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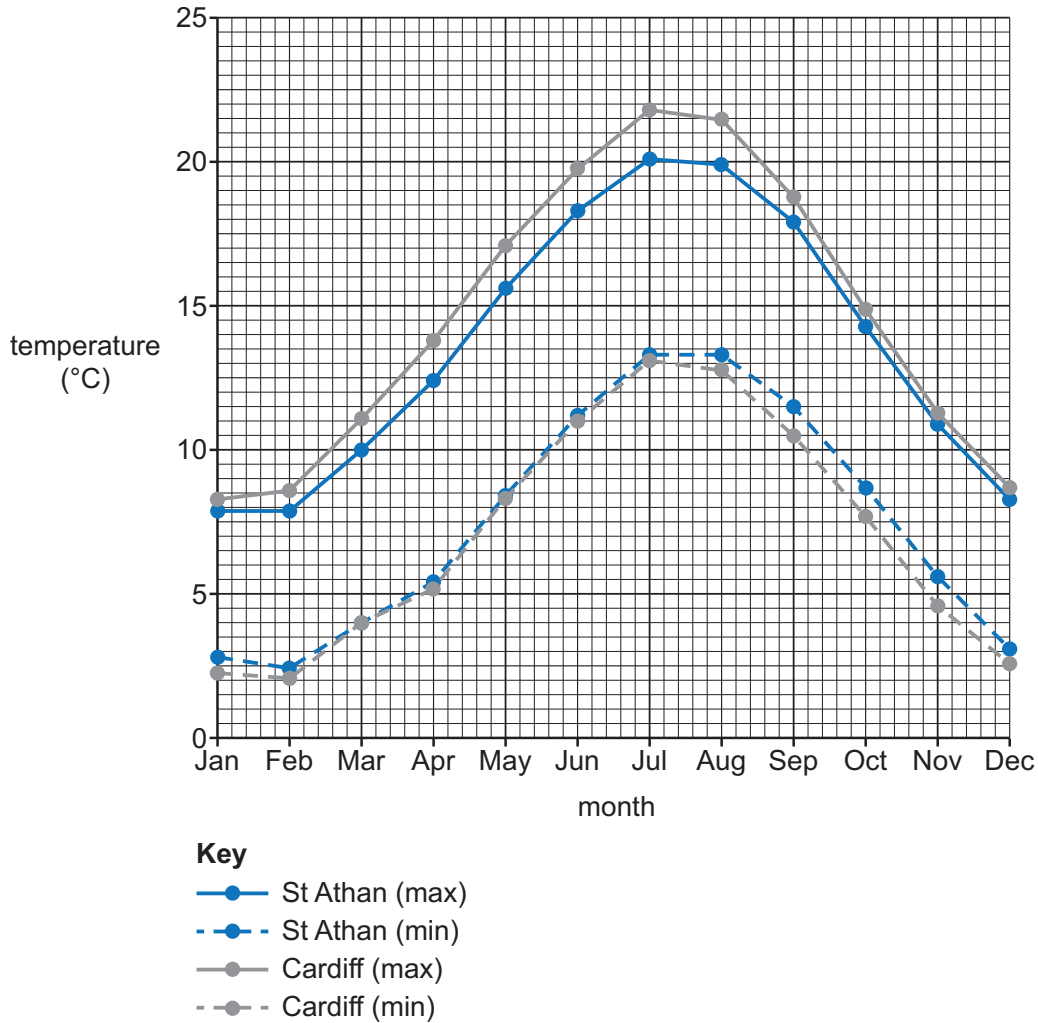


