | -149,129 | -79,342 |
| East Devon | -5,040 | -46,169 | -25,642 |
| Forest Of Bowland | 219,671 | -50,072 | 11,850 |
| High Weald | -64,366 | -558,561 | -311,721 |
| Howardian Hills | -3,245 | -29,884 | -16,451 |
| Isle Of Wight | -3,911 | -40,059 | -21,756 |
| Isles Of Scilly | -50 | -334 | -165 |
| Kent Downs | -32,719 | -286,836 | -160,039 |
| Lincolnshire Wolds | -5,248 | -46,181 | -25,690 |
| Malvern Hills | -3,988 | -37,314 | -20,774 |
| Mendip Hills | -3,817 | -34,284 | -19,082 |
| Nidderdale | 153,874 | -43,063 | 4,276 |
| Norfolk Coast | -6,613 | -85,085 | -44,419 |
| North Devon | -4,937 | -28,406 | -16,503 |
| North Pennines | 1,357,710 | -16,827 | 226,146 |
| North Wessex Downs | -32,073 | -278,971 | -155,443 |
| Northumberland Coast | 7,598 | -9,105 | 912 |

| National Landscape | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ |
|-----------------------------------|---|---|---|
| Quantock Hills | -2,947 | -27,228 | -15,082 |
| Shropshire Hills | -7,079 | -101,289 | -55,676 |
| Solway Coast | 12,286 | -25,327 | -12,910 |
| South Devon | -1,989 | -42,501 | -21,979 |
| Suffolk Coast & Heaths | 619 | -71,207 | -33,697 |
| Surrey Hills | -23,471 | -205,990 | -114,500 |
| Tamar Valley | -2,170 | -42,914 | -22,245 |
| Wye Valley | -6,409 | -59,018 | -32,828 |

Appendix 5: Habitat Carbon in National Character Areas

Table 24. Carbon storage estimates from priority habitats in England's National Character Areas.

| National Character Area | Total Lower t C | Total Upper t C | Total Typical t C | Total Typical Considering Peat t C |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| Arden | 1,327,642 | 4,435,673 | 2,768,429 | 2,768,620 |
| Avon Vales | 513,829 | 1,760,950 | 1,037,869 | 1,037,869 |
| Bedfordshire and Cambridgeshire Claylands | 1,697,976 | 5,360,291 | 3,337,178 | 3,347,687 |
| Bedfordshire Greensand Ridge | 491,500 | 1,662,904 | 998,100 | 1,007,745 |
| Berkshire and Marlborough Downs | 1,257,966 | 3,864,609 | 2,429,304 | 2,429,304 |
| Black Mountains and Golden Valley | 539,209 | 1,569,627 | 1,001,874 | 1,078,682 |
| Blackdowns | 1,224,332 | 3,604,986 | 2,408,267 | 2,408,267 |
| Blackmore Vale and Vale of Wardour | 832,387 | 2,760,136 | 1,707,536 | 1,707,536 |
| Bodmin Moor | 667,907 | 1,159,985 | 938,520 | 1,376,140 |
| Border Moors and Forests | 7,741,172 | 15,730,183 | 12,061,970 | 14,822,977 |
| Bowland Fells | 4,680,794 | 7,820,796 | 6,643,374 | 8,277,081 |
| Bowland Fringe and Pendle Hill | 1,115,868 | 2,458,020 | 1,829,431 | 1,941,930 |

| National Character Area | Total Lower t C | Total Upper t C | Total Typical t C | Total Typical Considering Peat t C |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| Bristol, Avon Valleys and Ridges | 867,985 | 2,795,434 | 1,762,065 | 1,808,096 |
| Cannock Chase and Cank Wood | 880,336 | 2,518,379 | 1,663,679 | 1,748,228 |
| Carnmenellis | 121,419 | 347,733 | 242,115 | 244,583 |
| Central Lincolnshire Vale | 621,688 | 1,894,926 | 1,262,299 | 1,262,299 |
| Central North Norfolk | 975,944 | 2,991,359 | 1,923,819 | 2,074,436 |
| Charnwood | 314,993 | 981,645 | 637,077 | 637,077 |
| Cheshire Sandstone Ridge | 236,129 | 733,585 | 482,433 | 553,773 |
| Cheviot Fringe | 361,522 | 1,012,461 | 672,932 | 724,949 |
| Cheviots | 2,376,078 | 3,913,032 | 3,328,603 | 3,725,681 |
| Chilterns | 3,290,628 | 10,685,833 | 6,819,982 | 6,819,886 |
| Clun and North West Herefordshire Hills | 766,744 | 2,427,049 | 1,502,412 | 1,503,575 |
| Cornish Killas | 2,584,539 | 7,812,024 | 5,207,599 | 5,258,821 |
| Cotswolds | 4,184,337 | 13,907,674 | 8,304,370 | 8,304,370 |
| Cumbria High Fells | 7,724,314 | 13,601,982 | 10,838,992 | 11,970,252 |

