

GRASSLAND MANAGEMENT SCHEMES

active schemes 2004/2005

SNH's Grassland Management Schemes are targeted at grassland sites of national and international importance. These sites are those that have been designated as Sites of Special Scientific Interest (SSSIs) or Special Areas of Conservation (SACs).

The purpose of the schemes is to support land managers in maintaining and enhancing the special interest of these sites. The schemes operate by identifying what outcomes are required and land managers use their skills and experience to put in place appropriate management to achieve this.

Both the East Scotland and Lendalfoot Grasslands schemes were active during the year although no agreements had been concluded by 31 March 2005. The Lendalfoot scheme was launched in December 2003 and the East Scotland scheme was launched during the year.

