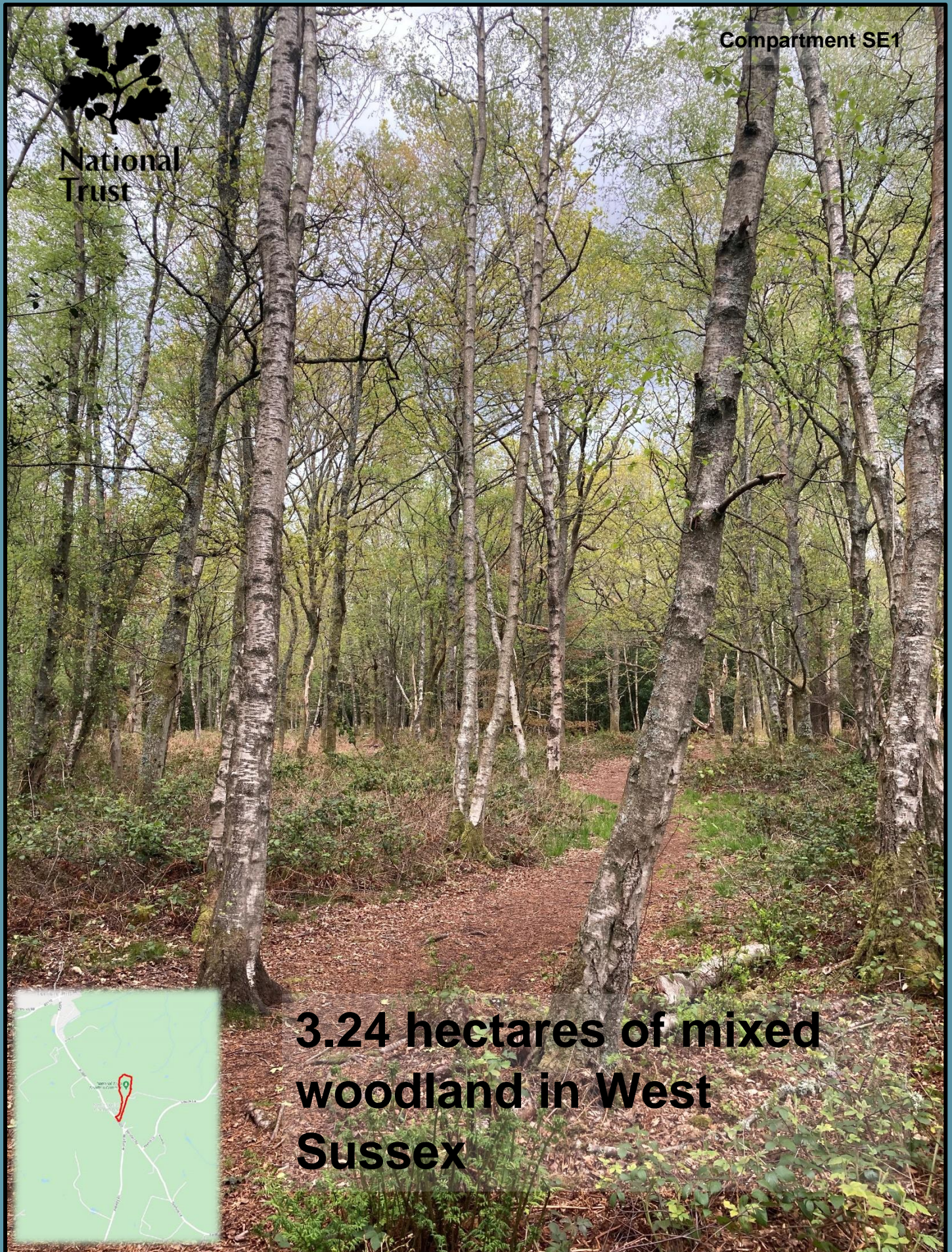


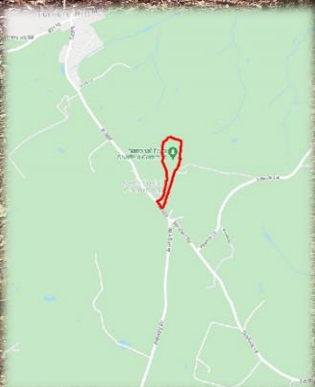
Selsfield Woodland Management Plan Summary 2022-2032



Compartment SE1



**3.24 hectares of mixed
woodland in West
Sussex**



Habitats and Species

The southern end of the property consists of oak (*Quercus robur*) dominated woodland, the canopy being variable in height and including mature standard, old coppice-form and young trees. Birch (*Betula pubescens*), both mature and young, is also common. There is a shrub layer of young birch, with holly locally and occasional rowan, hawthorn, *Salix cinerea*, laurel, gorse and blackthorn. The ground flora consists of a dense cover of bramble with frequent clumps of the fern *Dryopteris dilatata*.

The grass *Holcus lanatus* is common along path edges and occasionally dominant. Other ground flora species include occasional wood sorrel, honeysuckle, foxglove, ivy and grass species such as *Agrostis spp.* and *Dactylis glomerata*

Designations

This woodland sits within the High Weald AONB.

Management Approaches

Thinning will open up areas of closed canopy woodland allowing better development of ground flora and natural regeneration of native trees.

Legend

Activity

- Coppice - FC
- Selective Fell - SF
- Thin - T

Phase

- 1 (First 5 Years)
- 2 (Second 5 Years)
- LTR
- Water



Thinning will be used to open up the canopy, allowing more light to reach the forest floor and promoting healthy growth and development of the remaining trees



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