

Appendix 1 Parkland Inventory Project: Information Questionnaire

Name

Organisation

Address

Name of database/source (please include books and catalogues)

Brief description

Database/data source: (please comment as appropriate)

- computer based
- book/catalogue
- individual paper records
- location
- accessibility
- no. of records/size
- geographic scope (regional, England, GB....)
- comprehensiveness
- compilation date/still active?

Type of information held (please tick or comment as appropriate)

1. Site
 - Name
 - County
 - District
 - Parish
 - Ten km square
 - Grid reference

- Area
- Type of site (park, garden, scattered trees, pasture woodland....)
- Number of trees on the site
- Ownership
- Conservation status of the site
- Other designations

2. **Value/interest of the site**

Are the sites graded?

- Landscape
- Historical interest/origin
- Fungal data
- Invertebrate data
- Lichen data
- Other

3. **Supporting information**

- References to support data/gradings
- Any other information
- Suggestions of other potential information sources please

Thank you for completing this questionnaire

Appendix 2 Summary of the Questionnaire Replies

1. **from County Councils (County Archaeologists/Ecologists/Planning Depts)**
(received 31 out of 40 possible replies)

Who provided information on the SMR (Sites and Monuments Records). Most county SMR's are computerised to some degree, backed up by paper records of all sites of archaeological/ historical interest in a county (numbering in the thousands for most counties, with parklands/gardens making up only a small proportion).

Type of information held

- site details (name, grid ref etc.) generally comprehensive, area not always available;
- type of park usually specified.

But - tree or other biological information and ownership details are generally not available;

Grading

- historic English Heritage grades usually applied.

2. **from County Garden Trusts**
(received 8 out of 18 possible replies - some perhaps sent to incorrect address?)

most information relating to landscaped gardens varying greatly in the coverage of the county, some records are computerised, but most are held in paper form.

Type of information held

- site details usually comprehensive (area, ownership, constat);

Grading

- historic English Heritage grading only (little biological information).

3. **Information about specific sites from** Forest Authority
Corporation of London
Woodland Trust
4. **Subject specific nformation from** British Lichen Society (lichens)
Keith Alexander (invertebrates)
TROBI (Tree Register of the British Isles)
Country Cmmission Countryside
Stewardship Scheme)
5. **Other information sources consulted** English Heritage Register of Historic Parks
and Gardens
Inst. of Advanced Architectural Studies
(York University)
National Monuments Record Centre
Invertebrate Site Register (JNCC) and
Lower Plants Database (JNCC)

Appendix 3 National Data Sources on Parklands

'Parkland Inventory Project' Meeting 24.2.95

William Du Croz	Veteran Trees Project, EN
Harriet Jordon	Parks & Gardens, EH
Brian Levey	Invertebrate Site Register, JNCC
Donnie McKay	National Monuments Record Centre, Royal Comm.
Chris Reid	Parkland/Ancient Woodland Inventories, EN
Judith Roberts	Inst. of Advanced Architectural Studies, York Univ.
Gavin Spark	Lower Plants, JNCC
Caroline Wilson	Parkland/Ancient Woodland Inventories, EN

NB: Countryside Commission representative unable to attend.

Résumé of data held by each organisation

Organisation:	English Heritage
Brief Description:	Historic Parks & Gardens Register (special historic interest)
Data Source:	Computer~1200 records at present, still expanding, estimated max. 3000; Paper - sites not selected for Register, detailed surveys by Garden Trusts.
Type of Info:	Site name, County, District, Parish, Gridref, Type of site, Area, Landscape Designers, Surviving features, Designations (AONB, SSSI)
Grading System:	I, II*, II
Overlap:	Original Register compiled by Institute Of Advanced Architectural Studies Unselected sites in SMRs Surveys by County Garden Trusts
Customers:	Local Authorities etc.
Organisation:	Institute of Advanced Architectural Studies
Brief Description:	National Inventory of Historic Parks & Gardens (Sites of regional & local, as well as national, importance)
Data Source:	Computer (Microsoft Access) - 1200 EH records + 1500 waiting to be added: Paper~1500 records Acting as a repository centre for survey & management plans (eg CC Stewardship Scheme, National Trust & environmental consultants)
Type of Info:	Site name, County (past and present), District, Parish, Gridref, Area, Site owner & category, Inspection, Reason for notification, Site description, Structural Planting, Historical development, Designations (SSSI)
Grading System:	Same as EH
Overlap:	Part funded by and act as consultants to English Heritage Major, but not absolute, overlap with Countryside Commission Links with Royal Commission, SMRs, National Parks and Garden Trusts
Customers:	Contract research eg by estates
Other:	Recent initiative in urban/suburban landscape

Organisation: Royal Commission

Brief Description: National Monuments Record (archaeological and architectural interest)

Data Source: Computer~650,000 records; photos~600,000 records; detailed surveys; of which~2000-3000 `park' records and similar number of `garden' records; ~50 detailed `park' surveys
Held at Head Office in Swindon

Type of Info: Site name (past and present), Gridref, Parish, Condition of Site, SMR index, References to other info sources

Grading System: No assessment of value

Overlap: Considerable overlap with county-based SMR, but less detailed
Data exchange programme with SMRs under way - compatibility problems

Customers: Environmental consultants etc

Other: No specific national Parks and Gardens policy

Organisation: JNCC

Brief Description: Invertebrate Site Register (rare and notable invertebrate species)

Data Source: Advanced Revelation computer - 250,000 records

Type if Info: Site details, Species status and ecology

Grading System:

Overlap: SSSI/NNR series

Organisation: JNCC

Brief Description: Lower Plants (bryophytes and lichens)

Data Source: Database being developed; maps

Type of Info: Gridref, Species

Grading: ?

