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1990 INFORMAL VISITORS SURVEYNotes

1. Interviews took place at the following sites:
 - o Rhayader - Waun Capel Park.
 - o Builth Wells - Groe Park.
 - o Glasbury - The Bont.
 - o Ross - Riverside meadows.
 - o Kerne Bridge picnic site.
 - o Lower Lydbrooke - Picnic site.
 - o Symonds Yat East - Near Saracens Head pub.
 - o The Biblins - Forestry Commission camp site
 - o Monmouth - By the rowing club steps
2. Interviews took place on the following days:
 - Sat 21st July
 - Sun 22nd July
 - Sat 4th August
 - Sun 5th August
 - Sat 18th August
 - Sun 19th August
 - Thurs 23rd August
 - Mon. 27th August (Bank holiday)
 - Thurs 30th August
 - Sat 1st September
 - Sun 2nd September
3. Each site was surveyed over a total of six days, except Lydbrooke and Rhayader which were only surveyed twice, over both weekdays and weekends.
4. Interviews took place between 10 am and 7 pm.
5. Respondents were selected at random as they passed one of the survey positions at each site. The next person to pass by following completion of the previous survey was approached for interview. Those visiting the site on business, or not using the site for recreational purposes were not interviewed.
6. Interviews were carried out by Conservation Training Wales, under contract to the River Wye Project.
7. The data was analysed by Hereford and Worcester County Council on behalf of the Project, using SPSS.

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RIVER WYE PROJECTRIVER WYE USER SURVEY - SUMMER 1990VISITOR QUESTIONNAIRE

Location Code	
Date Code	
Reference. No.	

INTERVIEWER DAY/DATE

SITE TIME (24 HR. CLOCK)

POSITION INTERVIEW NO.

INTRODUCTION

Good morning/afternoon/evening. I am interviewing on behalf of the River Wye Project. We are undertaking a survey of visitors to the River Wye in order to establish the pattern of recreation use associated with it. Would you help by answering a few questions? It will only take a couple of minutes. All the information you provide will be treated in the strictest confidence.

BEFORE PROCEEDING, ESTABLISH WHETHER THE PERSON IS ELIGIBLE FOR INTERVIEW. IF YES, CONTINUE WITH INTERVIEW.

- | | |
|---|---|
| 1. COULD YOU TELL ME WHERE YOU
HAVE TRAVELLED FROM TODAY? | 2. IS THIS YOUR HOME ADDRESS? YES 1
IF NOT, WHERE DO YOU LIVE? NO 2 |
| Town/Village | Town/Village |
| County | County |
| 3. WHAT MAIN METHOD OF TRANSPORT
DID YOU USE TO GET HERE? | Car/Van 1
Motor Cycle/Scooter 2
Bus - Public transport 3
Bus - Private/coach tour 4
Walking 5
Cycle 6
Boat/Canoe 7
Other 8 |
| 4. WHICH OF THESE ACTIVITIES HAVE YOU
UNDERTAKEN OR DO YOU INTEND TO
UNDERTAKE WHILST HERE? | Picnicing 1
Enjoying the view 2
Sitting and relaxing 3
Going for a walk less than 2 miles 4
Going for a walk more than 2 miles 5
Wildlife/Nature Study 6
Playing informal games 7
Visit pub/restaurant 8
Canoeing 9
Boat trip 10
Angling 11
Other 12 |

5. HOW OFTEN, ON AVERAGE, DO YOU VISIT THIS SITE?

At least:-

- Daily 1
- Weekly 2
- Fortnightly 3
- Monthly 4
- Once a year 5
- First time 6

6. DO YOU EVER VISIT OTHER SITES ALONG THE RIVER WYE? IF SO, WHERE?

YES 1
NO 2

- a)
- b)
- c)

7. WHAT OTHER SITES ALONG THE RIVER WYE HAVE YOU VISITED ALREADY OR INTEND TO VISIT TODAY?

- a)
- b)
- c)

8. HOW OFTEN, ON AVERAGE, DO YOU VISIT THE RIVER WYE? (ANY SITE)

At least:-

- Daily 1
- Weekly 2
- Fortnightly 3
- Monthly 4
- Once a year 5
- First time 6

9. WOULD YOU GIVE ME SOME DETAILS ABOUT YOURSELF AND THE PEOPLE YOU ARE WITH?

SEX Male 1
Female 2

AGE (circle code)

AGE	CODE
0 - 5	1
5 - 9	2
10 - 14	3
15 - 19	4
20 - 29	5
30 - 44	6
45 - 64	7
65+	8

HOW MANY PEOPLE ARE THERE IN YOUR PARTY?

WHAT RELATION ARE THESE PEOPLE TO YOURSELF?

Relatives 1
Friends 2
Fellow members of club/organisation 3
Other 4

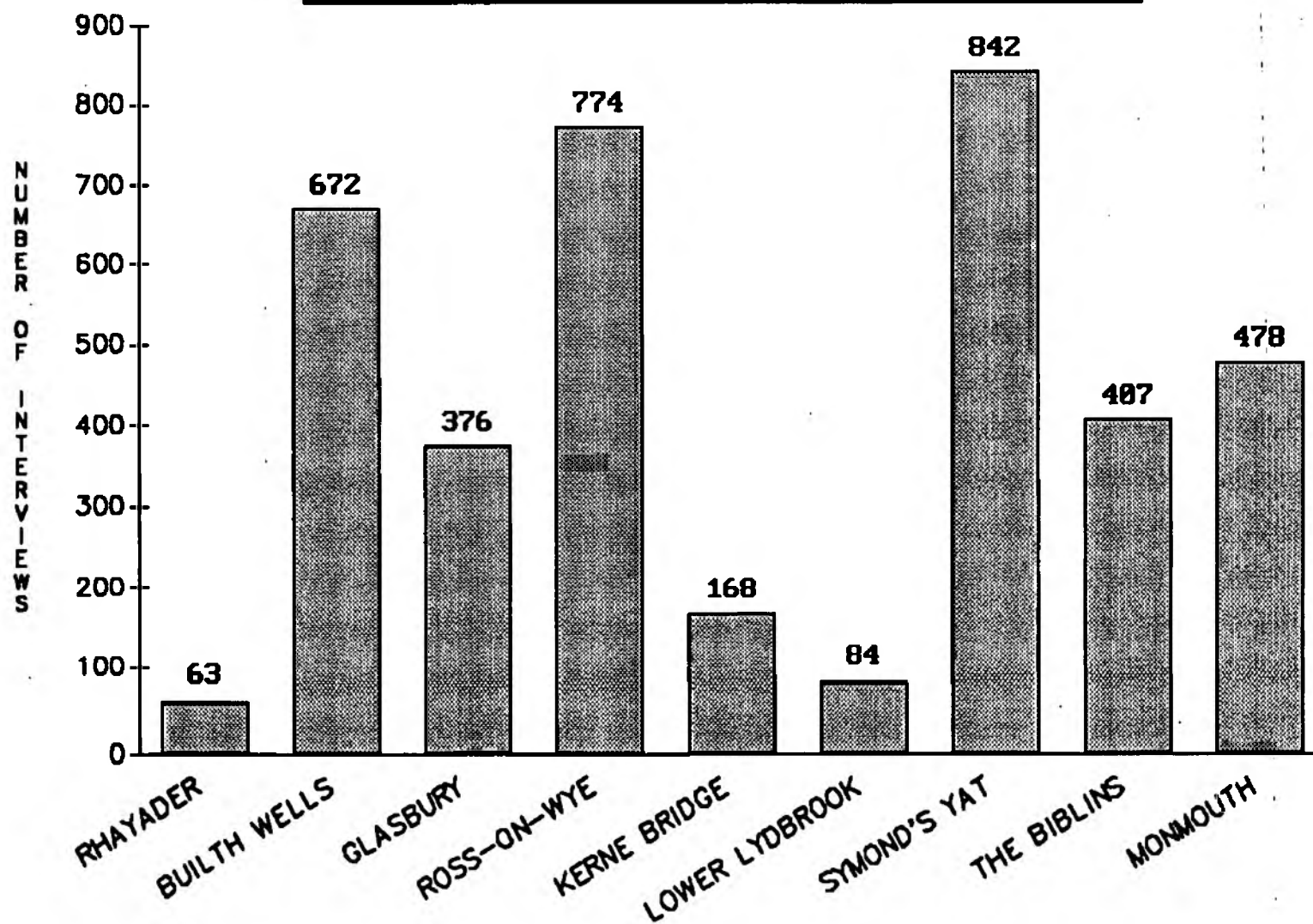
10. FINALLY, COULD YOU TELL ME ABOUT YOUR WORK? WHICH OF THESE BEST DESCRIBES YOUR OCCUPATION?

- School 1
- Further Education 2
- Housewife/husband - not in paid work 3
- Full time employment 4
- Part time employment 5
- Unemployed 6
- Retired 7
- Other 8

THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR HELP.

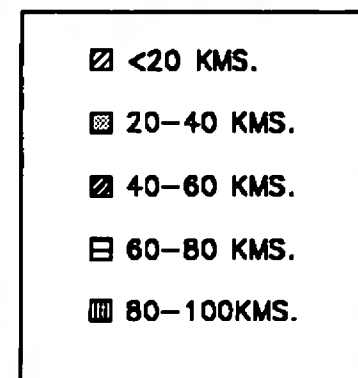
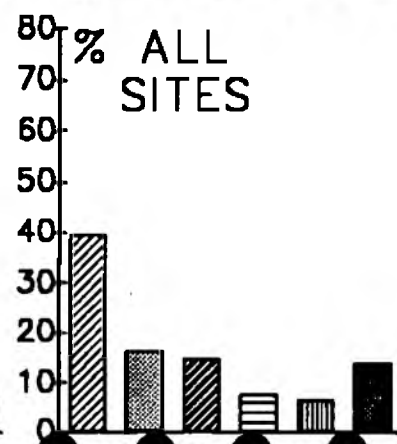
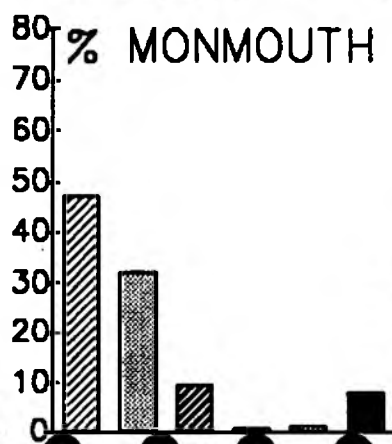
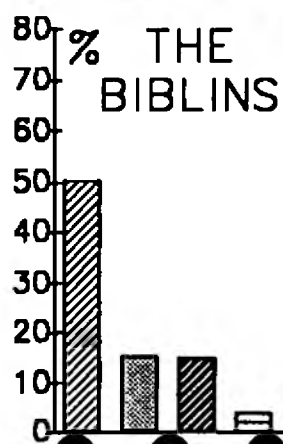
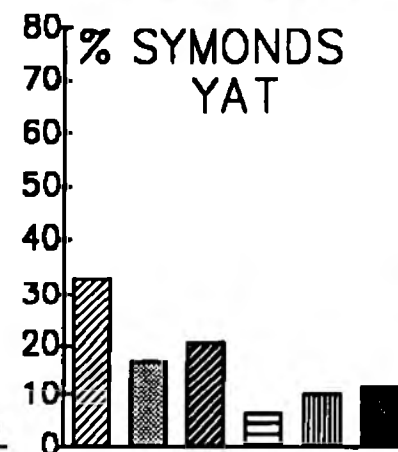
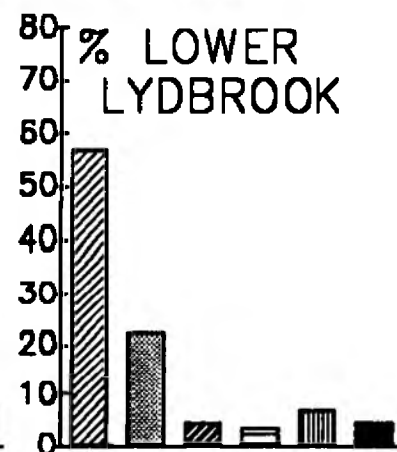
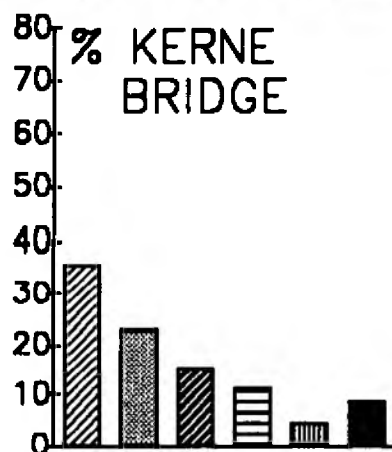
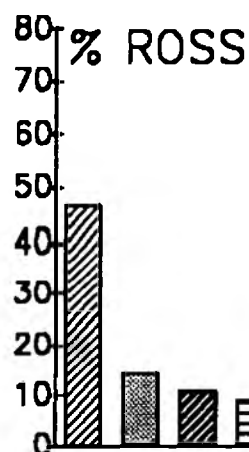
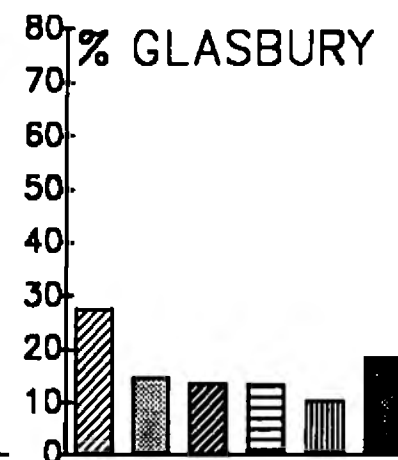
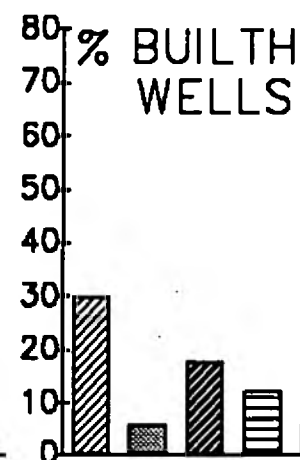
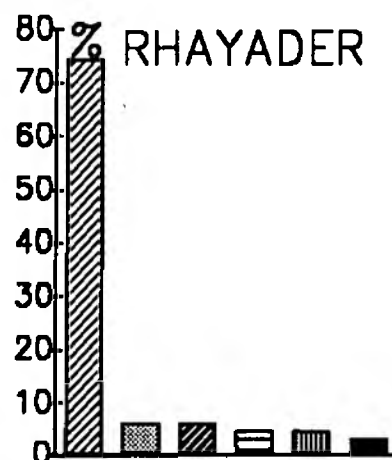
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NUMBER OF INTERVIEWS AT EACH SITE



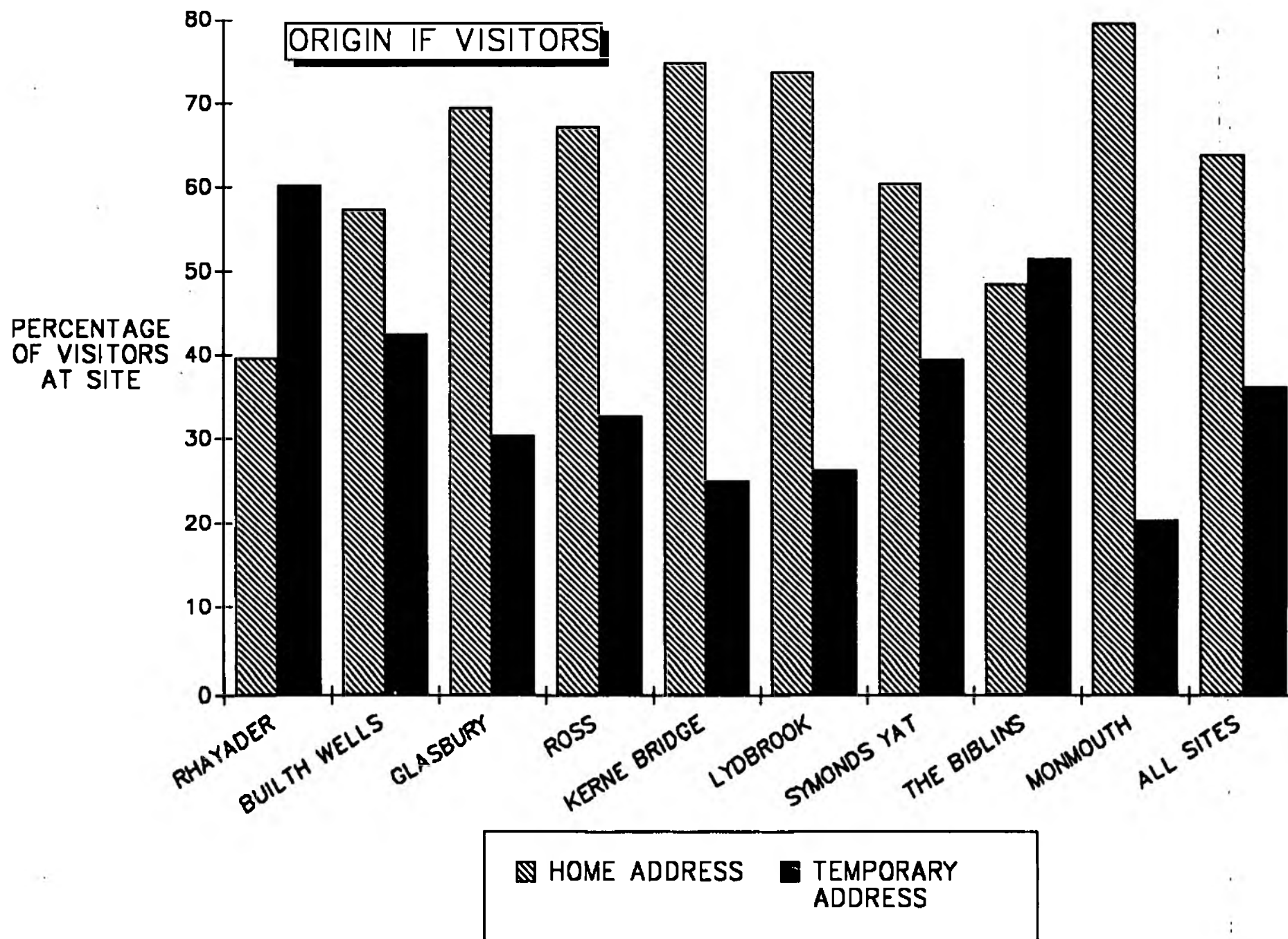
Total number of interviews at all survey sites was 3864.

DISTANCE
TRAVELLED
TO
SITE

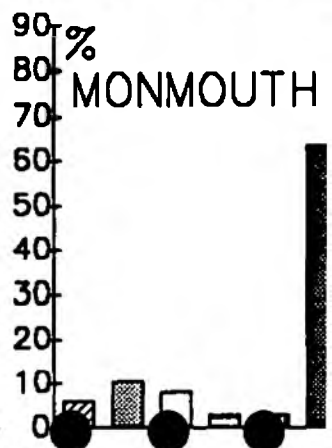
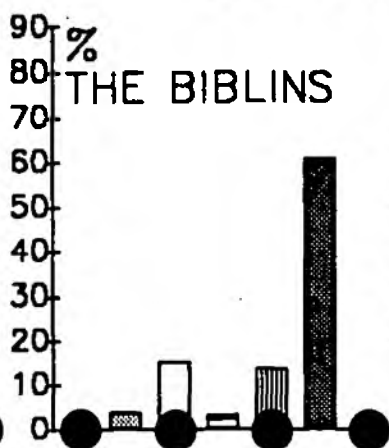
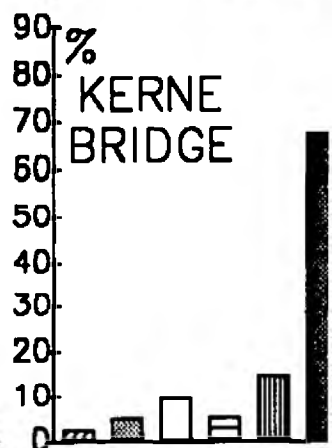
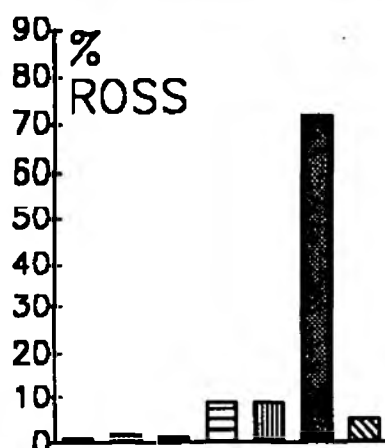
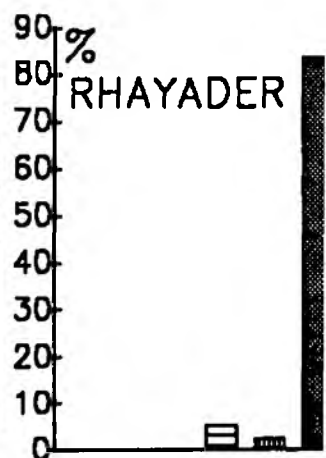


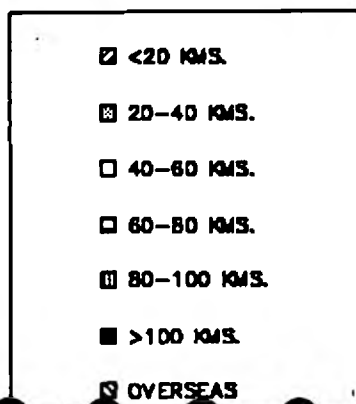
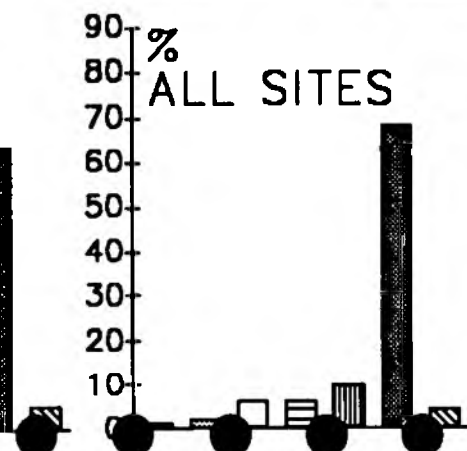
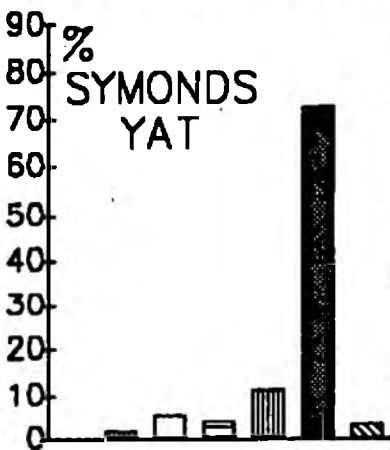
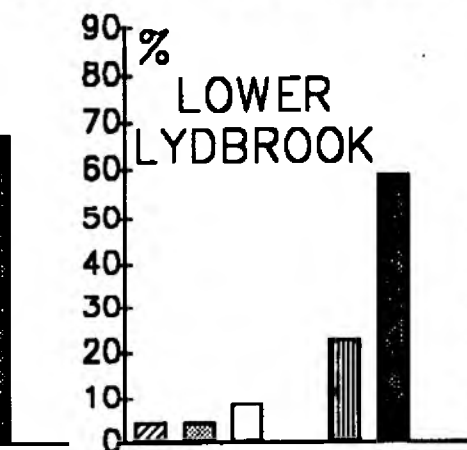
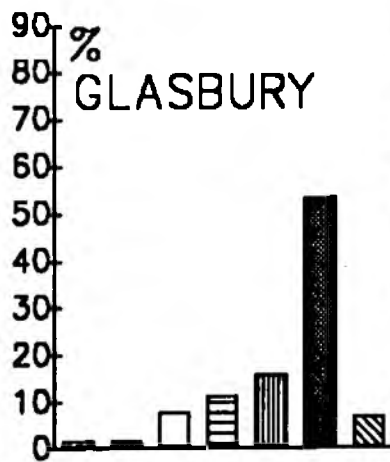
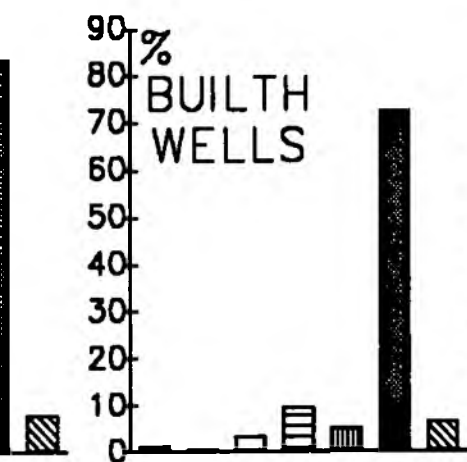
	TRAVELLED FROM TODAY						TOTAL
	LESS THAN 20KMS	20-40 KMS.	40-60 KMS.	60-80 KMS.	80-100 KMS,	MORE THAN 100 KMS.	
LOCATION CODE							
RHAYADER							
Count	47	4	4	3	3	2	63
Count Percent	74.6%	6.3%	6.3%	4.8%	4.8%	3.2%	100%
BUILTH WELLS							
Count	202	40	121	83	40	185	671
Count Percent	30.1%	6.0%	18.0%	12.4%	6.0%	27.6%	100%
GLASBURY							
Count	104	56	52	51	40	70	373
Count Percent	27.9%	15.0%	13.9%	13.7%	10.7%	18.8%	100%
ROSS							
Count	362	112	84	70	42	101	771
Count Percent	47.0%	14.5%	10.9%	9.1%	5.4%	13.1%	100%
KERNE BRIDGE							
Count	61	39	26	19	8	15	168
Count Percent	36.3%	23.2%	15.5%	11.3%	4.8%	8.9%	100%
LOWER LYDBROOK							
Count	48	19	4	3	6	4	84
Count Percent	57.1%	22.6%	4.8%	3.6%	7.1%	4.8%	100%
SYMONDS YAT EAST							
Count	281	143	172	54	86	100	836
Count Percent	33.6%	17.1%	20.6%	6.5%	10.3%	12.0%	100%
THE BIBLINS							
Count	206	63	62	16	29	31	407
Count Percent	50.6%	15.5%	15.2%	3.9%	7.1%	7.6%	100%
MONMOUTH							
Count	225	154	47	4	7	39	476
Count Percent	47.3%	32.4%	9.9%	.8%	1.5%	8.2%	100%
ALL SITES							
Count	1536	630	572	303	261	547	3849
Count Percent	39.9%	16.4%	14.9%	7.9%	6.8%	14.2%	100%

