



Digital Scotland

Community Broadband



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Why? What? How? Where?



Why?

Scotland's World Class 2020 Vision

“an ambition for Scotland to become a world class digital nation and requires that people living, working and visiting Scotland can communicate and connect instantly using *any device, anywhere, anytime.*”



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Why?

“Delivering Next Generation Broadband capability to our most remote and rural communities WILL have a **transformational** impact on how those communities **Live, Learn and Work**”



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What?

CBS & Closing The Digital Divide

- » Helping Communities Who Want To Go –
Faster and Further
- » Help to Fund Those Communities Who Are Unlikely to Benefit From Digital Scotland Superfast Broadband (120,000 + homes and business premises)
- » Stakeholder and Supplier Engagement to Bring The Benefits of Scale to The Smallest Communities



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What?



CHANGING MINDS • CHANGING LIVES



COSLA





How?

We offer Advice, Guidance, & Support with
Scoping and Demand Stimulation (100%, £2,000)

Technical Options, High Level Design & Business Planning
(100%)

Capital Funding for Build and Commissioning (up to 89%)

Funding to Inspire, Design and Build



Where?

HIE and BT in ARGYLL AND BUTE.

**Oban, Helensburgh, & Dunoon
– all connecting now or very soon.**

Coming next – first Quarter 2015.

Ledaig (Benderloch), Taynuilt,
Balvicar, Connel, Dalmally, Kilmelford.

