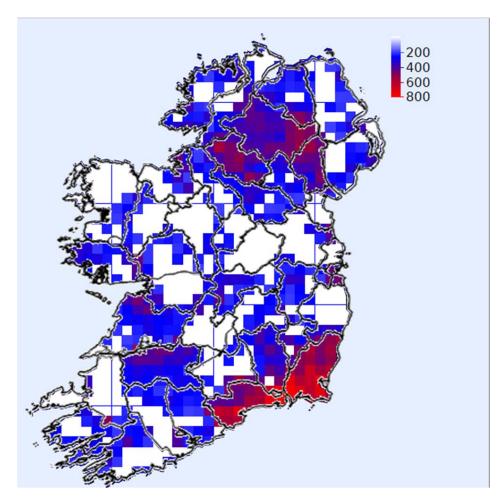
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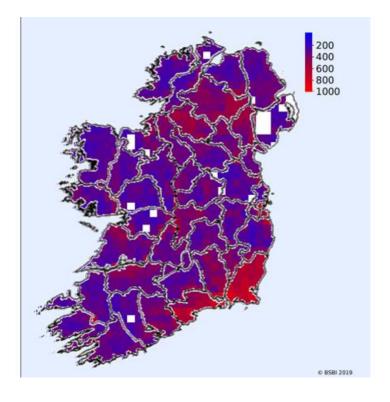
> Atlas 2020 The Last Year

# Targets for the last year

- 1. All hectads should have 200+ post-2000 species
- 2. When Target 1 is achieved, try to achieve 60+% of species ever recorded
- 3= In each Hectad re-find "rare" species
- 3= Spend some time recording in aquatic habitats

### Hectads with less than 200 post 2000 species , Jan 2017 and January 2019: 406 and <20

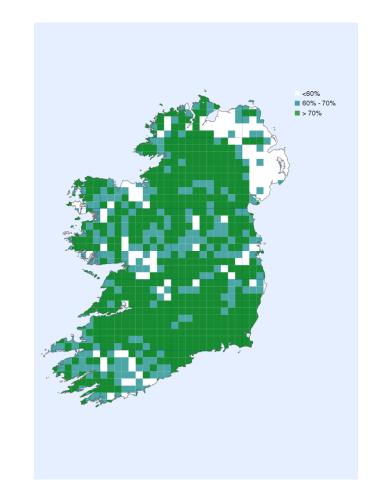




Hectads in Ireland with 200+ records since 2000

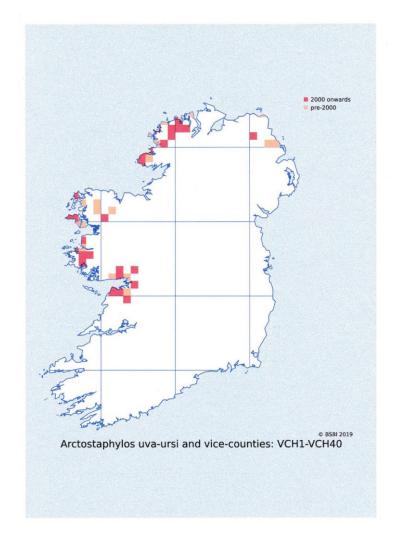
# % of total refound since 2000

- Map: <60%, 60%<70%, >70%
- 1008 hectad total
- 136 have <60%
- 256 have 60%<70%
- 616 have >70%
- Dependent on history of recording and historical records being in DDb

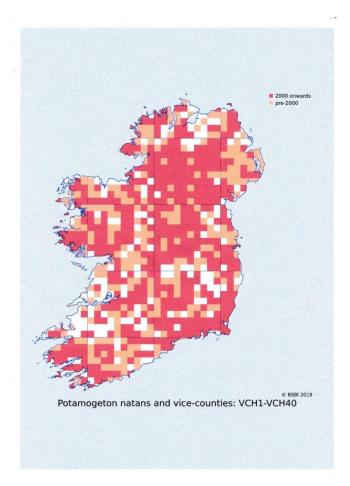


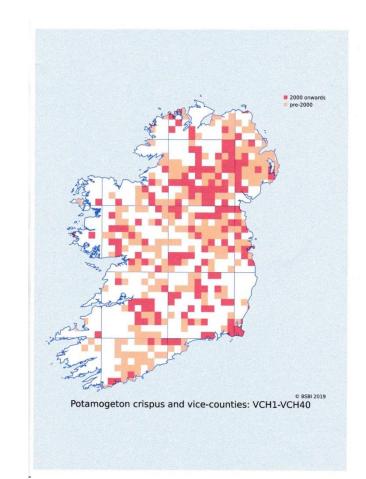
Rare/Interesting Species Arctostaphylos uva-ursi

- 1. Use the DDb to list species for a Hectad
- 2. Look for interesting species on the list which have not been found since 2000
- 3. Use the DDb to see if any have 6 or 8 figure GRs.
- 4. Try to re-find them in interesting habitats



### Aquatic Species not seen since 2000





## Recording activities post-Atlas 2020

### **Potential projects**

- Sample-based recording: random monads,
- Repeat of the tetrad scheme of 1987-88
- Invasive aliens:
- Climate change and threatened habitats: Summit Floras, Salt Marshes, Aquatic Habitats
- Roadside verges: recording and influencing local biodiversity officers
- Habitat associations / abundance
- Technology: Mapmate successor, App for Field Recording
- Education: Beginners/improvers/ advanced taxonomy

