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Bra20. Foxes Wood (16.3 ha) TL 692282

Foxes Wood is a large ancient wood, which has suffered much under commercial forestry. The majority of the site has been replanted with conifers and Beech (*Fagus sylvatica*). Native stands of coppiced Ash (*Fraxinus excelsior*) and Hornbeam (*Carpinus betulus*) with Pedunculate Oak (*Quercus robur*) standards are apparently restricted to a band along the north-eastern boundary. Sycamore (*Acer pseudoplatanus*) is widespread. The flora and fauna would benefit from a restocking with native broadleaved species and a cessation of disturbance.

Selection Criteria: HCr1(a)