

APPENDIX 7

UK / WELSH PRIORITY HABITAT EXTENTS IN GWYNEDD

UK / WELSH PRIORITY HABITAT ^a	EXTENT (HA) ^b	RELEVANT NATUR GWYNEDD ACTION PLAN
TERRESTRIAL		
Upland oak woodland	1110	Upland oakwoods
Upland mixed ash woodland	290	Upland mixed ashwoods
Wet woodland	860	Wet woodland
Wood pasture and parkland	P	Veteran trees, lowland wood-pasture and parkland
Lowland mixed deciduous woodland	180	None
Ancient and / or species rich hedgerows	P	Hedgerows Cloddiau
Cereal field margins	P	Arable field margins
Coastal and floodplain grazing marsh	3800	Coastal and floodplain grazing marsh
Lowland meadows	30	Lowland meadows and pasture
Lowland dry acid grassland	4800	Lowland dry acid grassland
Lowland heathland	1400	Lowland heathland
Upland heathland	2200	Upland heathland
Fens	610	Wetlands
Purple moorgrass and rush pastures	3400	Rhos pasture
Reedbeds	35	Wetlands
Blanket bog	480	Wetlands
Mesotrophic lakes	P	Lakes, ponds and ditches
Eutrophic standing waters	?	Lakes, ponds and ditches
Maritime cliff and slope	820	Maritime cliff and slopes
Coastal sand dunes	510	Coastal sand dunes
Coastal vegetated shingle	58	None
Saltmarsh	350	Coastal saltmarsh
MARINE		
Seagrass beds	P	Seagrass beds
Maerl beds	P	Maerl beds
Mud habitats in deep water	P	None
Mudflats	P	Mudflats
Sheltered muddy gravels	P	Sheltered muddy gravels
Subtidal sands and gravels	P	Sublittoral sands and gravels
Saline lagoons	P	Saline lagoons
Tidal rapids	P	Tidal rapids
Horse mussel beds	P	Horse mussel reefs
Honeycomb worm reefs	P	Sabellaria alveolata reefs

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^a Welsh Assembly Government, *Going Wild in Wales - List of Species and Habitats of Principal Importance for the Conservation of Biological Diversity*. Crown Copyright 2003.

^b Figures from Jones, P.S. et al, 2003. *Priority habitats of Wales: a technical guide*. CCW.

P: present, but no figures are available as to extent

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