	IS THIS YOUR HOME ADDRESS		TOTAL
	YES	NO	
LOCATION CODE			
RHAYADER			
Count	25	38	63
Count Percent	39.7%	60.3%	100%
BUILTH WELLS			
Count	386	285	671
Count Percent	57.5%	42.5%	100%
GLASBURY			
Count	259	113	372
Count Percent	69.6%	30.4%	100%
ROSS			
Count	518	252	770
Count Percent	67.3%	32.7%	100%
KERNE BRIDGE			
Count	123	41	164
Count Percent	75.0%	25.0%	100%
LOWER LYDBROOKE			
Count	62	22	84
Count Percent	73.8%	26.2%	100%
SYMONDS YAT EAST			
Count	509	332	841
Count Percent	60.5%	39.5%	100%
THE BIBLINS			
Count	197	209	406
Count Percent	48.5%	51.5%	100%
MONMOUTH			
Count	381	97	478
Count Percent	79.7%	20.3%	100%
ALL SITES			
Count	2460	1389	3849
Count Percent	63.9%	36.1%	100%



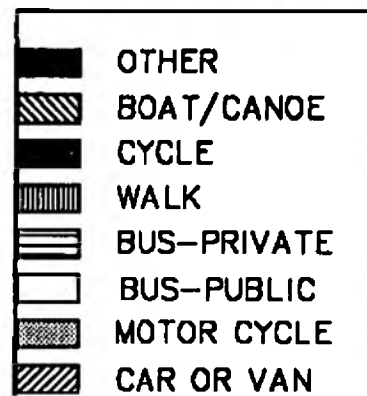
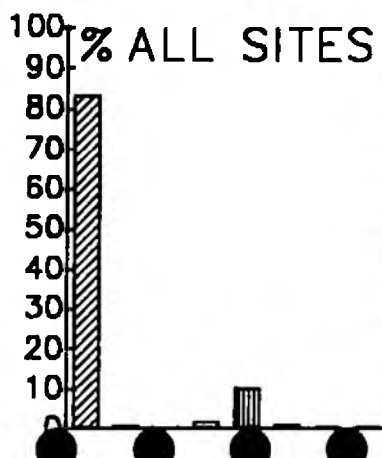
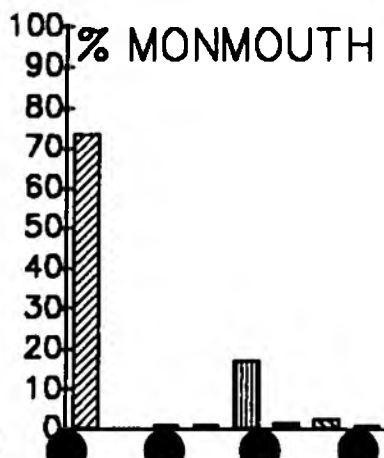
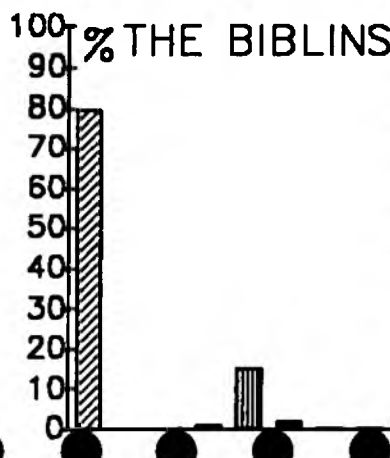
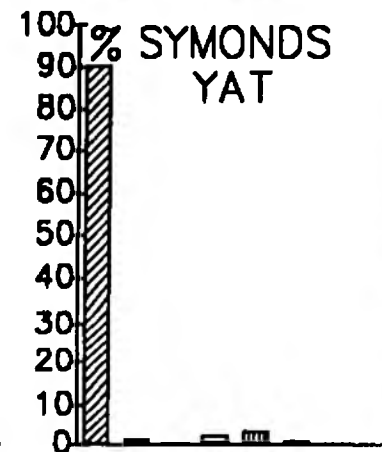
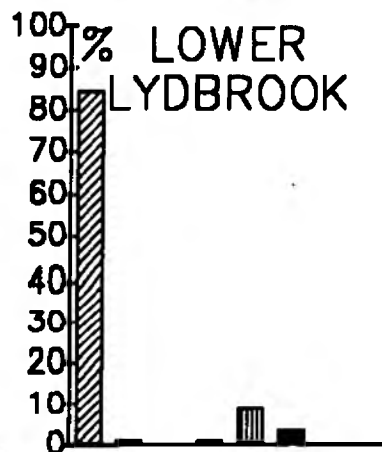
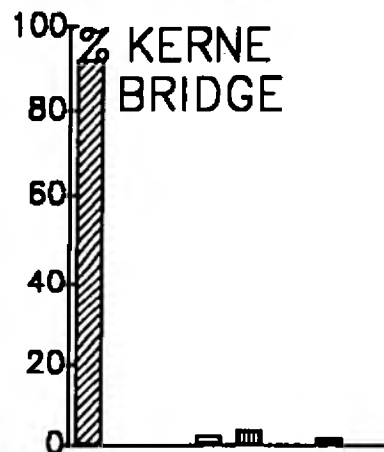
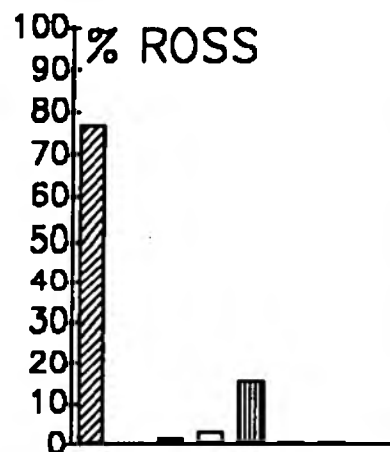
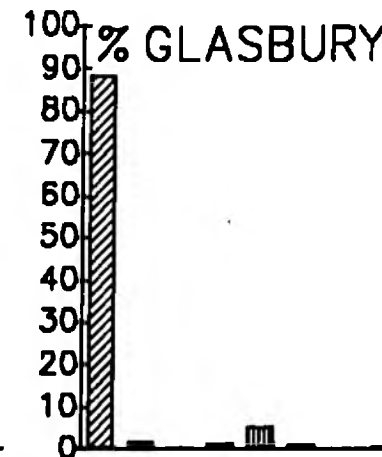
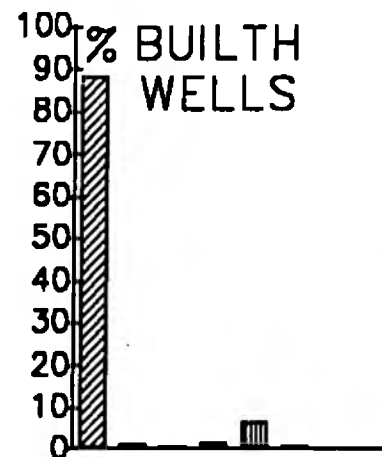
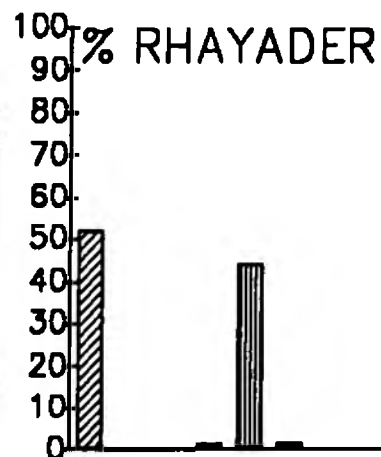
HOME
ADDRESS
OF
VISITORS
staying
temporarily
in the area





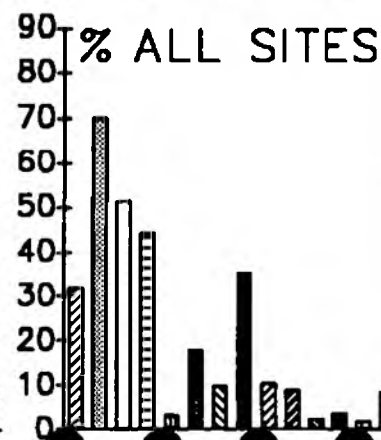
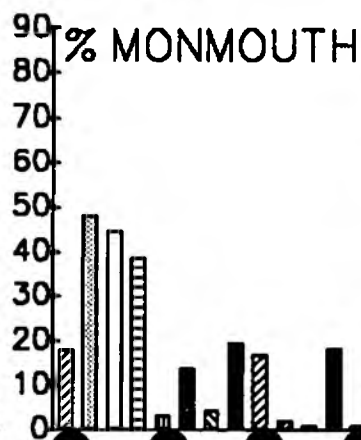
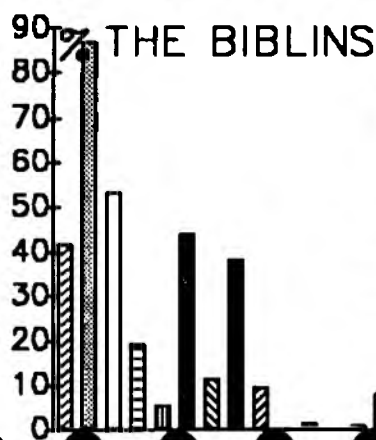
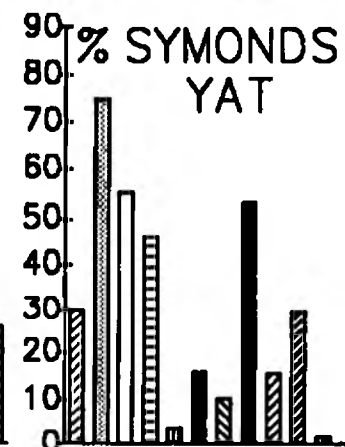
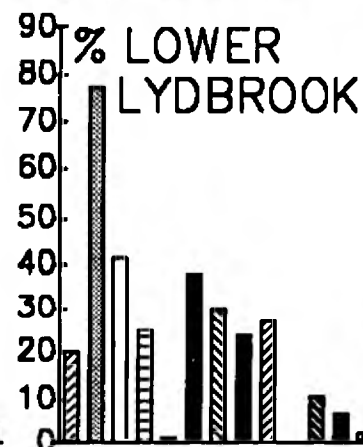
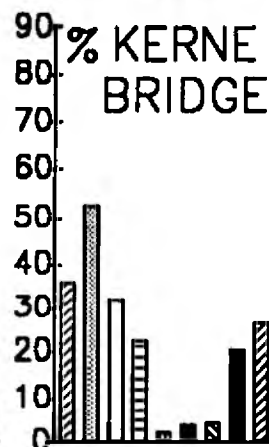
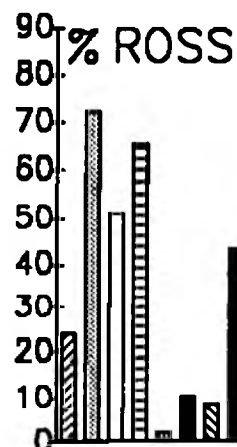
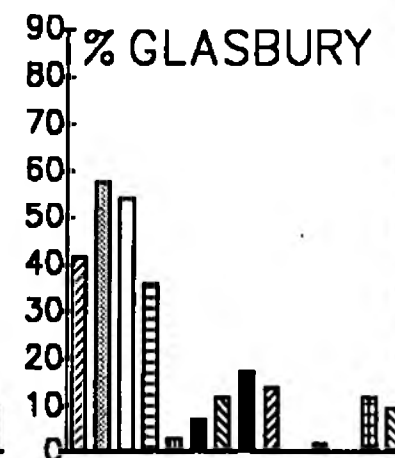
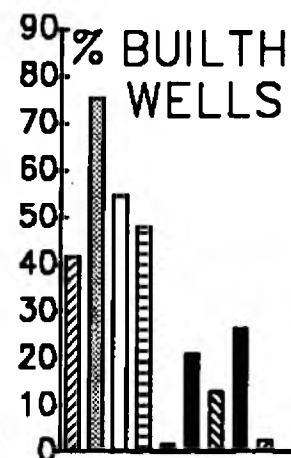
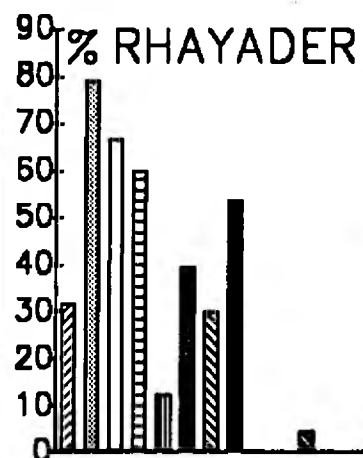
HOME ADDRESS OF PEOPLE STAYING TEMPORARILY IN AREA	AREA OF HOME RESIDENCE							TOTAL
	LESS THAN 20KMS	20-40 KMS.	40-60 KMS.	60-80 KMS.	80-100 KMS,	MORE THAN 100 KMS.	OVERS EAS	
LOCATION CODE								
RHAYADER								
Count	0	0	0	2	1	31	3	37
Count Percent	.0%	.0%	.0%	5.4%	2.7%	83.8%	8.1%	100%
BUILTH WELLS								
Count	4	1	10	28	15	207	19	284
Count Percent	1.4%	.4%	3.5%	9.9%	5.3%	72.9%	6.7%	100%
GLASBURY								
Count	2	2	9	13	18	60	8	112
Count Percent	1.8%	1.8%	8.0%	11.6%	16.1%	53.6%	7.1%	100%
ROSS								
Count	3	5	4	22	22	177	13	246
Count Percent	1.2%	2.0%	1.6%	8.9%	8.9%	72.0%	5.3%	100%
KERNE BRIDGE								
Count	1	2	4	0	6	27	0	40
Count Percent	2.5%	5.0%	10.0%	.0%	15.0%	67.5%	.0%	100%
LOWER LYDBROOKE								
Count	1	1	2	0	5	13	0	22
Count Percent	4.5%	4.5%	9.1%	.0%	22.7%	59.1%	.0%	100%
SYMONDS YAT EAST								
Count	2	6	18	14	38	239	12	329
Count Percent	.6%	1.8%	5.5%	4.3%	11.6%	72.6%	3.6%	100%
THE BIBLINS								
Count	1	8	32	7	29	127	4	208
Count Percent	.5%	3.8%	15.4%	3.4%	13.9%	61.1%	1.9%	100%
MONMOUTH								
Count	6	10	8	3	3	61	5	96
Count Percent	6.3%	10.4%	8.3%	3.1%	3.1%	63.5%	5.2%	100%
ALL SITES								
Count	20	35	87	89	137	942	64	1374
Count Percent	1.5%	2.5%	6.3%	6.5%	10.0%	68.6%	4.7%	100%

MEANS OF
TRANSPORT
TO SURVEY
SITE



TRANSPORT USED	TRANSPORT USED								TOTAL
	CAR OR VAN	MOTOR CYCLE OR SCOOTER	BUS-P UBLIC TRANS PORT	BUS-P RIVAT E OR COACH TOUR	WALKI NG	CYCLE	BOAT OR CANOE	OTHER	
LOCATION CODE									
RHAYADER									
Count	33	0	0	1	28	1	0	0	63
Count Percent	52.4%	.0%	.0%	1.6%	44.4%	1.6%	.0%	.0%	100%
BUILTH WELLS									
Count	593	9	3	12	45	7	0	1	670
Count Percent	88.5%	1.3%	.4%	1.8%	6.7%	1.0%	.0%	.1%	100%
GLASBURY									
Count	329	7	2	6	21	5	0	2	372
Count Percent	88.4%	1.9%	.5%	1.6%	5.6%	1.3%	.0%	.5%	100%
ROSS									
Count	594	7	12	25	121	7	3	1	770
Count Percent	77.1%	.9%	1.6%	3.2%	15.7%	.9%	.4%	.1%	100%
KERNE BRIDGE									
Count	155	0	0	4	6	0	3	0	168
Count Percent	92.3%	.0%	.0%	2.4%	3.6%	.0%	1.8%	.0%	100%
LOWER LYDBROOKE									
Count	71	1	0	1	8	3	0	0	84
Count Percent	84.5%	1.2%	.0%	1.2%	9.5%	3.6%	.0%	.0%	100%
SYMONDS YAT EAST									
Count	761	13	2	20	31	9	4	0	840
Count Percent	90.6%	1.5%	.2%	2.4%	3.7%	1.1%	.5%	.0%	100%
THE BIBLINS									
Count	325	2	2	4	63	9	1	1	407
Count Percent	79.9%	.5%	.5%	1.0%	15.5%	2.2%	.2%	.2%	100%
MONMOUTH									
Count	351	3	6	6	82	9	13	6	476
Count Percent	73.7%	.6%	1.3%	1.3%	17.2%	1.9%	2.7%	1.3%	100%
ALL SITES									
Count	3212	42	27	79	405	50	24	11	3850
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ACTIVITIES OF VISITORS

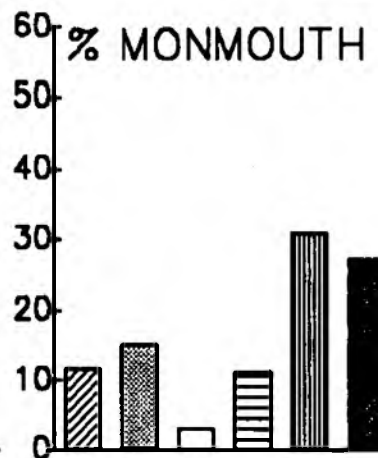
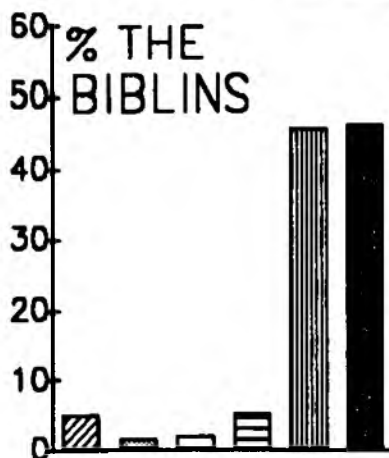
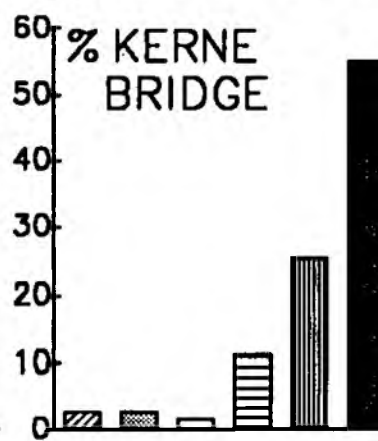
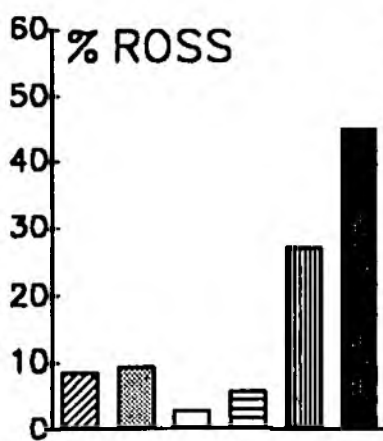
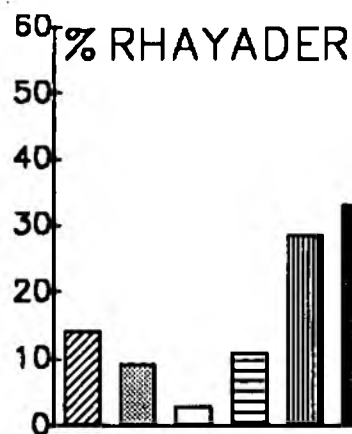


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	PICNI CKING	ENJOY ING THE VIEW	SITTI NG AND RELAX ING	SHORT WALK	LONG WALK	WILDL IFE/N ATURE STUDY	PLAYI NG INFOR MAL GAMES	VISIT ING PUB/R ESTAU RANT	CANOE ING
LOCATION CODE									
RHAYADER									
Count	20	50	42	38	8	25	19	34	0
Count Percent	31.7%	79.4%	66.7%	60.3%	12.7%	39.7%	30.2%	54.0%	.0%
BUILTH WELLS									
Count	282	508	370	324	13	144	88	180	19
Count Percent	42.0%	75.6%	55.1%	48.2%	1.9%	21.4%	13.1%	26.8%	2.8%
GLASBURY									
Count	158	218	205	136	12	28	46	66	53
Count Percent	42.0%	58.0%	54.5%	36.2%	3.2%	7.4%	12.2%	17.6%	14.1%
ROSS									
Count	187	561	396	507	19	83	68	337	23
Count Percent	24.2%	72.5%	51.2%	65.5%	2.5%	10.7%	8.8%	43.5%	3.0%
KERNE BRIDGE									
Count	61	89	54	38	4	7	8	35	45
Count Percent	36.3%	53.0%	32.1%	22.6%	2.4%	4.2%	4.8%	20.8%	26.8%
LOWER LYDBROOK									
Count	17	65	35	21	1	32	0	20	23
Count Percent	20.2%	77.4%	41.7%	25.0%	1.2%	38.1%	.0%	23.8%	27.4%
SYMONDS YAT EAST									
Count	254	632	466	390	34	133	88	448	132
Count Percent	30.2%	75.1%	55.3%	46.3%	4.0%	15.8%	10.5%	53.2%	15.7%
THE BIBLINS									
Count	171	354	217	78	23	180	47	157	39
Count Percent	42.0%	87.0%	53.3%	19.2%	5.7%	44.2%	11.5%	38.6%	9.6%
MONMOUTH									
Count	87	231	214	185	16	66	22	93	81
Count Percent	18.2%	48.3%	44.8%	38.7%	3.3%	13.8%	4.6%	19.5%	16.9%
ALL SITES									
Count	1237	2708	1999	1717	130	698	386	1370	415
Count Percent	32.0%	70.1%	51.7%	44.4%	3.4%	18.1%	10.0%	35.5%	10.7%

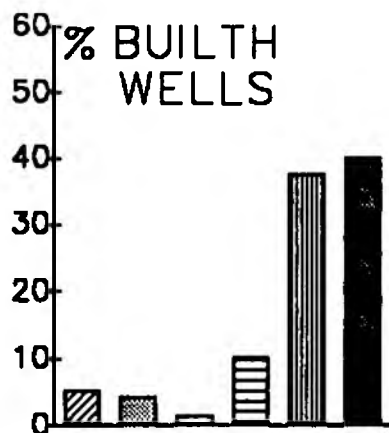
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ACTIVITIES PERFORMED	ACTIVITIES PERFORMED					ALL- ACTIVITIES
	BOAT TRIP	ANGLI NG	RAFT RACE	SWIMM ING, P ADDLI NG, SC HNORK ELLIN G	OTHER	
LOCATION CODE						
RHAYADER						
Count	0	3	0	0	3	63
Count Percent	.0%	4.8%	.0%	.0%	4.8%	100%
BUILTH WELLS						
Count	0	30	5	17	70	672
Count Percent	.0%	4.5%	.7%	2.5%	10.4%	100%
GLASBURY						
Count	0	8	0	45	37	376
Count Percent	.0%	2.1%	.0%	12.0%	9.8%	100%
ROSS						
Count	92	19	16	2	79	774
Count Percent	11.9%	2.5%	2.1%	.3%	10.2%	100%
KERNE BRIDGE						
Count	0	4	27	3	6	168
Count Percent	.0%	2.4%	16.1%	1.8%	3.6%	100%
LOWER LYDBROOKE						
Count	0	9	6	2	22	84
Count Percent	.0%	10.7%	7.1%	2.4%	26.2%	100%
SYMONDS YAT EAST						
Count	251	16	4	3	40	842
Count Percent	29.8%	1.9%	.5%	.4%	4.8%	100%
THE BIBLINS						
Count	0	7	0	4	33	407
Count Percent	.0%	1.7%	.0%	1.0%	8.1%	100%
MONMOUTH						
Count	11	5	88	5	41	478
Count Percent	2.3%	1.0%	18.4%	1.0%	8.6%	100%
ALL SITES						
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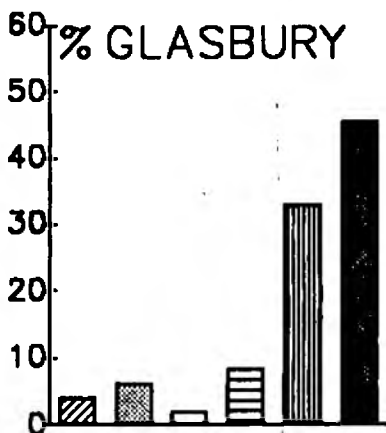
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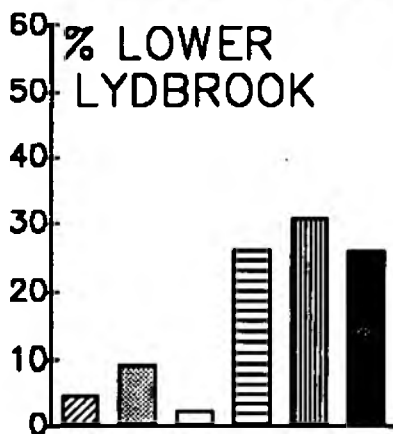
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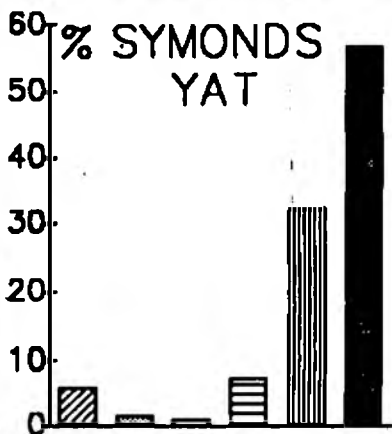
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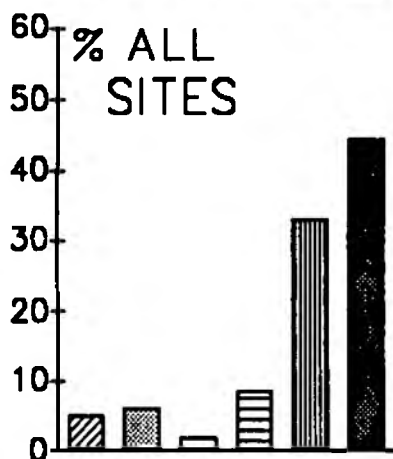
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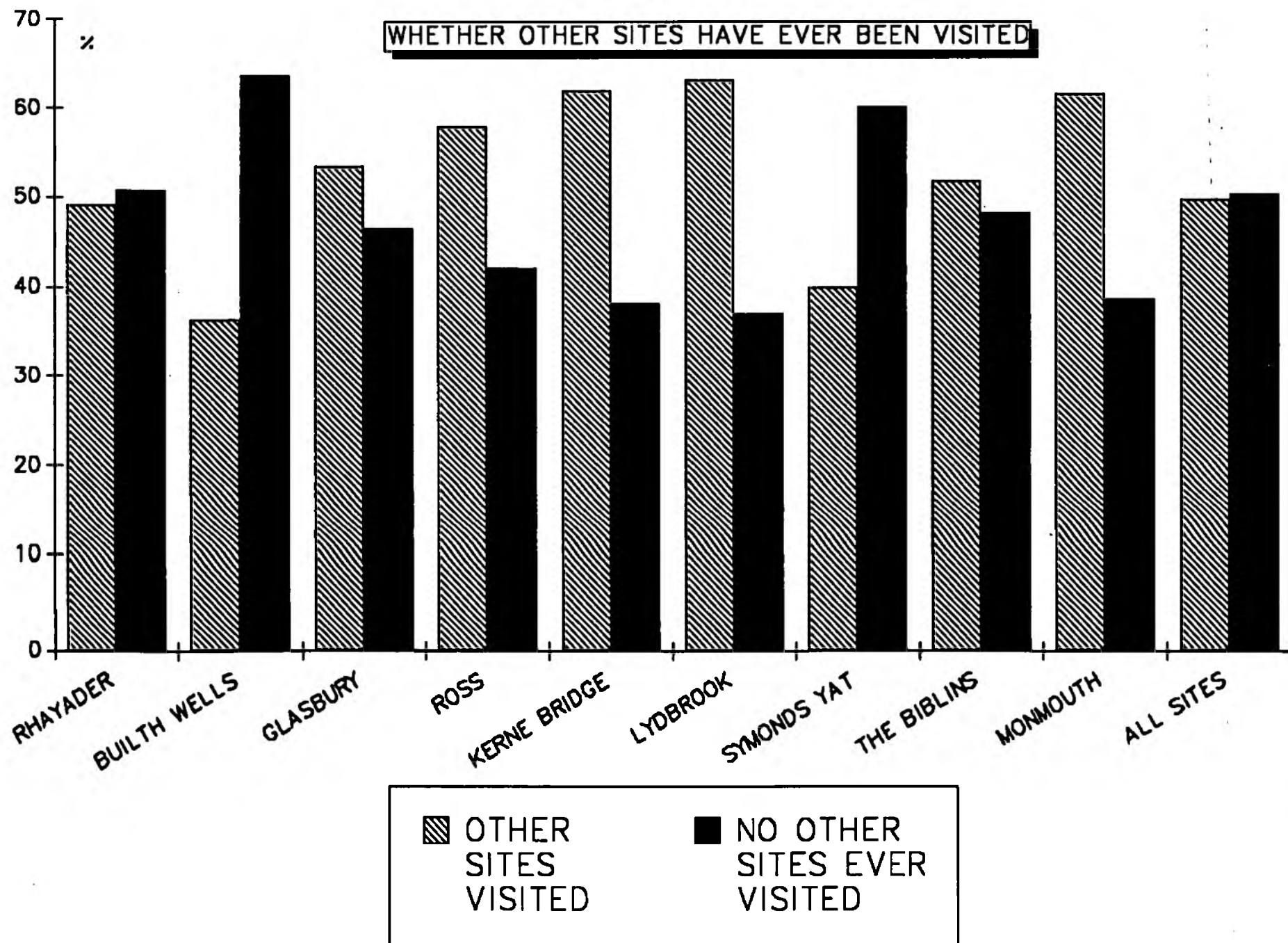


