

# Ancient Tree Inventory - Field Data Sheet

This form has been produced to accompany the 'ATI Tree Recording Form'. You can print this form and keep it with you when recording trees.

The options here match the available options on the ATI website. The field headings in the boxes below match those found on the ATI Tree Recording Form.

Access Status
Private - no access information recorded
Private - <b>not</b> visible from public access (permission required to view)
Private - visible from public access (permission not required to view)
Public - no access information recorded
Public - open access (e.g. public park)
Public - Scottish Outdoor Access
Public - restricted access (e.g. National Trust property)
Public - partial access (e.g. next to footpath or road)

Tree Form	Multi stem (boundary)
Cliff tree	Phoenix
Coppice	Pollard
Coppice (high stump)	Pollard form (natural)
Laid(hedgerow)	Pollard lapsed
Maiden	Stump (high >4m)
Multi stem	Stump

Alive Or Dead?	Standing or Fallen?
Alive	Standing
Dead	Fragmented
Felled	Fallen
Collapsed	Gone
Unknown	Remnant

Comments
Please record any other important details about a tree in the comments box.

Surroundings / Habitats	
Ancient wood pasture	Moor Land
Ancient woodland	Nature Reserve
Arable	Orchard
Avenue	Parish boundary
Beside railway	Parkland
Bridlepath / footpath	Public/ open space
Common/heath	River / canal bank
Deer park	Roadside
Domestic garden	School / college
Field	SSSI/NNR/SAC
Hedgerow	Upland
Hedgebank	Urban
Historic woodbank	Wetland
Historic park / garden	Wood Pasture
Landscape garden	Woodland

Extra recording tips and comments:	
<b>Grid reference</b>	Record a 10 figure grid reference. tip: free smart phone grid reference apps are available. <b>If you don't have access to a smartphone or GPS, you are still able to plot the location of a tree manually via the ATI website.</b>
<b>Photos</b>	Aim to record at least 3 photos that show the tree's location, form, size and condition / decay features e.g. hollowing trunk.
<b>Invertebrates</b>	e.g. look for evidence of wood-boring invertebrates, such as bore holes on exposed areas of dry barkless wood.
<b>Bats</b>	Record if bats known to be present. Can include if bat boxes are present.

Fungi
Beefsteak fungus ( <i>Fistulina hepatica</i> )
Blushing bracket ( <i>Daedaleopsis confragosa</i> )
Chicken of the woods ( <i>Laetiporus sulphureus</i> )
Dryad's saddle ( <i>Polyporus squamosus</i> )
Giant polypore ( <i>Meripilus giganteus</i> )
Oak bracket ( <i>Inonotus dryadeus</i> )
Shaggy bracket ( <i>Inonotus hispidus</i> )
Southern bracket ( <i>Ganoderma australe</i> )
Species not listed
Unsure of species

Epiphytes
Cuckoo tree
Evidence of
Fern
Ivy
Lichen
Mistletoe
Moss



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