

## Monmouthshire County Council SINC

Site Code	Site Name	Grid Reference	Size	Main Habitats	LBAP Priority Habitats / Species	Full description	Wildlife Site Qualifying Features
WS/ST4 9/14	Cherry Orchard House	ST451 905	0.23 ha	Neutral Grassland (MG5)	Species Rich Grassland (HAP)	The field is rectangular in shape, sloping to the north. The flora is diverse, with a range of old meadow-grasses and characteristic indicator species of unimproved grasslands: <i>Centaurea nigra</i> , <i>Rumex acetosa</i> , <i>Lathyrus pratensis</i> & <i>Hypochaeris radicata</i> . Part of the field is used as a donkey paddock; this has some bare ground and arable species can be found. Some nettles and docks have been spot treated with herbicides. The field is cut in August and all material collected. It is surrounded by fencing apart from the western side which borders a neighbour's garden and is lined by a hedge.	H4 Neutral Grasslands