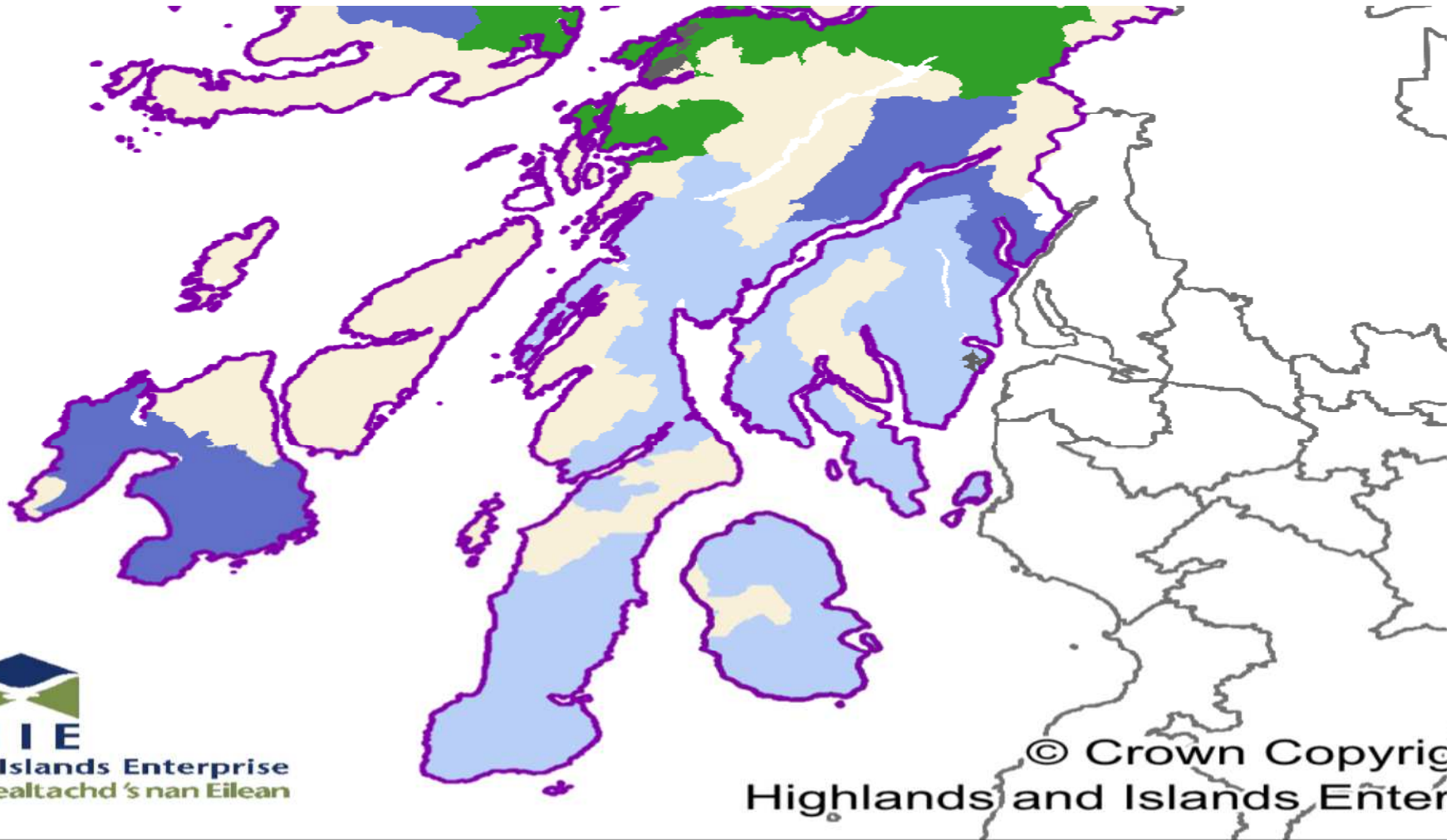


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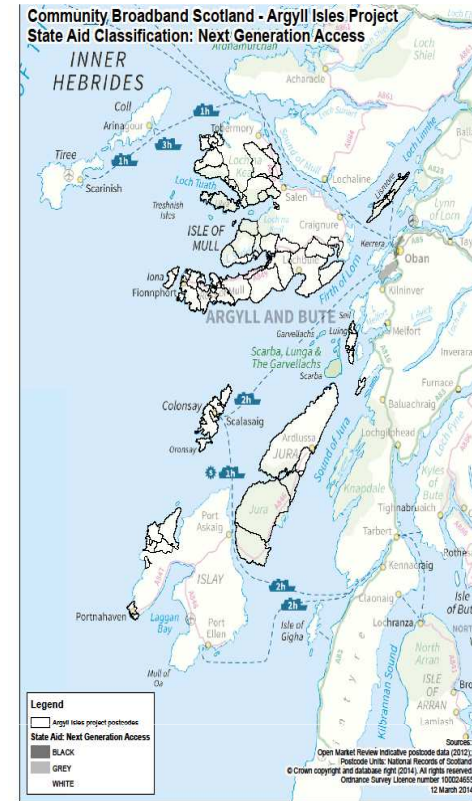
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Where?

CBS and the Community in ARGYLL AND BUTE

The Isles of
Mull and Iona,
Lismore and Luing
Islay Jura and Colonsay and the Craginish Peninsula.



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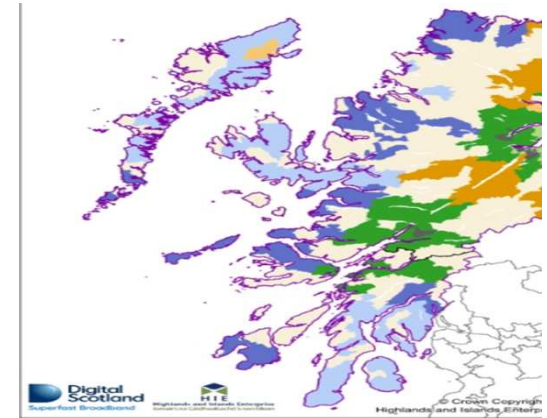