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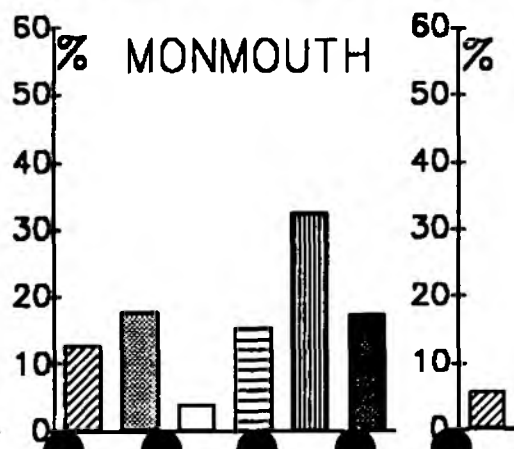
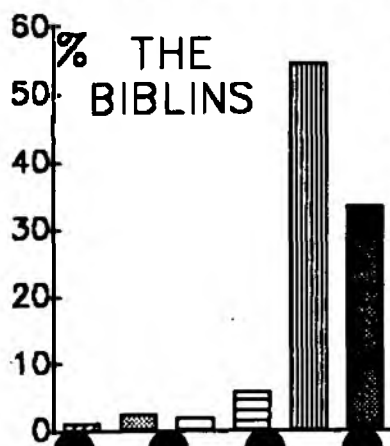
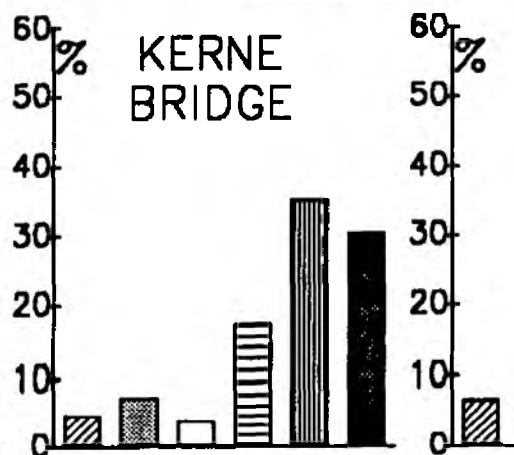
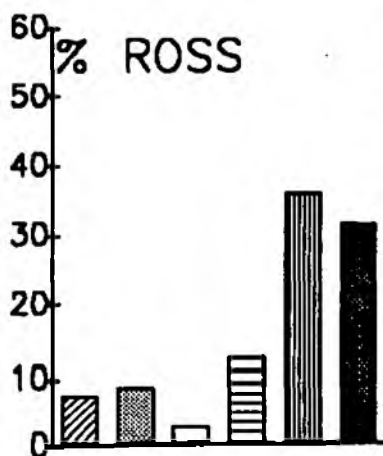
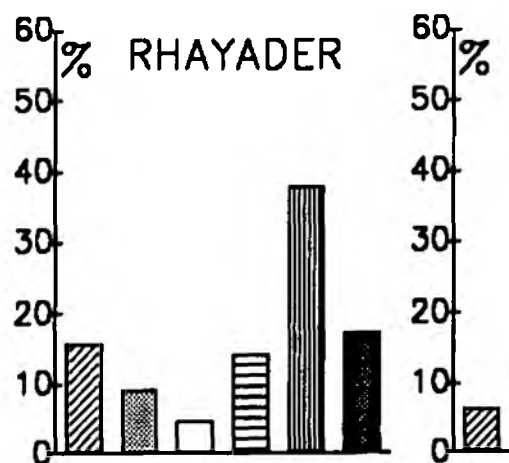


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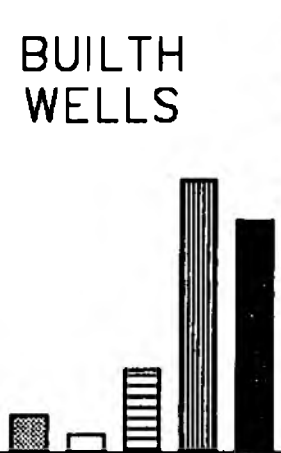
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LOCATION CODE							
RHAYADER							
Count	9	6	2	7	18	21	63
Count Percent	14.3%	9.5%	3.2%	11.1%	28.6%	33.3%	100%
BUILTH WELLS							
Count	36	30	10	70	255	271	672
Count Percent	5.4%	4.5%	1.5%	10.4%	37.9%	40.3%	100%
GLASBURY							
Count	16	24	8	32	124	171	375
Count Percent	4.3%	6.4%	2.1%	8.5%	33.1%	45.6%	100%
ROSS							
Count	68	74	24	48	210	348	772
Count Percent	8.8%	9.6%	3.1%	6.2%	27.2%	45.1%	100%
KERNE BRIDGE							
Count	5	5	3	19	43	93	168
Count Percent	3.0%	3.0%	1.8%	11.3%	25.6%	55.4%	100%
LOWER LYDBROOKE							
Count	4	8	2	22	26	22	84
Count Percent	4.8%	9.5%	2.4%	26.2%	31.0%	26.2%	100%
SYMONDS YAT EAST							
Count	5	14	8	64	273	478	842
Count Percent	.6%	1.7%	1.0%	7.6%	32.4%	56.8%	100%
THE BIBLINS							
Count	2	7	1	21	187	189	407
Count Percent	.5%	1.7%	.2%	5.2%	45.9%	46.4%	100%
MONMOUTH							
Count	56	72	15	54	149	132	478
Count Percent	11.7%	15.1%	3.1%	11.3%	31.2%	27.6%	100%
ALL SITES							
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Count Percent	5.2%	6.2%	1.9%	8.7%	33.3%	44.7%	100%



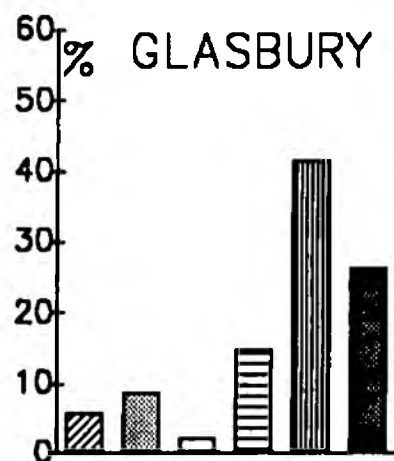
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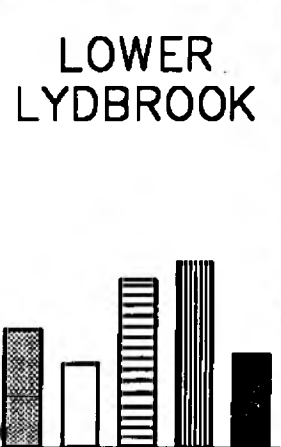
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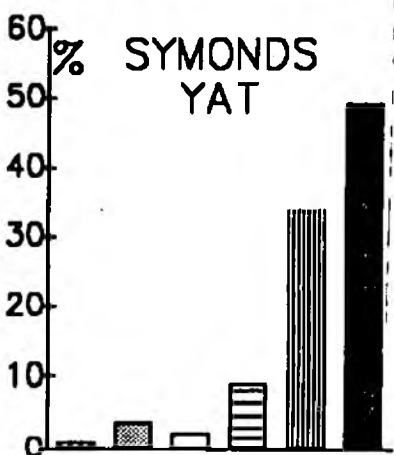
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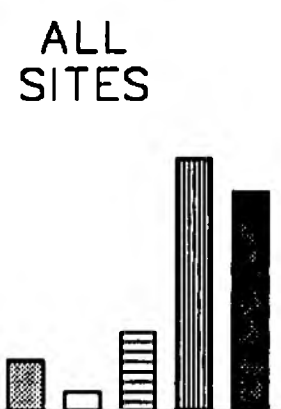
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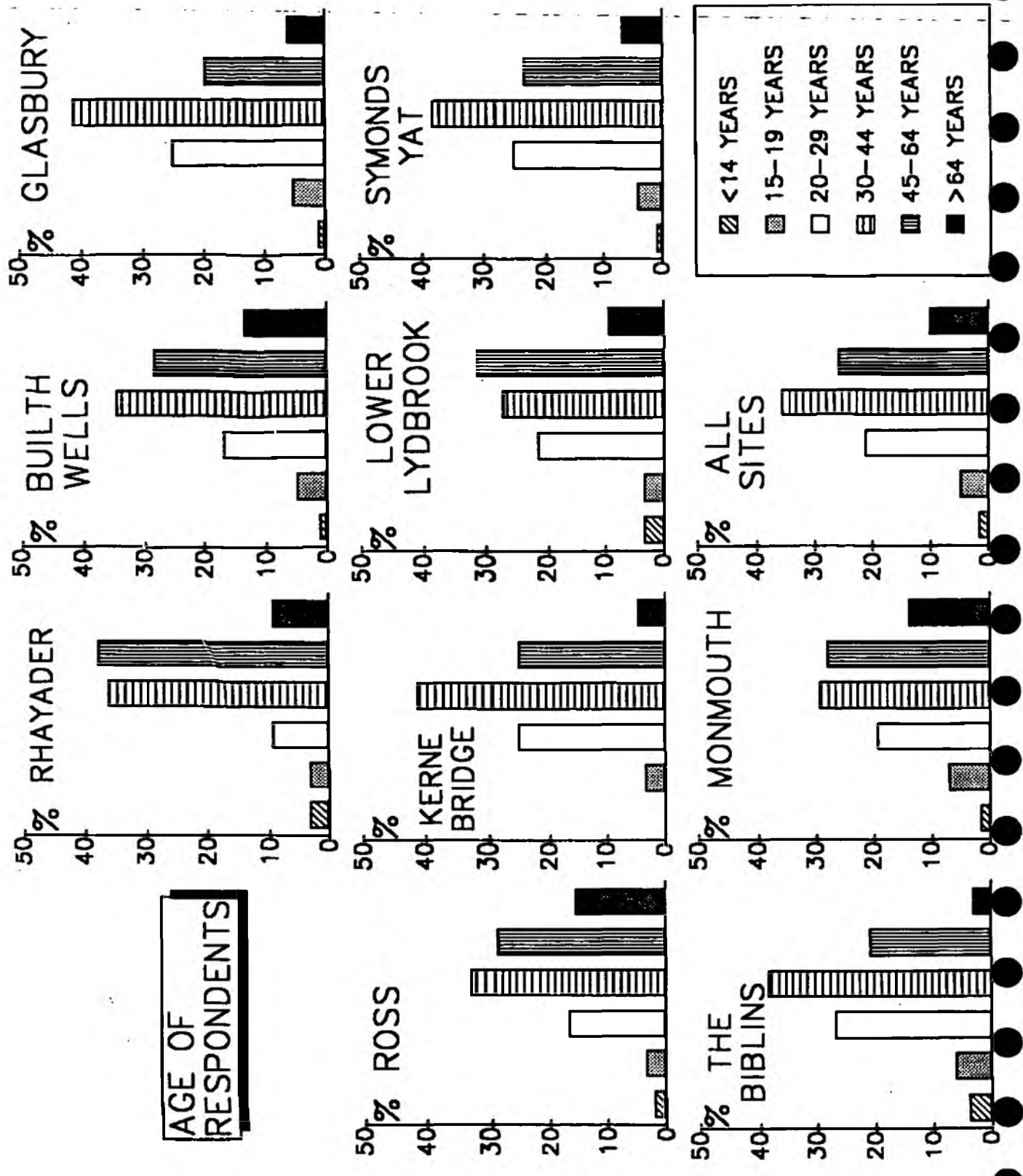
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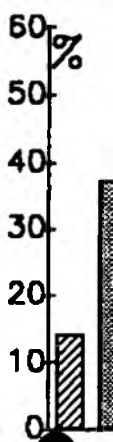
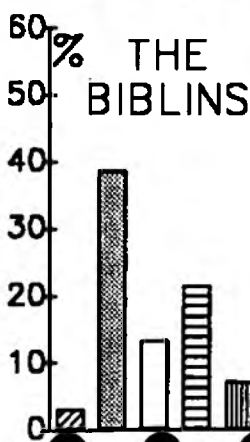
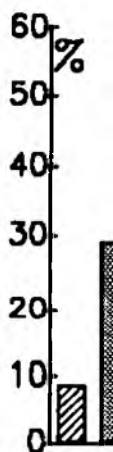
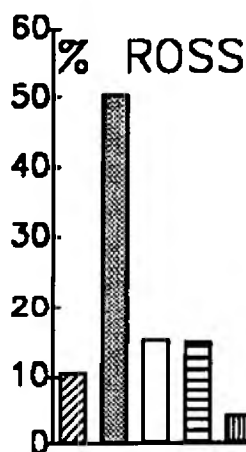
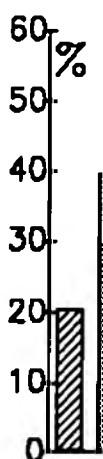
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LOCATION CODE							
RHAYADER							
Count	10	6	3	9	24	11	63
Count Percent	15.9%	9.5%	4.8%	14.3%	38.1%	17.5%	100%
BUILTH WELLS							
Count	44	38	20	82	260	222	666
Count Percent	6.6%	5.7%	3.0%	12.3%	39.0%	33.3%	100%
GLASBURY							
Count	22	33	9	56	155	98	373
Count Percent	5.9%	8.8%	2.4%	15.0%	41.6%	26.3%	100%
ROSS							
Count	59	70	21	98	279	246	773
Count Percent	7.6%	9.1%	2.7%	12.7%	36.1%	31.8%	100%
KERNE BRIDGE							
Count	8	13	7	29	59	51	167
Count Percent	4.8%	7.8%	4.2%	17.4%	35.3%	30.5%	100%
LOWER LYDBROOKE							
Count	6	14	10	20	22	11	83
Count Percent	7.2%	16.9%	12.0%	24.1%	26.5%	13.3%	100%
SYMONDS YAT EAST							
Count	10	36	22	74	284	413	839
Count Percent	1.2%	4.3%	2.6%	8.8%	33.8%	49.2%	100%
THE BIBLINS							
Count	5	10	8	24	223	137	407
Count Percent	1.2%	2.5%	2.0%	5.9%	54.8%	33.7%	100%
MONMOUTH							
Count	61	85	19	74	156	83	478
Count Percent	12.8%	17.8%	4.0%	15.5%	32.6%	17.4%	100%
ALL SITES							
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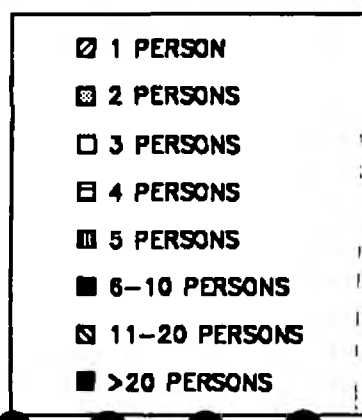
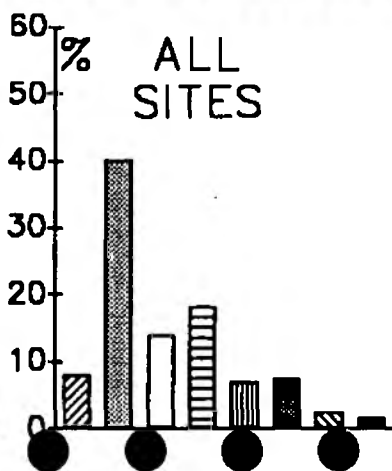
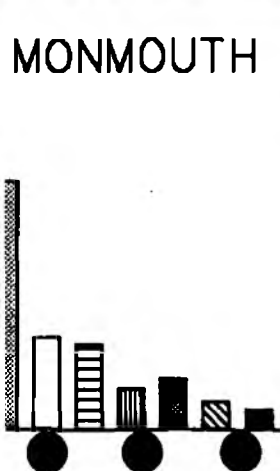
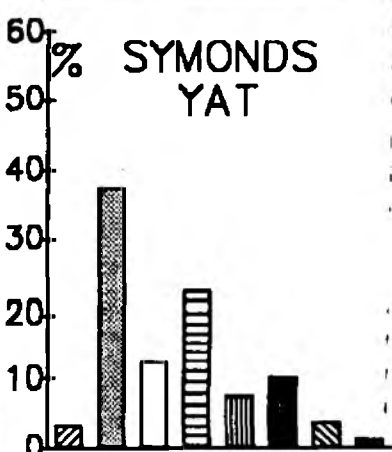
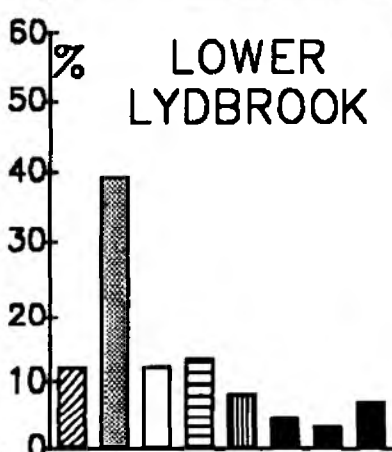
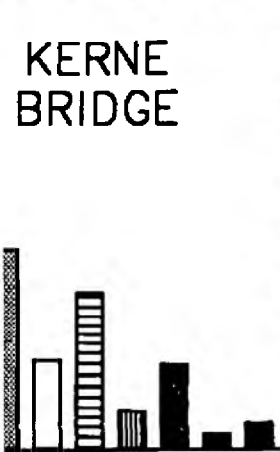
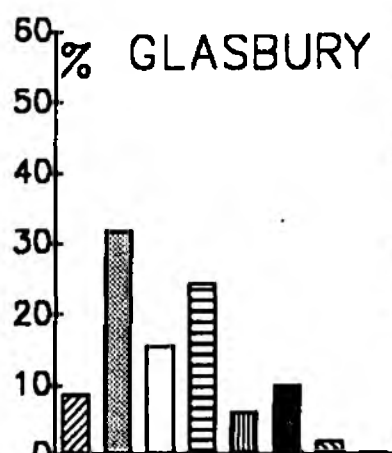
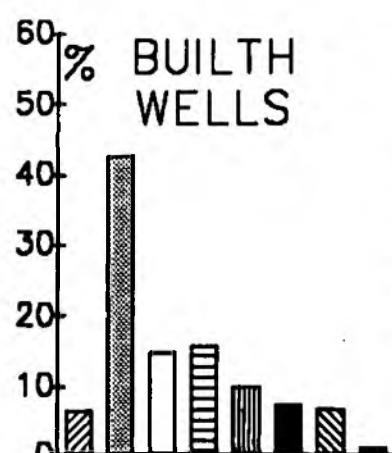
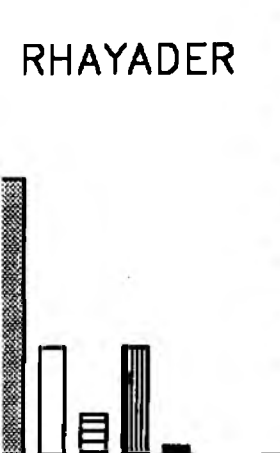
AGE OF RESPONDENTS



AGE OF RESPONDENT	AGE							TOTAL
	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-29	30-44	45-64	65+	
LOCATION CODE								
RHAYADER								
Count	0	2	2	6	23	24	6	63
Count Percent	.0%	3.2%	3.2%	9.5%	36.5%	38.1%	9.5%	100%
BUILTH WELLS								
Count	0	9	34	114	231	190	92	670
Count Percent	.0%	1.3%	5.1%	17.0%	34.5%	28.4%	13.7%	100%
GLASBURY								
Count	0	5	21	95	156	75	24	376
Count Percent	.0%	1.3%	5.6%	25.3%	41.5%	19.9%	6.4%	100%
ROSS								
Count	2	14	27	129	255	226	121	774
Count Percent	.3%	1.8%	3.5%	16.7%	32.9%	29.2%	15.6%	100%
KERNE BRIDGE								
Count	0	0	6	42	69	42	8	167
Count Percent	.0%	.0%	3.6%	25.1%	41.3%	25.1%	4.8%	100%
LOWER LYDBROOKE								
Count	0	3	3	18	23	26	10	83
Count Percent	.0%	3.6%	3.6%	21.7%	27.7%	31.3%	12.0%	100%
SYMONDS YAT EAST								
Count	1	8	37	215	321	199	58	839
Count Percent	.1%	1.0%	4.4%	25.6%	38.3%	23.7%	6.9%	100%
THE BIBLINS								
Count	0	16	25	110	157	86	13	407
Count Percent	.0%	3.9%	6.1%	27.0%	38.6%	21.1%	3.2%	100%
MONMOUTH								
Count	0	8	34	93	141	135	67	478
Count Percent	.0%	1.7%	7.1%	19.5%	29.5%	28.2%	14.0%	100%
ALL SITES								
Count	3	65	189	822	1376	1003	399	3857
Count Percent	.1%	1.7%	4.9%	21.3%	35.7%	26.0%	10.3%	100%

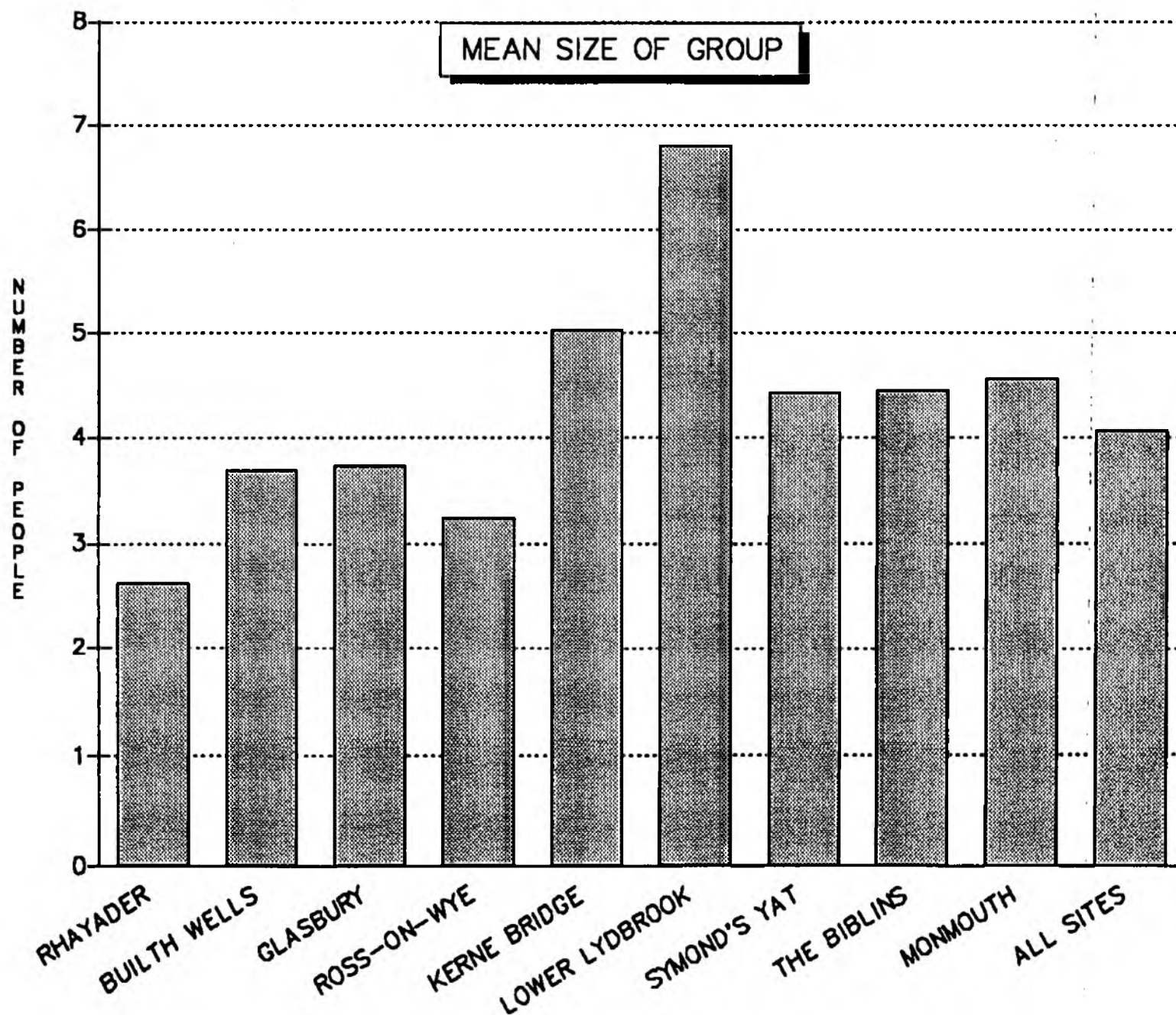
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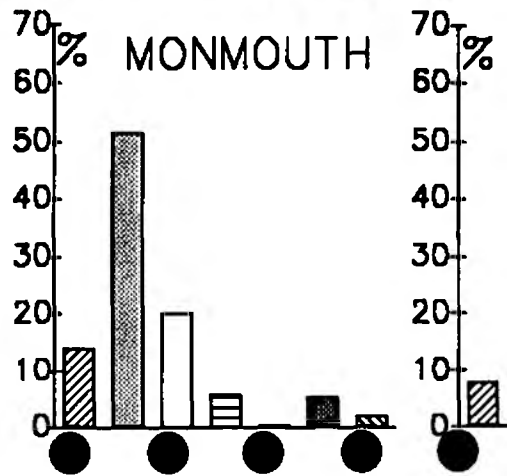
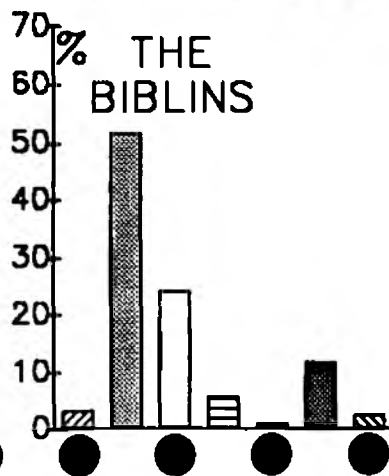
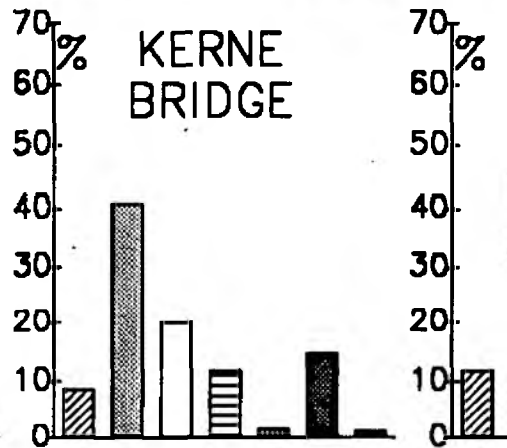
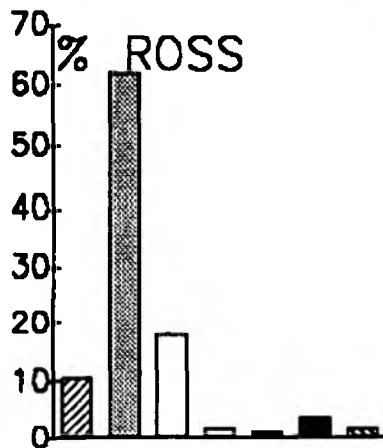
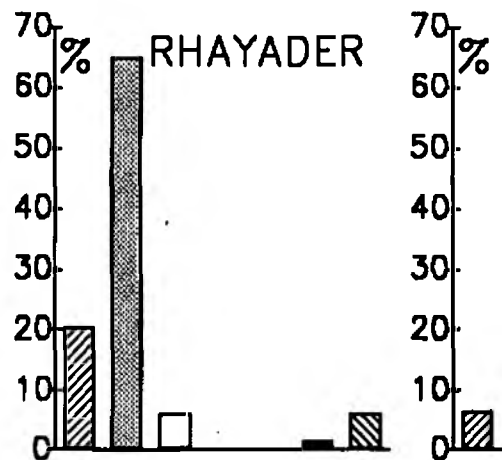