| National Character Area | Total Lower t C | Total Upper t C | Total Typical t C | Total Typical Considering Peat t C |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| Dark Peak | 10,272,440 | 18,147,935 | 14,988,362 | 16,755,694 |
| Dartmoor | 7,802,866 | 14,176,042 | 11,644,610 | 12,048,766 |
| Derbyshire Peak Fringe and Lower Derwent | 482,759 | 1,495,647 | 983,578 | 999,965 |
| Devon Redlands | 1,347,206 | 3,574,716 | 2,300,592 | 2,304,235 |
| Dorset Downs and Cranborne Chase | 1,856,003 | 5,026,204 | 3,333,963 | 3,333,963 |
| Dorset Heaths | 1,704,404 | 3,978,340 | 2,854,034 | 2,980,393 |
| Dunsmore and Feldon | 511,069 | 1,683,461 | 1,040,188 | 1,040,188 |
| Durham Coalfield Pennine Fringe | 659,586 | 2,019,961 | 1,329,612 | 1,349,259 |
| Durham Magnesian Limestone Plateau | 325,500 | 996,135 | 669,314 | 669,314 |
| East Anglian Chalk | 597,915 | 1,708,011 | 1,132,732 | 1,284,509 |
| Eden Valley | 563,316 | 1,649,417 | 1,088,982 | 1,136,432 |
| Exmoor | 3,525,891 | 7,461,876 | 5,619,871 | 6,146,014 |
| Forest of Dean and Lower Wye | 964,077 | 3,125,516 | 2,063,195 | 2,063,195 |

| National Character Area | Total Lower t C | Total Upper t C | Total Typical t C | Total Typical Considering Peat t C |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| Greater Thames Estuary | 2,134,884 | 5,432,493 | 3,662,176 | 3,662,176 |
| Hampshire Downs | 2,622,430 | 8,424,812 | 5,286,177 | 5,923,941 |
| Hensbarrow | 256,916 | 723,173 | 503,884 | 508,608 |
| Herefordshire Lowlands | 855,229 | 3,341,695 | 1,707,115 | 1,711,591 |
| Herefordshire Plateau | 395,934 | 1,486,882 | 823,313 | 823,313 |
| High Leicestershire | 323,087 | 1,063,060 | 680,300 | 680,300 |
| High Weald | 5,221,995 | 16,774,789 | 11,015,542 | 11,015,542 |
| Holderness | 448,355 | 936,039 | 679,778 | 794,326 |
| Howardian Hills | 289,982 | 973,094 | 585,313 | 585,313 |
| Howgill Fells | 311,230 | 551,855 | 461,283 | 337,915 |
| Humber Estuary | 235,371 | 793,946 | 499,808 | 499,808 |
| Humberhead Levels | 4,187,620 | 12,018,237 | 7,915,392 | 8,027,011 |
| Inner London | 312,647 | 1,163,947 | 643,693 | 643,693 |
| Isle of Portland | 21,392 | 24,497 | 23,058 | 23,058 |
| Isle of Wight | 742,182 | 2,172,893 | 1,409,496 | 1,448,859 |

| National Character Area | Total Lower t C | Total Upper t C | Total Typical t C | Total Typical Considering Peat t C |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| Isles of Scilly | 57,284 | 82,349 | 66,834 | 75,423 |
| Kesteven Uplands | 661,125 | 2,317,786 | 1,370,401 | 1,370,401 |
| Lashire and Amounderness Plain | 1,813,324 | 4,932,120 | 3,237,332 | 3,272,027 |
| Lashire Coal Measures | 493,139 | 1,604,918 | 1,058,628 | 1,091,523 |
| Lashire Valleys | 656,037 | 1,840,873 | 1,253,875 | 1,250,513 |
| Leicestershire and Nottinghamshire Wolds | 487,385 | 1,754,447 | 992,889 | 992,889 |
| Leicestershire and South Derbyshire Coalfield | 198,435 | 666,061 | 419,622 | 419,622 |
| Leicestershire Vales | 249,262 | 870,295 | 512,949 | 512,949 |
| Lincolnshire Coast and Marshes | 605,398 | 1,736,343 | 1,116,511 | 1,116,511 |
| Lincolnshire Wolds | 556,609 | 1,845,672 | 1,156,653 | 1,156,653 |
| Low Weald | 3,457,572 | 11,053,987 | 7,273,885 | 7,273,885 |
| Lundy | 30,894 | 34,836 | 32,751 | 32,751 |