Overlap: None known

Customers: Site managers

General points discussed

1. Definition of parkland

Should it include extant areas only, arable land with veteran trees (CC but not EH), sites without trees (some EH records), urban/suburban sites (Inst. of Ad. Arch. Studies)?

2. Information exchange

- Inst. of Adv. Arch. Studies do not have resources (time/money) to expand their database any further at present, but willing to provide copy for EN to adapt to their purposes.
- Royal Commission consider that county-based SMR more detailed and accurate than NMR and would therefore be logical first port of call.
- ISR could provide subset of sites with parkland and invertebrate interest.
- Lower Plants Register could provide info about bryophyte/lichen populations within boundary of a parkland site.

3. Use of Information

Difficulties of the 'right' person being able to access the relevant data needed to make a balanced decision on the management of a parkland site.

Appendix 4 National Nature Reserves with possible Parkland Interest

SITE NAME	COUNTY	GRIDREF	AREA	OWNER	A3
Avon Gorge	Avon	ST 553731	63	NT	*
Bredon Hill	Worcs	SO 943397	36	EN	*
Bradfield Woods	Suffolk	TL 925577		RSNC, managed by Suffolk Wildlife Trust	
Buckingham Thick Copse	Northants	SP 708432	45	Private	
Burnham Beeches	Bucks	SU 950857		Corporation of London	*
Castle Eden Dene	Durham	NZ 435397	221	EN	
Chaddesley Woods	Worcs	SO 914736	102	EN	
Cotswold Commons & Beechwoods	Glos	SO 895135	341	NT & private	
Dendles Wood	Devon	SX 616616	30	EN	
Derwent Gorge & Muggleswick Woods	Durham/ Northumb.	NZ 056490	71	Leased from private owner	
Downton Gorge	Hereford	SO 439739	48	Leased from Primshire Ltd	*
Duncombe Park	N Yorks	SE 607828	102	Duncombe Park Estate	*
Forge Valley Woods	N Yorks	SE 984864	63	Agreement with Scarborough BC	
Golitha Falls	Cornwall	SX 223686	18.5	EN	
Hatfield Forest	Essex	TL 538202		NT	
Holt Heath (Holt Forest)	Dorset	SU 060040		Leased from NT	
Kingley Vale	W Sussex	SU 824088	150	EN and leased from West Dean Estate	
Lady Park Wood	Glos/Gwent	SO 549144	45	Agreement with FC	
Moccas Park	Hereford	SO 340424	39	Agreement with Bauton Trustees	
Swanton Novers	Norfolk	TG 015313	79	Agreement with Hastings Estate	
Rodney Stoke	Somerset	ST 490510	35	EN	
Wychwood	Oxon	SP 338165	261	Private agreement	
Wyre Forest	Worcs	SO 753763	549	Leased from FC/private agreement	

Appendix 5

Norfolk Inventory of Parkland Sites: Key to Codes

ABBREVIATIONS

General:

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GRADING SYSTEMS

Historic:

I, II, II* = English Heritage grading on the Register of Parks and Gardens
I = exceptional historic interest
II* = sites of great quality
II = sites of special interest

Wildlife Designations:

SSSI = Site of Special Scientific Interest
NNR = National Nature Reserve
LNR = Local Nature Reserve
WT reserve = Woodland Trust Reserve
RSPB reserve = Royal Society for the Protection of Birds
CWT = County Wildlife Trust reserve

Norfolk CC Info/ Gradings

Historic:

1 - 5 = NCC grading of historic merit
1 = high; 5 = low

Landscape:

1 - 5 = NCC grading of visual quality
1 = high; 5 = low

Fungi: /

Invertebrate:

KA = Keith Alexander holds Coleoptera records for this site
Invertebrate Site Register (ISR) grading system
A = nationally important site
B = regionally important site
C = potentially important site
U = unclassified (insufficient data)

Lichen:

1 - 7 = site graded by the British Lichen Society as being of Lichenological importance
1 = international importance
2 = national importance
3 = secondary national importance
4 = regional importance
5 = county importance
6 = local importance
7 = no special importance
? = uncertain (insufficient data)

S; M; P; = species list; map; proforma; available from the British Lichen Society

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Parkland Sites in Norfolk										County-Specific Data			
Site Details		Information/ gradings								County-Specific Data			
Site name (NCC inv)	Grid Ref	Area (ha)	Type	Historic	Wildlife Desig - nation	Fungi	Inverts	Lichens	Birds	Notes	NCC tree report	Historic	Landscape (visual quality)
Anmer Hall	TF7430		1793 pk/ pltns								Y	3	3
Barningham Hall	TG1435	c.150	IC18 pk/ C19 avs/ belts/ gdn/ pltns	II				6 S			Y	3	3
Barwick House	TF8035		IC18 pk/ pltns/ belts								Y	4	4
Bayfield Hall	TG0440		IC18 pk/ pltns/ belts/ gdns/ lake								Y	3	1
Beeston Hall	TG3321	c.120	1770 ldscp pk/ lake/ few pkld trees	II				7			Y	3	4
Beeston St Andrew Hall	TG2713		old pk/ C19 belts/ ploughed								Y	3	3
Besthorpe Hall	TM0695		C16/17 walled gdn (no pk)								Y	2	3
Blickling Hall	TG1728	1910	C17 pk/ ploughed/ C18 pleas gds/ pltns	II*			KA C	5		NT owned	Y	1	2
Breckles Hall	TL9694	c.5	wldd gdn eC20/ avs	II							Y	2	2
Brinton											Y		
Buckenham Tofts Park	TL8394		pltns/ belts/ 1700 late deer pk/ gdns								Y	3	3
Bylaugh Hall	TG0318		C19 remnant pk/ wldd/ gdns					6			Y	3	3
Catton Hall	TG2312	40	IC18 deer pk/ ldscp gds/ belts	II*							Y	2	3
Colney Hall	TF1708		pltns/ pk/ gdns/ IC18								Y	3	4
Ditchingham Hall	TM3292	c.60	eC18 ldscp pk/ avs	II							Y	3	3
Docking Hall	TF7636		mC18 ldscp pk/ avs/ old trees/ pltns								Y	3	3
Earsham Hall	TM3098		pltns/ pk/ belts/ gdns 1770/ eC19 ldscp pltg					6			Y	3	2/3

