

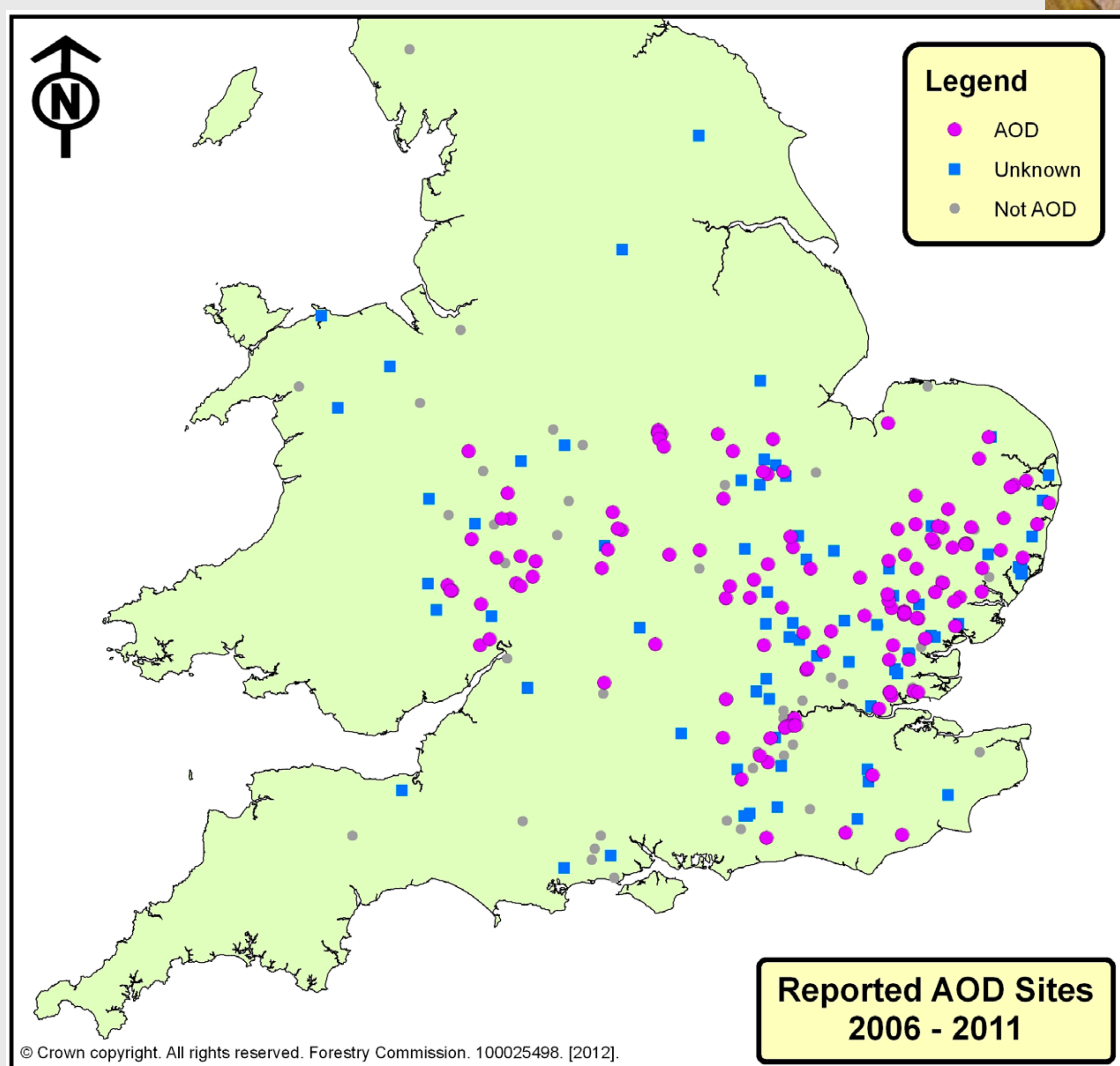


Dark weeping patches on tree stems are characteristic external symptoms.



Severe crown deterioration caused by acute oak decline.

The 'D-shaped' exit holes of a bark boring buprestid (beetle) *Agrilus biguttatus* may be present on stems.



So far the condition is known to occur in England particularly in the Midlands and south east

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Web link to Acute Oak Decline information