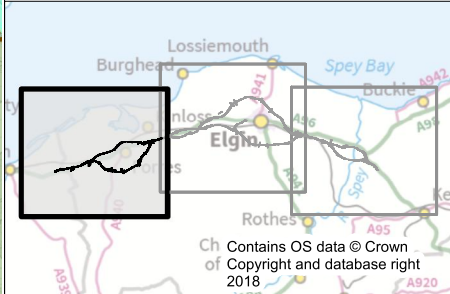
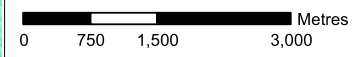


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 - 4 - Elgin town margins with infrastructure and mixed wooded and open surroundings
 - 5 - Steep, variable sloped small hills with woodland
 - 6 - Brown Muir northern slopes
 - 7 - Rural, undulating slopes with a mix of open ground and woodland
 - 8 - Woodlands and open spaces enclosed by surrounding trees
 - 9 - Undulating, regular landform with patchwork of woodland and farmland and an intimate landscape scale
 - 10 - River Spey strath floor
 - 11 - River Spey and wooded slopes
 - 12 - Dense, forested hills
 - 13 - River Spey corridor
 - 14 - Open, flat agricultural fields surrounded by woodland edge
 - 15 - Gordon Castle historic landscape
 - 16 - Flat, open, expansive landscape with horizontal emphasis
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 - 25 - River Findhorn corridor and gorge
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 - 28 - Patchwork of agriculture and woodland adjacent to the extensive backdrop of Culbin Forest
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 - 37 - Rolling farmland, woodland and historic elements at periphery of designed landscape
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 - 39 - Mixed land use and foci around Dyke and Dalkey
 - 40 - Innes flat, historic landscape within a framework of woodland
 - 41 - Grange Hall estate landscape
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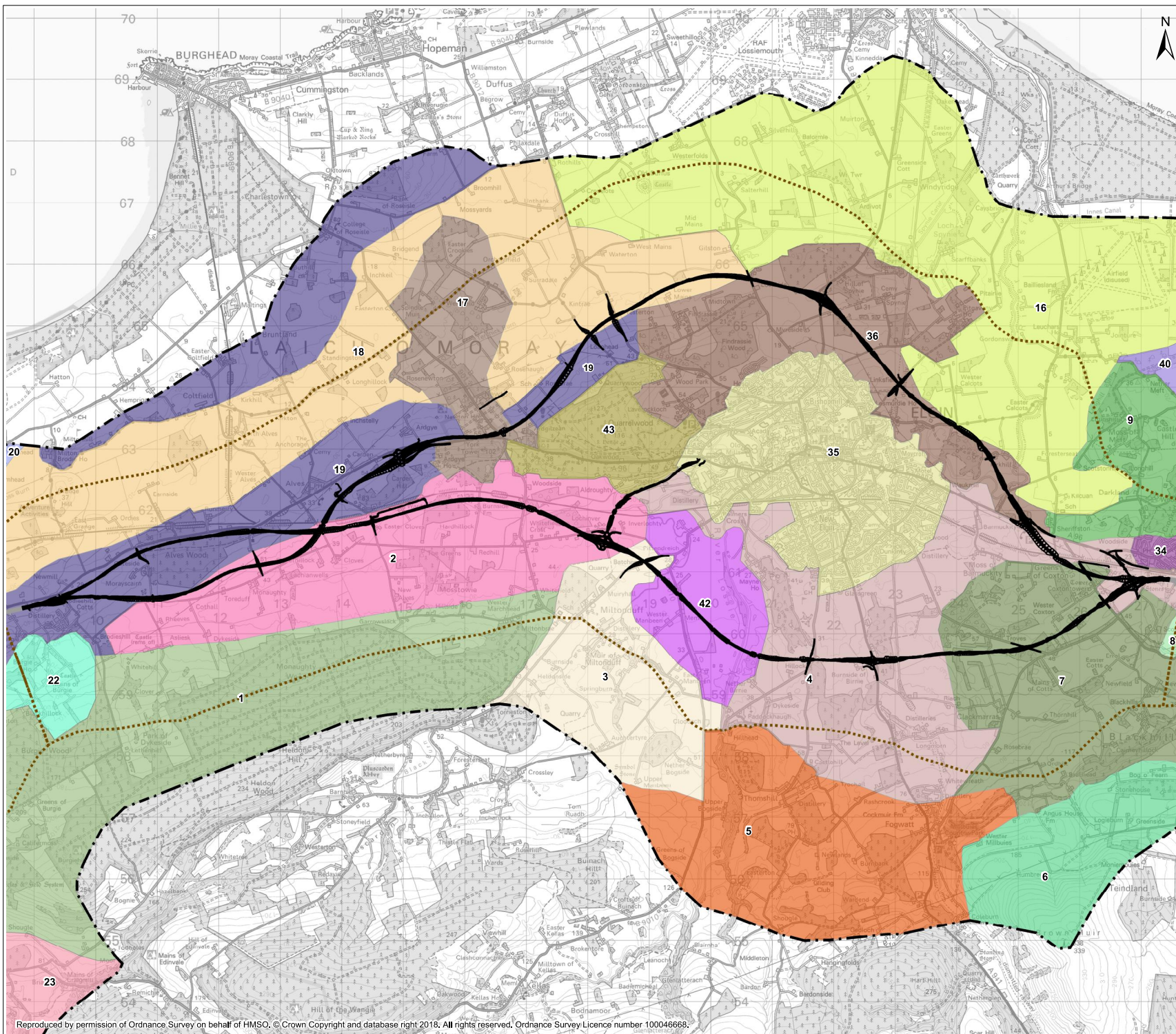