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Site Details		Information/ gradings								County-Specific Data			
Site name (NCC inv)	Grid Ref	Area (ha)	Type	Historic	Wildlife Desig - nation	Fungi	Inverts	Lichens	Birds	Notes	NCC tree report	Historic	Landscape (visual quality)
Felbrigg Hall	TG3919	687	pltns/ IC17 deer pk & ldscpg/ belts/ gdns	II*	SSSI			KA B C	4 M P	NT owned	N	3	3
Gawdy Hall	TM2684		C18 ldscpg pk/ wldd/ avs/ gdn								Y	3	3
Gillingham Hall	TM4192		IC18 pk expansion/ belts/ wldd gdn						6		Y	3	3
Great Hockam Hall	TL9592		C18+/ pk/ belts/ lake/ wldd walks/ ploughed					U			Y	3	3
Great Melton Park	TL1306		1770 pk ldscpg/ C18-20 pltg/ belts/ clumps								Y	3	3
Gunthorpe Hall													
Gunton Hall	TG2333	80	1750 ldscpg pk/ belts/ pltns/ gdns/ lake/ IC19 arboretum	II*	SSSI				6		Y	3	2
Hanworth Hall	TG1935	600	pt IC16/ C18 ldscpg pk/ gdn	II							Y	3	3
Hargham Hall	TL0292		IC18/eC19 pk expansion/ belts/ pltns								Y	4	3
Heacham Hall	TF6738		1767 pk/ 1839 belts/ clumps/ lake								Y	3	3
Heydon Hall	TG1127	5+	1770 ldscpg pk/ C19 pk addition/ pltns/ belts	II					5 S	gale damage to 100 pkld trees 1987	Y	2	2
High House	TF7715		IC18 pk/ C19 pk increased/ tree pltg								Y	3	2
Hilborough Hall	TF8200		IC18 pk/ belts/ gdn/ lake						6		Y	3	3
Hillington Hall	TF7128		c.1760/C19 pk/ mat oaks (C17)						6		Y	2	2
Holkham Hall	TF8843	1210	1725 - 80 pltn/ pk/ belts/ gdn C18/ lake	I					6	Norfolk's last complete formal pk of its size	N	1	1
Honing Park	TG3228	20	1728-97 pk/ pltns/ belts	II							Y	2	2

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Houghton Hall	TF7929	160	eC18 pk/ pltg/ belts/ gdns/ modern forestry	I				C			N	1	2\1
Hoveton Hall	TG3120		pk/ belts/ pltn/ lake/ gdn IC18								Y	3	3
Hoveton House	TG3018		IC18+ pk/ pltns/ gdns								Y	3	3
Hunstanton Hall	TF6941	80	C15/16 deer pk/ C19 ldscp/ pltg/ avs/ ploughed	II	SSSI			5			Y	2	2
Intwood Hall	TG1904	30	C18 pk/ walled gdns	II							Y	2\1	2
Kimberley Hall	TG0704	250	pltn/ pk/ gdn/ lake/ belts/ 1763 ldscp early pk/ some old oaks (400 yrs)	II*			KA	5			Y	2	3
Kirby Cane Hall	TN3794		IC18/19 ldscp pk/ old topiary								Y	3	2
Langley Park	TG3500	220	eC18/19 pk/ ploughed/ belts/ C19 arboretum	II				6		1987 gale damage to arboretum	Y	3	4
Letton Hall	TF9705		IC18 pk/ belts/ exotics/ wdld walks					6			Y	3	3
Lexham Hall	TF8618	80	IC18/19 pk/ pltns/ belts/ gdns/ lake	II				7			Y	4	2
Lynford Hall	TL8294	200	1795-1856 pk & wdld devel/ belt/ arboretum/ lake	II							Y	2	3\2
Mannington Hall	TL1432	8	1740's specimen trees/ gdns/ no pk	II							Y	2	3
Melton Constable Hall	TG0331	94	1674+ deer pk/ extended c.1770/ pltns/ gdns/ lake/ belts/ ploughing	II*			KA	5			Y	1	2\3
Merton Hall	TL9097		eC18+ pk/ pltns/ belts/mat wdld/ avs/ shrubs				KA U	5 S			Y	2	2\3