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Fig. 1.1 for Question 1

Average monthly maximum and minimum temperatures for St Athan and Cardiff



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Fig. 1.2 for Question 1

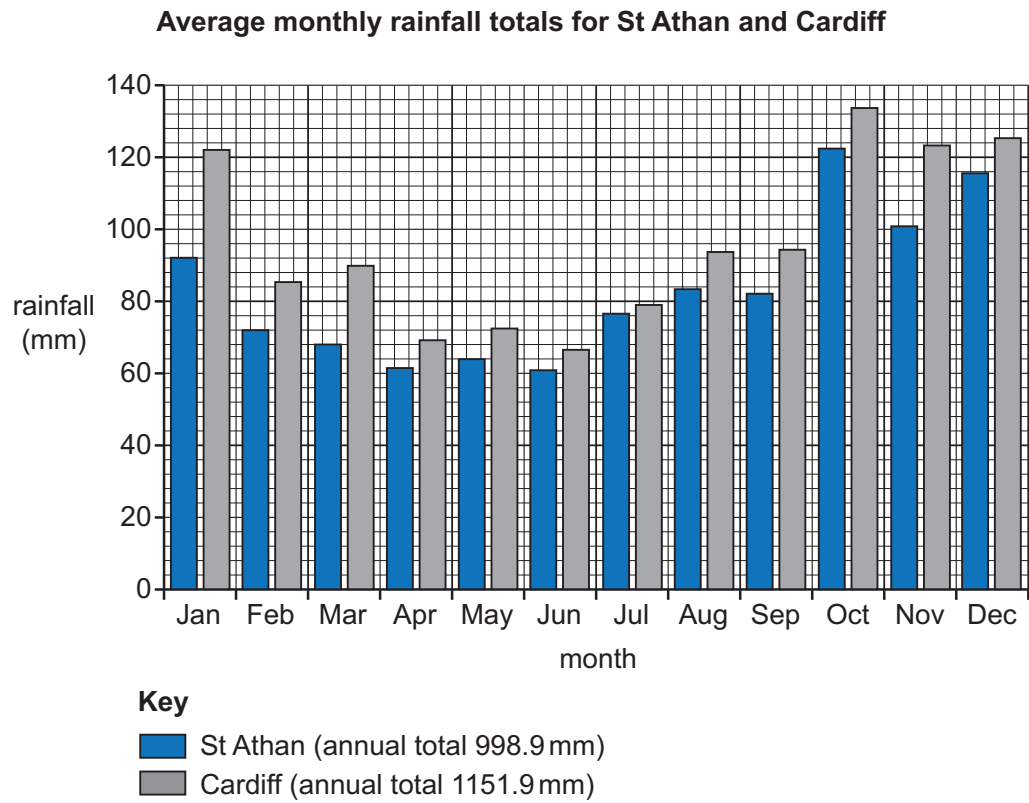


Fig. 1.3 for Question 1

Average wind direction percentages in October for Cardiff from 2001 to 2018

