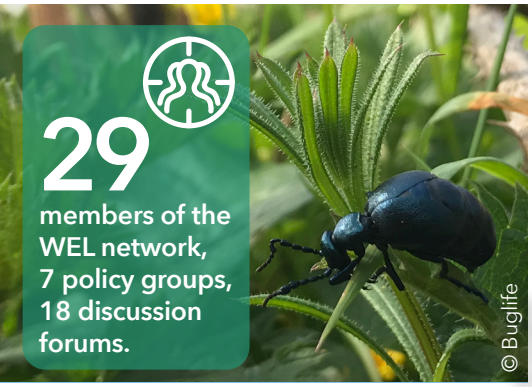
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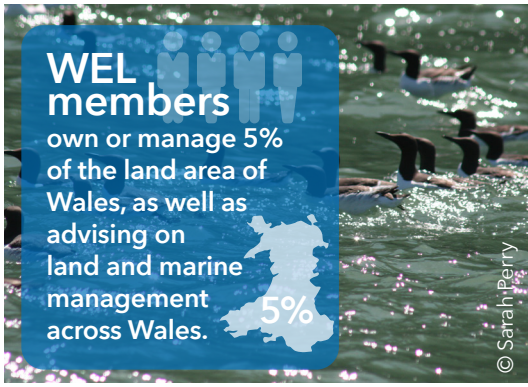
29 members of the WEL network, 7 policy groups, 18 discussion forums.

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Members of the WEL network collectively represent over **420,000** subscribing members and supporters – that's 13% of the population of Wales!



WEL members own or manage 5% of the land area of Wales, as well as advising on land and marine management across Wales.



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For every WEL member employee, there are **34 dedicated volunteers** amplifying the impact of our work.



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WEL has **40** Species Champions in the Welsh Parliament

WEL provides expert representation on 34 government, public sector, third sector and private sector stakeholder groups.



@WalesLink and **@WalesLinkMarine** have over **2,400** followers.

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16 WEL policy papers and 4 Environment Links UK papers in 2019 – 20



WEL members are important employers across Wales, employing over **1150** people in urban and rural locations.

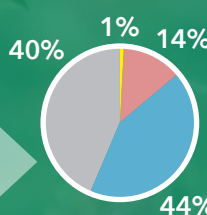
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Members gave **3,247 hours** of their time towards collaborative work, equivalent to a value of **£124,394**.

WEL members volunteer their time to work together on policy and advocacy.

If this voluntary work were funded directly it would more than **double our income** from grants.

Breakdown of voluntary and funded contributions towards WEL's work 2019 – 20



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