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Narford Hall	TF7714		1720's deer pk/ IC18+ pltns/ lake/ II gdn					5			N	3	4
North Elmham Hall	TF9821	154	pltns/ pk/ gdns/ lake/ arboretum II IC18/19					6			N	3	3
Oxburgh Hall	TF7401	8	IC18/eC19 pltn/ pk (relict)/ wldd II walks					6		NT owned	N	3	2/3
Oxnead Hall	TG2324		C19 pltns on former deer pk site/ C16/17 gdns								N	1	?
Pickenham Hall	TF8604	35	eC19 old pk extended/ pltns/ belts/ II lake								Y	2	2
Quidenham Hall	TM0287		C18/19 pk / eC20 wldd/ ploughed/ gdn					6			Y	4	4
Rackheath Hall	TG2712		C18/19 pk (deer) +?								N	?	?
Rainthorpe Hall	TM2097	30	m-IC19 belts/ pltns/ avs/gdns II					6			Y	4	3
Raveningham Hall	TG3996	60	IC18/19 pk/ wds/ pltns/ IC18 gdns II					6 S			Y	2	3
Raynham Hall	TF8826	30	C17 pk/ pltns/ some ploughed/ lake	II	SSSI			6			Y	2/1	2
Riddlesworth Hall	TM9681		IC18 pk/ eC19 wldd/ ploughed/ exotics/ gdns								Y	4	4
Rougham Hall	TF2082		C17 formal pltg lime/swc avs/ eC20 pltg								Y	1/2	2
Ryston Hall	TF6101		C18-20 pk/ arboretum								Y	2/3	3
Salle Park	TG2141	75	C18/19 pk/ wldd	II							N	3	3
Sandringham House	TF6928	140	C18 pk/ pltns/ belts/ gdns/ lake	II*				5			N	2	2

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Sennowe Park	TF9825		pre C18+pk/ wlld	II							Y	2	2
Shadwell Park (EH only)	TL9382	c.200	C18 pk/ wlld	II							N		
Sheringham Park	TG1543	c.44	C18 Repton pk/ wlld/ gdn	II*			KA	5		NT owned	N	1	1
Shotesham Park	TM2298		1780's pk/ wlld/ shrubbery								N	3	3
Sprowston Hall	TG2613		pre 1794 pk/ av/ some ploughed/ golf course								Y	4	4
Stiffkey Hall	TF9743	4	IC16 gdns	II							N	1	2
Stow Bardolph Hall	TF0663		C16/17-19 pk/ pltns/ gdns/ fine mat trees/ avs								Y	2	2\1
Stradsett Hall	TF6605		C19 pk/ wlld pltn/ eC18 gdn								Y	1	2
Taverham Park	TG1414		IC18 pk/ wlld/ ploughed/ playing fields								Y	4	4
Thickthorn Hall											N		
Thornham Hall	TF7343		eC19 pk/ trees pltn								Y	4	3
Wallington Hall	TF6207		C16-18 pkld denuded mC20/ replanting now								Y	3	4
Weston Park											Y		
Westwick Park	TG2725		eC18-19 pk/ avs					5			N	3	3
Wolterton Hall	TG1532	25	eC18-20 pkld trees/ avs/ eC19 gdns/ shrubbery	II							Y	2\1	3\2
Wood Hall											Y		
Wretham Hall											Y		

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P = proforma

Invertebrate:

KA = Keith Alexander holds coleoptera records

Other:

(blank box) = no information available from data sources investigated

AREA (ha)

approximate from EH register
max = maximum extent of area

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Parkland Sites in Bedfordshire													
Site Details				Information/ gradings							County-Specific Data		
Site (SMR)	name	Gridref	Area (ha)	Type	Historic	Wildlife Desig-nation	Fungi	Inverts	Lichens	Birds	Notes	SMR code	Tree info
Amphill Grounds	House	TL0338									now mostly arable fields	7025	scattered trees in SI
Amphill Park		TL0239	c.85	mdvl deer pk; C18 ldscp pk; C20 public pk	II							1369	some remnant C18 oaks trees lost to Dutch Elm Disease
Aspley Grounds	House	SP9436		pre-1826								7015	few scattered trees especially bndry
Barwythe House		TL0214		pre-1849 ldscp grds								11022	few bndry trees
Basmead Grounds		TL1461		ldscp grds								7046	post-enclosure av
Battlesden Park		SP9529	c.100 max c.12 now	emparked 1334; C18/C19 ldscp pk remnants	II							1370	scattered trees in I; small amount wlld
Battlesden Park		SP9529	18	C18 gdn with lake								9427	sparce trees
Billington Grounds	Manor	SP9424		C20 ldscp area								7014	bndry trees
Blunham Grounds	House	TL1553		c.C19 ldscp grds							deer park nearby (SMR code 1382)	7044	bndry & scattered trees
Brogborough Park	Deer	SP9738	c.12 max	mdvl deer pk								693	scattered trees & scrub along railway

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Bromham House Grounds		SP9951		1897 ldscp pk; gdns; eC20 alterations							hospital managed by North Beds Health Authority; AWI site	7021	important collection of specimen trees incl. some nationally rare spp; tree survey (species, condition management)
Bromham Park		TL0151		pk enclosed 1733								7000	few trees in Am & surrounding I
Broom Hall Grounds		TL1743		IC18/eC19 grds								9428	scattered interiorly, clump exteriorly
Bushmead Priory		TL1160	c.50 max	monastic mdvl gdns remains; wdld	II						DoE Scheduled Monument	7045	few trees in SI; av; wdld pltn
Cainhoe Deer Park		TL1137		former mdvl deer pk							now mainly arable & golf course	1454	bdnry wdld
Chicksands Priory		TL1139	c.400 max	C18/C19 ldscp pk with IC20 developmnt; wdld	II							6992	
Clapham Park		TL1452		pk							arable now	7008	
Clifton Manor Grounds		TL1639		IC18/eC19 grds								9429	bdnry trees only
Cockayne Hatley House Grounds		TL2549		pre-1826 grds								9430	scattered trees in Am; pltn
Colworth Park	House	SP9860		C19? pk								7002	trees in Am
Cranfield Grounds	Court	SP9541		C19 pk							now mainly under agriculture	7011	1885 av; few trees in SI