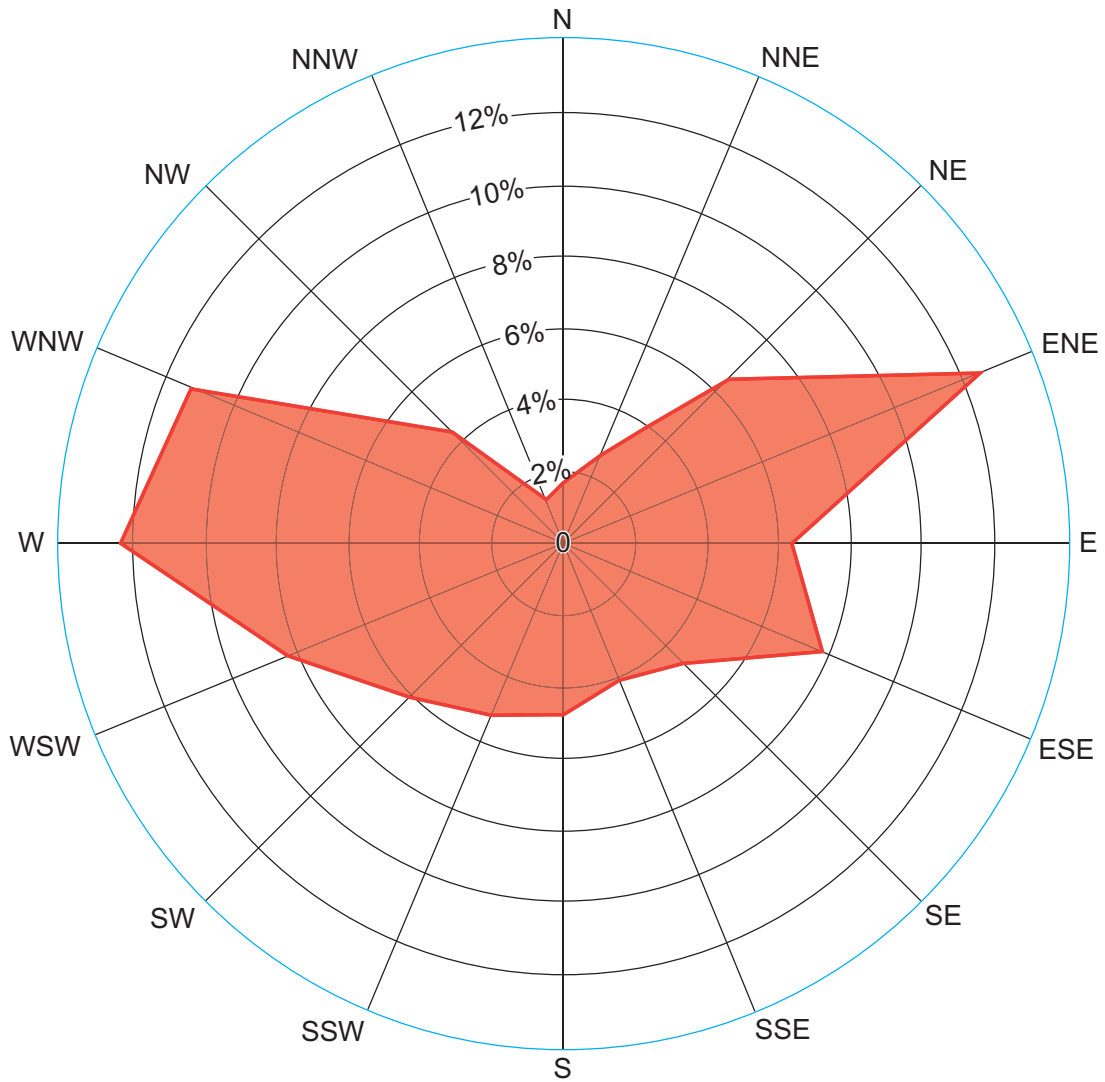


Fig. 2.1 for Question 2

The impact of a one-metre high hedgerow on air temperature, relative humidity and wind speed

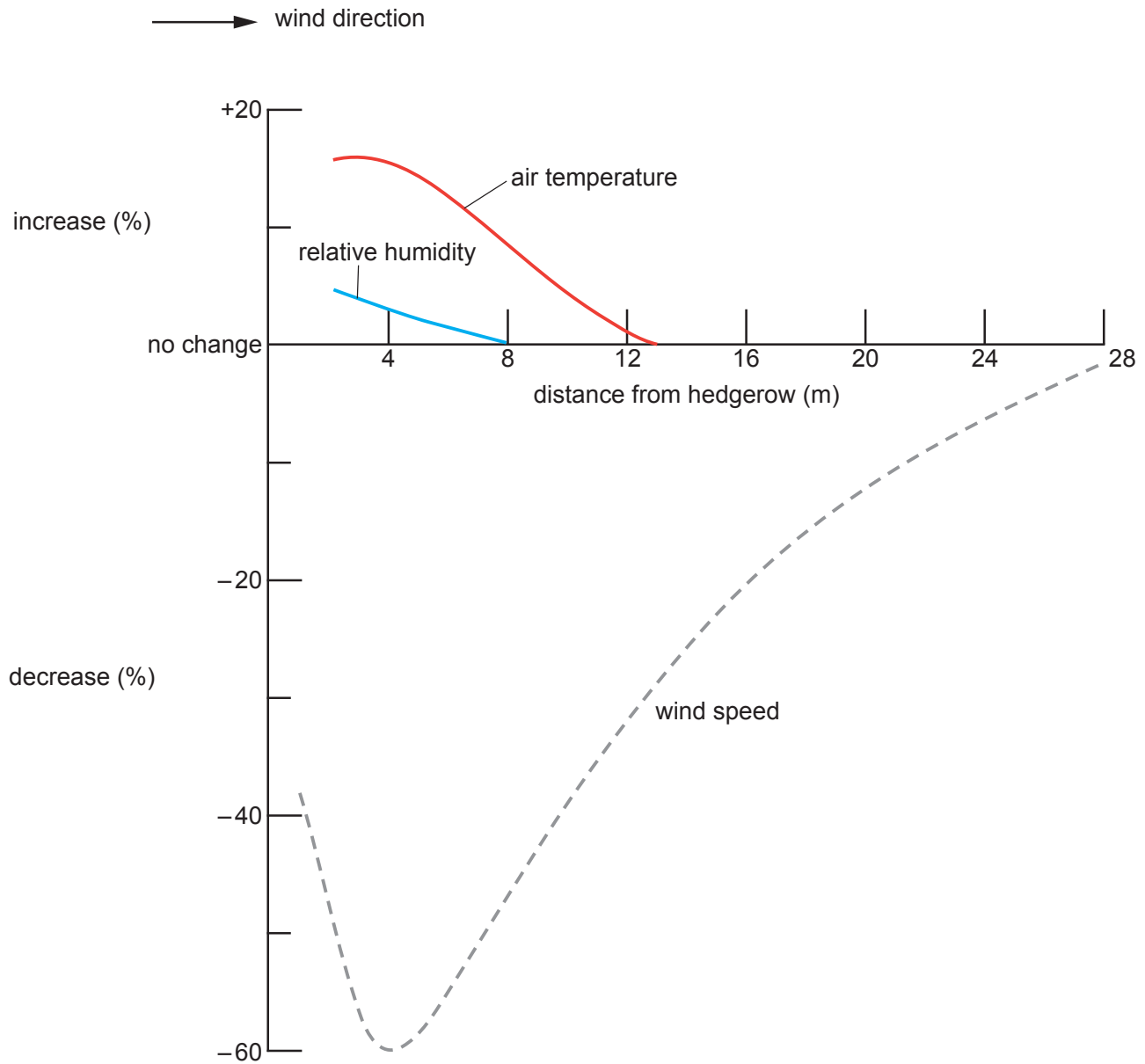


Fig. 5.1 for Question 5

Changes in percentage cover of selected vegetation types over time after a controlled burn on a heather moorland ecosystem in the North York Moors National Park

