

## 5.6 Dorset County

Habitat	Habitat area within County (ha)	Habitat area Within ESA (ha)	% of county habitat resource within ESA	Habitat area within CSS (ha)	% of county habitat resource within CSS	Habitat area within WES (ha)	% of county resource within WES	Habitat area within AES (ha)	% of county habitat resource within AES	Habitat area within SSSI (ha)	% of county habitat resource within SSSI
Sabellaria Reef	1	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	<1	<100%
Coastal Sand Dune	166	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	164	99%
Coastal Vegetated Shingle	90	0	0%	<1	<1%	65	72%	65	72%	90	100%
Coastal Saltmarsh and Mudflat	1606	0	0%	208	15%	187	12%	390	24%	1,606	100%
Coastal and Floodplain Grazing Marsh	230	3	1%	133	58%	19	8%	152	66%	41	18%
Maritime Cliff and Slope	2,032	0	0%	1,055	52%	357	18%	1,262	62%	1,993	98%
Seagrass Bed	-	0	0%	0	0%	212	-	212	-	213	-
Saline Lagoon	493	0	0%	<1	<1%	431	87%	431	87%	-	-
Fen	133	0	0%	46	35%	26	20%	72	54%	132	99%
Woodland	-	126	-	1,106	-	460	-	1,553	-	908	-
Lowland Meadow	102	0	0%	84	82%	1	1%	85	83%	61	60%
Lowland Dry Acid Grassland	166	0	0%	128	77%	10	6%	137	83%	100	60%
Lowland Calcareous Grassland	3,167	985	31%	1,106	35%	536	17%	1,953	62%	1,717	54%
Purple Moor Grass and Rush Pasture	131	0	0%	96	73%	7	5%	103	79%	85	65%
Heathland within Lowland Areas	7,131	0	0%	1,538	22%	1,394	20%	2,783	39%	6,913	97%

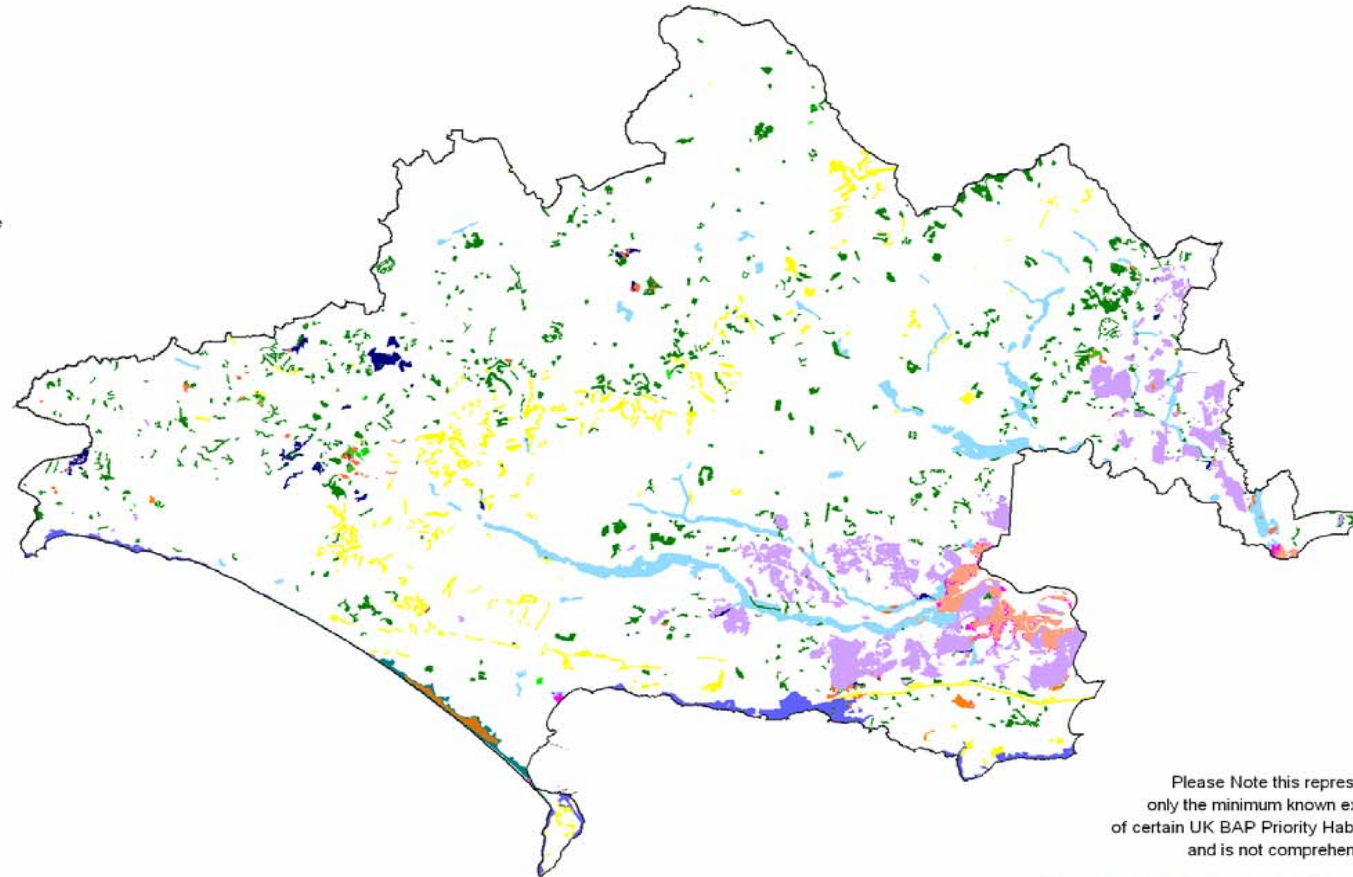
## Excluding Woodland and Seagrass Bed

- There is a minimum of 15,448ha of UKBAP Priority Habitat in Dorset
- A minimum of 7433ha (48%) of UKBAP Priority Habitat in Dorset is currently found on land with associated AES agreements
- A minimum of 12,902ha (84%) of UKBAP Priority Habitat in Dorset is currently found within the boundaries of SSSIs

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Map showing distribution of UK BAP Priority Habitat within Dorset County

- Heathland within Lowland Areas
- Heathland within Upland Areas
- Seagrass Beds
- Sabellaria Reef
- Saline Lagoon
- Purple Moor Grass and Rush Pasture
- Semi-natural Broadleaf Woodland
- Mudflat
- Maritime Cliff and Slope
- Lowland Meadow
- Lowland Acid Grassland
- Lowland Calcareous Grassland
- Fen
- Coastal Salt Marsh
- Coastal Floodplain Grazing Marsh
- Coastal Vegetated Shingle
- Reedbed
- Maerl Bed
- Coastal Sand Dune



Please Note this represents only the minimum known extent of certain UK BAP Priority Habitats and is not comprehensive

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