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Dean Grange Grounds		TL0568		mC19 pk								7037	scattered trees in SI
Dean House		TL0467		pre-1830 ldscp grds								10982	clustered trees in SI; wldd
East Hyde Park		TL1317		pk present in 1765								6990	trees in Am & I
Eggington House Grounds		SP9625		c.C19 pkld?; gdns; orchard							little remaining	7013	avs/ scattered
Flitwick Manor		TL0234	22	IC18/eC19 pleasure grds & pk	II							7026	C18 lime av, C1 arboretum, pre-1717 'The Elms' Plantation
Goldington Bury Grounds		TL0751		pre-1843 grds; pk							now playing fields; totally surrounded by urban land	9433	trees in Am
Great Barford House Grounds		TL1353		C19 pleasure grd; kitchen gdn; possibly mdvl pk								7043	timber trees in pk
Grove House, Dunstable		TL0122		pre-1826 ldscp grds							totally surrounded by urban land	9431	few trees
Harrold Deer Park		SP9358	c.97 max	mdvl deer pk emparked 1278							part now ploughed	7922	
Harrold Grounds	Hall	SP9556		pre-1826 grds; pk							housing development	9434	
Haynes Park		TL0841	c.325	mdvl deer pk							mostly school grounds & arable	13958	few trees along tracks in I

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Hazells Park		TL1950	c.110 max	C18/C19 formal & wdld gdns in C18 ldscp pk	II							6999	"fine mature trees"
Henlow Park		TL1838										6993	av, very few trees
Hexton Manor		TL1130		IC19 gdn								7042	bndry trees; pltn; wdld
Higham Grounds	Bury	TL0532		C19 gdns								7028	scattered throughout Am, & SI
Higham Deer Park	Ferrars	SP9964		mdvl deer pk enclosed 1166							ploughed out pk bndry	2000	
Hinwick Hall		SP9361	c.5-10	eC20 gdn in remnants of eC18 gdn	II						now a school	7023	av; trees in Am & few in I
Hinwick House		SP9361	c.10	eC18 formal gdn & pk	II							7022	approx double circle of mature limes
Hockliffe Grange Grounds		SP9627		pre-1765 pk								7012	
Houghton Hall		TL0223		C18/C19 pk; orchard								7024	bndry trees; few central clumps in I & SI; pltn & wdld
Houghton Park		TL0339		pre-C16 deer pk								9442	av; trees in Am
House Wharf & Pleasure Ground		TL1844		pre-1838 pleasure grds								13954	few trees in Am
Howards House Grounds		TL0848		C18 grds								9435	few scattered trees
Howbury Hall Park		TL0951		C18/19? pk								7004	few trees in Am, scattered in I
Ickwell Bury		TL1445	c.2	IC17 walled gdn; av	II							6995	

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Oakley Grounds	House	TL0865		pre-1826 ornamental gdns								7036	scattered trees in Am, SI & I; small wdld area
Old Warden Park		TL1445	8	eC19 gdn; wdld	II*							6996	notable mature trees -wdld oak, yew, holly & C19 specimen; survey - oak lime, horse chestnut
Park Close		TL0966		old enclosure								8425	scattered trees in Am orchard
Pavenham Grounds	Bury	SP9955		c.1850 formal pleasure gdn								7018	av; few scattered trees in SI
Pertenhall Manor		TL0865	c.3	pasture land, formal gdn & lawn in pk-like enclosure								7038	few trees in Am, SI & I
Pictshill Grounds	House	SP9652		pre-1838 grds; pltns								7020	scattered trees in Am & I
Prebendal Mansion House & Grounds		SP9124		pre-1840 gdns							urban setting	11056	few trees; wdld
Ravensden Grounds	House	TL0655		pre-1826 grds								7035	2 rows in arable field
Roxton Park		TL1554		C19 pk								7009	trees in I
Sandy Grounds	Place	TL1749		pre-1826 grds							recreation gd in urban area	9437	few trees
Segenhoe Grounds	Manor	SP9836		ldscp grds								7016	few scattered trees
Sharnbrook Grange Grounds		SP9959		pre-1826 grds							urban setting	9438	few trees & shrubs

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Shillington Manor House		TL1232		eC19 pltn; pasture & gdns								7041	pltn; belts; few trees in Am & I
Shortmead House Grounds		TL1945		pre-1826 grds								9439	few trees in Am & SI
Southill Park		TL1441	c.5 c.200	C18/C19 ldscp pk & wldd; C20 gdns; lake	II*	SSSI						6997	"fine mature trees", vestige of av
Staploe Medieval Park		TL?		wldd emparked 1215								8628	
Stevington Park		TL0052	57 max	mdvl deer pk							most ploughed	6974	few trees left
Stockgrove Park		SP9230	c.30	pre-1734 pk extended mC19; wldd; pltn		SSSI		KA			owned by Beds & Bucks C.C.	11506	scattered trees; conifer pltn & wldd
Stockwood Park		TL0819		C18 pk; public pk/ golf course								6985	v. few scattered trees left
Stratton Park		TL2144		pre-C18 pk							ploughed out	7003	v. few trees, mainly bndry in A & SI
Sutton Park		TL2248		pre-C18 pk; gdns; wldd							now golf course	7005	av; scattered trees in Am
Tempsford Hall Park		TL1653		enclosed 1777; C18/19 ldscped							fish ponds	7001	clump planting & av
The Lodge, Sandy		TL1847	c.3 c.40	mC20 gdn; wldd	II	SSSI RSPB res	Y			Y			trees in Am; pltn; wldd
The Park		TL1756		pre-1840 pk								9067	trees in Am
Tringrith Park		TL0032		e C19? pk								7028	scattered trees, mixed wldd

