

Appendix 3: Indicators

SOP1

Changes in landscape character

SOP1.1

Number of changes inconsistent and consistent with defined landscape character

SOP1.2

Changes in townscape character

SOP1.3

Mapping tranquillity, including light and noise pollution

SOP1.4

Changes in vegetation mosaics

SOP5

Changes in Sites of Special Scientific Interest

SOP5.1

Condition of SSSIs

SOP6

Changes in water quality

SOP6.1

Measurements of water quality (still and running)

SOP2

Changes due to conservation-based management practices

SOP2.1

Area of woodland managed within the Woodland Grant Scheme

SOP7

Changes in conservation-based farming and land management practices

SOP7.1

Area and percentage of the National Park managed in line with conservation objectives including land in the following schemes: ESA, Countryside Stewardship, Higher Level Scheme, Entry Level Scheme or Organic Entry Level Scheme agreements

SOP3

Changes due to recreation

SOP3.1

Number of fell path erosion scars

SOP8

Changes in farming economy

SOP8.1

Net farm income

SOP8.2

Percentage of farm income from non-farming enterprise and the additional value of produce

SOP4

Changes in distinctive, endangered or indicative species and habitats

SOP4.1

Measures of the status of selected groups of species from the Cumbria Biodiversity Action Plan

SOP4.2

Measurement of two habitats from the Cumbria Biodiversity Action Plan

SOP9

Changes in the structure of farming

SOP9.1

Number of people living in the National Park employed in farming

SOP9.2

Average size of farms and number of farmsteads occupied by farmers

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SOP10

Changes in historic features

SOP10.1

Numbers of archaeological/historic environment features

SOP10.2

Condition of features

SOP11

Changes in the character of settlements

SOP11.1

Number of changes inconsistent and consistent with defined settlement character

SOP12

Changes in opportunities for outdoor learning

SOP12.1

Range of provision in sample areas and value to the economy

SOP12.2

Number and profile of people taking part in outdoor education and the benefits received

SOP13

Changes in informal learning opportunities

SOP13.1

Number and type of people attending events, exhibitions or attractions

SOP14

Changes in accessibility to information and interpretation

SOP14.1

Type and availability of information, which promotes understanding about general or specialist aspects of the National Park, from sample sources

SOP14.2

Number and profile of people accessing information from sample sources

SOP15

Changes in accessibility

SOP15.1

Total length of public rights of way that meet 'ease of use' survey standards

SOP15.2

The length of paths that are available for different categories of people with limited mobility

SOP16

Changes in recreational activities

SOP16.1

Profile and number of different activities

SOP17

Changes in the tourism economy

SOP17.1

The economic value of tourism

SOP17.2

The numbers of tourism-related jobs

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SOP18

Changes in the variety of tourist accommodation

SOP18.1

The types of accommodation available

SOP18.2

Accommodation occupancy levels

SOP19

Changes in the impact from tourism

SOP19.1

The numbers of tourism-related businesses contributing to conservation and sustainable development initiatives

SOP19.2

The value of contributions from tourism-related businesses

SOP19.3

Residents' perception of tourism

SOP20

Changes in employment

SOP20.1

Employment and annual income rates by sector

SOP20.2

The variety of job opportunities

SOP21

Changes in housing provision

SOP21.1

Access to affordable housing (ratio of house prices to income)

SOP21.2

Number of second homes and type of housing affected

SOP22

Changes in services available and the vibrancy of communities

SOP22.1

The types of service available in settlements

SOP22.2

Travel to work patterns

SOP22.3

School profiles

SOP23

Changes in use of road

SOP23.1

Road traffic levels and car parks at key locations

SOP23.2

Purpose of journeys and length of stay

SOP24

Changes in use of public transport

SOP24.1

Provision and patronage of public transport, including ferries

SOP24.2

Profile of sustainable transport activities, including cycling and walking

SOP25

Changes in route character and safety

SOP25.1

Changes inconsistent or consistent with a defined rural road character

SOP25.2

Results from road management studies