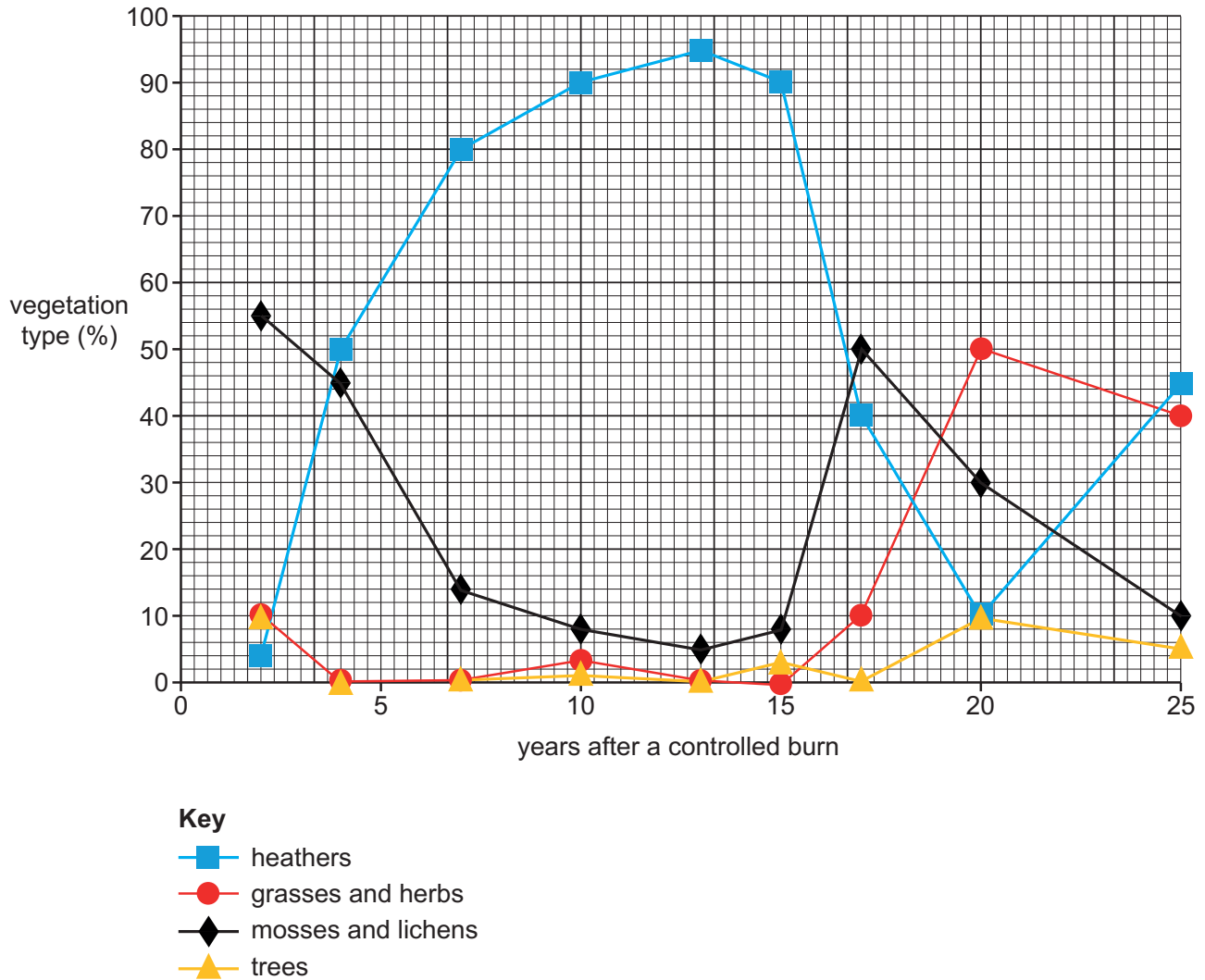


Fig. 5.2 for Question 5

Phosphorous content and pH of soils on heather moorland over time after a controlled burn

