

Site Name: Burnt Wood

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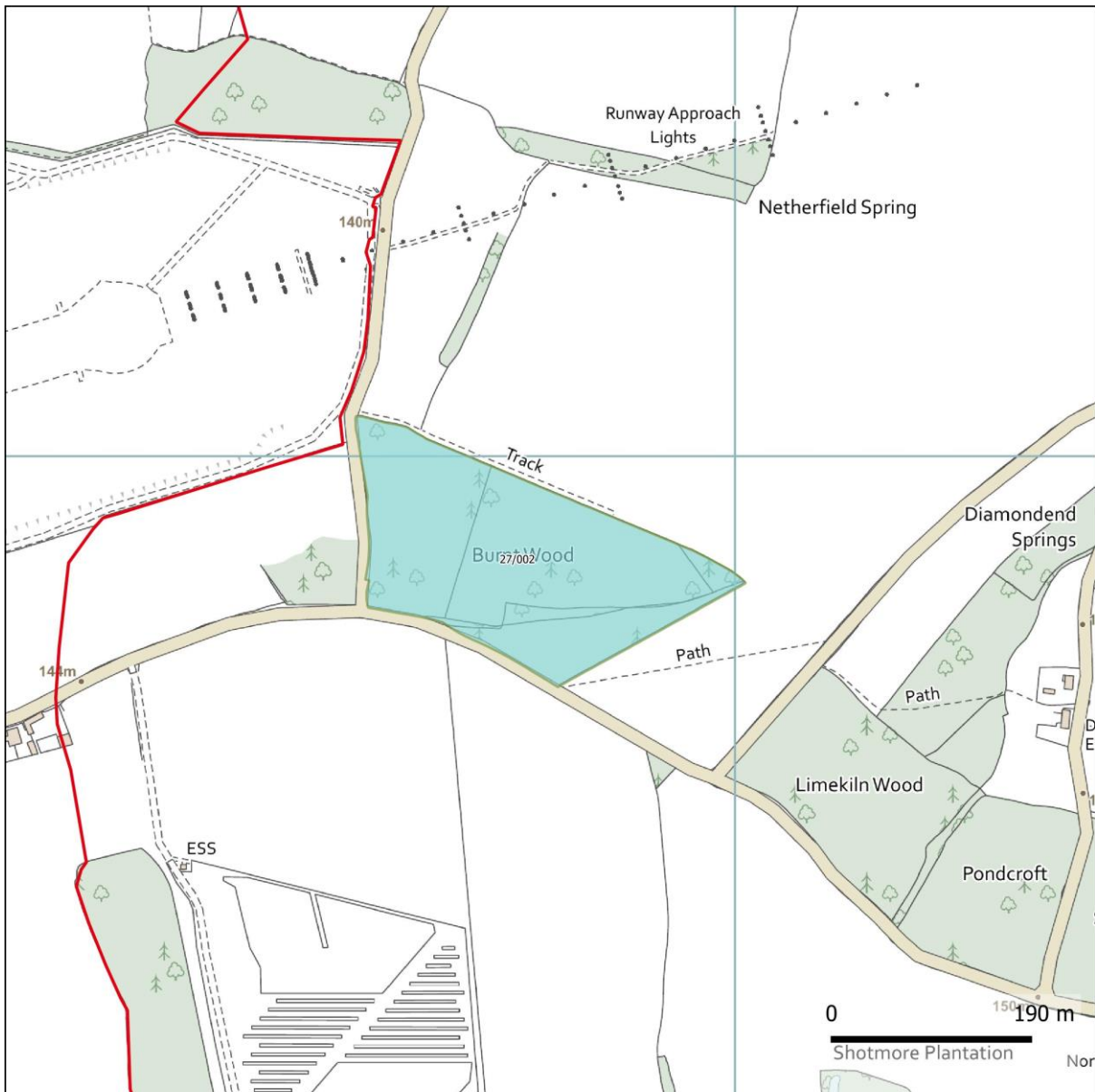
Grid Ref: TL137209

Area (ha): 4.93

Designation Date: 01/01/1997

Description:

Ancient semi-natural Pedunculate Oak (*Quercus robur*)/Hornbeam (*Carpinus betulus*) coppice-with-standards woodland site largely replanted with conifers. Semi-natural broadleaved woodland remains as remnants of variable width around the perimeter. Additional woody species recorded include Beech (*Fagus sylvatica*), Ash (*Fraxinus excelsior*), Wild Cherry (*Prunus avium*) with much coppiced Hazel (*Corylus avellana*). The ground flora is quite diverse with Bluebell (*Hyacinthoides non-scripta*) dominant plus other species of note including Wood Sedge (*Carex sylvatica*), Yellow Archangel (*Lamium galeobdolon*), Wood Melick (*Melica uniflora*), Wood Millet (*Milium effusum*), Wood Meadow-grass (*Poa nemoralis*) and Broad Buckler-fern (*Dryopteris dilatata*). Old pits and wood banks add to the habitat diversity. Wildlife Site criteria: Ancient Woodland Inventory site; remnant semi-natural canopy; ancient physical features; woodland indicators.



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