

[Detailed guide: Access Forestry Commission datasets](#)

You can access Forestry Commission datasets through the Forestry Commission Open Data website, [data.gov.uk](#) website and Forest Research website.

Spatial datasets for use in a Geographical Information System (GIS)

You can download a wide range of Forestry Commission spatial datasets for use in a GIS. Map layers available for either England, Scotland, Wales, or all of Great Britain include:

- The National Forest Inventory woodland map
- Forestry Commission England woodland creation headline performance indicator
- woodland grants
- felling licences
- surveys of tree pests and diseases
- National Forest Estate boundaries, recreation features and roads
- National Forest Estate sub-compartments showing tree species and habitats

To access these datasets, visit the [Forestry Commission Open Data website](#).

Open Datasets

You can download further Open Datasets from the Forestry Commission from the [data.gov.uk website](#), including:

- Forestry Commission England managed woodland headline performance indicator
- meteorological data from woodland sites

To access these datasets, visit the [Forestry Commission webpages on data.gov.uk](#).

Forest Research statistics

You can download spreadsheets of statistics on a wide range of forestry topics from the [statistics pages](#) of the [Forest Research website](#).

Spreadsheets include statistics for England, Scotland, Wales, Great Britain, or all of the UK, and include tables from the Forestry Statistics publications covering, for example:

- woodland area and planting
- timber

- trade
- UK forests and climate change
- environment
- recreation
- employment and businesses
- finance and prices
- international forestry

To access these datasets, visit the [statistics data download webpage on the Forest Research website](#).