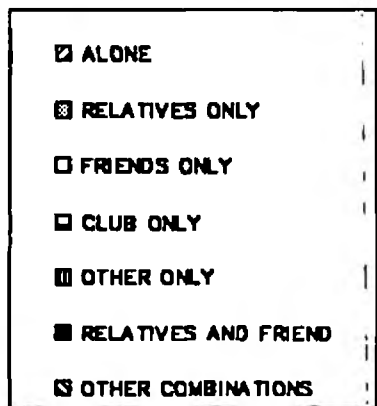
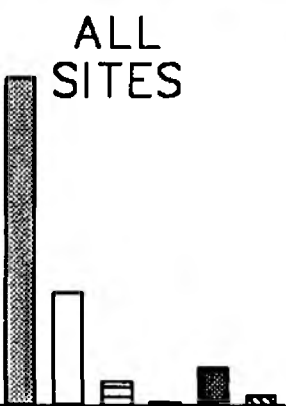
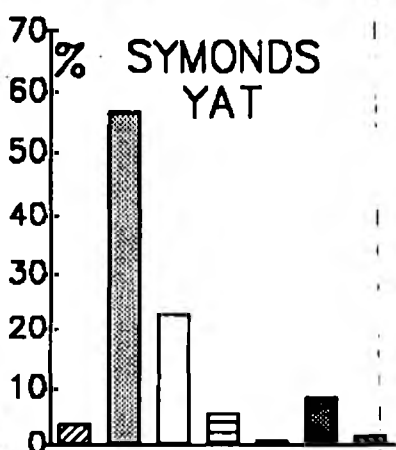
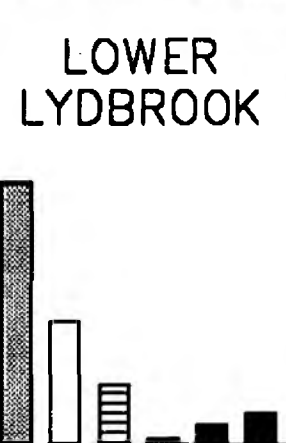
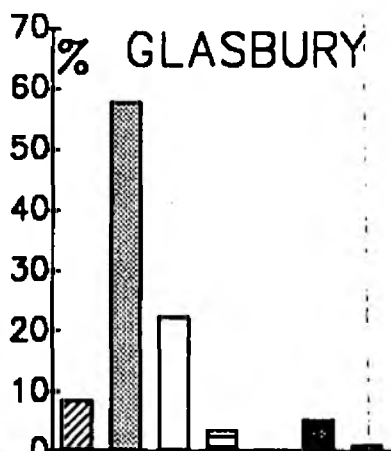
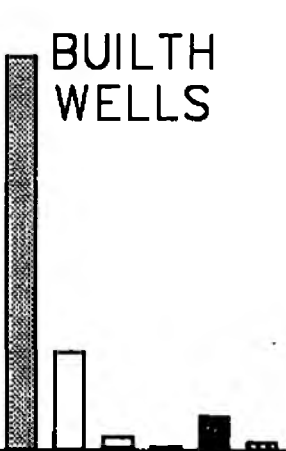
SIZE OF PARTY	SIZE OF GROUP								TOTAL
	1	2	3	4	5	6-10	11-20	>20	
LOCATION CODE									
RHAYADER									
Count	13	25	10	4	10	1	0	0	63
Count Percent	20.6%	39.7%	15.9%	6.3%	15.9%	1.6%	.0%	.0%	100%
BUILTH WELLS									
Count	45	288	100	107	68	50	5	8	671
Count Percent	6.7%	42.9%	14.9%	15.9%	10.1%	7.5%	.7%	1.2%	100%
GLASBURY									
Count	33	120	59	92	24	38	8	2	376
Count Percent	8.8%	31.9%	15.7%	24.5%	6.4%	10.1%	2.1%	.5%	100%
ROSS									
Count	83	389	116	114	31	23	9	7	772
Count Percent	10.8%	50.4%	15.0%	14.8%	4.0%	3.0%	1.2%	.9%	100%
KERNE BRIDGE									
Count	15	49	22	40	10	21	4	7	168
Count Percent	8.9%	29.2%	13.1%	23.8%	6.0%	12.5%	2.4%	4.2%	100%
LOWER LYDBROOKE									
Count	10	33	10	11	7	4	3	6	84
Count Percent	11.9%	39.3%	11.9%	13.1%	8.3%	4.8%	3.6%	7.1%	100%
SYMONDS YAT EAST									
Count	30	315	105	193	65	86	35	13	842
Count Percent	3.6%	37.4%	12.5%	22.9%	7.7%	10.2%	4.2%	1.5%	100%
THE BIBLINS									
Count	13	158	54	87	29	33	25	8	407
Count Percent	3.2%	38.8%	13.3%	21.4%	7.1%	8.1%	6.1%	2.0%	100%
MONMOUTH									
Count	68	179	67	61	30	37	21	15	478
Count Percent	14.2%	37.4%	14.0%	12.8%	6.3%	7.7%	4.4%	3.1%	100%
ALL SITES									
Count	310	1556	543	709	274	293	110	66	3861
Count Percent	8.0%	40.3%	14.1%	18.4%	7.1%	7.6%	2.8%	1.7%	100%

WHETHER OTHER SITES HAVE BEEN VISITD	EVER VISIT OTHER SITES?		TOTAL
	YES	NO	
LOCATION CODE			
RHAYADER			
Count	31	32	63
Count Percent	49.2%	50.8%	100%
BUILTH WELLS			
Count	244	428	672
Count Percent	36.3%	63.7%	100%
GLASBURY			
Count	201	175	376
Count Percent	53.5%	46.5%	100%
ROSS			
Count	448	326	774
Count Percent	57.9%	42.1%	100%
KERNE BRIDGE			
Count	104	64	168
Count Percent	61.9%	38.1%	100%
LOWER LYDBROOKE			
Count	53	31	84
Count Percent	63.1%	36.9%	100%
SYMONDS YAT EAST			
Count	336	506	842
Count Percent	39.9%	60.1%	100%
THE BIBLINS			
Count	211	196	407
Count Percent	51.8%	48.2%	100%
MONMOUTH			
Count	294	184	478
Count Percent	61.5%	38.5%	100%
ALL SITES			
Count	1922	1942	3864
Count Percent	49.7%	50.3%	100%



COMPOSITION OF PARTY

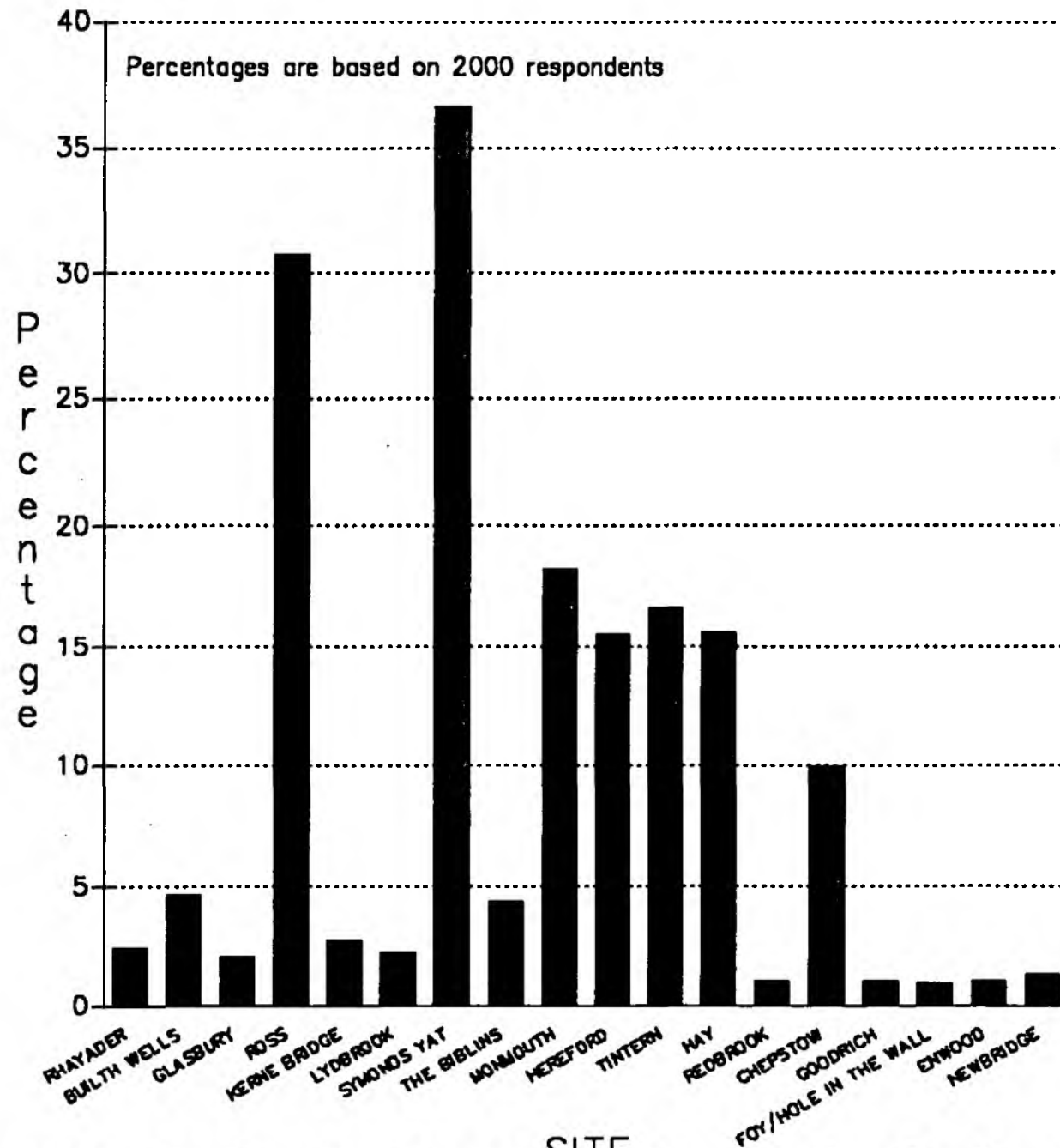




COMBINATION OF PARTY.	COMBINATION OF PEOPLE							TOTAL
	ALONE	RELAT IVES ONLY	FRIEN DS ONLY	CLUB ONLY	OTHER ONLY	RELAT IVES AND FRIEN DS	OTHER COMBI NATIO NS	
LOCATION CODE RHAYADER								
Count	13	41	4	0	0	1	4	63
Count Percent	20.6%	65.1%	6.3%	.0%	.0%	1.6%	6.3%	100%
BUILTH WELLS								
Count	45	440	113	16	7	40	11	672
Count Percent	6.7%	65.5%	16.8%	2.4%	1.0%	6.0%	1.6%	100%
GLASBURY								
Count	33	218	85	14	2	20	4	376
Count Percent	8.8%	58.0%	22.6%	3.7%	.5%	5.3%	1.1%	100%
ROSS								
Count	83	481	141	15	9	30	15	774
Count Percent	10.7%	62.1%	18.2%	1.9%	1.2%	3.9%	1.9%	100%
KERNE BRIDGE								
Count	15	69	34	20	3	25	2	168
Count Percent	8.9%	41.1%	20.2%	11.9%	1.8%	14.9%	1.2%	100%
LOWER LYDBROOKE								
Count	10	38	18	9	1	3	5	84
Count Percent	11.9%	45.2%	21.4%	10.7%	1.2%	3.6%	6.0%	100%
SYMONDS YAT EAST								
Count	30	478	191	47	6	75	15	842
Count Percent	3.6%	56.8%	22.7%	5.6%	.7%	8.9%	1.8%	100%
THE BIBLINS								
Count	13	210	98	23	4	49	10	407
Count Percent	3.2%	51.6%	24.1%	5.7%	1.0%	12.0%	2.5%	100%
MONMOUTH								
Count	68	247	96	28	3	26	10	478
Count Percent	14.2%	51.7%	20.1%	5.9%	.6%	5.4%	2.1%	100%
ALL SITES								
Count	310	2222	780	172	35	269	76	3864
Count Percent	8.0%	57.5%	20.2%	4.5%	.9%	7.0%	2.0%	100%

ALL SITES

SITES VISITED IN PAST



Other sites mentioned:-

Holme Lacy
 Whitney
 Bredwardine
 Mordiford
 Brockweir
 Whitebrook
 Monnington
 Huntaham Bridge
 Welsh Blacknor
 Hoarwithy
 Liangurig
 Sallack
 How Caple
 Byford
 Wyndellife
 Wintour's Leap
 Canon Bridge
 Devil's Pulpit
 Bigswell
 Boughrood
 Liandaga
 Llanestephon
 Weir Gardens
 Preston-on-Wye
 Hampton Bridge
 Brobury
 Llysawen
 Breinton
 Tutshill
 Llanywrti
 Plynlimon
 Beachy Point
 Moccas
 Fownhope
 Staunton-on-Wye

ALL SITES

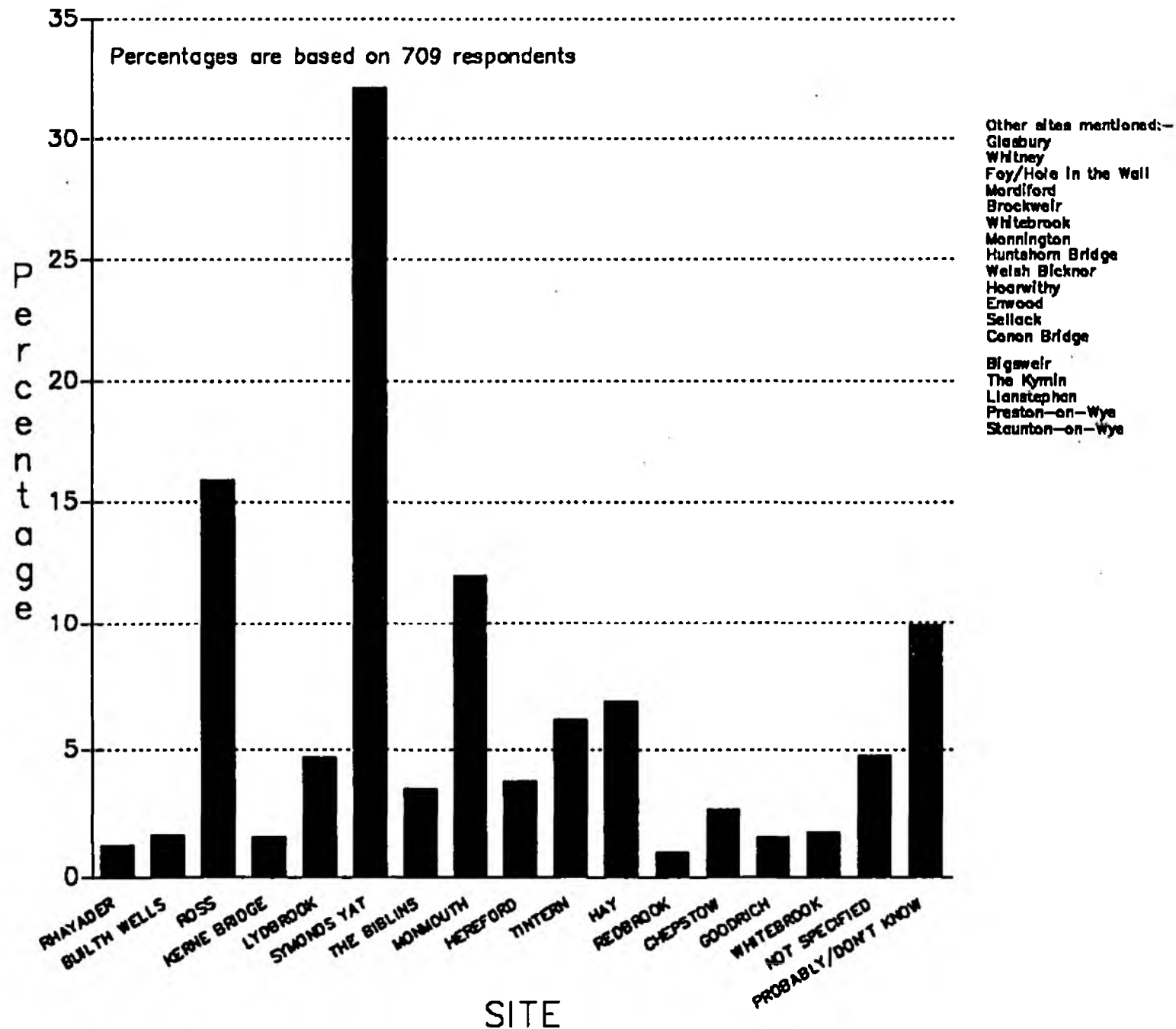
SITES VISITED IN PAST		Cases Percent	.7%
RHAYADER		MORDIFORD	
Cases	49	Cases	8
Cases Percent	2.5%	Cases Percent	.4%
BUILTH WELLS		BROCKWEIR	
Cases	94	Cases	8
Cases Percent	4.7%	Cases Percent	.4%
GLASBURY		WHITEBROOKE	
Cases	42	Cases	7
Cases Percent	2.1%	Cases Percent	.4%
ROSS		MONNINGTON	
Cases	615	Cases	6
Cases Percent	30.8%	Cases Percent	.3%
KERNE BRIDGE		HUNTSHORN BRIDGE	
Cases	56	Cases	1
Cases Percent	2.8%	Cases Percent	.1%
LYDBROOKE		WELSH BICKNOR	
Cases	45	Cases	5
Cases Percent	2.3%	Cases Percent	.3%
SYMONDS YAT		HOARWITHY	
Cases	733	Cases	15
Cases Percent	36.7%	Cases Percent	.8%
THE BIBLINS		LLANGURIG	
Cases	87	Cases	5
Cases Percent	4.4%	Cases Percent	.3%
MONMOUTH		ENWOOD	
Cases	366	Cases	22
Cases Percent	18.3%	Cases Percent	1.1%
HEREFORD		SELLACK	
Cases	311	Cases	5
Cases Percent	15.6%	Cases Percent	.3%
HOLME LACY		HOW CAPLE	
Cases	1	Cases	2
Cases Percent	.1%	Cases Percent	.1%
TINTERN		BYFORD	
Cases	334	Cases	3
Cases Percent	16.7%	Cases Percent	.2%
HAY		WYNDCLIFFE	
Cases	314	Cases	5
Cases Percent	15.7%	Cases Percent	.3%
REDBROOKE		WINTOURS LOOP	
Cases	21	Cases	6
Cases Percent	1.1%	Cases Percent	.3%
CHEPSTOW		CONON BRIDGE	
Cases	200	Cases	2
Cases Percent	10.0%	Cases Percent	.1%
GOODRICH		DEVIL'S PULPIT	
Cases	22	Cases	1
Cases Percent	1.1%	Cases Percent	.1%
WHITNEY		BIGSWEIR	
Cases	10	Cases	5
Cases Percent	.5%	Cases Percent	.3%
FOY/HOLE IN THE WALL		BOUGHROAD	
Cases	20	Cases	4
Cases Percent	1.0%	Cases Percent	.2%
BREDWARDINE		LLANDOGO	
Cases	13	Cases	7
		Cases Percent	.4%

ALL SITES

PROBABLY/DON'T KNOW	
Cases	2
Cases Percent	.1%
LLANSTEPHAN	
Cases	2
Cases Percent	.1%
WEIR GARDENS	
Cases	3
Cases Percent	.2%
PRESTON-ON-WYE	
Cases	3
Cases Percent	.2%
HAMPTON BRIDGE	
Cases	1
Cases Percent	.1%
NEWBRIDGE-ON-WYE	
Cases	27
Cases Percent	1.4%
BROBURY	
Cases	1
Cases Percent	.1%
LLYSWEN	
Cases	4
Cases Percent	.2%
BREINTON	
Cases	3
Cases Percent	.2%
TUTSHILL	
Cases	2
Cases Percent	.1%
SEVERAL/VARIOUS/NOT SPECIFIED	
Cases	138
Cases Percent	6.9%
LLANYWRTL	
Cases	2
Cases Percent	.1%
PLYNLIMON	
Cases	1
Cases Percent	.1%
BEACHY POINT	
Cases	1
Cases Percent	.1%
MOCCAS	
Cases	1
Cases Percent	.1%
FOWNHOPE	
Cases	1
Cases Percent	.1%
STAUNTON-ON-WYE	
Cases	2
Cases Percent	.1%
ALL VISITORS	
Count	2000
Count Percent	100%

ALL SITES

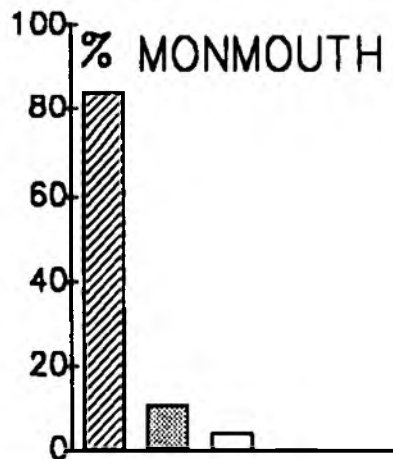
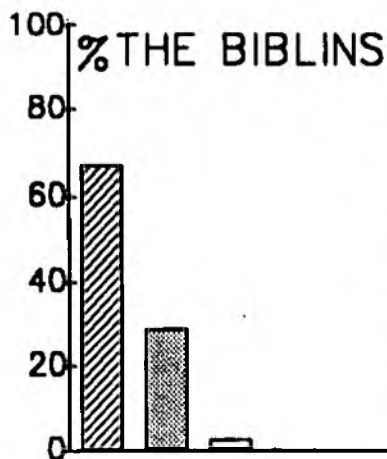
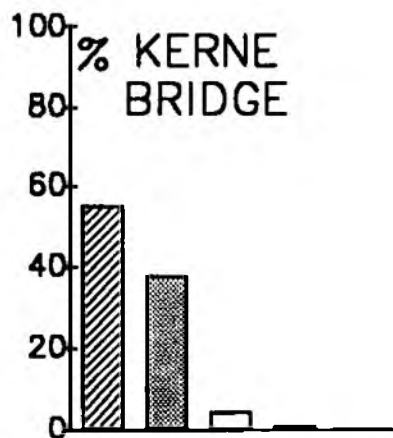
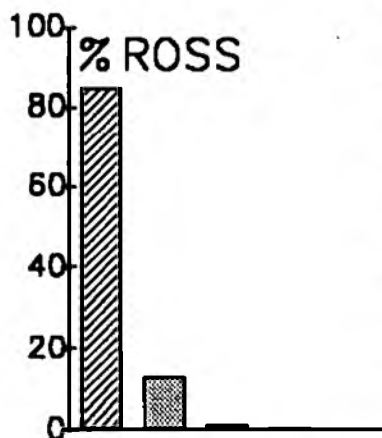
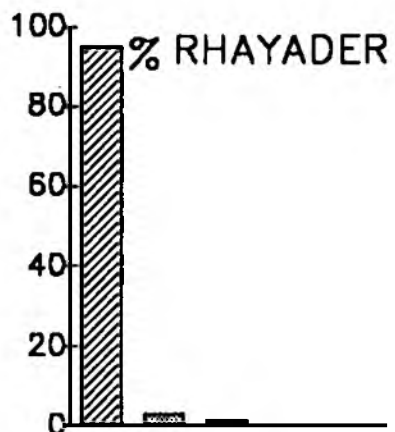
OTHER SITES VISITED TODAY