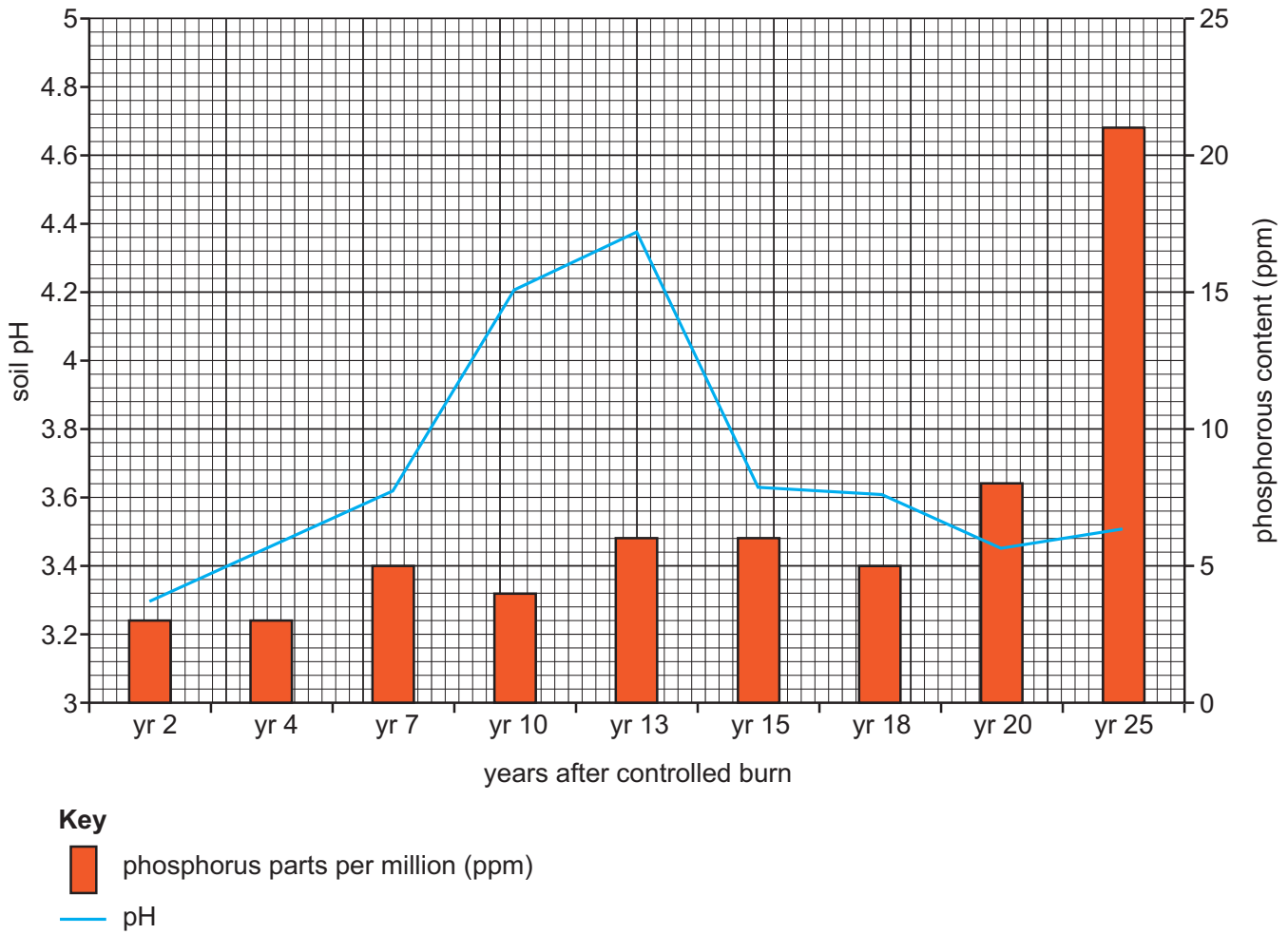


Fig. 6.1 for Question 6

Negative impacts of selected human activities on freshwater ecosystems in the state of Maine, USA