| National Character Area | Total Lower t C | Total Upper t C | Total Typical t C | Total Typical Considering Peat t C |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| Malvern Hills | 301,098 | 963,582 | 607,966 | 607,966 |
| Manchester Conurbation | 305,713 | 991,817 | 647,202 | 653,009 |
| Manchester Pennine Fringe | 481,194 | 1,521,719 | 1,025,062 | 1,030,865 |
| Marshwood and Powerstock Vales | 202,392 | 563,164 | 383,676 | 383,676 |
| Mease/Sence Lowlands | 177,516 | 551,551 | 366,979 | 366,979 |
| Melbourne Parklands | 167,632 | 603,519 | 351,312 | 351,312 |
| Mendip Hills | 556,403 | 1,503,272 | 1,027,235 | 1,029,651 |
| Mersey Valley | 820,816 | 2,746,978 | 1,751,820 | 1,797,090 |
| Merseyside Conurbation | 202,411 | 701,034 | 422,762 | 424,048 |
| Mid Norfolk | 830,874 | 2,424,938 | 1,586,990 | 2,235,038 |
| Mid Northumberland | 380,232 | 1,274,006 | 783,288 | 784,292 |
| Mid Severn Sandstone Plateau | 1,300,608 | 4,436,543 | 2,732,083 | 2,732,083 |
| Mid Somerset Hills | 766,455 | 1,726,822 | 1,170,756 | 1,180,009 |
| Midvale Ridge | 506,534 | 1,790,828 | 1,030,577 | 1,040,952 |

| National Character Area | Total Lower t C | Total Upper t C | Total Typical t C | Total Typical Considering Peat t C |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| Morecambe Bay Limestones | 2,105,193 | 6,000,786 | 3,940,602 | 4,356,214 |
| Morecambe Coast and Lune Estuary | 448,845 | 1,187,568 | 798,973 | 811,768 |
| Needwood and South Derbyshire Claylands | 719,411 | 2,047,968 | 1,251,732 | 1,388,057 |
| New Forest | 3,897,907 | 10,061,165 | 6,763,634 | 6,812,993 |
| North Downs | 3,378,674 | 10,958,403 | 7,010,987 | 7,010,987 |
| North East Norfolk and Flegg | 126,130 | 385,489 | 263,395 | 323,284 |
| North Kent Plain | 1,208,187 | 3,841,464 | 2,497,612 | 2,658,690 |
| North Norfolk Coast | 339,053 | 1,543,123 | 899,532 | 899,532 |
| North Northumberland Coastal Plain | 203,302 | 654,561 | 414,400 | 426,122 |
| North Pennines | 29,418,070 | 50,452,098 | 42,691,115 | 45,567,863 |
| North West Norfolk | 813,017 | 2,520,077 | 1,619,383 | 1,773,934 |
| North York Moors and Cleveland Hills | 5,707,760 | 10,300,399 | 8,050,695 | 11,012,832 |
| Northamptonshire Uplands | 529,327 | 1,888,024 | 1,055,068 | 1,055,068 |

| National Character Area | Total Lower t C | Total Upper t C | Total Typical t C | Total Typical Considering Peat t C |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| Northamptonshire Vales | 583,912 | 1,741,653 | 1,090,468 | 1,090,468 |
| Northern Lincolnshire Edge with Coversands | 324,266 | 965,483 | 637,065 | 637,065 |
| Northern Thames Basin | 3,100,420 | 10,296,291 | 6,448,301 | 6,448,301 |
| Northumberland Sandstone Hills | 2,412,283 | 4,393,534 | 3,420,845 | 3,245,423 |
| Nottinghamshire, Derbyshire and Yorkshire Coalfield | 1,850,715 | 6,122,089 | 3,927,560 | 3,931,474 |
| Orton Fells | 502,882 | 889,972 | 648,970 | 677,964 |
| Oswestry Uplands | 120,263 | 439,684 | 246,561 | 246,561 |
| Pennine Dales Fringe | 856,367 | 2,801,964 | 1,699,137 | 1,749,208 |
| Pevensie Levels | 478,060 | 510,840 | 494,503 | 494,503 |
| Potteries and Churnet Valley | 698,438 | 2,102,913 | 1,392,678 | 1,392,988 |
| Quantock Hills | 312,785 | 769,132 | 537,556 | 557,556 |
| Rockingham Forest | 867,404 | 2,981,643 | 1,819,913 | 1,819,913 |
| Romney Marshes | 506,010 | 691,435 | 597,829 | 597,829 |