OTHER SITES VISITED	
TODAY	
RHAYADER	
Cases	9
Cases Percent	1.3%
BUILTH WELLS	
Cases	12
Cases Percent	1.7%
GLASBURY	
Cases	6
Cases Percent	.8%
ROSS	
Cases	113
Cases Percent	15.9%
KERNE BRIDGE	
Cases	11
Cases Percent	1.6%
LYDBROOKE	
Cases	33
Cases Percent	4.7%
SYMONDS YAT	
Cases	228
Cases Percent	32.2%
THE BIBLINS	
Cases	25
Cases Percent	3.5%
MONMOUTH	
Cases	85
Cases Percent	12.0%
HEREFORD	
Cases	27
Cases Percent	3.8%
TINTERN	
Cases	44
Cases Percent	6.2%
HAY	
Cases	48
Cases Percent	6.8%
REDBROOKE	
Cases	7
Cases Percent	1.0%
CHEPSTOW	
Cases	19
Cases Percent	2.7%
GOODRICH	
Cases	11
Cases Percent	1.6%
WHITNEY	
Cases	1
Cases Percent	.1%
FOY/HOLE IN THE WALL	
Cases	3
Cases Percent	.4%
MORDIFORD	
Cases	1
Cases Percent	.1%
BROCKWEIR	
Cases	2

Cases Percent	.3%
WHITEBROOKE	
Cases	13
Cases Percent	1.8%
MONNINGTON	
Cases	2
Cases Percent	.3%
HUNTSBORN BRIDGE	
Cases	3
Cases Percent	.4%
WELSH BICKNOR	
Cases	3
Cases Percent	.4%
HOARWITHY	
Cases	3
Cases Percent	.4%
ENWOOD	
Cases	3
Cases Percent	.4%
SELLACK	
Cases	1
Cases Percent	.1%
CONON BRIDGE	
Cases	1
Cases Percent	.1%
BIGSWEIR	
Cases	1
Cases Percent	.1%
THE KYMIN	
Cases	1
Cases Percent	.1%
PROBABLY/DON'T KNOW	
Cases	70
Cases Percent	9.9%
LLANSTEPHAN	
Cases	1
Cases Percent	.1%
PRESTON-ON-WYE	
Cases	1
Cases Percent	.1%
NEWBRIDGE-ON-WYE	
Cases	2
Cases Percent	.3%
SEVERAL/VARIOUS/NOT SPECIFIED	
Cases	34
Cases Percent	4.8%
STAUNTON-ON-WYE	
Cases	1
Cases Percent	.1%
ALL VISITORS	
Count	709
Count Percent	100%

NUMBER OF
SITES VISITED
ON SURVEY
DATE



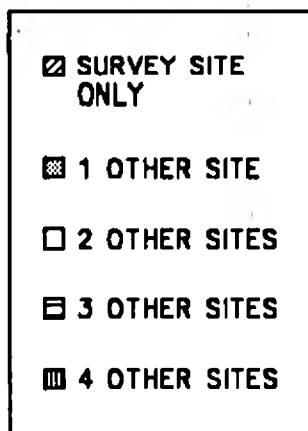
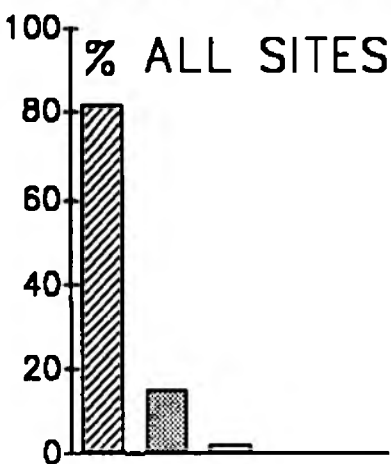
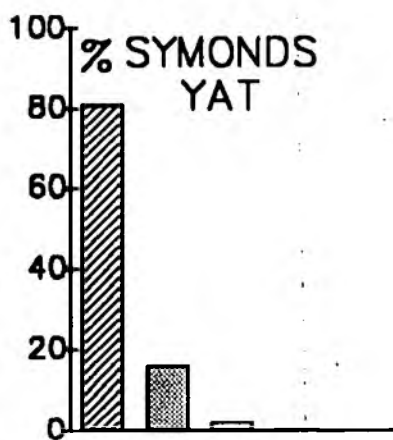
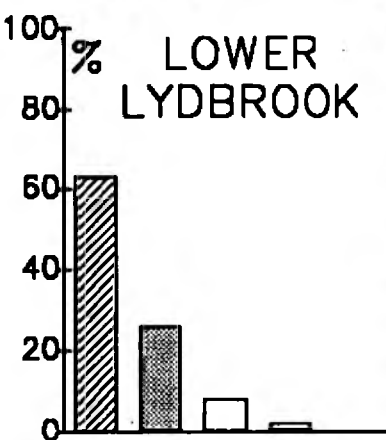
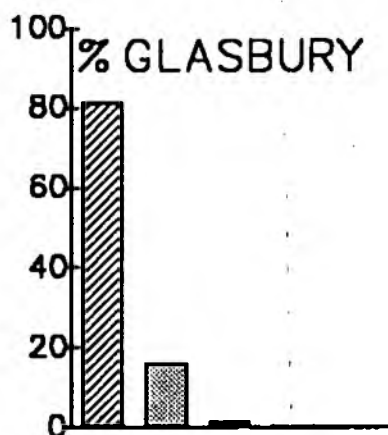
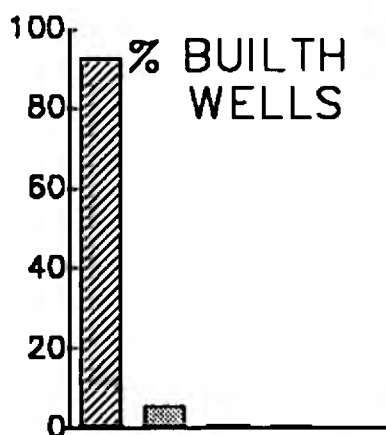


CHART 10 NUMBER OF OTHER SITES VISITED	VISITS					TOTAL
	1.00	2.00	3.00	4.00	5.00	
LOCATION CODE						
RHAYADER						
Count	60	2	1	0	0	63
Count Percent	95.2%	3.2%	1.6%	.0%	.0%	100%
BUILTH WELLS						
Count	624	39	7	2	0	672
Count Percent	92.9%	5.8%	1.0%	.3%	.0%	100%
GLASBURY						
Count	306	61	6	3	0	376
Count Percent	81.4%	16.2%	1.6%	.8%	.0%	100%
ROSS						
Count	659	100	9	6	0	774
Count Percent	85.1%	12.9%	1.2%	.8%	.0%	100%
KERNE BRIDGE						
Count	93	64	8	2	1	168
Count Percent	55.4%	38.1%	4.8%	1.2%	.6%	100%
LOWER LYDBROOKE						
Count	53	22	7	2	0	84
Count Percent	63.1%	26.2%	8.3%	2.4%	.0%	100%
SYMONDS YAT EAST						
Count	682	135	21	4	0	842
Count Percent	81.0%	16.0%	2.5%	.5%	.0%	100%
THE BIBLINS						
Count	275	119	11	2	0	407
Count Percent	67.6%	29.2%	2.7%	.5%	.0%	100%
MONMOUTH						
Count	403	53	21	1	0	478
Count Percent	84.3%	11.1%	4.4%	.2%	.0%	100%
ALL SITES						
Count	3155	595	91	22	1	3864
Count Percent	81.7%	15.4%	2.4%	.6%	.0%	100%

1991 INFORMAL VISITORS SURVEYNotes

1. Interviews took place at the following sites:
 - o Glasbury - The Bont.
 - o Hay-on-Wye - By the canoe launching area.
 - o Whitney - Picnic area by Toll Bridge.
 - o Bredwardine - By the bridge.
 - o Hereford - Bishops meadow.
 - o Ross - Riverside meadows.
 - o Kerne Bridge picnic site.
 - o Lower Lydbrooke picnic site.
 - o Huntsham Bridge.
 - o Symonds Yat West - Ferry Inn and Paddocks Hotel field.
 - o Symonds Yat East - Near to Saracens Head.
 - o Monmouth - by the rowing club steps.
2. The survey consisted of a mix of face to face interviews and self completion questionnaire forms. These were distributed on site and could be returned either on the day or by freepost. Surveys took place on the following days:
 - Tues 30th July
 - Sun 4th August
 - Thurs 8th August
 - Sat 17th August
 - Mon 26th August (Bank holiday)
 - Sun 1st September
3. Each site was surveyed on each of the six days.
4. Interviews took place between 9 am and 6 pm.
5. So far as was possible, interviewees were selected at random as they passed the survey positions at each site.
6. The surveys were undertaken by paid staff; mainly students and Wye Valley Countryside Service voluntary wardens.

Office use only

Location code			
Date code			
Ref. No.			

RIVER WYE PROJECT

RIVER WYE VISITOR SURVEY SUMMER 1991

INTERVIEWER DATE

SITE TIME (24 HR CLOCK)

INTERVIEW NUMBER

Good morning/afternoon. I am carrying out interviews on behalf of the River Wye Project. We are undertaking a survey of visitors to the River Wye. Would you help by answering a few questions. It will only take about 5 minutes.

PLEASE ENSURE THAT EACH OF THE QUESTIONS IS ANSWERED AS FULLY AS POSSIBLE. MOST CAN BE ANSWERED BY PLACING A TICK OR A NUMBER IN THE RELEVANT BOX(ES).

- 1) COULD YOU TELL ME WHERE YOU HAVE TRAVELLED FROM TO GET TO THE WYE?

Town

County

Office
Use

☐

- 2) IS THIS YOUR HOME ADDRESS OR ARE YOU AWAY FROM HOME ON HOLIDAY?

Home

1

Holiday

2

[If Home, go to question 4.
Otherwise go to the next question]

Other
(Please specify)

3

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Office
Use

- 3) WHERE DO YOU LIVE?

Town

County

☐

- 4) HAVE YOU EVER BEEN TO THE RIVER WYE BEFORE?

Yes

1

No

2

[If YES, go to the next question]

[If NO, go to question 8]

5) HOW OFTEN DO YOU VISIT THE RIVER?	At least daily	<input type="checkbox"/>	1
	At least weekly	<input type="checkbox"/>	2
	At least fortnightly	<input type="checkbox"/>	3
	At least monthly	<input type="checkbox"/>	4
	At least once a year	<input type="checkbox"/>	5
	Less than once a year	<input type="checkbox"/>	6

6) HAVE YOU EVER BEEN TO THIS PARTICULAR LOCATION BEFORE?	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	1
	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	2

[If YES, go to the next question]

[If NO, go to question 8]

7) HOW OFTEN DO YOU COME HERE?	At least daily	<input type="checkbox"/>	1
	At least weekly	<input type="checkbox"/>	2
	At least fortnightly	<input type="checkbox"/>	3
	At least monthly	<input type="checkbox"/>	4
	At least once a year	<input type="checkbox"/>	5
	Less than once a year	<input type="checkbox"/>	6

8) WHICH OF THESE ACTIVITIES HAVE YOU UNDERTAKEN OR DO YOU INTEND TO UNDERTAKE DURING YOUR VISIT TO THE RIVER?

[Please tick more than one box if necessary]

Picnicing	<input type="checkbox"/>	1	Sitting and relaxing	<input type="checkbox"/>	8
Enjoying the view	<input type="checkbox"/>	2	Visit pub or restaurant	<input type="checkbox"/>	9
Walking (less than 2 miles)	<input type="checkbox"/>	3	Wildlife and nature study	<input type="checkbox"/>	10
Walking (more than 2 miles)	<input type="checkbox"/>	4	Playing informal games	<input type="checkbox"/>	11
Canoeing	<input type="checkbox"/>	5	Boat trip	<input type="checkbox"/>	12
Angling	<input type="checkbox"/>	6	Walking the dog	<input type="checkbox"/>	13
Swimming	<input type="checkbox"/>	7	Cycling	<input type="checkbox"/>	14
			Other (Please specify)	<input type="checkbox"/>	15

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9) HOW MANY PEOPLE ARE THERE IN YOUR PARTY TODAY?

1 only	<input type="text"/>	1
2	<input type="text"/>	2
3	<input type="text"/>	3
4	<input type="text"/>	4
5	<input type="text"/>	5
6 to 10	<input type="text"/>	6
11 to 20	<input type="text"/>	7
More than 21	<input type="text"/>	8

10) WHAT AGES ARE THEY? PLEASE STATE THE APPROXIMATE NUMBER OF PEOPLE WITHIN EACH AGE GROUP.
[Place the number in the appropriate box(es)]

Age	Number
5 - 9	<input type="text"/> 1
10 - 14	<input type="text"/> 2
15 - 19	<input type="text"/> 3
20 - 29	<input type="text"/> 4
30 - 44	<input type="text"/> 5
45 - 64	<input type="text"/> 6
65+	<input type="text"/> 7

11) WHAT RELATION ARE THESE PEOPLE TO EACH OTHER?

[Tick more than one box if necessary]

Friends	<input type="checkbox"/>	1
Relatives	<input type="checkbox"/>	2
Fellow members of a club or organised group	<input type="checkbox"/>	3

12) HOW LONG ARE YOU STAYING IN THE WYE VALLEY FOR?

N/A Resident of the Wye Valley	<input type="checkbox"/>	1
Day visit only	<input type="checkbox"/>	2
1 - 2 nights	<input type="checkbox"/>	3
3 - 4 nights	<input type="checkbox"/>	4
5 - 6 nights	<input type="checkbox"/>	5
More than 6 nights	<input type="checkbox"/>	6

13) WHAT TYPE OF ACCOMMODATION ARE
YOU USING DURING YOUR STAY?

None - Day visit only

	1
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Camp site

	2
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Youth hostel

	3
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Bed and breakfast/hotel

	4
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Field centre

	5
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Friends/relatives

	6
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Other (Please specify)

	7
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14) WHY DID YOU CHOOSE TO VISIT THE RIVER WYE TODAY, RATHER THAN ANYWHERE ELSE?
[Probe]

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.....
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15) DO YOU REGULARLY VISIT OTHER RIVERS
BESIDES THE WYE?

Yes

	1
	2

No

If YES, which rivers?

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16) WHAT DO YOU PARTICULARLY LIKE ABOUT THE RIVER WYE?
[Probe] [Distinguish between 'nothing' and 'don't know']

1)

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2)

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3)

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17) IS THERE ANYTHING YOU DONT LIKE ABOUT IT?
[Probe] [Distinguish between 'nothing' and 'don't know']

- 1)
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2)
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18) ARE THERE ANY IMPROVEMENTS OR DEVELOPMENTS YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEE WHICH WOULD INCREASE YOUR ENJOYMENT OF THE RIVER?

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ARE THERE ANY OTHER COMMENTS OR SUGGESTIONS WHICH YOU WOULD LIKE TO MAKE?

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR CO-OPERATION.

**** TO BE COMPLETED BY SURVEY STAFF BEFORE DISTRIBUTION ****

LOCATION DATE



Dear visitor to the River Wye,

The River Wye Project is sponsored by ten public bodies. Its aim is to promote better understanding and improve the management of the river. In order to find out more about the recreational use of the river we are carrying out surveys at several locations along the river.

I would be grateful if you could help us by sparing a few minutes to complete this questionnaire. This may be done straight away or, if you prefer, at the end of your visit. When completed, it should be returned either by post or to the staff on site. All information provided will be treated in confidence.

Thankyou very much for your help.

Yours faithfully

River Wye Project Officer

PLEASE ANSWER EACH OF THE QUESTIONS AS FULLY AS POSSIBLE.

MOST CAN BE ANSWERED BY PLACING A TICK OR A NUMBER IN THE RELEVANT BOX(ES).

1) WHERE HAVE YOU TRAVELLED FROM TO GET TO THE RIVER WYE?

Town

County

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Office
Use

2) IS THIS YOUR HOME ADDRESS OR ARE YOU AWAY FROM HOME ON HOLIDAY?

Home

Holiday

Other
(Please specify)

<input type="checkbox"/>	1
<input type="checkbox"/>	2
<input type="checkbox"/>	3

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3) HAVE YOU EVER BEEN TO THE RIVER WYE BEFORE?

Yes

<input type="checkbox"/>	1
<input type="checkbox"/>	2

No

If YES, how often do you visit the river?

At least daily

At least weekly

At least fortnightly

At least monthly

At least once a year

Less than once a year

<input type="checkbox"/>	1
<input type="checkbox"/>	2
<input type="checkbox"/>	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	4
<input type="checkbox"/>	5
<input type="checkbox"/>	6

4) HAVE YOU EVER BEEN TO THIS PARTICULAR LOCATION BEFORE?
[ie. the location where you were handed this form]

Yes

☐

1

No

☐

2

If YES, how often do you visit this location?

At least daily

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1

At least weekly

☐

2

At least fortnightly

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3

At least monthly

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4

At least once a year

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5

Less than once a year

☐

6

5) WHICH OF THESE ACTIVITIES HAVE YOU UNDERTAKEN OR DO YOU INTEND TO UNDERTAKE DURING THIS VISIT TO THE RIVER?
[Please tick more than one box if necessary]

Picnicing

☐

1

Sitting and relaxing

☐

8

Enjoying the view

☐

2

Visit pub or restaurant

☐

9

Walking (less than 2 miles)

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3

Wildlife and nature study

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10

Walking (more than 2 miles)

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4

Playing informal games

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11

Canoeing

☐

5

Boat trip

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12

Angling

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6

Walking the dog

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13

Swimming

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7

Cycling

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14

Other (Please specify)

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6) HOW MANY PEOPLE ARE THERE IN YOUR PARTY TODAY?

1 only

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1

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6 to 10

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11 to 20

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7

More than 21

☐

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7) WHAT AGES ARE THEY? PLEASE STATE THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE IN EACH AGE GROUP.
[Place the number in the appropriate box(es)]

Age

Number

0 - 4

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1

5 - 9

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2

10 - 14

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15 - 19

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4

20 - 29

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5

30 - 44

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6

45 - 64

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7

65 plus

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8) HOW LONG ARE YOU VISITING THE
WYE VALLEY FOR?

N/A Resident of the
Wye Valley

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1

Day visit only

☐

2

1 - 2 nights

☐

3

3 - 4 nights

☐

4

5 - 6 nights

☐

5

More than 6 nights

☐

6

9) WHAT TYPE OF ACCOMMODATION ARE YOU
USING DURING YOUR STAY?

None - Day visit only

☐

1

Camp site

☐

2

Youth hostel

☐

3

Bed and breakfast/hotel

☐

4

Field Centre

☐

5

Friends/relatives

☐

6

Other (Please specify)

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7

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10) WHY DID YOU CHOOSE TO VISIT THE RIVER WYE TODAY RATHER THAN ANYWHERE ELSE?

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11) WHAT DO YOU PARTICULARLY LIKE ABOUT THE RIVER WYE?

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12) IS THERE ANYTHING YOU DO NOT LIKE ABOUT IT?

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13) ARE THERE ANY IMPROVEMENTS OR DEVELOPMENTS YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEE WHICH WOULD
INCREASE YOUR ENJOYMENT OF THE RIVER?

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR CO-OPERATION.

WYE PROJECT INFORMAL VISITOR SURVEY 1991**SUMMARY OF RESPONSES**

<u>SITE</u>	<u>SELF COMPLETION FORMS</u>			<u>SITE INTERVIEWS</u>			<u>COMBINED</u>
	NO. FORMS DISTRIBUTED	NO. FORMS COMPLETED	% RETURN	NO. FORMS COMPLETED	NO. REFUSALS	% RESPONSE	<u>TOTAL</u> NO. FORMS
GLASBURY	112	62	55	83	7	92	145
HAY	98	47	48	33	7	83	80
WHITNEY	44	9	20	26	3	90	35
BREDWARDINE	42	24	57	46	3	94	70
HEREFORD	262	68	26	123	20	86	191
ROSS	258	93	36	105	16	87	198
KERNE B.	38	17	45	65	0	100	82
LYDBROOK	118	41	35	80	2	98	121
HUNTSHAM B.	65	33	51	17	0	100	50
S. YAT WEST	431	135	31	82	8	91	217
S. YAT EAST	135	68	50	42	8	84	110
MONMOUTH	158	87	55	42	5	89	129
ALL SITES	1761	684	39	744	79	90	1428

WYE PROJECT INFORMAL VISTOR SURVEY 1991 RESULTS

ORIGIN OF VISITORS

<u>SITE</u>	<u>ORIGIN</u>	<u>SELF COMPLETION</u>		<u>SITE INTERVIEWS</u>		<u>COMBINED TOTAL</u>	
		<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
GLASBURY	Home	45	73	55	66	100	69
	Holiday	15	24	27	33	42	29
	Other	2	3	1	1	3	2
	TOTAL	62	100	83	100	145	100
HAY	Home	23	49	16	48	39	49
	Holiday	21	45	16	48	37	46
	Other	3	6	1	3	4	5
	TOTAL	47	100	33	100	80	100
WHITNEY	Home	3	33	11	42	14	40
	Holiday	6	67	13	50	19	54
	Other	0	0	2	8	2	6
	TOTAL	9	100	26	100	35	100
BREDWARDINE	Home	18	75	30	65	48	69
	Holiday	6	25	15	33	21	30
	Other	0	0	1	2	1	1
	TOTAL	24	100	46	100	70	100
HEREFORD	Home	46	68	91	74	137	72
	Holiday	21	31	30	24	51	27
	Other	1	1	2	2	3	2
	TOTAL	68	100	123	100	191	100
ROSS	Home	67	72	64	61	131	66
	Holiday	23	25	39	37	62	31
	Other	3	3	2	2	5	3
	TOTAL	93	100	105	100	198	100
KERNE B.	Home	7	41	30	46	37	46
	Holiday	10	59	34	52	44	54
	Other	0	0	1	2	1	1
	TOTAL	17	100	65	100	82	101
LYDBROOK	Home	34	83	54	68	88	73
	Holiday	6	15	26	33	32	26
	Other	1	2	0	0	1	1
	TOTAL	41	100	80	100	121	100
HUNTSHAM B.	Home	26	79	9	53	35	70
	Holiday	7	21	7	41	14	28
	Other	0	0	1	6	1	2
	TOTAL	33	100	17	100	50	100
S.YAT WEST	Home	96	71	43	52	139	64
	Holiday	36	27	38	46	74	34
	Other	3	2	1	1	4	2
	TOTAL	135	100	82	100	217	100

SELF COMPLETION SITE INTERVIEWS COMBINED TOTAL

<u>SITE</u>	<u>ORIGIN</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
S YAT EAST	Home	47	69	23	55	70	64
	Holiday	21	31	18	43	39	35
	Other	0	0	1	2	1	1
	TOTAL	68	100	42	100	110	100
MONMOUTH	Home	64	74	27	64	91	71
	Holiday	22	25	14	33	36	28
	Other	1	1	1	2	2	2
	TOTAL	87	100	42	100	129	100
ALL SITES	Home	476	70	453	61	929	65
	Holiday	194	28	277	37	471	33
	Other	14	2	14	2	28	2
	TOTAL	684	100	744	100	1428	100

NUMBER OF VISITORS THAT HAVE PREVIOUSLY VISITED THE RIVER

SELF COMPLETION SITE INTERVIEWS COMBINED TOTAL

<u>SITE</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
GLASBURY	55	89	71	85	126	87
HAY	39	83	23	70	62	77
WHITNEY	8	89	19	73	27	77
BREDWARDINE	22	92	40	87	62	89
HEREFORD	64	94	108	88	172	90
ROSS	64	69	86	82	150	76
KERNE BRIDGE	12	71	52	80	64	78
LYDBROOK	39	95	67	84	106	88
HUNTSHAM BRIDGE	28	85	13	76	41	82
S.YAT WEST	101	75	60	73	161	74
S.YAT EAST	47	69	32	76	79	85
MONMOUTH	74	85	39	93	113	88
ALL SITES	553	81	610	82	1163	81

FREQUENCY OF VISITS [THOSE THAT HAVE VISITED THE RIVER BEFORE ONLY]

SELF COMPLETION SITE INTERVIEWS COMBINED TOTAL

<u>SITE</u>	<u>FREQUENCY</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
GLASBURY	At least daily	2	4	2	3	4	3
	At least weekly	5	9	5	7	10	8
	At least fort'ly	3	5	1	1	4	3
	At least monthly	10	18	7	10	17	13
	At least 1/year	21	38	45	63	66	52
	Less than 1/year	14	25	11	15	25	20
	Total	55	100	71	100	126	100
HAY	At least daily	6	15	1	4	7	11
	At least weekly	3	8	6	26	9	15
	At least fort'ly	1	3	2	9	3	5
	At least monthly	5	13	6	26	11	18
	At least 1/year	13	33	4	17	17	27
	Less than 1/year	11	28	4	17	15	24
	Total	39	100	23	100	62	100
WHITNEY	At least daily	0	0	1	5	1	4
	At least weekly	1	13	1	5	2	7
	At least fort'ly	0	0	2	11	2	7
	At least monthly	1	13	4	21	5	19
	At least 1/year	4	50	5	26	9	33
	Less than 1/year	2	25	6	32	8	30
	Total	8	100	19	100	27	100

SELF COMPLETION SITE INTERVIEWS COMBINED TOTAL

<u>SITE</u>	<u>FREQUENCY</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
BREDWARDINE	At least daily	1	5	7	18	8	13
	At least weekly	1	5	5	13	6	10
	At least fort'ly	0	0	8	20	8	13
	At least monthly	5	23	5	13	10	16
	At least 1/year	10	45	8	20	18	29
	Less than 1/year	5	23	7	18	12	19
	Total	22	100	40	100	62	100
HEREFORD	At least daily	7	11	28	26	35	20
	At least weekly	12	19	24	22	36	21
	At least fort'ly	4	6	6	6	10	6
	At least monthly	11	17	13	12	24	14
	At least 1/year	15	23	21	19	36	21
	Less than 1/year	15	23	16	15	31	18
	Total	64	100	108	100	172	100
ROSS	At least daily	6	9	12	14	18	12
	At least weekly	7	11	16	19	23	15
	At least fort'ly	7	11	0	0	7	5
	At least monthly	3	5	9	10	12	8
	At least 1/year	20	31	27	31	47	31
	Less than 1/year	21	33	22	26	43	29
	Total	64	100	86	100	150	100
KERNE B.	At least daily	1	8	2	4	3	5
	At least weekly	2	17	4	8	6	9
	At least fort'ly	0	0	1	2	1	2
	At least monthly	0	0	7	13	7	11
	At least 1/year	5	42	22	42	27	42
	Less than 1/year	4	33	16	31	20	31
	Total	12	100	52	100	64	100
LYDBROOK	At least daily	2	5	6	9	8	8
	At least weekly	2	5	13	19	15	14
	At least fort'ly	4	10	6	9	10	9
	At least monthly	4	10	14	21	18	17
	At least 1/year	24	62	19	28	43	41
	Less than 1/year	3	8	9	13	12	11
	Total	39	100	67	100	106	100
HUNTSHAM B.	At least daily	2	7	0	0	2	5
	At least weekly	1	4	2	15	3	7
	At least fort'ly	1	4	1	8	2	5
	At least monthly	2	7	2	15	4	10
	At least 1/year	13	46	6	46	19	46
	Less than 1/year	9	32	2	15	11	27
	Total	28	100	13	100	41	100