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Turvey Park	Abbey	SP9552		enclosed 1783; eC19 ldscp pk							earthworks (ridge & furrow)	6984	pre-enclosure hedgerow trees; 156 mature oak & horse chestnut c.200 yrs. mC19 exotics plnted; C20 pk trees cleared
Turvey Grounds	Hall	SP9451										7019	scattered trees in SI
Westoning Park	Manor	TL0232	42	C19 pk								7007	trees in I
Woburn Park		SP9632	c.1200	deer pk emparked 1690; C18 ldscp pk	I				5			8762	ancient oak pollards incl Doomsday Oak
Woodbury Park		TL2152	c.2000	created 1672, enlarged 1818								6998	scattered trees in I, surrounded W & Am
Wootton Grounds	House	TL0044		pre-1826							playing field now	9441	clumps of trees
Wrest Park		TL0935	c.250 max c.50 now	mdvl deer pk; IC17/C18 formal pk with C18 ldscping & C19changes	I						Scheduled Ancient Monument. Historical & restoration info. AONB	8755	mature trees in gdn, "outstanding individual trees", elm & swc av

Appendix 7

SSSI Parkland Sites: Key to Codes

ABBREVIATIONS

General

e; m; l; = early; mid; late
C18 = eighteenth century
av = avenue
be = beech
belts = boundary belts of trees
bndry = boundary
enclsd = enclosed
gdn = garden
indiv = individual
ldscp = landscaped
mdvl = medieval
pk = park
ploughed = ploughed for arable use
pls gd = pleasure ground
pltn = plantation
scatt = scattered
spp = species
swc = sweet chestnut
wtld = wetland

Other:

AONB = Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty
ASNW = Ancient Semi-Natural Woodland
EH = English Heritage
FC = Forestry Commission
NCR = Nature Conservation Review site
NNR = National Nature Reserve
NT = National Trust

GRADING SYSTEMS

Historic:

English Heritage's grading system

I = exceptional historic interest
II* = sites of great quality
II = sites of special interest

Lichen:

British Lichen Society grading system

1 = international importance
2 = national importance
3 = secondary national importance
4 = regional importance
5 = county importance
6 = local importance
7 = no special importance
? = uncertain (insufficient data)
S = species list
M = map
P = proforma

Invertebrate:

Invertebrate Site Register (ISR) grading system

A = nationally important site
B = regionally important site
C = potentially important site
U = unclassified (insufficient data)
PARK = parkland habitat noted on ISR entry
DEAD = dead wood habitat noted on ISR entry
RDB = Red Data Book species

A3 code:

English Nature's code for 'parklands and
+ = site with A3 habitat code
- = site without A3 habitat code

\ = no information available from data so

Area (ha)

approximate from EH register

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English Heritage Listed Parkland Sites which contain SSSI's													
Site	Details						Information/ Gradings						
County	Site name on EH reg	Grid Ref	Area (ha)	Type	Tree Info	SSSI Name	A3 code	Historic (EH)	Fungi	Inverts	Lichens	Birds	Notes
Avon	Leigh Court	ST5474	128	gdns/ deer pk	oak wood	Avon Gorge	+	II	\	A	\	\	NNR, NT, FC.
Bedford	Southill Park	TL1442	c.200	C18/19 ldscp pk/ gdns/ wlld	belts/ avs/ wlld/ ? "fine mature trees"		-	II*	\	\	\	\	
Bedford	The Lodge, Sandy	TL1847	40	mC20 Italian gdns	wlld/ pltd shrubs	The Lodge	-	II	Y	\	\	+	RSPB reserve.
Berks	Wasing Place	SU5764		C18 pk/ wlld/ agric	C18 mature trees in pkld (acid)	Washing Park	+	II	\	C (PARK)	\	\	
Berks	Windsor Great Park	SU9572	2250	enclsd 1086 deer pk/ wlld	outstanding mature oak/ be	Windsor Great Park	+	I	\	A (DEAD)	6 S P	\	
Bucks	Chequers	SP8406	400	1565+ wlld/ pk	scattered mature trees (1629 pltd)	?	-	II	\	+	4 P	\	AONB.
Bucks	Fawley Ct., Temple Is.	SU7684	80	1684+/ ldscp pk	poplar av	Temple Island Meadows	+	II*	\	U	\	\	AONB.
Bucks	Taplow Ct	SU9082	34	up to C19/ gdns/ wlld walks	cedar walk	?	-	II	\	\	\	\	
Cambs	Sawston Hall	TL4849	22	C16+ ldscp pk/ gdns	be trees/ yew hedge	Sawston Hall Meadows	-	II	\	C	\	\	
Cheshire	Cholmondeley Castle	SJ5351	?	C16+ pk/ wlld/ gdns/ lake	wooded slope in gdns	Chapel Mere	-	II	\	C	\	\	
Cheshire	Combermere Abbey	SJ5844	200	C12 Abbey/ C16 mansion	pk/ wlld	Comber Mere	-	II	\	U	\	\	
Cheshire	Tabley House	SJ7277	150	C18 ldscp pk/ wlld/ lakes		Tabley Mere	-	II	\	C	\	\	
Cheshire	Tatton Park	SJ7481	765	C18 ldscp pk/ deer pk	C19 pinetum & arboretum	Tatton Mere	-	II*	\	C	\	\	NT.

