

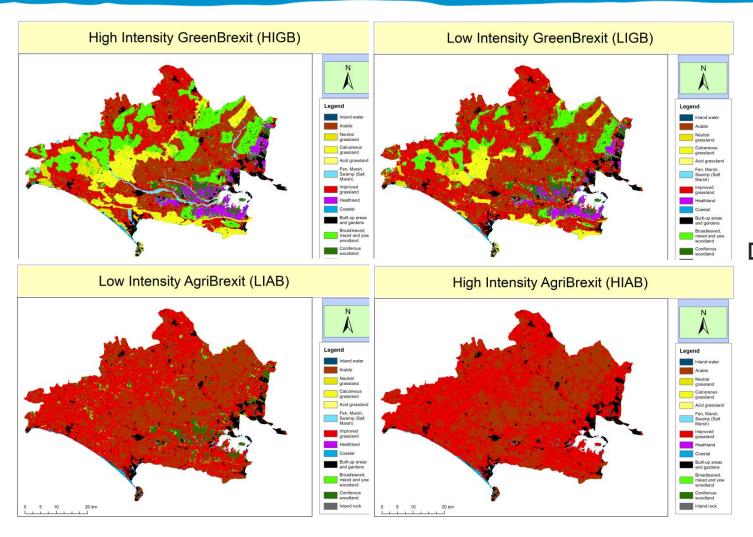
Session F2: Linking Natural Capital, Tipping Points and Ecosystem Services



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- Does the value of rural land use for provision of ecosystem services outweigh its value for food production?
- Given the post-war changes that have occurred in agriculture, involving expansion, intensification and associated biodiversity loss, have we already passed a tipping point in natural capital?
- Might social and policy change be as important as climate change in driving abrupt and irreversible changes in the provision of ecosystem services from UK peatlands?
- Do we focus too much on the quantity of our natural capital rather than the quality?
- Is the lack of tipping points a positive sign for the future? (if there are no tipping points yet does this mean we've still got time to reverse negative patterns and improve natural capital?)

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