SELF COMPLETION SITE INTERVIEWS COMBINED TOTAL

<u>SITE</u>	<u>FREQUENCY</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
S YAT WEST	At least daily	1	1	3	5	4	2
	At least weekly	5	5	2	3	7	4
	At least fort'ly	2	2	0	0	2	1
	At least monthly	10	10	4	7	14	9
	At least 1/year	56	55	23	38	79	49
	Less than 1/year	27	27	28	47	55	34
	Total	101	100	60	100	161	100
S YAT EAST	At least daily	1	2	0	0	1	1
	At least weekly	1	2	1	3	2	3
	At least fort'ly	0	0	0	0	0	0
	At least monthly	4	9	4	13	8	10
	At least 1/year	26	55	16	50	42	53
	Less than 1/year	15	32	11	34	26	33
	Total	47	100	32	100	79	100
MONMOUTH	At least daily	2	3	3	8	5	4
	At least weekly	14	19	4	10	18	16
	At least fort'ly	5	7	3	8	8	7
	At least monthly	15	20	11	28	26	23
	At least 1/year	24	32	14	36	38	34
	Less than 1/year	14	19	4	10	18	16
	Total	74	100	39	100	113	100
ALL SITES	At least daily	31	6	65	11	96	8
	At least weekly	54	10	83	14	137	12
	At least fort'ly	27	5	30	5	57	5
	At least monthly	70	13	86	14	156	13
	At least 1/year	231	42	210	34	441	38
	Less than 1/year	140	25	136	22	276	24
	Total	553	100	610	100	1163	100

NUMBER OF VISITORS WHO HAVE PREVIOUSLY VISITED THE SURVEY SITE

SELF COMPLETION SITE INTERVIEWS COMBINED TOTAL

<u>SITE</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
GLASBURY	42	68	59	71	101	70
HAY	22	47	13	39	35	44
WHITNEY	3	33	9	35	12	34
BREDWARDINE	13	54	30	65	43	61
HEREFORD	52	76	92	75	144	75
ROSS	43	46	65	62	108	55
KERNE B.	3	18	16	25	19	23
LYDBROOK	31	76	50	63	81	67
HUNTSHAM B.	19	58	8	47	27	54
S.YAT WEST	76	56	47	57	123	57
S.YAT EAST	34	50	29	69	63	57
MONMOUTH	59	68	30	71	89	69
ALL SITES	397	58	448	60	845	59

FREQUENCY OF VISITS [THOSE THAT HAVE VISITED THE SITE BEFORE ONLY]

SELF COMPLETION SITE INTERVIEWS COMBINED TOTAL

<u>SITE</u>	<u>FREQUENCY</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
GLASBURY	At least daily	1	2	2	3	3	3
	At least weekly	2	5	2	3	4	4
	At least fort'ly	3	7	3	5	6	6
	At least monthly	6	14	2	3	8	8
	At least 1/year	19	45	37	63	56	55
	Less than 1/year	11	26	13	22	24	24
	Total	42	100	59	100	101	100
HAY	At least daily	3	14	1	8	4	11
	At least weekly	3	14	5	38	8	23
	At least fort'ly	2	9	1	8	3	9
	At least monthly	1	5	2	15	3	9
	At least 1/year	6	27	2	15	8	23
	Less than 1/year	7	32	2	15	9	26
	Total	22	100	13	100	35	100
WHITNEY	At least daily	0	0	0	0	0	0
	At least weekly	1	33	0	0	1	8
	At least fort'ly	0	0	2	22	2	17
	At least monthly	0	0	0	0	0	0
	At least 1/year	1	33	6	67	7	58
	Less than 1/year	1	33	1	11	2	17
	Total	3	100	9	100	12	100

SELF COMPLETION SITE INTERVIEWS COMBINED TOTAL

<u>SITE</u>	<u>FREQUENCY</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
BREDWARDINE	At least daily	0	0	3	10	3	7
	At least weekly	1	8	3	10	4	9
	At least fort'ly	0	0	3	10	3	7
	At least monthly	1	8	4	13	5	12
	At least 1/year	10	77	12	40	22	51
	Less than 1/year	1	8	5	17	6	14
	Total	13	100	30	100	43	100
HEREFORD	At least daily	6	12	23	25	29	20
	At least weekly	9	17	21	23	30	21
	At least fort'ly	4	8	5	5	9	6
	At least monthly	9	17	15	16	24	17
	At least 1/year	15	29	14	15	29	20
	Less than 1/year	9	17	14	15	23	16
	Total	52	100	92	100	144	100
ROSS	At least daily	4	9	11	17	15	14
	At least weekly	4	9	11	17	15	14
	At least fort'ly	7	16	2	3	9	8
	At least monthly	5	12	5	8	10	9
	At least 1/year	17	40	24	37	41	38
	Less than 1/year	6	14	12	18	18	17
	Total	43	100	65	100	108	100
KERNE B.	At least daily	0	0	1	6	1	5
	At least weekly	2	67	2	13	4	21
	At least fort'ly	0	0	1	6	1	5
	At least monthly	0	0	2	13	2	11
	At least 1/year	1	33	9	56	10	53
	Less than 1/year	0	0	1	6	1	5
	Total	3	100	16	100	19	100
LYDBROOK	At least daily	0	0	3	6	3	4
	At least weekly	2	6	8	16	10	12
	At least fort'ly	3	10	5	10	8	10
	At least monthly	1	3	7	14	8	10
	At least 1/year	18	58	17	34	35	43
	Less than 1/year	7	23	10	20	17	21
	Total	31	100	50	100	81	100
HUNTSHAM B.	At least daily	0	0	0	0	0	0
	At least weekly	1	5	0	0	1	4
	At least fort'ly	0	0	0	0	0	0
	At least monthly	3	16	1	13	4	15
	At least 1/year	10	53	6	75	16	59
	Less than 1/year	5	26	1	13	6	22
	Total	19	100	8	100	27	100

SELF COMPLETION SITE INTERVIEWS COMBINED TOTAL

<u>SITE</u>	<u>FREQUENCY</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
S.YAT WEST	At least daily	0	0	1	2	1	1
	At least weekly	5	7	0	0	5	4
	At least fort'ly	2	3	0	0	2	2
	At least monthly	8	11	3	6	11	9
	At least 1/year	43	57	19	40	62	50
	Less than 1/year	18	24	24	51	42	34
	Total	76	100	47	100	123	100
S.YAT EAST	At least daily	1	3	0	0	1	2
	At least weekly	1	3	1	3	2	3
	At least fort'ly	0	0	0	0	0	0
	At least monthly	3	9	1	3	4	6
	At least 1/year	18	53	17	59	35	56
	Less than 1/year	11	32	10	34	21	33
	Total	34	100	29	100	63	100
MONMOUTH	At least daily	3	5	3	10	6	7
	At least weekly	7	12	2	7	9	10
	At least fort'ly	8	14	4	13	12	13
	At least monthly	12	20	6	20	18	20
	At least 1/year	20	34	8	27	28	31
	Less than 1/year	9	15	7	23	16	18
	Total	59	100	30	100	89	100
ALL SITES	At least daily	18	5	48	11	66	8
	At least weekly	38	10	55	12	93	11
	At least fort'ly	29	7	26	6	55	7
	At least monthly	49	12	48	11	97	11
	At least 1/year	178	45	171	38	349	41
	Less than 1/year	85	21	100	22	185	22
	Total	397	100	448	100	845	100

ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN BY VISITORS DURING THEIR VISIT

SELF COMPLETION SITE INTERVIEWS COMBINED TOTAL

<u>SITE</u>	<u>ACTIVITY</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
GLASBURY	Picnicing	45	73	55	66	100	69
	Enjoying View	47	76	63	76	110	76
	Walking <2 miles	20	32	39	47	59	41
	Walking >2 miles	7	11	10	12	17	12
	Canoeing	5	8	21	25	26	18
	Angling	4	6	5	6	9	6
	Swimming	22	35	30	36	52	36
	Sitting/Relaxing	55	89	72	87	127	88
	Pub/Restaurant	13	21	34	41	47	32
	Nature study	6	10	11	13	17	12
	Informal games	13	21	30	36	43	30
	Boat trip	0	0	7	8	7	5
	Walking dog	10	16	17	20	27	19
	Cycling	4	6	2	2	6	4
	Other	2	3	4	5	6	4
HAY	Picnicing	15	32	16	48	31	39
	Enjoying View	34	72	23	70	57	71
	Walking <2 miles	28	60	22	67	50	63
	Walking >2 miles	11	23	8	24	19	24
	Canoeing	6	13	7	21	13	16
	Angling	2	4	3	9	5	6
	Swimming	2	4	10	30	12	15
	Sitting/Relaxing	30	64	20	61	50	63
	Pub/Restaurant	20	43	17	52	37	46
	Nature study	14	30	9	27	23	29
	Informal games	2	4	9	27	11	14
	Boat trip	2	4	1	3	3	4
	Walking dog	13	28	11	33	24	30
	Cycling	0	0	3	9	3	4
	Other	3	6	1	3	4	5
WHITNEY	Picnicing	5	56	10	38	15	43
	Enjoying View	8	89	23	88	31	89
	Walking <2 miles	4	44	9	35	13	37
	Walking >2 miles	1	11	3	12	4	11
	Canoeing	1	11	1	4	2	6
	Angling	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Swimming	0	0	1	4	1	3
	Sitting/Relaxing	7	78	21	81	28	80
	Pub/Restaurant	6	67	16	62	22	63
	Nature study	1	11	0	0	1	3
	Informal games	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Boat trip	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Walking dog	0	0	4	15	4	11
	Cycling	1	11	0	0	1	3
	Other	0	0	4	15	4	11

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BREDWARDINE	Picnicing	20	83	29	63	49	70
	Enjoying View	20	83	35	76	55	79
	Walking <2 miles	9	38	22	48	31	44
	Walking >2 miles	1	4	13	28	14	20
	Canoeing	0	0	10	22	10	14
	Angling	1	4	6	13	7	10
	Swimming	6	25	19	41	25	36
	Sitting/Relaxing	22	92	31	67	53	76
	Pub/Restaurant	3	13	16	35	19	27
	Nature study	5	21	13	28	18	26
	Informal games	4	17	12	26	16	23
	Boat trip	0	0	1	2	1	1
	Walking dog	4	17	8	17	12	17
	Cycling	1	4	2	4	3	4
	Other	2	8	2	4	4	6
HEREFORD	Picnicing	20	29	40	33	60	31
	Enjoying View	50	74	94	76	144	75
	Walking <2 miles	47	69	74	60	121	63
	Walking >2 miles	17	25	47	38	64	34
	Canoeing	4	6	11	9	15	8
	Angling	4	6	8	7	12	6
	Swimming	3	4	16	13	19	10
	Sitting/Relaxing	46	68	82	67	128	67
	Pub/Restaurant	18	26	46	37	64	34
	Nature study	11	16	38	31	49	26
	Informal games	13	19	24	20	37	19
	Boat trip	3	4	9	7	12	6
	Walking dog	16	24	33	27	49	26
	Cycling	5	7	20	16	25	13
	Other	2	3	7	6	9	5
ROSS	Picnicing	50	54	40	38	90	45
	Enjoying View	79	85	81	77	160	81
	Walking <2 miles	57	61	60	57	117	59
	Walking >2 miles	16	17	39	37	55	28
	Canoeing	3	3	7	7	10	5
	Angling	4	4	14	13	18	9
	Swimming	3	3	10	10	13	7
	Sitting/Relaxing	69	74	76	72	145	73
	Pub/Restaurant	42	45	63	60	105	53
	Nature study	20	22	50	48	70	35
	Informal games	12	13	15	14	27	14
	Boat trip	10	11	26	25	36	18
	Walking dog	7	8	24	23	31	16
	Cycling	2	2	7	7	9	5
	Other	5	5	3	3	8	4

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KERNE B.	Picnicing	16	94	44	68	60	73
	Enjoying View	17	100	51	78	68	83
	Walking <2 miles	8	47	26	40	34	41
	Walking >2 miles	6	35	23	35	29	35
	Canoeing	2	12	6	9	8	10
	Angling	1	6	5	8	6	7
	Swimming	1	6	4	6	5	6
	Sitting/Relaxing	16	94	48	74	64	78
	Pub/Restaurant	8	47	27	42	35	43
	Nature study	6	35	26	40	32	39
	Informal games	5	29	4	6	9	11
	Boat trip	5	29	4	6	9	11
	Walking dog	6	35	14	22	20	24
	Cycling	2	12	7	11	9	11
	Other	0	0	7	11	7	9
LYDBROOK	Picnicing	25	61	42	53	67	55
	Enjoying View	37	90	62	78	99	82
	Walking <2 miles	7	17	28	35	35	29
	Walking >2 miles	6	15	24	30	30	25
	Canoeing	4	10	14	18	18	15
	Angling	1	2	11	14	12	10
	Swimming	5	12	13	16	18	15
	Sitting/Relaxing	34	83	59	74	93	77
	Pub/Restaurant	11	27	38	48	49	40
	Nature study	10	24	26	33	36	30
	Informal games	6	15	10	13	16	13
	Boat trip	2	5	9	11	11	9
	Walking dog	11	27	14	18	25	21
	Cycling	2	5	9	11	11	9
	Other	1	2	8	10	9	7
HUNTSHAM B.	Picnicing	13	39	9	53	22	44
	Enjoying View	20	61	12	71	32	64
	Walking <2 miles	11	33	5	29	16	32
	Walking >2 miles	15	45	10	59	25	50
	Canoeing	3	9	2	12	5	10
	Angling	3	9	0	0	3	6
	Swimming	3	9	2	12	5	10
	Sitting/Relaxing	13	39	14	82	27	54
	Pub/Restaurant	14	42	9	53	23	46
	Nature study	6	18	11	65	17	34
	Informal games	1	3	0	0	1	2
	Boat trip	3	9	1	6	4	8
	Walking dog	4	12	4	24	8	16
	Cycling	4	12	1	6	5	10
	Other	12	36	2	12	14	28

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S.YAT WEST	Picnicing	89	66	50	61	139	64
	Enjoying View	115	85	61	74	176	81
	Walking <2 miles	73	54	41	50	114	53
	Walking >2 miles	45	33	34	41	79	36
	Canoeing	22	16	10	12	32	15
	Angling	7	5	3	4	10	5
	Swimming	37	27	14	17	51	24
	Sitting/Relaxing	109	81	65	79	174	80
	Pub/Restaurant	77	57	52	63	129	59
	Nature study	23	17	47	57	70	32
	Informal games	26	19	21	26	47	22
	Boat trip	49	36	35	43	84	39
	Walking dog	22	16	16	20	38	18
	Cycling	3	2	3	4	6	3
	Other	7	5	8	10	15	7
S.YAT EAST	Picnicing	32	47	23	55	55	50
	Enjoying View	57	84	35	83	92	84
	Walking <2 miles	29	43	15	36	44	40
	Walking >2 miles	28	41	21	50	49	45
	Canoeing	17	25	14	33	31	28
	Angling	1	1	3	7	4	4
	Swimming	7	10	6	14	13	12
	Sitting/Relaxing	40	59	26	62	66	60
	Pub/Restaurant	35	51	28	67	63	57
	Nature study	13	19	17	40	30	27
	Informal games	5	7	4	10	9	8
	Boat trip	31	46	10	24	41	37
	Walking dog	5	7	8	19	13	12
	Cycling	3	4	11	26	14	13
	Other	4	6	5	12	9	8
MONMOUTH	Picnicing	34	39	24	57	58	45
	Enjoying View	61	70	38	90	99	77
	Walking <2 miles	40	46	21	50	61	47
	Walking >2 miles	28	32	17	40	45	35
	Canoeing	10	11	4	10	14	11
	Angling	3	3	5	12	8	6
	Swimming	4	5	5	12	9	7
	Sitting/Relaxing	55	63	30	71	85	66
	Pub/Restaurant	14	16	17	40	31	24
	Nature study	18	21	9	21	27	21
	Informal games	5	6	5	12	10	8
	Boat trip	2	2	2	5	4	3
	Walking dog	15	17	7	17	22	17
	Cycling	2	2	4	10	6	5
	Other	8	9	6	14	14	11

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ALL SITES	Picnicing	364	53	382	51	746	52
	Enjoying View	545	80	578	78	1123	79
	Walking <2 miles	333	49	362	49	695	49
	Walking >2 miles	181	26	249	33	430	30
	Canoeing	77	11	107	14	184	13
	Angling	31	5	63	8	94	7
	Swimming	93	14	130	17	223	16
	Sitting/Relaxing	496	73	544	73	1040	73
	Pub/Restaurant	261	38	363	49	624	44
	Nature study	133	19	257	35	390	27
	Informal games	92	13	134	18	226	16
	Boat trip	107	16	105	14	212	15
	Walking dog	113	17	160	22	273	19
	Cycling	29	4	69	9	98	7
	Other	46	7	57	8	103	7

SIZE OF VISITING GROUPS

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GLASBURY	1 Only	0	0	2	2	2	1
	2 Only	15	24	19	23	34	23
	3 Only	9	15	15	18	24	17
	4 Only	15	24	17	20	32	22
	5 Only	8	13	11	13	19	13
	6 - 10	13	21	13	16	26	18
	11 - 20	2	3	5	6	7	5
	More than 21	0	0	1	1	1	1
	Total	62	100	83	100	145	100
HAY	1 Only	2	4	6	18	8	10
	2 Only	20	43	13	39	33	41
	3 Only	8	17	4	12	12	15
	4 Only	9	19	7	21	16	20
	5 Only	4	9	1	3	5	6
	6 - 10	3	6	2	6	5	6
	11 - 20	1	2	0	0	1	1
	More than 21	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	47	100	33	100	80	100
WHITNEY	1 Only	0	0	0	0	0	0
	2 Only	5	56	12	46	17	49
	3 Only	1	11	4	15	5	14
	4 Only	1	11	4	15	5	14
	5 Only	1	11	2	8	3	9
	6 - 10	1	11	3	12	4	11
	11 - 20	0	0	0	0	0	0
	More than 21	0	0	1	4	1	3
	Total	9	100	26	100	35	100
BREDWARDINE	1 Only	5	21	1	2	6	9
	2 Only	10	42	18	39	28	40
	3 Only	4	17	10	22	14	20
	4 Only	3	13	6	13	9	13
	5 Only	1	4	6	13	7	10
	6 - 10	0	0	10	22	10	14
	11 - 20	1	4	0	0	1	1
	More than 21	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	24	100	46	100	70	100
HEREFORD	1 Only	11	16	41	33	52	27
	2 Only	25	37	42	34	67	35
	3 Only	11	16	17	14	28	15
	4 Only	12	18	11	9	23	12
	5 Only	3	4	3	2	6	3
	6 - 10	4	6	8	7	12	6
	11 - 20	2	3	1	1	3	2
	More than 21	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	68	100	123	100	191	100

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ROSS	1 Only	5	5	16	15	21	11
	2 Only	41	44	46	44	87	44
	3 Only	8	9	10	10	18	9
	4 Only	19	20	19	18	38	19
	5 Only	7	8	6	6	13	7
	6 - 10	7	8	8	8	15	8
	11 - 20	1	1	0	0	1	1
	More than 21	5	5	0	0	5	3
	Total	93	100	105	100	198	100
KERNE B.	1 Only	0	0	4	6	4	5
	2 Only	6	35	27	42	33	40
	3 Only	2	12	2	3	4	5
	4 Only	5	29	18	28	23	28
	5 Only	2	12	6	9	8	10
	6 - 10	1	6	7	11	8	10
	11 - 20	1	6	0	0	1	1
	More than 21	0	0	1	2	1	1
	Total	17	100	65	100	82	100
LYDBROOK	1 Only	2	5	17	21	19	16
	2 Only	17	41	71	89	88	73
	3 Only	7	17	23	29	30	25
	4 Only	7	17	34	43	41	34
	5 Only	3	7	10	13	13	11
	6 - 10	4	10	15	19	19	16
	11 - 20	1	2	15	19	16	13
	More than 21	0	0	4	5	4	3
	Total	41	100	80	100	121	100
HUNTSAM B.	1 Only	1	3	1	6	2	4
	2 Only	17	52	6	35	23	46
	3 Only	3	9	1	6	4	8
	4 Only	5	15	7	41	12	24
	5 Only	5	15	0	0	5	10
	6 - 10	2	6	2	12	4	8
	11 - 20	1	3	0	0	1	2
	More than 21	1	3	0	0	1	2
	Total	33	100	17	100	50	100
S.YAT WEST	1 Only	1	1	3	4	4	2
	2 Only	40	30	33	40	73	34
	3 Only	19	14	7	9	26	12
	4 Only	32	24	19	23	51	24
	5 Only	15	11	5	6	20	9
	6 - 10	19	14	8	10	27	12
	11 - 20	4	3	3	4	7	3
	More than 21	5	4	3	4	8	4
	Total	135	100	82	100	217	100

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S.YAT EAST	1 Only	1	1	1	2	2	2
	2 Only	18	26	14	33	32	29
	3 Only	10	15	6	14	16	15
	4 Only	16	24	8	19	24	22
	5 Only	12	18	2	5	14	13
	6 - 10	11	16	10	24	21	19
	11 - 20	0	0	1	2	1	1
	More than 21	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	68	100	42	100	110	100
MONMOUTH	1 Only	14	16	4	10	18	14
	2 Only	33	38	17	40	50	39
	3 Only	16	18	4	10	20	16
	4 Only	12	14	8	19	20	16
	5 Only	6	7	1	2	7	5
	6 - 10	4	5	7	17	11	9
	11 - 20	0	0	1	2	1	1
	More than 21	2	2	0	0	2	2
	Total	87	100	42	100	129	100
ALL SITES	1 Only	42	6	92	12	134	9
	2 Only	248	36	279	38	527	37
	3 Only	100	15	95	13	195	14
	4 Only	135	20	132	18	267	19
	5 Only	64	9	42	6	106	7
	6 - 10	68	10	83	11	151	11
	11 - 20	14	2	13	2	27	2
	More than 21	13	2	7	1	20	1
	Total	684	100	744	100	1428	100

AGES OF VISITORSSELF COMPLETION SITE INTERVIEWS COMBINED TOTAL

<u>SITE</u>	<u>AGE RANGE</u>	<u>TOTAL</u> <u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>TOTAL</u> <u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>TOTAL</u> <u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
GLASBURY	0 - 4 years	22	9	17	4	39	6
	5 - 9 years	41	18	66	16	107	17
	10 - 14 years	30	13	62	15	92	14
	15 - 19 years	9	4	8	2	17	3
	20 - 29 years	11	5	36	9	47	7
	30 - 44 years	71	30	86	21	157	25
	45 - 65 years	34	15	116	29	150	23
	65+ years	15	6	16	4	31	5
	Total	233	100	407	100	640	100
HAY	0 - 4 years	8	6	1	1	9	4
	5 - 9 years	21	16	9	10	30	14
	10 - 14 years	10	8	10	11	20	9
	15 - 19 years	1	1	8	9	9	4
	20 - 29 years	14	11	14	16	28	13
	30 - 44 years	38	29	24	27	62	28
	45 - 65 years	35	27	23	26	58	26
	65+ years	3	2	1	1	4	2
	Total	130	100	90	100	220	100
WHITNEY	0 - 4 years	1	5	0	0	1	1
	5 - 9 years	0	0	3	4	3	3
	10 - 14 years	0	0	4	6	4	4
	15 - 19 years	0	0	6	8	6	7
	20 - 29 years	1	5	5	7	6	7
	30 - 44 years	3	14	13	18	16	17
	45 - 65 years	7	33	23	32	30	33
	65+ years	9	43	17	24	26	28
	Total	21	100	71	100	92	100
BREDWARDINE	0 - 4 years	4	5	3	2	7	3
	5 - 9 years	15	17	21	14	36	15
	10 - 14 years	7	8	16	11	23	10
	15 - 19 years	4	5	14	9	18	8
	20 - 29 years	1	1	21	14	22	9
	30 - 44 years	31	36	34	23	65	28
	45 - 65 years	16	18	25	17	41	17
	65+ years	9	10	14	9	23	10
	Total	87	100	148	100	235	100
HEREFORD	0 - 4 years	12	7	5	2	17	4
	5 - 9 years	11	6	30	10	41	9
	10 - 14 years	15	8	33	11	48	10
	15 - 19 years	2	1	19	6	21	4
	20 - 29 years	13	7	39	13	52	11
	30 - 44 years	50	27	85	29	135	28
	45 - 65 years	60	33	63	21	123	26
	65+ years	20	11	21	7	41	9
	Total	183	100	295	100	478	100

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<u>SITE</u>	<u>AGE RANGE</u>	<u>TOTAL</u> <u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>TOTAL</u> <u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>TOTAL</u> <u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
ROSS	0 - 4 years	13	3	12	4	25	4
	5 - 9 years	12	3	36	12	48	7
	10 - 14 years	24	6	29	10	53	8
	15 - 19 years	0	0	10	3	10	1
	20 - 29 years	50	13	20	7	70	10
	30 - 44 years	67	17	76	26	143	21
	45 - 65 years	132	33	64	21	196	28
	65+ years	99	25	51	17	150	22
	Total	397	100	298	100	695	100
KERNE B.	0 - 4 years	5	7	4	2	9	3
	5 - 9 years	9	13	16	7	25	8
	10 - 14 years	8	11	16	7	24	8
	15 - 19 years	3	4	15	6	18	6
	20 - 29 years	6	8	39	16	45	14
	30 - 44 years	20	28	59	24	79	25
	45 - 65 years	15	21	60	25	75	24
	65+ years	5	7	32	13	37	12
	Total	71	100	241	100	312	100
LYDBROOK	0 - 4 years	3	2	1	0	4	1
	5 - 9 years	8	6	17	7	25	7
	10 - 14 years	20	14	23	10	43	11
	15 - 19 years	9	6	6	3	15	4
	20 - 29 years	7	5	16	7	23	6
	30 - 44 years	26	19	67	28	93	25
	45 - 65 years	47	34	65	27	112	30
	65+ years	20	14	42	18	62	16
	Total	140	100	237	100	377	100
HUNTSAM B.	0 - 4 years	4	3	1	2	5	3
	5 - 9 years	13	9	8	16	21	11
	10 - 14 years	6	4	5	10	11	6
	15 - 19 years	3	2	4	8	7	4
	20 - 29 years	40	29	3	6	43	23
	30 - 44 years	32	23	16	31	48	26
	45 - 65 years	30	22	14	27	44	23
	65+ years	9	7	0	0	9	5
	Total	137	100	51	100	188	100
S.YAT WEST	0 - 4 years	32	5	1	1	33	4
	5 - 9 years	46	7	25	14	71	9
	10 - 14 years	111	18	18	10	129	16
	15 - 19 years	28	5	16	9	44	6
	20 - 29 years	44	7	24	13	68	9
	30 - 44 years	208	34	50	28	258	32
	45 - 65 years	104	17	34	19	138	17
	65+ years	45	7	13	7	58	7
	Total	618	100	181	100	799	100