| National Character Area | Total Lower t C | Total Upper t C | Total Typical t C | Total Typical Considering Peat t C |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| Salisbury Plain and West Wiltshire Downs | 2,985,224 | 5,852,168 | 4,383,123 | 4,383,939 |
| Sefton Coast | 104,042 | 315,853 | 204,969 | 205,505 |
| Severn and Avon Vales | 2,798,210 | 6,735,161 | 4,378,341 | 4,418,375 |
| Sherwood | 1,010,621 | 3,829,074 | 2,007,081 | 2,007,081 |
| Shropshire Hills | 1,397,449 | 3,817,668 | 2,554,187 | 2,554,365 |
| Shropshire, Cheshire and Staffordshire Plain | 3,170,912 | 10,487,358 | 6,288,872 | 6,622,633 |
| Solway Basin | 4,031,160 | 11,616,634 | 7,579,369 | 7,623,361 |
| Somerset Levels and Moors | 4,561,827 | 5,895,903 | 5,195,121 | 6,777,984 |
| South Coast Plain | 560,282 | 1,500,328 | 987,996 | 1,005,030 |
| South Cumbria Low Fells | 1,930,835 | 4,657,766 | 3,313,266 | 3,429,565 |
| South Devon | 1,530,004 | 4,604,573 | 3,009,091 | 3,020,713 |
| South Downs | 2,731,583 | 7,835,048 | 5,201,600 | 5,201,600 |
| South East Northumberland Coastal Plain | 296,876 | 915,409 | 607,981 | 608,620 |

| National Character Area | Total Lower t C | Total Upper t C | Total Typical t C | Total Typical Considering Peat t C |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| South Hampshire Lowlands | 912,417 | 2,662,807 | 1,786,392 | 1,794,211 |
| South Herefordshire and Over Severn | 594,445 | 2,121,997 | 1,248,249 | 1,248,249 |
| South Norfolk and High Suffolk Claylands | 1,478,142 | 4,567,613 | 2,880,684 | 3,450,645 |
| South Purbeck | 260,862 | 541,750 | 383,493 | 383,493 |
| South Suffolk and North Essex Clayland | 2,692,832 | 8,570,283 | 5,461,018 | 5,471,959 |
| South West Peak | 1,767,706 | 3,339,675 | 2,675,544 | 2,752,472 |
| Southern Lincolnshire Edge | 275,895 | 917,353 | 557,141 | 557,141 |
| Southern Magnesian Limestone | 1,475,403 | 4,885,871 | 3,051,315 | 3,087,148 |
| Southern Pennines | 8,329,100 | 15,280,352 | 12,595,165 | 14,338,951 |
| Suffolk Coast and Heaths | 1,647,196 | 4,373,941 | 2,935,472 | 3,585,187 |
| Tees Lowlands | 530,705 | 1,639,840 | 1,060,488 | 1,067,419 |
| Teme Valley | 351,044 | 1,223,739 | 748,403 | 748,403 |

| National Character Area | Total Lower t C | Total Upper t C | Total Typical t C | Total Typical Considering Peat t C |
|------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| Thames Basin Heaths | 3,538,789 | 11,282,086 | 6,827,518 | 6,906,548 |
| Thames Basin Lowlands | 575,582 | 2,011,759 | 1,219,728 | 1,219,728 |
| Thames Valley | 1,746,204 | 6,140,817 | 3,496,287 | 3,496,702 |
| The Brecks | 2,070,629 | 5,002,083 | 3,528,205 | 4,288,832 |
| The Broads | 2,056,554 | 3,661,984 | 2,877,959 | 5,932,191 |
| The Culm | 3,544,605 | 10,445,268 | 7,097,412 | 7,103,337 |
| The Fens | 1,896,012 | 5,072,173 | 3,387,723 | 4,821,715 |
| The Lizard | 397,281 | 782,424 | 583,347 | 583,347 |
| Trent and Belvoir Vales | 974,444 | 3,040,950 | 1,932,193 | 1,932,800 |
| Trent Valley Washlands | 436,087 | 961,507 | 687,202 | 687,202 |
| Tyne and Wear Lowlands | 475,280 | 1,576,396 | 997,116 | 997,116 |
| Tyne Gap and Hadrian's Wall | 646,413 | 1,715,424 | 1,170,759 | 1,241,368 |
| Upper Thames Clay Vales | 1,643,038 | 4,508,768 | 2,890,567 | 2,890,819 |
| Vale of Mowbray | 263,245 | 807,689 | 515,064 | 515,064 |
| Vale of Pickering | 535,434 | 800,754 | 659,708 | 717,825 |