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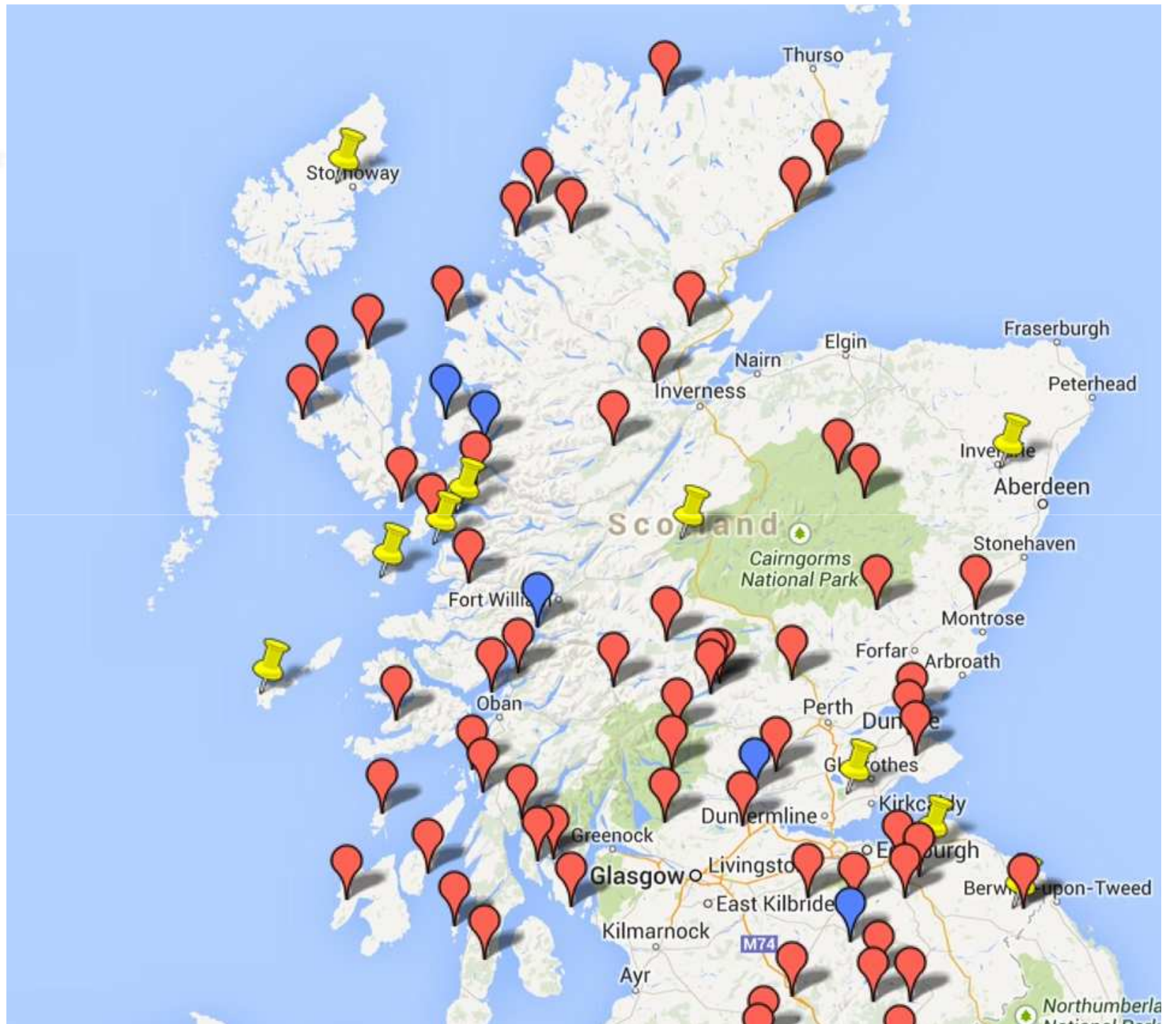
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**CBS are engaged with the communities of
North and South Kintyre, Colintrave & Glendaruel,
Tighnabruaich, Rural Bute, Loch Awe side, (including
Portsonachan, Ford and Kilchrenan and Dalmally),
Bridge of Orchy and Tiree.**



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Transforming...

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Work

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What do You Think?