

Haroharo

Site Number: SNA80

Ecological District: Rotorua Lakes

Source of Information: Shaw and Beadel (1998)

Digital Scale:1:2,000Data Source:RDAM 2006Regional Council:Bay of Plenty1998 Site Number:NHS No. 80Current Tenure:UnprotectedSite Area:316.6 haAltitude Range:350-800 m

Bioclimatic Zone: Lowland and submontane **Grid Reference:** NZTM E1908165, N5776509

VEGETATION		LANDEODM	EXTENT
CODE	ТҮРЕ	LANDFORM	EXTENT
1	Tawa-(pukatea)/mahoe-makomako-mamaku-putaputaweta forest (with scattered kamahi, rewarewa, mangeao, hinau, dead northern rata and dead rimu).	Moderate and steep hillslopes	55.8 ha
2	Tawa-rewarewa-pukatea forest ⇔ tawa-rewarewa-(mamaku) forest (with a few hinau, puka, and rimu, emergent dead northern rata and dead rimu).	Gullies; moderate and steep hillslopes	197.0 ha
3	Kamahi-rewarewa forest (with local terrestrial northern rata).	Steep hillslopes	11.1 ha
4	(Rimu)/tawa-kamahi-rewarewa forest (with scattered hinau, pukatea, and scattered dead emergent northern rata). (Includes a small area of tawa-tawari forest (with a few dead emergent northern rata, several terrestrial northern rata, pohutukawa-northern rata hybrids and a few emergent miro).	Steep hillslopes Bluffs	29.0 ha
5	Kamahi-tutu-makomako scrub and forest (with locally common koromiko, karamu, and toetoe along road margins).	Hillslope	2.9 ha
6	Rewarewa-kamahi forest (with mangeao and pukatea; tarata also present).	Moderate and steep hillslopes	19.4 ha
7	Rewarewa-whauwhaupaku forest (with scattered manuka) \Leftrightarrow rewarewa-whauwhaupaku-manuka scrub (with locally common tutu and koromiko, and scattered ti kouka; a few emergent radiata pine also present).	Hillslope	2.0 ha

Indigenous Flora: No threatened or at risk species at listed in de Lange *et al.* (2009) have been

recorded from this site.

Fauna: No threatened or at risk species as listed in Hitchmough et al. (2007) or

Miskelly *et al.* (2008) have been recorded from this site. Site is likely to provide habitat for a diverse range of indigenous forest bird species, including long-tailed cuckoo ('At Risk - Naturally Uncommon' in Miskelly

et al. 2008).

Notes on Overall

Condition:

The accessible parts of this site have been heavily modified by logging, but the

steeper areas are more intact.

Change Relative to Shaw and Beadel (1998):

Unknown, probably little change.

Threats/Modification/ Vulnerability: Most of this site is surrounded by pine plantation. Potential threats include damage during logging of adjacent pines and subsequent preparation of





adjacent land for replanting.

Risk Assessment: Forestry operations: Risk to site - medium; Timeframe - medium.

Significance Level: Regional (Appendix 4 - Table 1 - Criteria 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13;

Table 2 - Factors R8).

SignificanceThis site is of regional significance as it is part of a large tract of indigenous forest that includes the slopes of Maungawhakamana. The site is large and a

forest that includes the slopes of Maungawhakamana. The site is large and a high quality example of indigenous forest that is representative of the

ecological character of Rotorua Lakes Ecological District.

Fieldwork Required: No fieldwork required to assess significance, but fieldwork required to

update biodiversity and management information.

Notes: This site was identified as a "Recommended Area for Protection" (RAP

No. 80) in the natural area survey of Rotorua Lakes ED (Beadel et al. 1998).

References: Shaw and Beadel (1998); Beadel *et al.* (1998).



