Cairngorms National Park

Estate Management Statement

Name of Estate:	INVERMARK
Area (ha):	20,000
Location:	Glenesk, Angus Glens
Ownership:	Family owned
Overall purpose of management:	Principally a sporting estate, grouse moor and deer forest but managed to enhance the environment and maintain the resident labour force of 9 plus seasonal staff as well as 3 farming businesses through tenancies
Overview of management:	 Environmental and wildlife management. Driven grouse shooting. Deer stalking. Deer management. Rough shooting. Wildlife tourism. Renewables – Micro hydro. Hill farming. There is also a public reservoir, Loch Lee.
Delivering the National Park Partnership Plan	The integrated management of Invermark estate is intended to maintain its superb landscape and environmental qualities while securing employment and security the stability of the wider community in Glenesk through a range of business enterprises. The estate is an active participant in the Glenesk Trust, a community body, supports local events and hosts school, university and local body visits. The plan to provide a wildlife tourism business in addition to the sportings enterprise and to develop micro hydro schemes will further diversify the benefits of estate management and meet most of the objectives of the CNPA Partnership Plan.
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