| National Character Area | Total Lower t C | Total Upper t C | Total Typical t C | Total Typical Considering Peat t C |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| Vale of Taunton and Quantock Fringes | 496,004 | 1,322,029 | 852,241 | 852,241 |
| Vale of York | 547,797 | 1,444,105 | 965,782 | 965,910 |
| Wealden Greensand | 4,108,298 | 13,364,550 | 8,276,169 | 8,292,637 |
| West Cumbria Coastal Plain | 882,491 | 2,327,453 | 1,566,282 | 1,653,476 |
| West Penwith | 365,601 | 619,647 | 495,724 | 552,152 |
| Weymouth Lowlands | 122,264 | 303,649 | 218,022 | 218,022 |
| White Peak | 676,104 | 1,564,687 | 1,151,850 | 1,155,399 |
| Wirral | 282,499 | 1,227,169 | 730,923 | 730,923 |
| Yardley-Whittlewood Ridge | 528,389 | 1,875,289 | 1,116,355 | 1,117,658 |
| Yeovil Scarplands | 622,775 | 1,936,441 | 1,169,276 | 1,169,276 |
| Yorkshire Dales | 24,557,447 | 41,814,514 | 35,304,002 | 37,686,644 |
| Yorkshire Southern Pennine Fringe | 760,700 | 2,389,976 | 1,615,577 | 1,685,943 |
| Yorkshire Wolds | 756,556 | 2,244,493 | 1,472,420 | 1,472,420 |

Table 25. Carbon sequestration estimates from priority habitats England's National Character Areas. Negative values indicate carbon sequestration, positive values indicate net emissions of carbon released into the atmosphere.

| National Character Area | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Upper Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Typical Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ |
|--|---|---|---|
| Arden | -18,091.66 | -158,145.29 | -88,168.96 |
| Avon Vales | -6,298.72 | -54,938.03 | -30,641.42 |
| Bedfordshire and Cambridgeshire Claylands | -17,038.38 | -172,781.47 | -94,255.06 |
| Bedfordshire Greensand Ridge | -6,140.16 | -53,591.50 | -29,843.23 |
| Berkshire and Marlborough Downs | -14,377.80 | -126,363.57 | -70,259.97 |
| Black Mountains and Golden Valley | 4,629.56 | -42,017.00 | -21,814.70 |
| Blackdowns | -14,472.54 | -132,195.50 | -73,263.01 |
| Blackmore Vale and Vale of Wardour | -10,708.55 | -94,478.61 | -52,544.04 |
| Bodmin Moor | 12,285.83 | -17,445.25 | -7,118.50 |
| Border Moors and Forests | 280,059.40 | -16,165.13 | 39,955.97 |
| Bowland Fells | 206,513.73 | -8,312.57 | 31,639.77 |
| Bowland Fringe and Pendle Hill | 11,336.10 | -57,984.68 | -28,692.90 |

| National Character Area | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Upper Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Typical Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ |
|--|---|---|---|
| Bristol, Avon Valleys and Ridges | -10,830.48 | -97,450.63 | -54,244.39 |
| Cannock Chase and Cank Wood | -9,690.83 | -85,080.45 | -47,315.59 |
| Carnmenellis | -1,611.26 | -13,890.19 | -7,751.92 |
| Central Lincolnshire Vale | -8,424.87 | -72,589.85 | -40,512.81 |
| Central North Norfolk | -11,370.40 | -102,633.07 | -56,724.09 |
| Charnwood | -3,980.63 | -35,111.86 | -19,491.94 |
| Cheshire Sandstone Ridge | -2,549.69 | -26,092.18 | -14,270.73 |
| Cheviot Fringe | 307.22 | -26,511.40 | -14,004.01 |
| Cheviots | 91,711.05 | -4,015.61 | 13,754.12 |
| Chilterns | -45,107.45 | -394,916.55 | -220,218.57 |
| Clun and North West Herefordshire Hills | -8,221.75 | -79,167.23 | -44,024.18 |
| Cornish Killas | -35,048.30 | -289,964.47 | -161,975.93 |
| Cotswolds | -49,839.15 | -435,862.76 | -243,069.26 |
| Cumbria High Fells | 251,644.32 | -121,609.85 | -20,417.52 |
| Dark Peak | 419,748.20 | -75,409.11 | 32,318.18 |

