

Monmouthshire County Council SINC

Site Code	Site Name	Grid Reference	Size	Main Habitats	LBAP Priority Habitats / Species	Full description	Wildlife Site Qualifying Features
WS/SO50/50	Cleddon Hall	SO518039	7.50 ha	Neutral Grassland (MG5) Marshy Grassland (M23a) Neutral Grassland (MG6)	Species Rich Grassland Marshy Grassland	The site comprises of three species-rich diverse meadows, bounded by tree-lined and scrub drystone walls. Field 1 is a species-rich traditional hay meadow with a uniform grass sward. It is particularly rich with indicator species including <i>Helictotrichon pubescens</i> , <i>Trisetum flavescens</i> , <i>Briza media</i> , <i>Lotus corniculatus</i> , <i>Centaurea nigra</i> and <i>Leontodon hispidus</i> . Field 2 appears rank and very grass dominated, otherwise similar to field 1. Field 3 supports excellent habitats, neutral grassland, marshy grassland, wet woodland and scrub. The MG5 is species rich including <i>Dactylorhiza maculata</i> . Particular interest lies in the marshy grassland (M23a), species include <i>Succisa pratensis</i> , <i>Lotus uliginosus</i> , <i>Lychnis flos-cuculi</i> , <i>Dactylorhiza maculata</i> , <i>Iris pseudacorus</i> and several sedge species.	H4 Neutral Grasslands H7 Marshy Grassland