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Cornwall	Boconnoc	SX1460	c.60	C17 deer pk/ wlld, ldscped C18 & C19	be & oak in open pkld/ wllds & pltn	Boconnoc Woods & Park	-	II*	\	+	1 S M P	\	
Derbys	Calke Abbey	SK3622	210	1776 ldscp pk	tree-clumps/ shelterbelts/ deercote spinney	Calke Park	-	II*	\	+	\	\	NT.
Derbys	Heights of Abrahams and Lovers Walk	SK2958	12	C18-eC19 public pls grounds	specimen trees/ some rarities/ beech/ cedar etc.	Mason Hill and Mason Hill Mines	-	II*	\	\	\	\	
Devon	Arlington Court	SS6040	1400	C18 ldscp pk/ wlld/ agric	mature trees/ exotics	Arlington	+	II	\	C (PARK)	3 S M P	\	NT.
Devon	Flete	SX6251	?	C19 terraced gdns (orig C16)/ deer pk?	mature & notable trees/ shrubs	Erme Estuary	-	II	\	B	\	\	AONB.
Devon	Killerton	SS9700	c.100	eC19 wlld gdn/ pk & wlld	wlld gdn/ arboretum from 1808	Killerton Park and Quarries (geol)	+	II*	\	C	\	\	NT.
Devon	Ugbrooke Park	SX8778	c.160	mC18 ldscp pk/ wlld	belts/ pltns/ mat pkld trees	Ugbrooke Park	+	II*	\	\	5 S	\	
Dorset	Creech Grange	SY9082	?	C18 gdns ldscp/ wlld	C18 av (fir)/ C19 informal pltg	Creech Woods & Clay Pit	-	II*	\	U	\	\	AONB. notified for bats.
Dorset	Encombe	SY9478	100	C18 pk/ wllds/ gdns	mC18 - extended plntg	South Dorset Coast	-	II*	\	\	+	\	AONB.
Dorset	Lulworth Castle	SY8582	280	C16 deer pk -now ploughed/ C17/18 gdns/ ldscp estate	belts/ wlld/ pltns/ scattered mature pkld trees	Lulworth Park and Lake	-	II	\	U (DEAD)	+	wlld	AONB.

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Dorset	Melbury Park	ST5705	300	deer pk/ wldd/ ldscp gdns	C19/20 pltg rare trees/ C18 scatt mature trees/ arboretum	Melbury Park	-	II*	\	U (DEAD)	1 S M P	\	AONB.
Essex	Thorndon Park	TQ6191	c.243	C18/19 pk/ wldd/ country pk	1750's plantgs/ pk now golf course	Thorndon Park	+	II*	\	B (PARK)	\	\	
Gloucs	Frampton Court	SO7507	25	mC18 gdns/ pk	mature individual trees/ belts/ wldd	Frampton Pools	+	I	\	B	\	+	
Hants	Highclere Park	SU4458	600	med deer pk/ ldscp pk/ gdns	C18 avs (lime/ be/ redwood)	Highclere Park	-	I	\	C (DEAD)	5	\	AONB. pk pale tracable. mosses.
Hants	The Wakes and Zig Zag Path	SU7433	2	remains of nat gdn/ field ldscp		Selbourne Common	+	II*	\	A(DEAD)	\	+	NT.
Hereford	Berrington Hall	SO5063	c.182	C18 ldscp pk/ C20 gdns/ ptgs	scatt. mature pkld trees/ shrubs	Berrington Pool	-	II*	\	C	\	wldd	NT.
Hereford	Brampton Bryan	SO3772	7	gdns/ wldd/ lawns	avs/ orchard/ mature trees	Brampton Bryan Park	-	II	\	A	130 spp incl rarities	wldd/ wldd	NCR site. NNR.
Hereford	Croft Castle	SO4465	c.200	pk/ C17 avs/ ldscpg C19/20	avs/ individual trees of great age (oak/swc)	Fish Pool Valley	-	II*	\	U	\	wldd/ wldd	NT.
Hereford	Downton Castle	SO4474	c.200	C18 ldscp pk/ hilly/ wldd	pollarded oak/ lime	Downton Gorge	+	II*	\	U + (60 col incl dead wood spp)	4 S P	wldd/ wldd	NNR. >90 spp mosses.
Hereford	Eastnor Castle	SO7336	c.100	deer pk/ wldd	C19 exceptional groups/ indiv trees/ arboretum	Eastnor Park	+	II*	\	B	5	wldd	Malvern Hills AONB.

