

Biodiversity planning on your farm



Biodiversity planning will make your farm more adaptable to changes.

Start by deciding why you want to protect biodiversity. Are your goals...



Animal welfare



Products like timber or honey



Shade to support grass growth and for stock



Climate change mitigation



Meet assurance programme goals



Peaceful spaces to relax and enjoy

What will help me reach my goals?



Identify “low-hanging fruit”, or actions that would be easy to do first.



Find actions that will give you the most bang for your buck.



Work in with your other farm goals and activities. Can fencing, for example, have benefits for farm productivity and biodiversity?



Identify funding opportunities and prioritise actions based on what's available.



Put management actions in your calendar and budget. You'll be more likely to do them - and to succeed.