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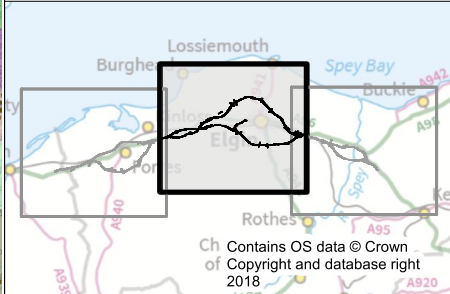
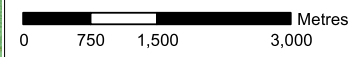
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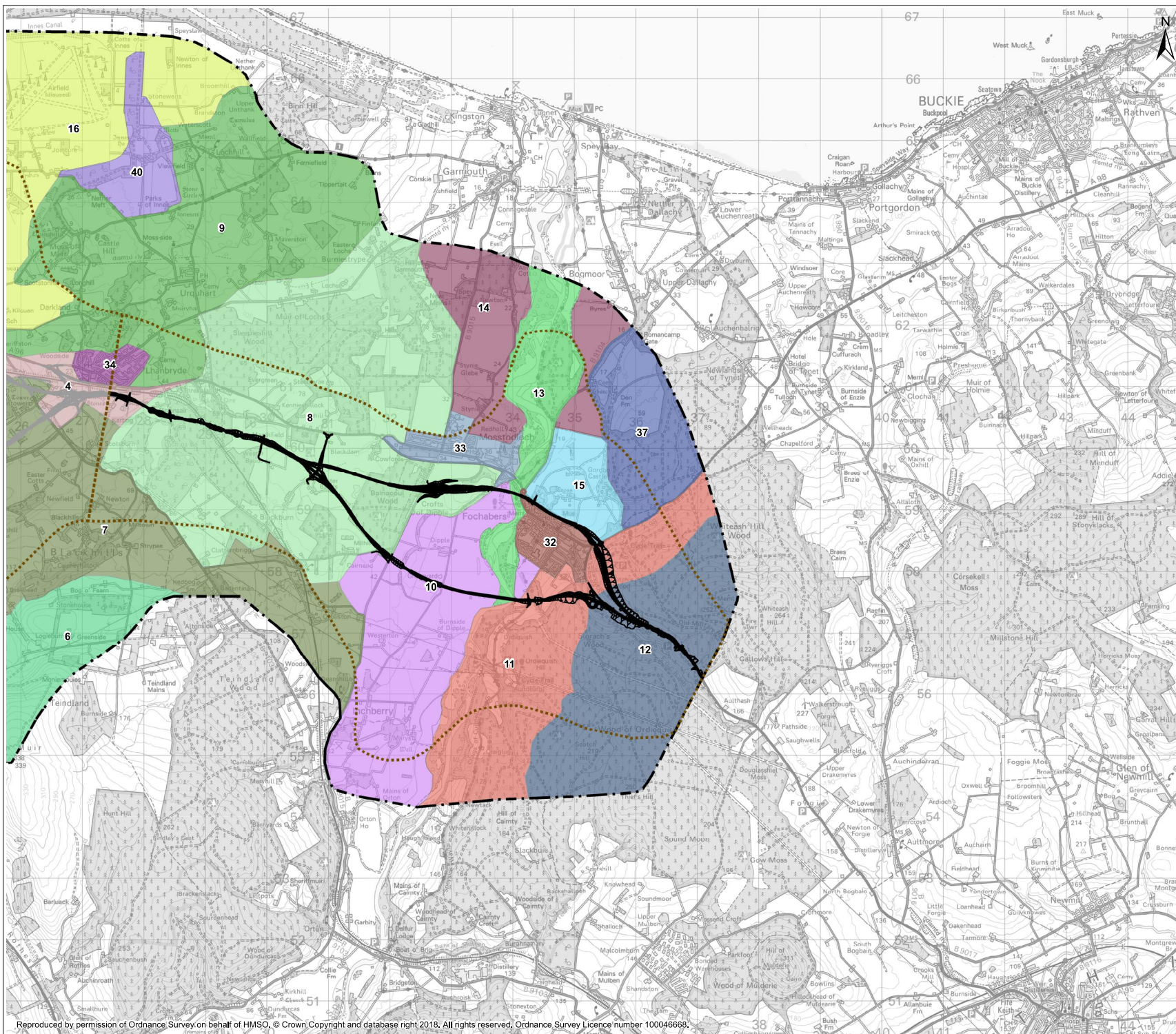


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**Figure 17.5 Landscape Character
Hillhead to Lhanbryde**

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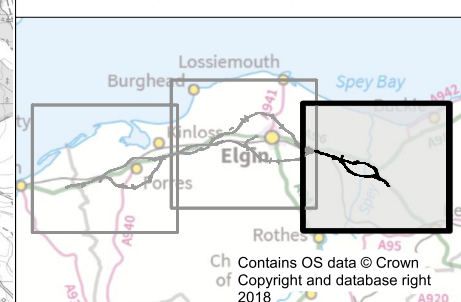
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**Figure 17.6 Landscape Character
Lhanbryde to East of Fochabers**

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