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Bra49. Berwickhall Wood (7.0 ha) TL 732377

This ancient wood comprises mainly Pedunculate Oak (*Quercus robur*) and Ash (*Fraxinus excelsior*) standards, but also includes Field Maple (*Acer campestre*) coppice. The shrub layer of Hazel (*Corylus avellana*) shades a predominantly Bramble (*Rubus fruticosus* agg) ground cover. Wayfaring Tree (*Viburnum lantana*) grows on boundary banks. The greatest floral diversity is found along the wet rides which support plants such as Meadowsweet (*Filipendula ulmaria*), Tufted Hair-grass (*Deschampsia cespitosa*), Wood Sedge (*Carex sylvatica*) and Creeping Jenny (*Lysimachia nummularia*).

Selection Criteria: HCr1(a)