

Estimated impacts on shooting in SPAs and SACs with a 5km buffer zone:

	% reduction in available land area after the 5km buffer zone*	Estimated financial impact (GVA)	Estimated financial impact on conservation expenditure	Estimated loss of conservation labour (FTE)	Estimated loss of Full Time Equivalent (FTE) jobs supported by shooting
Northern Ireland	-62%	£17,360,000	£5,270,000	42	477
Wales	-77%	£57,750,000	£5,698,000	377	1,848
Scotland	-74%	£148,000,000	£25,900,000	2,886	6,512
England	-45%	£765,000,000	£81,000,000	4,950	27,450
UK**	-58%	£1,160,000,000	£133,400,000	9,280	42,920

Data for estimates are based on The Value of Shooting research by PACEC (2014).

Illustration of the extent of UK area that is 5km from Special Protection Areas (SPAs) and Special Areas of Conservation (SACs):



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