

SCHEDULE OF QUALIFYING LAND FOR MAPPING OPEN COUNTRY

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Ref no	Site References	Name on Map	OS Grid Ref	Area (ha)	Parcels
28	A B	Grimthorpe	SE 80 53	20	2
Qualifying type	Vegetation Type	Justification for inclusion			
Mountain	Heather Moor	Predominance of qualifying type (M, M, H, D)			
Moor	Rough acid grassland	Contiguous to large parcel of open country			
Heath	Calcareous grassland	*	Contiguous to existing access land or common land		
Down	Scattered trees or scrub	*	Provides clearer physical boundary to larger area		
	Bracken		Local value of small parcel (view, feature, accessible, PRow etc)		
	Rock outcrops		Provides means of access to other access land		
			Steep sided		

This submission supports the inclusion of the area already shown on the draft map.

Description of land submitted

This boomerang-shaped site consists of two parcels A and B. B is on a steep SW-facing part of the Wold's escarpment W of Grimthorpe Manor. Area A slopes more gently from the escarpment edge, alongside Hodgston Wood, towards Given Dale. A PRow runs along the whole of the eastern boundary and crosses the northern end of B, down to a minor road. The NLT attributes for the site are RLE – the boundary runs along the SW edge of the site.

Comments supporting vegetation type and justification for inclusion:

Our study of aerial photographs taken in 2000 and a **site visit** in July 2003 indicates that the area B is rough calcareous grassland invaded by scrub.

Conclusion

We think the evidence presented here suggests that the area mapped, which was shown on the draft map, is predominantly unimproved calcareous grassland and should be mapped as open country.

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