SELF COMPLETION SITE INTERVIEWS COMBINED TOTAL

<u>SITE</u>	<u>AGE RANGE</u>	<u>TOTAL</u> <u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>TOTAL</u> <u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>TOTAL</u> <u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
S.YAT EAST	0 - 4 years	12	5	1	1	13	3
	5 - 9 years	16	6	25	15	41	9
	10 - 14 years	32	12	18	11	50	11
	15 - 19 years	23	9	16	9	39	9
	20 - 29 years	30	11	24	14	54	12
	30 - 44 years	76	29	50	29	126	29
	45 - 65 years	66	25	34	20	100	23
	65+ years	10	4	3	2	13	3
	Total	265	100	171	100	436	100
MONMOUTH	0 - 4 years	10	4	2	1	12	3
	5 - 9 years	24	9	10	7	34	8
	10 - 14 years	32	12	19	13	51	12
	15 - 19 years	18	7	12	8	30	7
	20 - 29 years	18	7	16	11	34	8
	30 - 44 years	70	26	41	28	111	27
	45 - 65 years	57	21	21	14	78	19
	65+ years	42	15	24	17	66	16
	Total	271	100	145	100	416	100
ALL SITES	0 - 4 years	126	5	50	2	176	4
	5 - 9 years	216	8	226	9	442	9
	10 - 14 years	295	12	327	13	622	12
	15 - 19 years	100	4	131	5	231	5
	20 - 29 years	235	9	254	10	489	10
	30 - 44 years	692	27	635	26	1327	26
	45 - 65 years	603	24	564	23	1167	23
	65+ years	286	11	286	12	572	11
	Total	2553	100	2473	100	5026	100

LENGTH OF VISIT TO THE WYE VALLEYSELF COMPLETION SITE INTERVIEWS COMBINED TOTAL

<u>SITE</u>	<u>LENGTH OF VISIT</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
GLASBURY	N/A (Resident)	12	19	12	14	24	17
	Day visit	36	58	49	59	85	59
	1 - 2 nights	3	5	7	8	10	7
	3 - 4 nights	1	2	3	4	4	3
	5 - 6 nights	7	11	5	6	12	8
	> 6 nights	3	5	7	8	10	7
	Total	62	100	83	100	145	100
HAY	N/A (Resident)	6	13	12	36	18	23
	Day visit	18	38	7	21	25	31
	1 - 2 nights	9	19	4	12	13	16
	3 - 4 nights	5	11	3	9	8	10
	5 - 6 nights	1	2	1	3	2	3
	> 6 nights	8	17	6	18	14	18
	Total	47	100	33	100	80	100
WHITNEY	N/A (Resident)	0	0	3	12	3	9
	Day visit	5	56	14	54	19	54
	1 - 2 nights	1	11	3	12	4	11
	3 - 4 nights	1	11	1	4	2	6
	5 - 6 nights	1	11	1	4	2	6
	> 6 nights	1	11	4	15	5	14
	Total	9	100	26	100	35	100
BREDWARDINE	N/A (Resident)	9	38	22	48	31	44
	Day visit	11	46	7	15	18	26
	1 - 2 nights	0	0	1	2	1	1
	3 - 4 nights	0	0	4	9	4	6
	5 - 6 nights	0	0	1	2	1	1
	> 6 nights	4	17	11	24	15	21
	Total	24	100	46	100	70	100
HEREFORD	N/A (Resident)	28	41	65	53	93	49
	Day visit	20	29	31	25	51	27
	1 - 2 nights	3	4	8	7	11	6
	3 - 4 nights	6	9	4	3	10	5
	5 - 6 nights	3	4	3	2	6	3
	> 6 nights	8	12	0	0	8	4
	Total	68	100	123	100	191	100
ROSS	N/A (Resident)	14	15	35	33	49	25
	Day visit	52	56	37	35	89	45
	1 - 2 nights	7	8	8	8	15	8
	3 - 4 nights	8	9	7	7	15	8
	5 - 6 nights	3	3	7	7	10	5
	> 6 nights	9	10	11	10	20	10
	Total	93	100	105	100	198	100

SELF COMPLETION SITE INTERVIEWS COMBINED TOTAL

<u>SITE</u>	<u>LENGTH OF VISIT</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
KERNE B.	N/A (Resident)	0	0	9	14	9	11
	Day visit	6	35	34	52	40	49
	1 - 2 nights	1	6	8	12	9	11
	3 - 4 nights	2	12	3	5	5	6
	5 - 6 nights	1	6	5	8	6	7
	> 6 nights	7	41	6	9	13	16
	Total	17	100	65	100	82	100
LYDBROOK	N/A (Resident)	10	24	29	36	39	32
	Day visit	22	54	29	36	51	42
	1 - 2 nights	1	2	7	9	8	7
	3 - 4 nights	3	7	4	5	7	6
	5 - 6 nights	1	2	3	4	4	3
	> 6 nights	4	10	8	10	12	10
	Total	41	100	80	100	121	100
HUNTSHAM B.	N/A (Resident)	5	15	0	0	5	10
	Day visit	14	42	10	59	24	48
	1 - 2 nights	12	36	2	12	14	28
	3 - 4 nights	2	6	3	18	5	10
	5 - 6 nights	0	0	0	0	0	0
	> 6 nights	0	0	2	12	2	4
	Total	33	100	17	100	50	100
S.YAT WEST	N/A (Resident)	7	5	13	16	20	9
	Day visit	83	61	35	43	118	54
	1 - 2 nights	18	13	10	12	28	13
	3 - 4 nights	12	9	7	9	19	9
	5 - 6 nights	5	4	4	5	9	4
	> 6 nights	10	7	13	16	23	11
	Total	135	100	82	100	217	100
S.YAT EAST	N/A (Resident)	3	4	4	10	7	6
	Day visit	42	62	16	38	58	53
	1 - 2 nights	12	18	8	19	20	18
	3 - 4 nights	6	9	10	24	16	15
	5 - 6 nights	2	3	11	26	13	12
	> 6 nights	3	4	3	7	6	5
	Total	68	100	42	100	110	100
MONMOUTH	N/A (Resident)	21	24	9	21	30	23
	Day visit	38	44	22	52	60	47
	1 - 2 nights	9	10	3	7	12	9
	3 - 4 nights	7	8	3	7	10	8
	5 - 6 nights	5	6	2	5	7	5
	> 6 nights	7	8	3	7	10	8
	Total	87	100	42	100	129	100
ALL SITES	N/A (Resident)	115	17	213	29	328	23
	Day visit	347	51	291	39	638	45
	1 - 2 nights	76	11	69	9	145	10
	3 - 4 nights	53	8	52	7	105	7
	5 - 6 nights	29	4	33	4	62	4
	> 6 nights	64	9	86	12	150	11
	Total	684	100	744	100	1428	100

ACCOMMODATION USED DURING VISITSELF COMPLETION SITE INTERVIEWS COMBINED TOTAL

<u>SITE</u>	<u>ACCOMMODATION</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
GLASBURY	None	47	76	59	71	106	73
	Camp site	6	10	10	12	16	11
	Youth hostel	1	2	0	0	1	1
	B&B/Hotel	2	3	5	6	7	5
	Field centre	0	0	1	1	1	1
	Friends/Relative	4	6	3	4	7	5
	Other	2	3	5	6	7	5
	Total	62	100	83	100	145	100
HAY	None	20	43	15	45	35	44
	Camp site	6	13	5	15	11	14
	Youth hostel	0	0	1	3	1	1
	B&B/Hotel	11	23	7	21	18	23
	Field centre	0	0	1	3	1	1
	Friends/Relative	6	13	3	9	9	11
	Other	4	9	1	3	5	6
	Total	47	100	33	100	80	100
WHITNEY	None	5	56	17	65	22	63
	Camp site	1	11	1	4	2	6
	Youth hostel	0	0	0	0	0	0
	B&B/Hotel	2	22	3	12	5	14
	Field centre	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Friends/Relative	0	0	3	12	3	9
	Other	1	11	2	8	3	9
	Total	9	100	26	100	35	100
BREDWARDINE	None	20	83	25	54	45	64
	Camp site	0	0	6	13	6	9
	Youth hostel	0	0	0	0	0	0
	B&B/Hotel	1	4	3	7	4	6
	Field centre	0	0	1	2	1	1
	Friends/Relative	1	4	6	13	7	10
	Other	2	8	5	11	7	10
	Total	24	100	46	100	70	100
HEREFORD	None	45	66	96	78	141	74
	Camp site	3	4	11	9	14	7
	Youth hostel	0	0	0	0	0	0
	B&B/Hotel	3	4	9	7	12	6
	Field centre	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Friends/Relative	9	13	4	3	13	7
	Other	8	12	3	2	11	6
	Total	68	100	123	100	191	100

SELF COMPLETION SITE INTERVIEWS COMBINED TOTAL

<u>SITE</u>	<u>ACCOMMODATION</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
ROSS	None	64	69	66	63	130	66
	Camp site	5	5	8	8	13	7
	Youth hostel	0	0	0	0	0	0
	B&B/Hotel	11	12	16	15	27	14
	Field centre	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Friends/Relative	5	5	6	6	11	6
	Other	8	9	9	9	17	9
	Total	93	100	105	100	198	100
KERNE B.	None	5	29	37	57	42	51
	Camp site	7	41	14	22	21	26
	Youth hostel	1	6	0	0	1	1
	B&B/Hotel	1	6	6	9	7	9
	Field centre	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Friends/Relative	2	12	5	8	7	9
	Other	1	6	3	5	4	5
	Total	17	100	65	100	82	100
LYDBROOK	None	32	78	57	71	89	74
	Camp site	5	12	7	9	12	10
	Youth hostel	0	0	2	3	2	2
	B&B/Hotel	1	2	4	5	5	4
	Field centre	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Friends/Relative	2	5	7	9	9	7
	Other	1	2	3	4	4	3
	Total	41	100	80	100	121	100
HUNTSHAM B.	None	18	55	10	59	28	56
	Camp site	5	15	3	18	8	16
	Youth hostel	1	3	1	6	2	4
	B&B/Hotel	7	21	2	12	9	18
	Field centre	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Friends/Relative	1	3	1	6	2	4
	Other	1	3	0	0	1	2
	Total	33	100	17	100	50	100
S.YAT WEST	None	83	61	43	52	126	58
	Camp site	23	17	19	23	42	19
	Youth hostel	0	0	0	0	0	0
	B&B/Hotel	20	15	13	16	33	15
	Field centre	0	0	1	1	1	0
	Friends/Relative	7	5	0	0	7	3
	Other	2	1	6	7	8	4
	Total	135	100	82	100	217	100
S.YAT EAST	None	41	60	20	100	61	55
	Camp site	17	25	13	65	30	27
	Youth hostel	0	0	0	0	0	0
	B&B/Hotel	6	9	7	35	13	12
	Field centre	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Friends/Relative	2	3	2	10	4	4
	Other	2	3	0	0	2	2
	Total	68	100	42	210	110	100

SELF COMPLETION SITE INTERVIEWS COMBINED TOTAL

<u>SITE</u>	<u>ACCOMMODATION</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
MONMOUTH	None	57	66	31	74	88	68
	Camp site	8	9	4	10	12	9
	Youth hostel	1	1	0	0	1	1
	B&B/Hotel	6	7	4	10	10	8
	Field centre	2	2	0	0	2	2
	Friends/Relative	11	13	2	5	13	10
	Other	2	2	1	2	3	2
	Total	87	100	42	100	129	100
ALL SITES	None	437	64	476	64	913	64
	Camp site	86	13	101	14	187	13
	Youth hostel	4	1	4	1	8	1
	B&B/Hotel	71	10	79	11	150	11
	Field centre	2	0	4	1	6	0
	Friends/Relative	50	7	42	6	92	6
	Other	34	5	38	5	72	5
	Total	684	100	744	100	1428	100

REASONS GIVEN FOR CHOOSING TO VISIT THE WYE

<u>REASON</u>	<u>SELF COMPLETION</u>		<u>SITE INTERVIEWS</u>		<u>COMBINED TOTAL</u>	
	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
No reason given/Don't know	167	24	157	21	324	23
Incidental to other business	71	10	138	19	209	15
Scenery/Natural beauty	72	11	73	10	145	10
Convenient/Close to home	90	13	53	7	143	10
Peace and quiet	61	9	50	7	111	8
Unplanned/Passing through	45	7	55	7	100	7
Been/before/Familiarity	40	6	53	7	93	7
Opportunities for canoeing	42	6	26	3	68	5
Recommended by other people	34	5	31	4	65	5
Trip organised by others	45	7	9	1	54	4
Opportunities for walking	38	6	11	1	49	3
Good picnic spot	17	2	15	2	32	2
Opportunities for swimming	16	2	13	2	29	2
Good play area for children	24	4	5	1	29	2
Advertisement/Publicity	12	2	14	2	26	2
Pleasant journey/drive	16	2	10	1	26	2
Opportunities for angling	7	1	12	2	19	1
Watching boats/canoes	9	1	4	1	13	1
Opportunities for cycling	5	1	6	1	11	1
Low cost day out	9	1	2	0	11	1
Wildlife/birdwatching	3	0	5	1	8	1
Easy/low cost parking	7	1	1	0	8	1
Good visitor facilities	0	0	6	1	6	0
To feed the ducks	2	0	2	0	4	0
Boat trip	3	0	1	0	4	0
Painting	0	0	1	0	1	0
Visiting friends/relatives	0	0	1	0	1	0
Other	7	1	25	3	32	2

WHAT DO VISITORS PARTICULARLY LIKE ABOUT THE RIVER WYE?**SELF COMPLETION SITE INTERVIEWS COMBINED TOTAL**

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Nothing/Not answered	53	8	21	3	74	5
Don't know	1	0	15	2	16	1
Attractive/unspoilt scenery	393	57	458	62	851	60
Peace and quiet	208	30	254	34	462	32
Clean water	96	14	137	18	233	16
Wildlife	55	8	76	10	131	9
Access to river/footpaths	77	11	52	7	129	9
Accessible and convenient	28	4	64	9	92	6
Variety of scenery/features	33	5	45	6	78	5
Un-commercialised	32	5	18	2	50	4
Canoeing/Free navigation	22	3	22	3	44	3
Bankside vegetation/Woodland	20	3	23	3	43	3
The large size of the river	15	2	27	4	42	3
Opportunities for angling	16	2	25	3	41	3
Watching boats/other people	29	4	7	1	36	3
Un-crowded	19	3	13	2	32	2
Availability of picnic sites	11	2	21	3	32	2
Swimming/paddling	12	2	14	2	26	2
Good atmosphere/other people	12	2	13	2	25	2
Safe for children to use	10	1	15	2	25	2
Good play area for children	18	3	6	1	24	2
Ducks and swans	10	1	9	1	19	1
Availability of boat trips	9	1	2	0	11	1
Absence of large/motor boats	5	1	5	1	10	1
Shallow water areas	7	1	2	0	9	1
Fast water	2	0	7	1	9	1
Easy parking	9	1	0	0	9	1

Likes rivers generally	3	0	4	1	7	0
Commercial outlets	0	0	6	1	6	0
Historical associations	5	1	1	0	6	0
Other	4	1	7	1	11	1

WHAT DO VISITORS PARTICULARLY DISLIKE ABOUT THE RIVER WYE?

SELF COMPLETION SITE INTERVIEWS COMBINED TOTAL

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Nothing	405	59	416	56	821	57
Don't know	8	1	27	4	35	2
Water pollution	41	6	50	7	91	6
Litter on banks	38	6	49	7	87	6
Parts over-commercialised	33	5	19	3	52	4
Poor access to waterside	20	3	29	4	49	3
Dogs/dog dirt	29	4	20	3	49	3
Inadequate parking	15	2	20	3	35	2
Overcrowded	11	2	19	3	30	2
Litter/debris in river	6	1	23	3	29	2
Poor bank maintenance	14	2	14	2	28	2
Lack of toilet facilities	15	2	11	1	26	2
Excessive weed growth	9	1	14	2	23	2
Poor footpath maintenance	9	1	12	2	21	1
Noise	15	2	6	1	21	1
Motor boats	6	1	9	1	15	1
Attitude of anglers	3	0	11	1	14	1
Lack of picnic area/seating	6	1	7	1	13	1
Too many canoes	5	1	7	1	12	1
Dangerous for swimming	6	1	6	1	12	1
Poor road access/congestion	7	1	5	1	12	1
Low water levels	2	0	7	1	9	1
Shortage of public fishing	4	1	4	1	8	1

Poor signposting	1	0	6	1	7	0
Steep/dangerous banks	2	0	5	1	7	0
Lack of accommodation	4	1	2	0	6	0
Rafting/raft races	2	0	3	0	5	0
Mud in tidal stretches	3	0	2	0	5	0
Shortage of canoe access	3	0	2	0	5	0
Conflict with other users	1	0	3	0	4	0
Lack of boat trips	0	0	3	0	3	0
Lack of refreshments	1	0	1	0	2	0
Overuse by water sports	0	0	2	0	2	0
Dislike Symonds Yat area	0	0	1	0	1	0
Jet skis/water skis	1	0	0	0	1	0
Other	13	2	4	1	17	1

WYE PROJECT INFORMAL VISITOR SURVEYS 1991

SUGGESTED IMPROVEMENTS OR DEVELOPMENTS WHICH WOULD INCREASE ENJOYMENT OF THE RIVER

	<u>SELF COMPLETION</u>		<u>SITE INTERVIEWS</u>		<u>COMBINED TOTAL</u>	
	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
None	326	48	352	47	678	47
Improved access/footpaths	49	7	61	8	110	8
Litter bins/less litter	47	7	47	6	94	7
Increase/improve toilets	49	7	40	5	89	6
More picnic areas/tables	39	6	37	5	76	5
More seating	38	6	32	4	70	5
Maintain/waymark footpaths	29	4	25	3	54	4
Improved car parking	20	3	31	4	51	4
More boat trips/boat hire	25	4	24	3	49	3
Better information	27	4	20	3	47	3
Tidy up river frontage	13	2	30	4	43	3
Maintain banks/clear veg.	20	3	19	3	39	3
Control water pollution	21	3	13	2	34	2

More refreshment facilities	18	3	11	1	29	2
Signpost river from roads	15	2	11	1	26	2
Prohibit motor boats	7	1	12	2	19	1
More camping facilities	7	1	12	2	19	1
Better canoe access	5	1	11	1	16	1
Safety notices/lifebelts	4	1	12	2	16	1
Clear weed growth	6	1	8	1	14	1
Safer swimming	14	2	0	0	14	1
Increase public fishing	5	1	8	1	13	1
Childrens play facilities	10	1	3	0	13	1
Maintain water levels	7	1	5	1	12	1
Improve river user's conduct	4	1	7	1	11	1
Prohibit motor boats	6	1	4	1	10	1
More disabled facilities	4	1	5	1	9	1
Improve wildlife habitats	4	1	5	1	9	1
Improve road access	3	0	5	1	8	1
More footbridges/crossings	4	1	3	0	7	0
Improve/develop cycle routes	2	0	4	1	6	0
Changing facilities/showers	4	1	0	0	4	0
More canoe hire	2	0	1	0	3	0
Restock with fish	1	0	1	0	2	0
Reopen railway	2	0	0	0	2	0
Provide bird hides	0	0	1	0	1	0
Educate anglers about others	0	0	1	0	1	0
Provide angling platforms	0	0	1	0	1	0
Introduce boat speed limits	1	0	0	0	1	0
Develop viewpoints	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	17	2	12	2	29	2

CANOE CENSUSNotes

1. The census took place at the following, well used canoe access points.
 - o Glasbury.
 - o Hay-on-Wye.
 - o Whitney Toll Bridge.
 - o Bredwardine.
 - o Hereford Bishop's Meadow/Victoria Bridge.
 - o Ross - Canoe steps and Wilton Bridge.
 - o Kerne Bridge picnic site.
 - o Lower Lydbrooke picnic site.
 - o Huntsham Bridge.
 - o Symonds Yat West - Ferry Inn and Paddocks Hotel field.
 - o Symonds Yat East - Canoe centre steps.
 - o Monmouth - rowing club steps.
2. The aim was to monitor canoeing activity at all of the main 'public' canoe access points likely to be used during the survey period.
3. Surveys took place on the following days:
 - Tues 30th July
 - Sun 4th August
 - Thurs 8th August
 - Sat 17th August
 - Mon 26th August (Bank holiday)
 - Sun 1st September
4. Observations took place between 9 am and 6 pm.
5. Canoeists noted as they launched, landed or passed through each site.
4. The following information was recorded on the observation schedule:
 - o The time of the observation.
 - o The number of canoes in the party.
 - o The type of craft - canoes or kayaks.
5. The data was transferred to a computer database and analysed using Microsoft Works.

RIVER WYE PROJECT

OBSERVATION SCHEDULE - CANOE CENSUS

SUMMER 1991

OBSERVERS NAME DAY START TIME

SITE DATE FINISH TIME

INSTRUCTIONS TO OBSERVERS

1. It is important to enter above the time you start observing and the time you finish. The times of any temporary breaks in observation must be recorded.
2. Record the number of Canadian canoes (open 2+ person canoes) and kayaks (single person closed cockpit canoes) that are launched and landed throughout the day, plus any that pass down river without landing.
3. Record each individual observation separately, noting the number of each type of canoes in the group and the time of the observation.
4. Make a similar note of any other type of craft seen on the river (e.g. rafts, dinghies, motor boats etc.) and the time they were seen.

	LAUNCHING		LANDING		PASSING THROUGH	
Time Observed	Number of Canoes	Number of Kayaks	Number of Canoes	Number of Kayaks	Number of Canoes	Number of Kayaks

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RIVER WYE PROJECT - 1991 CANOE CENSUS
SITE SUMMARIES

G Glasbury	R Ross	SP Symonds Yat (Paddocks Field)
HA Hay	K Kerne Bridge	SF Symonds Yat (Ferry Inn)
W Whitney	L Lydbrook	SE Symonds Yat East
B Bredwardine	HU Huntsham Bridge	M Monmouth
HE Hereford		

LAUNCHING

LANDING

PASSING THROUGH

CANOE KAYAK TOTAL CANOE KAYAK TOTAL CANOE KAYAK TOTAL

DATE 30/7

SITE

G	11	88	99	0	0	0	3	11	14
HA	11	0	11	7	50	57	3	11	14
W	0	0	0	11	2	13	1	0	1
B	8	12	20	6	12	18	0	0	0
HE	0	4	4	1	9	10	1	6	7
R	8	9	17	0	0	0	4	0	4
K	0	8	8	5	1	6	0	0	0
L	3	0	3	0	0	0	17	3	20
HU	5	8	13	1	19	20	14	0	14
SP	0	2	2	0	0	0	40	95	135
SE	15	125	140	8	96	104	16	58	74
M	1	19	20	11	79	90	6	1	7
Daily Total	62	275	337	50	268	318	105	185	290

DATE 4/8

SITE

G	6	39	45	0	19	19	0	0	0
HA	16	0	16	5	15	20	3	15	18
W	0	0	0	16	0	16	4	5	9
B	1	4	5	0	2	2	9	13	22
HE	1	4	5	1	7	8	2	14	16
R	1	5	6	11	5	16	3	14	17
K	11	23	34	6	0	6	3	9	12
L	11	33	44	4	28	32	7	3	10
HU	3	18	21	1	4	5	34	53	87
SF	5	15	20	5	15	20	23	81	104
SP	1	14	15	1	8	9	42	118	160
SE	30	176	206	25	151	176	22	55	77
M	3	20	23	8	33	41	3	0	3
Daily Total	89	351	440	83	287	370	155	380	535

RIVER WYE PROJECT 1991 CANOE CENSUS**TOTAL NUMBER OF CRAFT - SITE SUMMARIES****KEY TO SITES**

G Glasbury	R Ross	SP Symonds Yat West (Paddocks Field)
HA Hay	K Kerne Bridge	SF Symonds Yat West (Ferry Inn)
W Whitney	L Lydbrook	SE Symonds Yat East
B Bredwardine	HU Huntsham Bridge	M Monmouth
HE Hereford		

NO. LAUNCHING**NO. LANDING****NO. PASSING THROUGH****CANOE KAYAK TOTAL CANOE KAYAK TOTAL CANOE KAYAK TOTAL****30 July****SITE**

G	11	88	99	0	0	0	3	11	14
HA	11	0	11	7	50	57	3	11	14
W	0	0	0	11	2	13	1	0	1
B	8	12	20	6	12	18	0	0	0
HE	0	4	4	1	9	10	1	6	7
R	8	9	17	0	0	0	4	0	4
K	0	8	8	5	1	6	0	0	0
L	3	0	3	0	0	0	17	3	20
HU	5	8	13	1	19	20	14	0	14
SP	0	2	2	0	0	0	40	95	135
SE	15	125	140	8	96	104	16	58	74
M	1	19	20	11	79	90	6	1	7

TOTAL CRAFT/DAY 62 275 337 50 268 318**4 August****SITE**

G	6	39	45	0	19	19	0	0	0
HA	16	0	16	5	15	20	3	15	18
W	0	0	0	16	0	16	4	5	9
B	1	4	5	0	2	2	9	13	22
HE	1	4	5	1	7	8	2	14	16
R	1	5	6	11	5	16	3	14	17
K	11	23	34	6	0	6	3	9	12
L	11	33	44	4	28	32	7	3	10
HU	3	18	21	1	4	5	34	53	87
SP	5	15	20	5	15	20	23	81	104
SP	1	14	15	1	8	9	42	118	160
SE	30	176	206	25	151	176	22	55	77
M	3	20	23	8	33	41	3	0	3

TOTAL CRAFT/DAY 89 351 440 83 287 370

NO. LAUNCHINGNO. LANDINGNO. PASSING-THROUGH

CANOE KAYAK TOTAL CANOE KAYAK TOTAL CANOE KAYAK TOTAL

8 August

SITE

G	15	79	94	1	37	38	0	0	0
HA	1	0	1	13	40	53	0	0	0
B	0	9	9	0	0	0	0	0	0
HE	0	5	5	0	5	5	0	0	0
R	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	16	29
K	2	35	37	1	8	9	4	13	17
L	0	10	10	1	31	32	5	24	29
HU	7	6	13	0	11	11	9	36	45
SF	0	9	9	6	2	8	36	89	125
SP	0	6	6	0	0	0	35	65	100
SE	26	90	116	25	79	104	11	54	65
M	1	10	11	17	58	75	4	4	8

TOTAL CRAFT/DAY	52	259	311	64	271	335			
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17 August

SITE

G	11	31	42	0	8	8	0	0	0
HA	0	0	0	7	14	21	2	3	5
W	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
B	4	5	9	2	4	6	0	0	0
HE	0	9	9	0	18	18	0	14	14
R	8	11	19	2	0	2	2	1	3
K	12	58	70	3	0	3	3	9	12
L	1	24	25	7	50	57	9	24	33
HU	1	15	16	0	0	0	13	80	93
SF	4	16	20	1	6	7	55	115	170
SP	5	16	21	6	3	9	34	105	139
SE	10	52	62	19	40	59	2	31	33
M	4	8	12	1	18	19	0	0	0

TOTAL CRAFT/DAY	60	245	305	49	161	210			
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26 August