| National Character Area | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Upper Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Typical Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dartmoor | 304,869.31 | -105,892.38 | -4,252.24 |
| Derbyshire Peak Fringe and Lower Derwent | -5,100.09 | -54,640.14 | -30,235.17 |
| Devon Redlands | -9,318.80 | -98,188.43 | -53,513.14 |
| Dorset Downs and Cranborne Chase | -18,667.16 | -161,969.16 | -90,256.93 |
| Dorset Heaths | -9,506.49 | -103,446.07 | -54,786.08 |
| Dunsmore and Feldon | -6,544.04 | -57,627.86 | -32,118.10 |
| Durham Coalfield Pennine Fringe | -8,594.47 | -74,302.35 | -41,426.69 |
| Durham Magnesian Limestone Plateau | -4,472.41 | -38,791.08 | -21,559.95 |
| East Anglian Chalk | -6,193.15 | -58,581.06 | -32,247.55 |
| Eden Valley | -5,874.22 | -56,753.88 | -31,376.43 |
| Exmoor | 31,367.81 | -170,718.94 | -86,349.80 |
| Forest of Dean and Lower Wye | -14,056.37 | -125,837.90 | -70,099.65 |
| Greater Thames Estuary | -10,889.76 | -60,843.86 | -35,666.31 |
| Hampshire Downs | -31,610.93 | -286,862.89 | -158,281.52 |
| Hensbarrow | -1,690.02 | -24,817.73 | -12,662.19 |

| National Character Area | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Upper Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Typical Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|---|
| Herefordshire Lowlands | -6,824.55 | -87,388.00 | -48,206.21 |
| Herefordshire Plateau | -3,937.91 | -46,592.37 | -25,761.67 |
| High Leicestershire | -4,598.67 | -39,896.90 | -22,251.88 |
| High Weald | -75,548.07 | -657,968.41 | -367,026.23 |
| Holderness | -2,529.33 | -24,601.97 | -13,418.35 |
| Howardian Hills | -3,366.66 | -30,886.15 | -17,013.88 |
| Howgill Fells | 14,096.52 | -1,873.97 | 1,478.39 |
| Humber Estuary | -1,920.75 | -11,831.51 | -6,684.21 |
| Humberhead Levels | 58,427.05 | -88,256.68 | -36,576.25 |
| Inner London | -3,826.54 | -33,424.84 | -18,630.38 |
| Isle of Portland | -22.72 | -194.35 | -108.53 |
| Isle of Wight | -7,565.05 | -67,831.52 | -37,517.05 |
| Isles of Scilly | -51.70 | -335.81 | -165.75 |
| Kesteven Uplands | -8,526.44 | -74,811.17 | -41,578.31 |
| Lashire and Amounderness Plain | -5,506.59 | -71,795.19 | -40,591.66 |

| National Character Area | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Upper Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Typical Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lashire Coal Measures | -4,362.78 | -55,933.82 | -30,099.53 |
| Lashire Valleys | -5,496.75 | -64,798.95 | -35,539.78 |
| Leicestershire and Nottinghamshire Wolds | -5,907.36 | -51,760.08 | -28,805.58 |
| Leicestershire and South Derbyshire Coalfield | -2,765.88 | -24,348.46 | -13,521.73 |
| Leicestershire Vales | -3,159.17 | -27,844.36 | -15,479.14 |
| Lincolnshire Coast and Marshes | -6,322.94 | -36,105.78 | -21,098.81 |
| Lincolnshire Wolds | -7,531.87 | -65,758.40 | -36,621.35 |
| Low Weald | -49,812.18 | -435,527.62 | -242,934.37 |
| Lundy | 28.24 | 3.73 | 28.73 |
| Malvern Hills | -3,706.15 | -34,496.03 | -19,208.39 |
| Manchester Conurbation | -4,285.08 | -38,305.71 | -21,207.94 |
| Manchester Pennine Fringe | -6,394.47 | -60,622.00 | -33,136.35 |
| Marshwood and Powerstock Vales | -1,888.33 | -18,823.95 | -10,302.41 |

