

**Right of Way:** A claimed Right of Way extends North out of the block, but is indistinct on the ground

**Peatland:** Peatland is identified along the boundary of Glen Isla, and needs to be quantified. A programme of restoration will be part of the LMP. The peat is highly likely to extend into neighbouring land, giving the opportunity to work in partnership to restore peatland across boundaries.

**European Protected Species:** A number of European Protected Species use Glen Isla and surrounds.

**Right of Way:** There is a claimed Right of Way across the LMP area, following the forest roads

**Flooding:** There are some minor flooding issues along the Western boundary

**Core paths:** Core paths follow the forests roads in a loop.

**Long distance route:** The Cateran Trail runs along side of the glen offering views across to Glen Isla for a long period of time

**Fishing loch:** Loch Shandra is popular for fishing, which will provide sustained views of the Western edge of the forest, and will be sensitive to run off

**Archaeology:** Although there are no Scheduled Monuments in the LMP area, there are a large number of National Monument Records especially along the Western boundary

**Freuchies:** Most of the infrastructure: car parks, housing, services, access into the forest is concentrated around Freuchies

**Flooding:** There are some flooding issues for the main entrance road into the block

**Neighbours forest:** Spur of private forestry causes some access issues to FLS land. Commercial conifer is contiguous to FLS conifer

**Wild land:** Wild land abuts FLS land with habitats for nationally important wildlife species. Ensure principals of Wild Land carry into LMP.

**National Park:** Cairngorms National Park boundary runs close to FLS boundary. Ensure values of National Park are reflected in LMP, especially as Naturescot LCA states that the Cairngorms massif extends into it.

**New acquisition:** FLS has recently bought Glen Prosen Estate, which will give opportunities for natural landscape scale management such as natural flood defences, peatland restoration and ecosystem services

**Wild Cats:** Wild cats are present right across the region

**Private Water Supply:** Wind blow over a private water supply has caused problems with supply. This has been removed, and the water supply made more robust

**Glenmarkie:** There is infrastructure: services, housing, businesses, based at Glenmarkie, accessed through the LMP area

**Rate of change:** The extent of the wind blow, recent felling and Larch removal is changing the landscape character at an abnormally fast rate

**Reservoir:** Extensive wind blow within Drinking Water Protected Area means extra care is needed to avoid sediment discharge as run off

**Viewpoints:** The Eastern edge of the reservoir has two car parks, giving extensive views across to the Eastern edge of the forest block

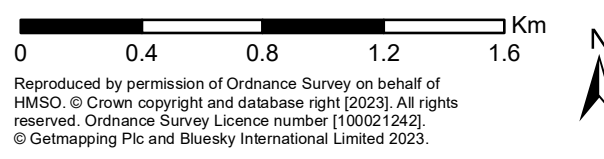
**Access:** The tarmaced Scottish Water access road also provides some access along the Eastern side of the block, but is also very popular with families

**Deer fence:** Most of forest block has good deer fence apart from near Freuchies

**Timber Transport:** Road South of reservoir is a Timber Transport Consultation Route

## Glen Isla and Glenmarkie Overall Context

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- National Monuments Record for Scotland
- - - Core Paths
- /// Good condition deer fence
- National Park Boundaries
- Masts/Aerials
- - - Claimed Right of Way
- /// Poor condition deer fence
- Glen Prosen new FLS acquisition
- - - Agreed Timber Transport Route
- - - Forest Roads
- /// Very Poor condition deer fence
- Drinking Water Protected Area
- ● ● ● Consultation Timber Transport Route
- /// Special Protection Areas
- /// Useless condition deer fence
- High river flood extent
- Watercourses
- - - Wild Land Areas
- - - Unknown fence
- Medium river flood extent
- X X Overhead powerline
- Peat
- Low river flood extent
- Neighbouring woodland
- /// Excellent condition deer fence

The whole of the LMP sits within the Wildcat Priority Area