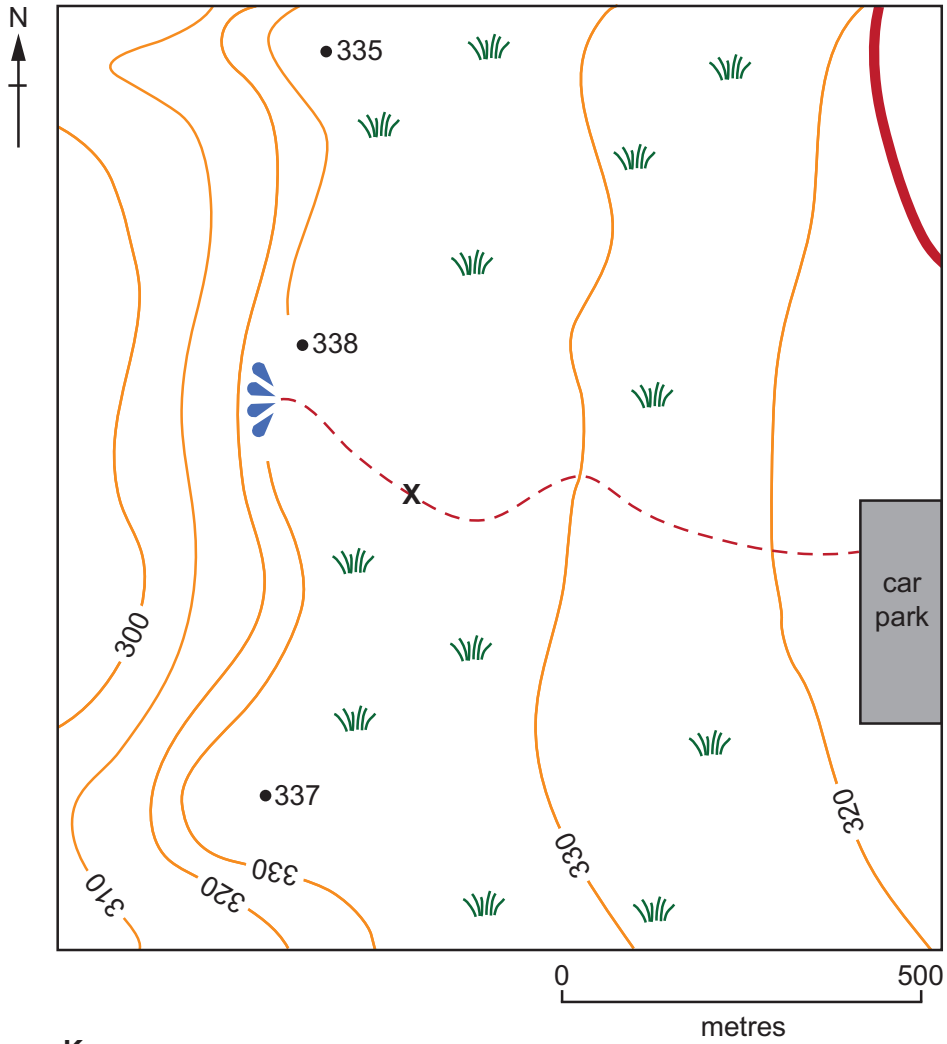
HUMAN ACTIVITIES	PHYSICAL IMPACTS							IMPACTS ON WATER CHEMISTRY					
	Habitat loss/degradation	Channel morphology modification	Sediment quality and quantity	Coarse woody debris	Vegetation reduction	Temperature change	Impeded passage	Nutrient enrichment	pH and alkalinity	Aluminum	Mercury and trace metals	Salt	Pesticides
Dams and bridges	X	X	X			X	X						
Stream flow modification		X	X	X		X	X						
Water extraction	X												
Mining			X						X	X			
Deforestation		X	X	X	X	X							
Agriculture	X		X	X	X	X		X					X
Residential/commercial development	X	X	X	X	X	X		X					X
Roads			X								X		
Point source pollution										X			
Invasive species	X												
Aquaculture													
Climate change	X												

Key

X = negative impact

Fig. 9.1 for Question 9

Map to show the location of a footpath in a part of upland UK



Key








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|---|------------------|---|-----|--|
|  | viewpoint |  | 337 | spot height (metres above sea level) |
|  | main road |  | | contour lines (metres above sea level) |
|  | footpath |  | | heath and rough grassland |
|  | site of transect | | | |

Fig. 9.2 for Question 9

Cross sections of part of the footpath at site X shown on Fig. 9.1 for 2007, 2012 and 2017