| National Character Area | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Upper Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Typical Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ |
|--|---|---|---|
| Mease/Sence Lowlands | -2,347.10 | -21,229.06 | -11,731.85 |
| Melbourne Parklands | -2,221.03 | -19,347.94 | -10,781.06 |
| Mendip Hills | -5,935.48 | -52,451.78 | -29,222.87 |
| Mersey Valley | 981.21 | -51,702.51 | -26,888.49 |
| Merseyside Conurbation | -2,913.03 | -23,748.09 | -13,299.07 |
| Mid Norfolk | -7,638.46 | -78,723.65 | -42,402.56 |
| Mid Northumberland | -4,015.48 | -40,586.04 | -22,536.73 |
| Mid Severn Sandstone Plateau | -17,498.35 | -156,077.51 | -86,927.52 |
| Mid Somerset Hills | -145.85 | -32,713.24 | -17,622.01 |
| Midvale Ridge | -6,012.95 | -53,731.71 | -29,806.91 |
| Morecambe Bay Limestones | 7,325.98 | -93,184.79 | -47,198.16 |
| Morecambe Coast and Lune Estuary | -3,194.74 | -14,837.87 | -9,006.43 |
| Needwood and South Derbyshire Claylands | -5,633.90 | -53,374.78 | -29,275.28 |
| New Forest | -28,461.20 | -282,413.00 | -153,103.23 |

| National Character Area | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Upper Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Typical Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ |
|---|---|---|---|
| North Downs | -46,699.52 | -407,690.13 | -227,483.70 |
| North East Norfolk and Flegg | -1,901.76 | -15,685.82 | -8,671.17 |
| North Kent Plain | -14,981.98 | -139,467.53 | -76,571.70 |
| North Norfolk Coast | -5,233.30 | -17,397.54 | -11,153.38 |
| North Northumberland Coastal Plain | -4,354.49 | -20,344.71 | -12,097.18 |
| North Pennines | 1,366,618.59 | -30,081.67 | 220,641.23 |
| North West Norfolk | -9,751.44 | -87,900.18 | -48,626.27 |
| North York Moors and Cleveland Hills | -8,318.34 | -205,248.03 | -111,008.09 |
| Northamptonshire Uplands | -6,057.47 | -53,194.87 | -29,653.10 |
| Northamptonshire Vales | -5,699.17 | -52,975.04 | -29,193.45 |
| Northern Lincolnshire Edge with Coversands | -3,991.19 | -34,856.94 | -19,417.21 |
| Northern Thames Basin | -42,307.61 | -368,080.81 | -205,329.63 |
| Northumberland Sandstone Hills | 52,810.17 | -29,474.57 | -6,469.51 |

| National Character Area | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Upper Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Typical Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ |
|--|---|---|---|
| Nottinghamshire, Derbyshire and Yorkshire Coalfield | -26,510.94 | -231,871.32 | -129,003.45 |
| Orton Fells | 3,639.81 | -8,776.74 | -3,754.01 |
| Oswestry Uplands | -1,469.59 | -12,832.90 | -7,140.09 |
| Pennine Dales Fringe | -8,490.99 | -85,672.36 | -46,708.53 |
| Pevensy Levels | -176.18 | -1,785.86 | -982.70 |
| Potteries and Churnet Valley | -8,890.30 | -77,407.15 | -43,114.04 |
| Quantock Hills | -2,685.79 | -23,794.32 | -13,242.14 |
| Rockingham Forest | -11,973.43 | -103,615.31 | -57,786.86 |
| Romney Marshes | -1,226.14 | -8,696.88 | -4,945.57 |
| Salisbury Plain and West Wiltshire Downs | -18,081.47 | -156,074.02 | -87,043.30 |
| Sefton Coast | -4,161.82 | -10,096.55 | -6,787.19 |
| Severn and Avon Vales | -13,456.25 | -160,082.55 | -88,492.58 |
| Sherwood | -10,955.67 | -94,844.20 | -52,876.11 |
| Shropshire Hills | -9,900.92 | -124,723.84 | -68,766.99 |

