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Fountains Forestry has been providing consultancy and forest management services to families, individuals and institutions for more than 60 years.

In the UK alone, Fountains Forestry manages over 100,000 acres of woodland from Caithness to Cornwall. We work with and on behalf of a range of clients including individuals, family offices, trusts, local government and institutional investors.

Our experience and long standing client relationships enable us to fully understand the needs and priorities of forest and woodland owners. Our forestry team has the skills and capacity to deliver outstanding services to support clients in managing their woodland effectively.

Forestry and Woodland Services

Fountains Forestry has developed an extensive range of forestry management services to meet the diverse needs of woodland owners. Whatever the scope of a project, clients draw on our in-depth understanding of the timber and land markets along with unrivalled operational expertise in forest management.

The operational experience and scale of Fountains Forestry allows us to manage a wide range of forestry projects including:

- Woodland and estate management
- Tree safety management, surveys and risk reporting
- Woodland creation
- Maintenance of parks and open spaces
- Urban woodland planting and management
- Timber harvesting and management
- Management of environmentally sensitive sites.

Sustainability and Innovation in Forest and Woodland Management

Fountains Forestry is at the forefront of innovation in the management of sustainable forests for biodiversity. The company has achieved accreditation for several internationally recognised management standards.

In the UK, our systems and procedures meet the International Standards Organisation (ISO) ISO 9001 & 14001 standards for environmental management. Since 2001, Fountains Forestry has been certified by the Forest Stewardship Council® (FSC®) as a Resource Group Manager; meeting the FSC's international management standard.

As forests approach maturity, the majority of commercial woodland managed by Fountains Forestry in the UK is certified in accordance with the United Kingdom Woodland Assurance Standard (UKWAS) also meeting the standards of the Forest Stewardship Council FSC and those of PEFC.





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Professional Forest and Woodland Management

Fountains Forestry brings a professional and sustainable approach to forest and woodland management, which gives clients the assurance that their forests and woodlands are being managed in the most effective way.

We work closely with clients to understand their priorities and to develop plans for their forest or woodland. Fountains Forestry aims to help clients maximise both the land and timber asset value of a property over time. We achieve this through a combination of management and operational support throughout the lifecycle of woodland ownership. We operate independently from timber processing interests which means we can act in your best interest to secure the optimum price for your timber. Fountains Forestry provides a comprehensive range of services to clients which include:

- Site assessment and survey using digital mapping
- Preparation of long term forestry management plans, including native woodlands plans
- Forest certification to United Kingdom Woodland Assurance Standard (UKWAS) and PEFC
- Design and establishment of new woodland
- Woodland insurance
- Timber valuation for felling, thinning and appraisal
- Timber sales and marketing
- Forestry grant applications
- Biodiversity and wildlife habitat surveys
- Wildlife and conservation management
- Safety and condition inspection roadside trees
- Amenity and public access provision

WHY WORK WITH FOUNTAINS FORESTRY?

Fountains Forestry has been providing professional forestry management services in the UK for over 60 years.

Our network of regional offices allows us to deliver personalised services that meet the requirements of each individual client and their forest or woodland.

Our independence from timber consuming interests also frees us to obtain the best prices for our clients' timber.

In the UK, our systems and procedures are certified to meet the International Standards Organisation (ISO) management requirements for ISO 9001 (Quality), 14001 (Environmental) and OHSAS18001 [ISO45001] (Occupational Health & Safety).

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In order to manage the duty of care for clients' properties relating to public access, we have developed specific risk management systems such as regular roadside tree safety surveys.

Fountains Forestry works with conservation bodies such as Natural England, NatureScot and non-governmental organisations, such as local Wildlife Trusts, to maximise biodiversity within client's forests.



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Fountains Forestry is a wholly-owned subsidiary of F&W Forestry Services Inc., which is a global forestry management company based in Georgia, U.S.A. which manages over 2 million acres of forestry worldwide in North and South America and Europe. This means we can draw on a wealth of forestry management and silvicultural knowledge, and associated resources.

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