

Site Code	Site Name	Grid Reference	Size	Main Habitats	LBAP Priority Habitats / Species	Full description	Wildlife Site Qualifying Features
WS/SO30/13	Tymawr Fields, Glascoed	SO335014	4.36 ha	Species rich grassland, wooded stream	Species Rich Grassland (HAP)	<p>A block of fields lies adjacent to the Tymawr Cottage. Field 4146 on the visit was quite rank and being grazed by Alpacas. Adjacent to this tow fields (4038 and 8039) separated by a wooded stream, were being more heavily grazed by cattle and sheep. The second block of four species rich fields (8221, 8511, 8698 & 9112) is left for hay and lies about 500m away at the top of Cwm Road adjacent to a newly planted wood. This wood has remains of old grassland along the path, with much tufted vetch, and also a small pond. The flora on the two areas is quite diverse with a range of meadow grasses and species characteristic of agriculturally improved grassland. Both common species of birds foot trefoil were found. The field grazed by alpacas was quite damp with abundant greater birds foot trefoil and meadow vetchling and small patches of corn mint. The series of connected heavily grazed fields had abundant birds foot refoil and lesser hawkbit and some interesting damp patches with Glaucous sedge and fairy flax. Along the small stream were abundant violets. The hayfields were excellent with a large range of species including hay rattle, common catsear, knapweed, and at least one spotted orchid.</p>	H4 Neutral Grasslands