| National Character Area | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Upper Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Typical Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ |
|---|---|---|---|
| Shropshire, Cheshire and Staffordshire Plain | -17,591.55 | -269,487.46 | -146,748.75 |
| Solway Basin | 39,791.99 | -75,856.22 | -35,216.42 |
| Somerset Levels and Moors | 4,210.86 | -23,840.91 | -9,595.33 |
| South Coast Plain | -4,535.73 | -40,271.41 | -22,220.14 |
| South Cumbria Low Fells | 29,075.20 | -123,409.65 | -60,915.70 |
| South Devon | -18,044.66 | -162,988.90 | -90,762.72 |
| South Downs | -32,150.96 | -276,343.03 | -154,276.26 |
| South East Northumberland Coastal Plain | -3,736.25 | -32,590.19 | -18,253.95 |
| South Hampshire Lowlands | -11,257.23 | -97,232.06 | -54,223.16 |
| South Herefordshire and Over Severn | -7,063.52 | -72,685.41 | -40,346.04 |
| South Norfolk and High Suffolk Claylands | -15,944.27 | -149,566.09 | -82,195.57 |
| South Purbeck | -1,418.33 | -12,506.75 | -6,948.15 |

| National Character Area | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Upper Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Typical Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ |
|---|---|---|---|
| South Suffolk and North Essex Clayland | -35,024.21 | -307,570.54 | -171,411.93 |
| South West Peak | 65,192.50 | -32,197.61 | -5,916.55 |
| Southern Lincolnshire Edge | -3,502.37 | -30,370.29 | -16,948.00 |
| Southern Magnesian Limestone | -18,359.15 | -169,451.39 | -93,219.98 |
| Southern Pennines | 372,596.18 | -78,690.26 | 23,538.41 |
| Suffolk Coast and Heaths | -13,551.75 | -112,606.61 | -62,721.70 |
| Tees Lowlands | -7,375.37 | -58,514.84 | -32,839.18 |
| Teme Valley | -4,285.53 | -46,098.92 | -25,555.31 |
| Thames Basin Heaths | -37,762.85 | -339,762.62 | -187,958.60 |
| Thames Basin Lowlands | -7,887.52 | -69,461.21 | -38,608.47 |
| Thames Valley | -20,318.03 | -179,015.39 | -99,685.23 |
| The Brecks | -17,015.12 | -158,138.46 | -86,830.40 |
| The Broads | -4,279.56 | -72,520.06 | -35,739.67 |
| The Culm | -46,454.37 | -406,965.24 | -226,977.70 |
| The Fens | -9,836.20 | -81,641.02 | -44,472.34 |

| National Character Area | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Upper Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Typical Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ |
|---|---|---|---|
| The Lizard | -1,844.75 | -17,638.46 | -9,669.65 |
| Trent and Belvoir Vales | -11,821.43 | -105,455.63 | -58,698.34 |
| Trent Valley Washlands | -2,692.58 | -26,579.73 | -14,437.12 |
| Tyne and Wear Lowlands | -6,465.95 | -57,028.81 | -31,773.74 |
| Tyne Gap and Hadrian's Wall | 8,302.71 | -37,962.49 | -18,524.64 |
| Upper Thames Clay Vales | -14,372.98 | -127,669.48 | -71,036.40 |
| Vale of Mowbray | -2,841.90 | -27,070.54 | -14,829.11 |
| Vale of Pickering | -1,129.13 | -12,912.89 | -6,867.23 |
| Vale of Taunton and Quantock Fringes | -3,907.80 | -39,141.71 | -21,704.55 |
| Vale of York | -4,801.12 | -44,359.22 | -24,469.60 |
| Wealden Greensand | -49,893.64 | -448,802.57 | -248,949.05 |
| West Cumbria Coastal Plain | -3,164.22 | -36,556.51 | -20,857.27 |
| West Penwith | -1,327.03 | -12,377.59 | -6,820.44 |
| Weymouth Lowlands | -1,106.76 | -9,354.86 | -5,234.50 |

| National Character Area | Total Lower Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Upper Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ | Total Typical Sequestration t CO ₂ e y ⁻¹ |
|--|---|---|---|
| White Peak | -5,864.40 | -52,511.11 | -29,242.70 |
| Wirral | -4,353.47 | -22,063.29 | -13,157.37 |
| Yardley-Whittlewood Ridge | -7,228.79 | -62,938.74 | -35,062.84 |
| Yeovil Scarplands | -5,059.72 | -58,023.52 | -31,701.79 |
| Yorkshire Dales | 1,084,172.87 | -54,459.21 | 160,186.36 |
| Yorkshire Southern Pennine Fringe | -11,080.01 | -97,963.91 | -54,603.42 |
| Yorkshire Wolds | -9,252.72 | -80,043.15 | -44,633.56 |

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