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Bra118. Titbeech Wood (4.7 ha) TL 784127

Titbeech wood has been replanted with a variety of broadleaved and coniferous species for commercial timber production, including Beech (*Fagus sylvatica*), Norway Spruce (*Picea abies*), Lime (*Tilia* sp.) and Scots Pine (*Pinus sylvestris*). Native species are represented by Hornbeam (*Carpinus betulus*), Pedunculate Oak (*Quercus robur*), Silver Birch (*Betula pendula*), Elm (*Ulmus* sp.) and Elder (*Sambucus nigra*). The ground flora is poor for an ancient wood and is characterised by ruderals. Restocking with native species and a more sympathetic management regime would enhance the wildlife value of this site.

Selection Criteria: HCr1(a)