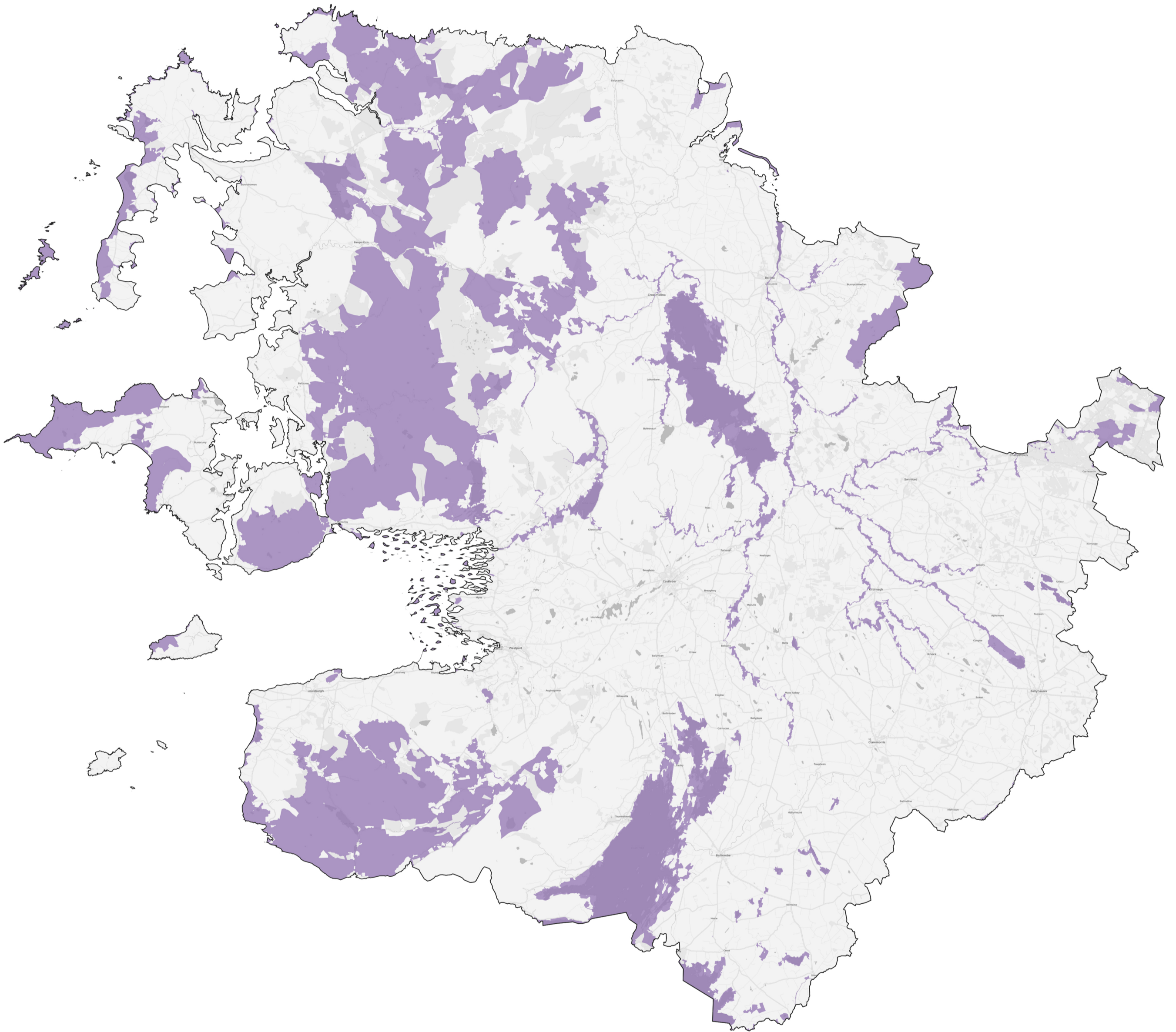


# Special Areas of Conservation



## Mayo

**Sample of plants, habitats, and animals within the Special Areas of Conservation found in Mayo:**

*Tursiops truncatus* (Common Bottlenose Dolphin); Perennial vegetation of stony banks; Machairs; Alpine and Boreal heaths; *Petalophyllum ralfsii* (Petalwort); Mudflats and sandflats not covered by seawater at low tide; Coastal lagoons; Large shallow inlets and bays; Annual vegetation of drift lines; Atlantic salt meadows (*Glauco-Puccinellietalia maritimae*); Embryonic shifting dunes; Shifting dunes along the shoreline with *Ammophila arenaria* (white dunes); Old sessile oak woods with *Ilex* and *Blechnum* in the British Isles; *Lutra lutra* (Otter); *Phoca vitulina* (Harbour Seal); *Margaritifera margaritifera* (Freshwater Pearl Mussel); *Salmo salar* (Salmon).