



Worksheet

Mixed Hedgerow Survey Form

Parish: Locality/Site name:

Date of Survey: Name of Surveyor:

Pacing length of the hedge: Measure 10 metres on the ground and count how many paces you do to cover it. Pace out the length of the hedge and work out the number of metres

$\frac{\text{No. of paces for hedge}}{\text{No. paces for 10 metres}} \times 10 = \text{total length of hedge}$ Length of Hedge:

Tick the boxes in this table which you think apply to the hedge you are surveying:

Method of management	Adjacent land use	Significance of hedge
Clipping	Pasture for stock	Parish Boundary
Laying	Hay meadow	County Boundary
Not managed	Arable field	Old lane
Other	Road	Other
	Other	

Further comments: Evidence of wildlife value, larger trees within hedge etc.

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Dominant Species:

Take a 15-metre strip of hedgerow to survey more accurately. Using the identification card and a tally system, count the number of each species.

Tree type	Tally	Total	Tree type	Tally	Total
Ash			Hazel		
Blackthorn			Hawthorn		
Dog Rose			Elm		
Elder			Crab Apple		
Field Maple			Dogwood		
Holly			Guelder Rose		
Sycamore			Oak		
Wild Cherry			Willow		
Beech			Damson		

Continued overleaf

Using a coloured pen, draw a map of the site showing the position and length of the section of hedge you have surveyed (use features around such as roads, barns, gates etc. to ensure others can locate the section).

Other Flora present (use Wildflower Finder Card card and put a tick against ones you have seen)			
Foxglove	Celandine	Campion	Jack in the Hedge
Dog Violet	Primrose	Honeysuckle	Lords and Ladies
Bramble	Cow Parsley	Nettle	Dogs Mercury
Dandelion	Wood Anemone	Greater Stitchwort	Tufted Vetch
Lady's Smock	Rosebay Willowherb		