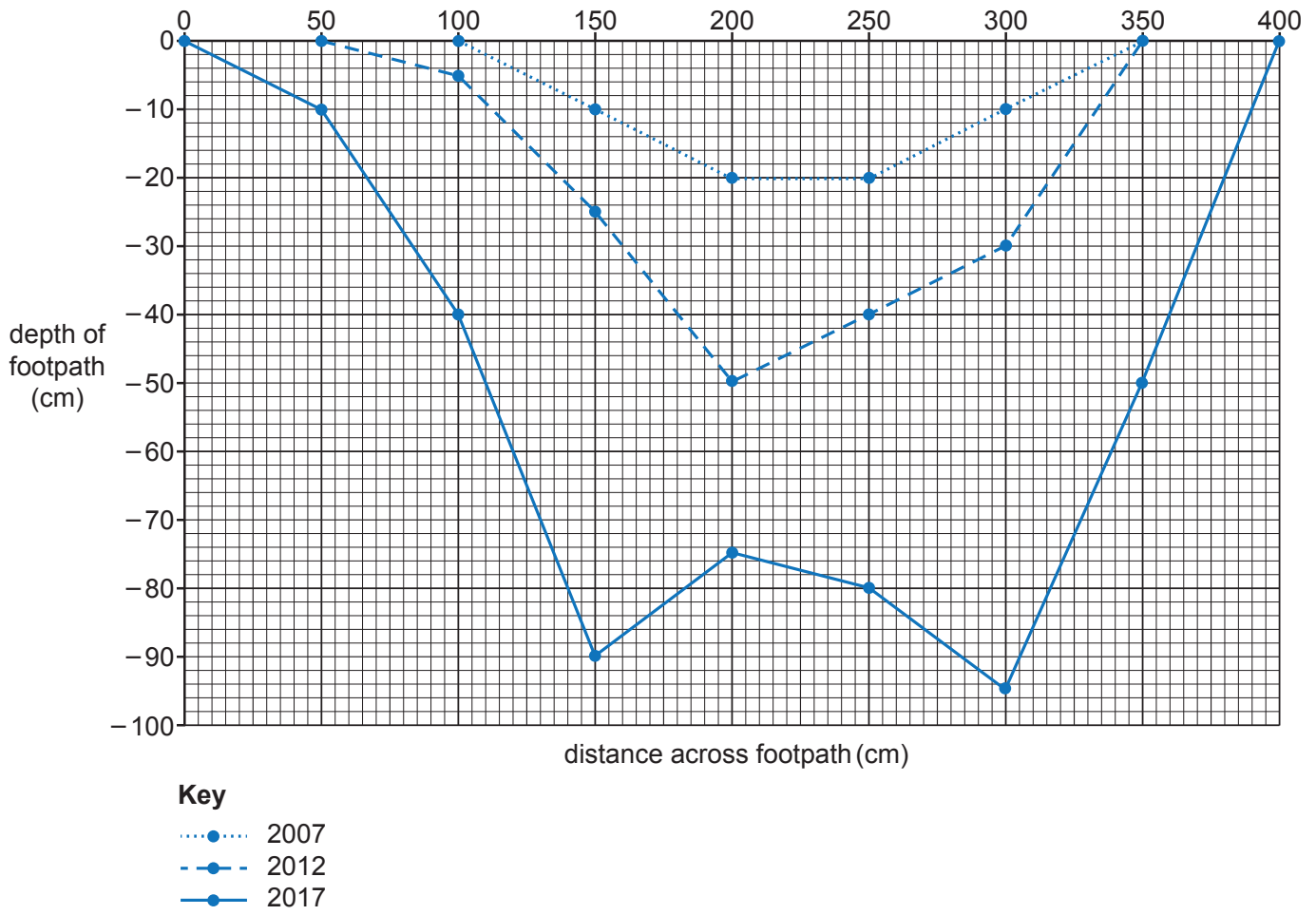


Fig. 9.3 for Question 9

Kite diagram of vegetation across the footpath at site X, 2017

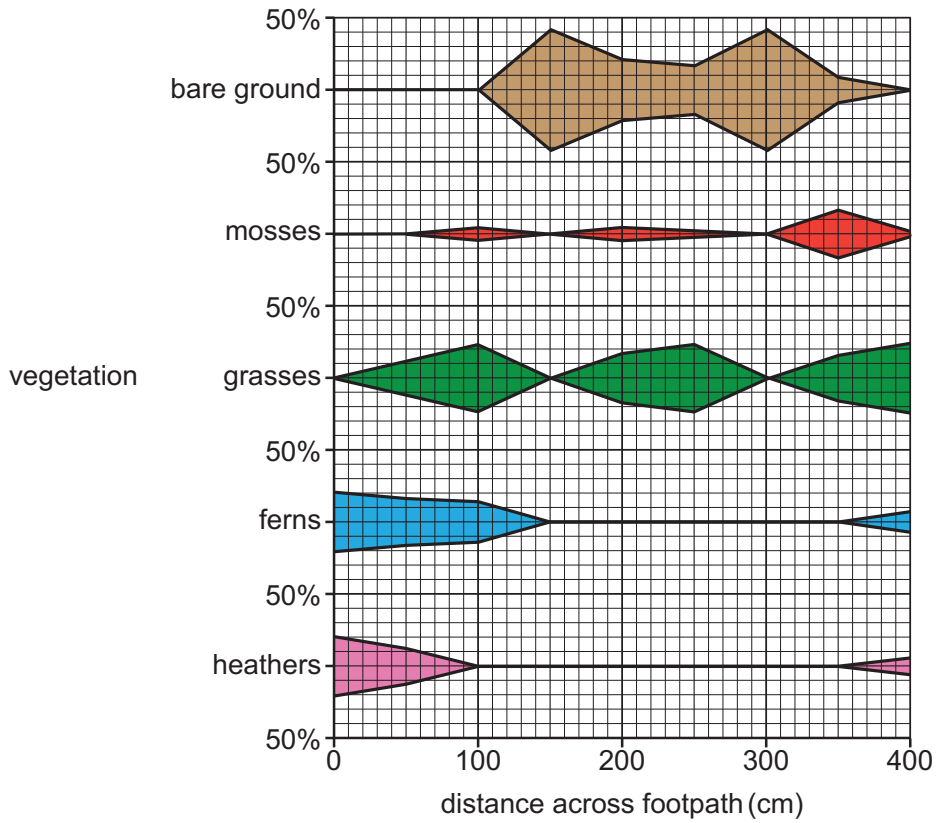
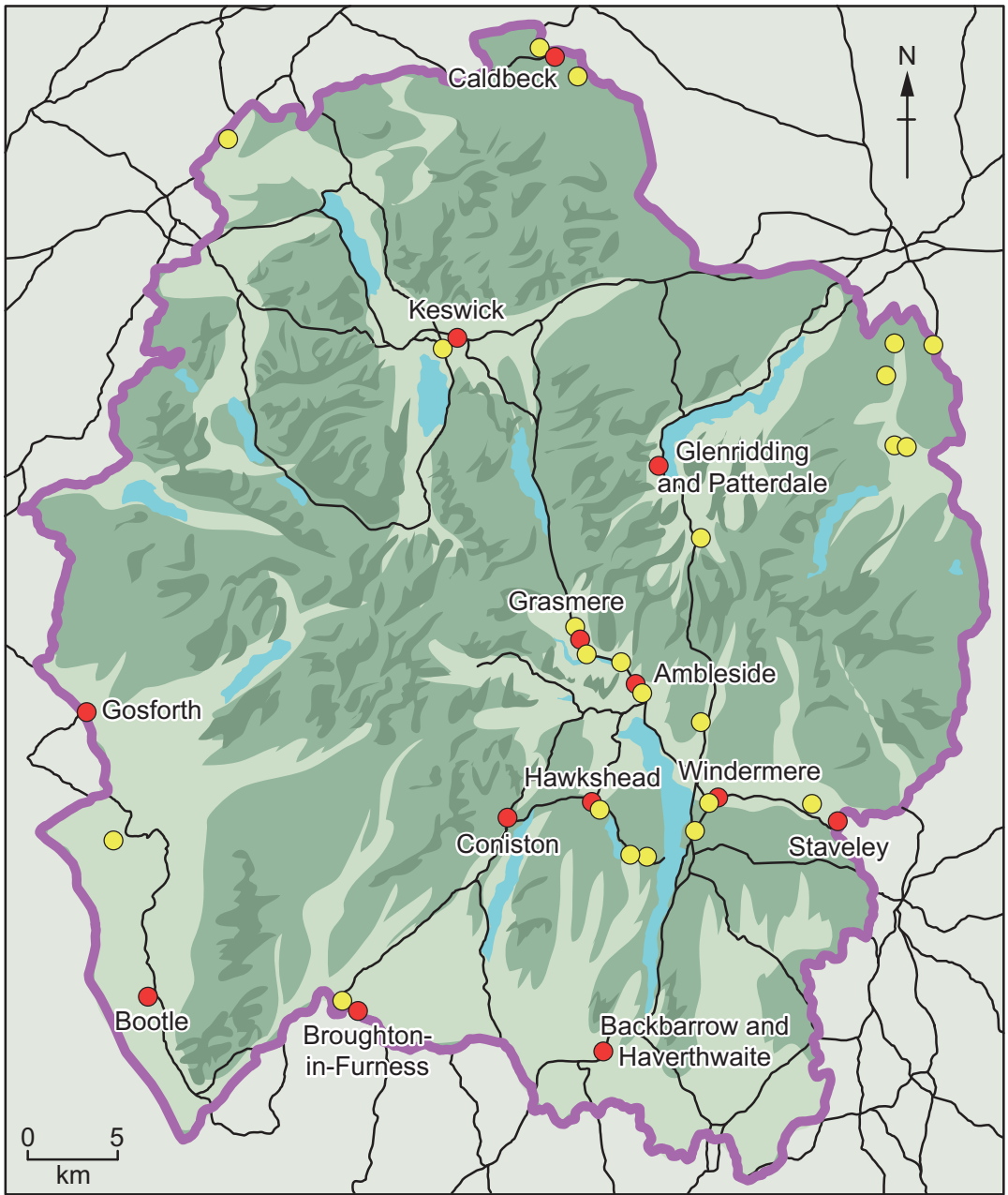


Fig. 10.1 for Question 10

Rural service centres and conservation areas in the Lake District National Park, England



- Key**
- rural service centre
 - conservation area
 - ~ roads
 - ~ lakes
 - Lake District National Park boundary