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Hereford	Hewell Grange	SP0069	c.100	C19 ldscp pk/ lake/ gdns	formal avenues 1890s	Hewell Park Lake	-	II*	\	\	\	wld/ wld	Worce Wildlife Trust Reserve.
Hereford	Moccas Ct	SO3543	c.300	deer pk/ wld/ ldscped C18 gdns		Moccas Park	-	II*	\	A (DEAD & PARK)	4 P	wld	NCR site.
Hereford	Westwood Pk	SO8763	c.200	C19/C20 gdns in C17 pk remnants	conifer avenues/ bndry tree belts/ wld	Westwood Great Pool	+	II	\	\	\	wld	nationally rare aquatic plants.
Hert	Ashridge	SP9912	c.1400	mdvl pk/ wld/ ag estate/ C19 gdns	occ groups trees in open pkld/ bndry belts & pl/ C19 arboretum	Ashridge Commons & Woods	-	II*	\	C	5	wld (incl rarities)	NT.
Hert	Cassiobury Pk	TQ0996	c.300	C16+ ldscp pk/ wld formerly; now C20 public pk/ wld	eC18/ IC19 mature trees	?	-	II	\	C	\	\	Owned Watford Council. County Trust Reserve.
Hert	Tring Pk	SP9210	c.150	C18 ldscp pk/ wd/ C19 gdns remnants	Scattered mat trees in open pkld	Tring Woodlands	-	II	\	C	\	wld	Chilterns AONB. NNR.
Isle of Scilly	Tresco	SV8914	c.19	wld/ C19 gdn	exotics (sub-trop)	Great Pool, Tresco	-	I	\	U	\	wld	
Leics	Belvoir Castle	SK8233	?	C17-20/ gdns/ wld	mat gdn trees/ swc av	Briery Wood Heronry	-	II	\	\	\	wld	
Leics	Bradgate Park	SK5310	c.480	mdvl deer pk remains/ public pk	wld uneffec by C17/18 Indscpg	Bradgate Park and Cropstone Reservoir	+	II	\	B (PARK)	5 S P	wld/ wld	

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Leics	Stanford Hall	SP5879	163	IC17/ eC18 ldscp pk	avs (few left)/ scattered mature trees	Stanford Park	+	II	\	C (PARK)	4 S M P	\		
Leics	Staunton Harold Hall	SK3821	c.190	deer pk/ ldscp C18	belts/ wdld	Dimmingsdale Reservoir	-	II	\	C	\	\	ASNW. County Trust Reserve.	
Leics	Burley on the Hill	SK8810	c.250	eC18/ ldscp pk/ wdld	avs/ pltns	Burley and Ruspit Woods	-	II	\	C (rich dw fauna)	+ "diverse"	"v. rich"		
Manc	Dunham Massey	SJ7487	101	C17 deer pk/ ldscp/ gdns	mat avs/ wdld	Dunham Park	+	II*	\	A (PARK)	\	\	NT.	
Norfolk	Felbrigg Hall	TG1939	687	C17/18 pk/ deer pk	1673-87 "Great Wood" pltd	Felbrigg Woods	+	II*	+	B (PARK)	4 M P	"wide range"	NT. AONB.	
Norfolk	Gunton Park	TG2234	80	C18/19 pk/ agric	wdld/ belts/ pltns/ clumps/ arboretum	Gunton Park Lake	+	II*	\	\	6	wtld		
Norfolk	Hunstanton Hall	TF6941	80	C16-20 gdns/ wdld	pk/ pltns/ open fine mature trees	Hunstanton Park Esker (geological)	-	II	\	B	5	wtld	AONB.	
Norfolk	Raynham	TF8825	30+	C17/18 formal wdld	gds/	?	-	II	\	\	6	\		
Northant	Boughton House	SP9081	60	1683+ formal layout	pkld early mature trees/ lime av	no SSSI	-	I	\	\	\	\		
Northant	Castle Ashby	SP8659	208	enclsd 1066/ pk/ gdns	ldscp C17 av/ C18 pltns/ arboretum	no SSSI	-	I	\	\	\	\		
Northant	Fawsley	SP5656	120	1763 ldscp pk/ gdns		Badby Wood	-	II	\	C	\	+		

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Northumb	Hesleyside	NY8183	80	1776 ldscp pk	wldd/ avs/ belts	Hesleyside Park	-	II	\	\	6	\	
Northumb	Lindisfarne Castle	NU1341	1	1911 walled gdn		Lindisfarne	-	II	\	A	\	\	
Notting	Clumber Park	SK6175	c.1600	C18 ldscp pk	1830 lime av	Clumber Park	-	I	\	B (PARK)	\	"exceptional"	NT
Notting	Moresby Park	SK6371	c.250	IC17/18 ldscp pk/ C19 wldd gdn		Thoresby Lake	-	I	\	\	\	wldd	agric & other development.
Notting	Newstead Abbey	SK5453	135	gdns/ grounds	stump of Byrons Oak 1798	Linby Quarries	-	I	\	C	\	"varied"	
Notting	Papplewick Hall	SK5451	c.35	C18 ldscp pk		no SSSI	-	II*	\	\	\	\	
Oxon	Ashdown House	SU2882	c.85	gdn/ pkld	wldd/ lime (pollards)	av. Ashdown Park	+	II*	\	U (PARK)	20 spp incl rarities	\	NT. AONB. restoration work
Oxon	Blenheim Palace	SP4416	c.1000	ldscp pk/ gdns	mC19 rare shrubs/ avs	trees/ Blenheim Park	+	I	\	U (PARK & DEAD) + RDB spp	5 S P	+	AONB.
Oxon	Cornbury	SP3418	c.350	emparked forest ldscp/ gdns	mC19 av (swc/ be)	Wychwood Forest	-	II*	\	A	85 spp	\	NNR. AONB. >60 spp moss/ liverworts.
Oxon	Magdalen College	SP5206	c.15	C16 gdns/ gds/ walled deer pk		Magdalen Grove (geological SSSI only)	-	I	\	C	\	\	