

National Mire Restoration Programme — Norway

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Quality score: 40/100

Evidence strength: Moderate

Summary

Norway's Environment Agency has rewetted more than 200 drained peatlands since 2015, sealing 550,000 metres of drainage ditches; state grant funding for nature restoration quadrupled to NOK 43.6M in 2026, though only a handful of sites carry long-term ecological monitoring.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Carbon — sequestration / storage, evidenced	1/3
Biodiversity — conservation / improvement, evidenced	1/3
Water & soil — retention, infiltration, erosion control	2/3
Fire resilience — risk reduction, evidenced	0/3
Governance, certification & transferability	2/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-07-16

[Miljødirektoratet \(Norwegian Environment Agency\)](#) — accessed 2026-07-16

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[NTB/Miljødirektoratet: Restaurerer myr for naturmangfold og klima \(Jan 2021\)](#) — accessed 2026-07-16

[NordiskPost: Norway grants record funding to restore nature \(May 2026\)](#) — accessed 2026-07-16

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