SITE

G	27	59	86	2	17	19	3	17	20
HA	1	2	3	23	32	55	5	16	21
W	1	2	3	5	9	14	1	0	1
B	2	10	12	0	0	0	0	0	0
HE	0	0	0	3	20	23	4	4	8
R	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	5	5
K	11	21	32	1	4	5	1	16	17
L	6	6	12	0	12	12	8	26	34
HU	6	14	20	3	5	8	27	31	58
SF	24	3	27	10	24	34	73	184	257

NO. LAUNCHINGNO. LANDINGNO. PASSING THROUGH

CANOE KAYAK TOTAL CANOE KAYAK TOTAL CANOE KAYAK TOTAL

SP	1	24	25	3	0	3	89	90	179
SE	44	137	181	54	105	159	13	78	91
M	11	5	16	14	28	42	1	1	2

TOTAL CRAFT/DAY	134	283	417	118	257	375			
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1 September

SITE

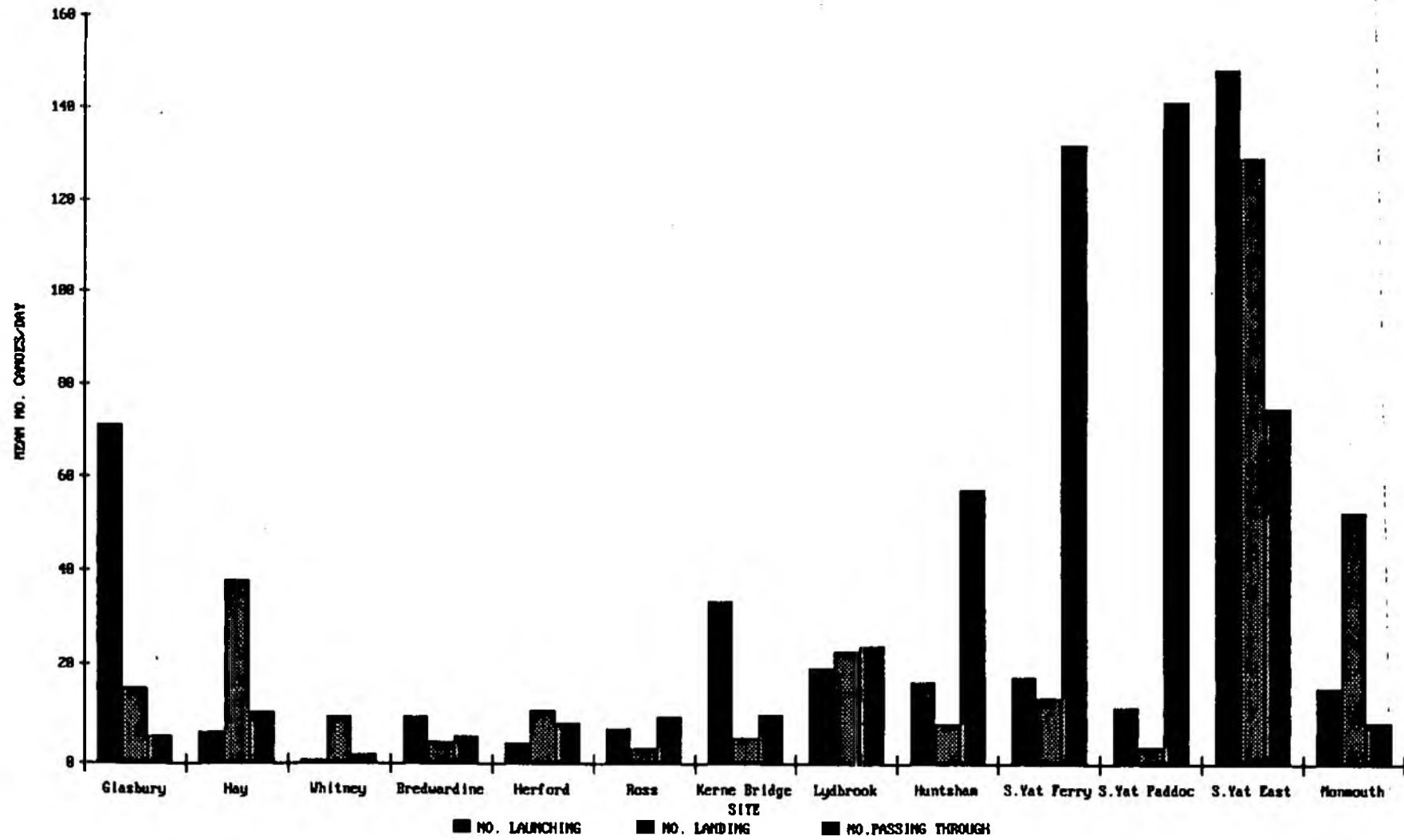
G	22	39	61	0	4	4	0	0	0
HA	6	2	8	17	3	20	5	0	5
W	1	0	1	13	0	13	0	0	0
B	2	0	2	1	0	1	2	10	12
HE	1	2	3	1	0	1	1	4	5
R	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
K	7	11	18	0	3	3	1	1	2
L	10	9	19	3	0	3	5	11	16
HU	0	16	16	1	5	6	16	30	46
SF	6	22	28	4	8	12	37	98	135
SP	0	1	1	0	1	1	34	100	134
SE	9	176	185	13	159	172	14	95	109
M	0	12	12	11	35	46	0	31	31

TOTAL CRAFT/DAY	65	290	355	64	218	282			
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MEAN DAILY TOTALS OVER THE SIX SURVEY DAYS [See chart]

<u>SITE</u>	<u>NO. LAUNCHING</u>	<u>NO. LANDING</u>	<u>NO. PASSING THROUGH</u>
G	71	15	6
HA	7	38	11
W	1	10	2
B	10	5	6
HE	4	11	8
R	7	3	10
K	33	5	10
L	19	23	24
HU	17	8	57
SF	17	14	132
SP	12	4	141
SE	148	129	75
M	16	52	9
 OVERALL MEAN			
NO. CRAFT	361	315	489

WYE PROJECT CANOE CENSUS 1991
MEAN DAILY TOTALS



WYE PROJECT CANOE CENSUS 1991NUMBER OF CRAFT - DAILY PATTERN OF ACTIVITY

<u>SITE</u>	<u>TIME OF DAY</u>	<u>NO. LAUNCHING</u>		<u>NO. LANDING</u>		<u>NO. PASSING THROUGH</u>	
		<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>
		<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>
GLASBURY	09:00 - 09:59	42	7	0	0	0	0
	10:00 - 10:59	128	21	0	0	2	0
	11:00 - 11:59	35	6	31	5	11	2
	12:00 - 12:59	21	4	11	2	0	0
	13:00 - 13:59	67	11	2	0	12	2
	14:00 - 14:59	97	16	3	1	0	0
	15:00 - 15:59	18	3	4	1	0	0
	16:00 - 16:59	19	3	21	4	9	2
	17:00 - 17:59	0	0	16	3	0	0
TOTAL		427	71	88	15	34	6

<u>SITE</u>	<u>TIME OF DAY</u>	<u>NO. LAUNCHING</u>		<u>NO. LANDING</u>		<u>NO. PASSING THROUGH</u>	
		<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>
		<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>
HAY	09:00 - 09:59	22	4	0	0	0	0
	10:00 - 10:59	0	0	1	0	15	3
	11:00 - 11:59	1	0	5	1	2	0
	12:00 - 12:59	0	0	24	4	4	1
	13:00 - 13:59	0	0	13	2	25	4
	14:00 - 14:59	13	2	15	3	13	2
	15:00 - 15:59	2	0	51	9	0	0
	16:00 - 16:59	0	0	97	16	4	1
	17:00 - 17:59	1	0	20	3	0	0
TOTAL		39	7	226	38	63	11

<u>SITE</u>	<u>TIME OF DAY</u>	<u>NO. LAUNCHING</u>		<u>NO. LANDING</u>		<u>NO. PASSING THROUGH</u>	
		<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>
		<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>
WHITNEY	09:00 - 09:59	0	0	0	0	0	0
	10:00 - 10:59	1	0	0	0	0	0
	11:00 - 11:59	1	0	22	4	0	0
	12:00 - 12:59	0	0	0	0	7	1
	13:00 - 13:59	0	0	7	1	0	0
	14:00 - 14:59	0	0	1	0	0	0
	15:00 - 15:59	0	0	24	4	1	0
	16:00 - 16:59	2	0	0	0	3	1
	17:00 - 17:59	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL		4	1	54	9	11	2

SITE	TIME OF DAY	<u>NO. LAUNCHING</u>		<u>NO. LANDING</u>		<u>NO. PASSING THROUGH</u>	
		<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>
		<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>
BREDWARDINE	09:00 - 09:59	5	1	0	0	0	0
	10:00 - 10:59	12	2	0	0	0	0
	11:00 - 11:59	15	3	16	3	0	0
	12:00 - 12:59	3	1	8	1	10	2
	13:00 - 13:59	8	1	0	0	2	0
	14:00 - 14:59	10	2	0	0	3	1
	15:00 - 15:59	3	1	1	0	4	1
	16:00 - 16:59	1	0	1	0	14	2
	17:00 - 17:59	0	0	1	0	1	0
TOTAL	57	10	27	5	34	6	

SITE	TIME OF DAY	<u>NO. LAUNCHING</u>		<u>NO. LANDING</u>		<u>NO. PASSING THROUGH</u>	
		<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>
		<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>
HEREFORD	09:00 - 09:59	6	1	0	0	3	1
	10:00 - 10:59	7	1	3	1	0	0
	11:00 - 11:59	2	0	5	1	1	0
	12:00 - 12:59	1	0	23	4	8	1
	13:00 - 13:59	2	0	18	3	6	1
	14:00 - 14:59	5	1	10	2	16	3
	15:00 - 15:59	0	0	0	0	14	2
	16:00 - 16:59	0	0	6	1	2	0
	17:00 - 17:59	3	1	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	26	4	65	11	50	8	

SITE	TIME OF DAY	<u>NO. LAUNCHING</u>		<u>NO. LANDING</u>		<u>NO. PASSING THROUGH</u>	
		<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>
		<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>
ROSS	09:00 - 09:59	0	0	0	0	0	0
	10:00 - 10:59	7	1	0	0	10	2
	11:00 - 11:59	0	0	2	0	11	2
	12:00 - 12:59	1	0	10	2	26	4
	13:00 - 13:59	0	0	0	0	8	1
	14:00 - 14:59	20	3	2	0	1	0
	15:00 - 15:59	0	0	5	1	0	0
	16:00 - 16:59	15	3	0	0	2	0
	17:00 - 17:59	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	43	7	19	3	58	10	

SITE	TIME OF DAY	<u>NO. LAUNCHING</u>		<u>NO. LANDING</u>		<u>NO. PASSING THROUGH</u>	
		<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>
		<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>
KERNE B.	09:00 - 09:59	38	6	1	0	0	0
	10:00 - 10:59	46	8	0	0	2	0
	11:00 - 11:59	61	10	9	2	12	2
	12:00 - 12:59	6	1	2	0	5	1
	13:00 - 13:59	26	4	2	0	6	1
	14:00 - 14:59	9	2	0	0	13	2
	15:00 - 15:59	0	0	1	0	0	0
	16:00 - 16:59	11	2	6	1	18	3
	17:00 - 17:59	2	0	11	2	4	1
	TOTAL	199	33	32	5	60	10

SITE	TIME OF DAY	<u>NO. LAUNCHING</u>		<u>NO. LANDING</u>		<u>NO. PASSING THROUGH</u>	
		<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>
		<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>
LYDBROOK	09:00 - 09:59	0	0	0	0	0	0
	10:00 - 10:59	28	5	3	1	18	3
	11:00 - 11:59	45	8	45	8	18	3
	12:00 - 12:59	9	2	48	8	13	2
	13:00 - 13:59	21	4	1	0	20	3
	14:00 - 14:59	7	1	1	0	24	4
	15:00 - 15:59	0	0	3	1	21	4
	16:00 - 16:59	2	0	21	4	19	3
	17:00 - 17:59	1	0	14	2	9	2
	TOTAL	113	19	136	23	142	24

SITE	TIME OF DAY	<u>NO. LAUNCHING</u>		<u>NO. LANDING</u>		<u>NO. PASSING THROUGH</u>	
		<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>
		<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>
HUNTSHAM B.	09:00 - 09:59	13	2	0	0	1	0
	10:00 - 10:59	26	4	0	0	11	2
	11:00 - 11:59	8	1	0	0	40	7
	12:00 - 12:59	29	5	1	0	38	6
	13:00 - 13:59	9	2	3	1	50	8
	14:00 - 14:59	10	2	2	0	49	8
	15:00 - 15:59	2	0	0	0	94	16
	16:00 - 16:59	0	0	14	2	27	5
	17:00 - 17:59	2	0	30	5	33	6
	TOTAL	99	17	50	8	343	57

SITE	TIME OF DAY	<u>NO. LAUNCHING</u>		<u>NO. LANDING</u>		<u>NO. PASSING THROUGH</u>	
		<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>
		<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>
S.YAT WEST	09:00 - 09:59	3	1	0	0	6	1
	10:00 - 10:59	2	0	0	0	158	26
	11:00 - 11:59	48	8	2	0	247	41
	12:00 - 12:59	24	4	23	4	264	44
	13:00 - 13:59	18	3	20	3	201	34
	14:00 - 14:59	31	5	25	4	185	31
	15:00 - 15:59	32	5	12	2	286	48
	16:00 - 16:59	9	2	7	1	228	38
	17:00 - 17:59	7	1	14	2	63	11
TOTAL	174	29	103	17	1638	273	

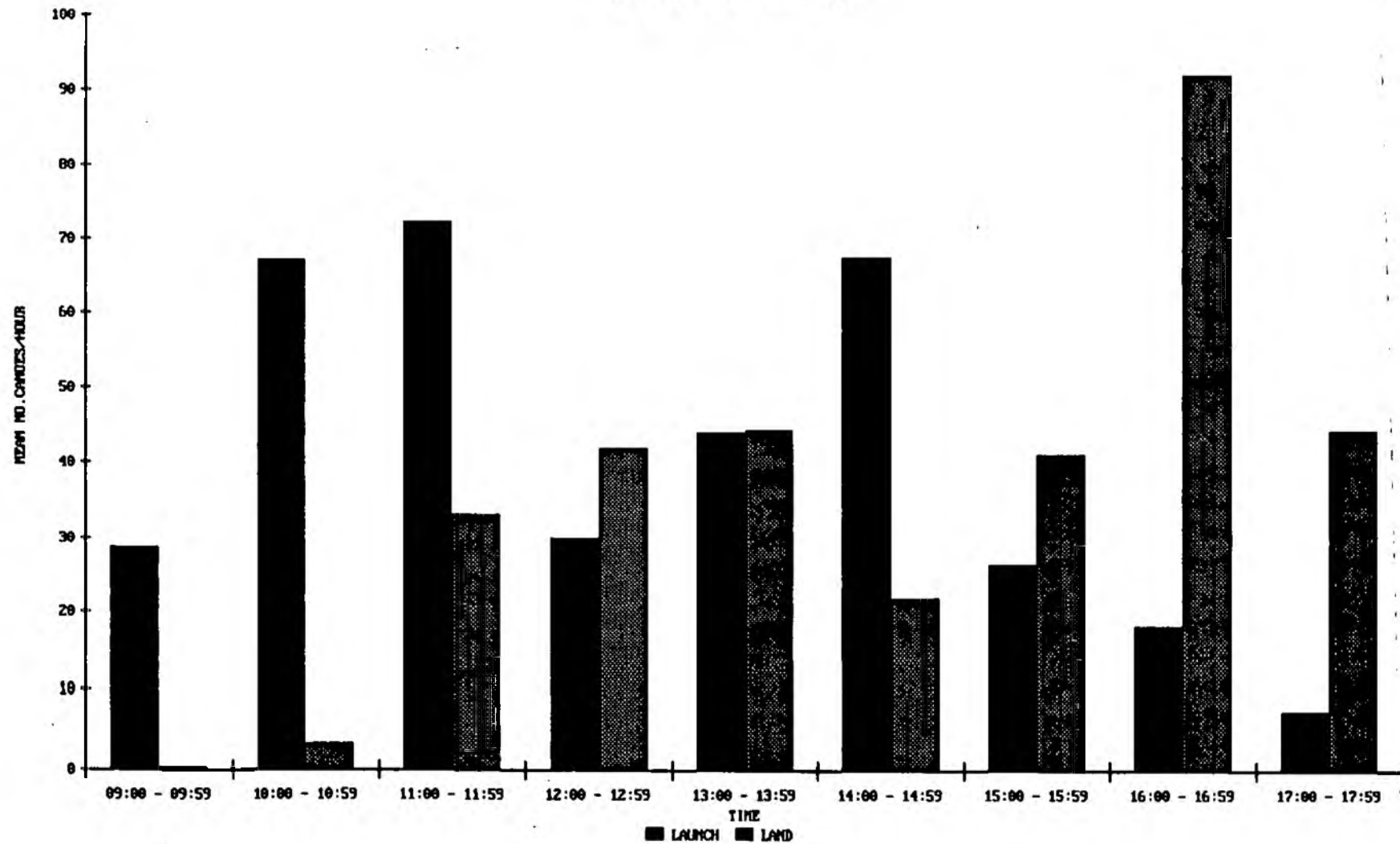
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		<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>
		<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>
S.YAT EAST	09:00 - 09:59	39	7	1	0	9	2
	10:00 - 10:59	131	22	7	1	11	2
	11:00 - 11:59	197	33	39	7	106	18
	12:00 - 12:59	81	14	101	17	49	8
	13:00 - 13:59	106	18	138	23	73	12
	14:00 - 14:59	176	29	58	10	83	14
	15:00 - 15:59	86	14	130	22	88	15
	16:00 - 16:59	49	8	171	29	18	3
	17:00 - 17:59	25	4	129	22	12	2
TOTAL	890	148	774	129	449	75	

SITE	TIME OF DAY	<u>NO. LAUNCHING</u>		<u>NO. LANDING</u>		<u>NO. PASSING THROUGH</u>	
		<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Six Day</u>	<u>Mean</u>
		<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>
MONMOUTH	09:00 - 09:59	4	1	0	0	0	0
	10:00 - 10:59	14	2	6	1	6	1
	11:00 - 11:59	20	3	22	4	10	2
	12:00 - 12:59	4	1	0	0	30	5
	13:00 - 13:59	7	1	25	4	1	0
	14:00 - 14:59	28	5	6	1	0	0
	15:00 - 15:59	15	3	38	6	0	0
	16:00 - 16:59	0	0	184	31	4	1
	17:00 - 17:59	4	1	30	5	0	0
TOTAL	96	16	311	52	51	9	

NO. LAUNCHINGNO. LANDINGNO. PASSING
THROUGH

<u>SITE</u>	<u>TIME OF DAY</u>	<u>Six Day Mean</u>		<u>Six Day Mean</u>		<u>Six Day Mean</u>	
		<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>No./Day</u>
ALL SITES	09:00 - 09:59	172	29	2	0	19	3
	10:00 - 10:59	402	67	20	3	233	39
	11:00 - 11:59	433	72	198	33	458	76
	12:00 - 12:59	179	30	251	42	454	76
	13:00 - 13:59	264	44	265	44	404	67
	14:00 - 14:59	404	67	131	22	387	65
	15:00 - 15:59	158	26	246	41	508	85
	16:00 - 16:59	108	18	552	92	348	58
	17:00 - 17:59	45	8	265	44	122	20
	TOTAL	2165	361	1930	322	2933	489

DAILY CANOEING ACTIVITY ALL SITES
Wye Project Canoe Census 1991



POSTAL CANOE GROUP SURVEYNotes

1. Questionnaires were sent to 390 groups, consisting of canoe clubs, school and university groups, scout and guide groups and outdoor activity centres. All groups receiving questionnaires were thought to have canoed the Wye during the previous year, 1990. Names and addresses were obtained from campsites, youth hostels, scout and guide organisers, and from discussion with local canoeists.
2. Pre-paid postage stickers were sent out with the forms.
3. A reminder letter was sent out to those that had not replied after four weeks.
4. The data was transferred to a computer database and analysed using Microsoft Works.

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SURVEY OF RIVER WYE CANOE GROUPS

Please answer each of the questions as fully as possible. Most of the questions can be answered by ticking or placing a number in the relevant box(es). If you run out of space, please continue on the reverse side of the paper.

1) NAME

2) ADDRESS

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3) ARE YOU REPLYING ON BEHALF OF A CLUB
OR OTHER ORGANISATION?

YES

NO

<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>

1

2

If NO, please go to question 7.

4) IF YES, WHAT IS THE NAME OF THE CLUB/
ORGANISATION?

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5) WHAT IS YOUR POSITION WITHIN THE CLUB/
ORGANISATION?

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6) IS YOUR CLUB/ORGANISATION AFFILIATED
TO THE BCU OR WCA?

BCU

WCA

Neither

<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>

1

2

3

7) FOR HOW MANY YEARS HAS YOUR CLUB/
ORGANISATION REGULARLY CANOED ON
THE WYE?

<input type="text"/>

Years

NB. If you are not replying on behalf of a club or organisation, how many years have you as an individual canoed on the Wye?

- 8) HOW OFTEN, ON AVERAGE, DOES IT
CANOE ON THE WYE?

NB.If you are not replying on behalf
of a club or organisation, how often
do you canoe on the Wye?

Less than once a year

1 - 2 times a year

3 - 4 times a year

5 - 6 times a year

7 - 8 times a year

More than 8 times a year

	1
	2
	3
	4
	5
	6

- 9) WHICH MONTHS OF THE YEAR DO YOU USUALLY CANOE ON THE WYE?
(Please tick the appropriate boxes)

Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12

- 10) WHICH DAYS OF THE WEEK DO YOU
USUALLY CANOE ON THE WYE?

Weekdays only

Weekends only

Both

	1
	2
	3

- 11) HOW MANY CANOEISTS, ON AVERAGE,
ARE THERE IN YOUR GROUP WHEN
YOU CANOE ON THE WYE?

1 - 5

6 - 10

11 - 15

16 - 20

More than 20

	1
	2
	3
	4
	5

12) WHERE DO YOU USUALLY LAUNCH AND LAND YOUR CANOES?

Please identify the six most frequently used launch points and the six most frequently used landing points by placing a number 1 to 6 in the relevant boxes, in each of the columns LAUNCH and LAND. Place a 1 against the most frequently used point, a 2 against the second most frequently used point, and so on to number 6. If you do not use as many as six different points just include those you do use. If the access points you use are not on this list, please add them to the list under "others".

	LAUNCH	LAND		LAUNCH	LAND	
Llangurig			1	Welsh Bicknor Youth Hostel		15
Confluence - River Marteg			2	Huntsham Bridge		16
Rhayader			3	Symonds Yat West-camp site		17
Builth Wells car park			4	Symonds Yat west-Ferrie Inn		18
Glasbury Common			5	Symonds Yat East		19
Hay - steps below bridge			6	The Biblins camp site		20
Whitney Toll Bridge			7	Monmouth-rowing club steps		21
Bredwardine - by bridge			8	Brockweir-old quay		22
Byford			9	Tintern		23
Bridge Sollars			10	Chepstow-old slipway		24
Hereford (Bishops Meadow)			11	Others (Please specify)		
Ross (Wilton Bridge)			12		25
Kerne Bridge Picnic Site			13		26
Lower Lydbrook			14		27

13) WHY DO YOU CHOOSE TO USE YOUR MOST FREQUENTLY USED LAUNCH POINTS?

Please select the the two main reasons from this list and mark them 1 and 2 according to their importance.

Close to Base/Accommodation		1	Uncrowded Stretch of River		6
Close to Suitable Canoeing Water		2	Good Facilities on Bank		7
Ease of Entry to River		3	Proximity to intended exit		8
Close to Rapids		4	Other (Please Specify)		9
Car Parking		5		

14) WHAT TYPES OF CANOEING DO YOU USE THE WYE FOR?

Please tick more than one box if necessary.

- General pleasure paddling
White-water
Touring
Racing
Training/Instruction
Other
(Please specify)

<input type="checkbox"/>	1
<input type="checkbox"/>	2
<input type="checkbox"/>	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	4
<input type="checkbox"/>	5
<input type="checkbox"/>	6

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15) BESIDES CANOEING, WHAT OTHER SPORT AND RECREATION ACTIVITIES, IF ANY, DO YOU USUALLY UNDERTAKE DURING YOUR VISITS TO THE WYE VALLEY?

Please tick more than one box if necessary.

- Rambling/Hill Walking
Rock Climbing
Caving
Rafting
General Sightseeing and Exploration
Education/Nature Study
Other (Please Specify)

<input type="checkbox"/>	1
<input type="checkbox"/>	2
<input type="checkbox"/>	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	4
<input type="checkbox"/>	5
<input type="checkbox"/>	6
<input type="checkbox"/>	7

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16) WHEN VISITING THE RIVER WYE, WHAT IS THE USUAL LENGTH OF YOUR STAY?

- Day visit only
1 - 2 nights
3 - 4 nights
5 - 6 nights
More than 6 nights

<input type="checkbox"/>	1
<input type="checkbox"/>	2
<input type="checkbox"/>	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	4
<input type="checkbox"/>	5

17) WHEN STAYING IN THE AREA, WHAT ACCOMMODATION DO YOU USUALLY USE?

NB. If you are based in the local area and do not need to stay away from home when canoeing on the Wye, please go to question 18.

- Camp site
Youth hostel
Bed and breakfast/hotel
Field centre
Other
(Please specify)

<input type="checkbox"/>	1
<input type="checkbox"/>	2
<input type="checkbox"/>	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	4
<input type="checkbox"/>	5

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- 18) WHY DO YOU CHOOSE TO COME TO THE RIVER WYE TO CANOE?
(Please select the three most important reasons from the list and mark them 1, 2 and 3)

Convenient and accessible	<input type="checkbox"/>	1	Good for Instruction	<input type="checkbox"/>	7
Free navigation	<input type="checkbox"/>	2	Clean Water	<input type="checkbox"/>	8
Attractive Environment	<input type="checkbox"/>	3	Canoeing Centres	<input type="checkbox"/>	9
Good Rapids	<input type="checkbox"/>	4	Other Activities	<input type="checkbox"/>	10
Good Access to Water	<input type="checkbox"/>	5	Good Camping/Accommodation	<input type="checkbox"/>	11
Particular Event	<input type="checkbox"/>	6	Other (Please Specify)	<input type="checkbox"/>	12

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- 19a) WHILST CANOEING ON THE WYE, HAVE YOU EXPERIENCED ANY PROBLEMS WHICH HAVE AFFECTED YOUR ENJOYMENT OF THE RIVER, INCLUDING ANY CONFLICTS WITH OTHER RIVER USERS OR LAND AND FISHERY OWNERS?

Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	1
No	<input type="checkbox"/>	2

If YES, go to 19b)

If NO, go to question 20).

- 19b) WHAT PROBLEMS OR CONFLICTS HAVE YOU EXPERIENCED?
(Please describe what problems you have experienced, where and when they have occurred and how they have affected your enjoyment)

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- 19c) HAVE THESE DIFFICULTIES BECOME MORE OR LESS APPARENT IN RECENT YEARS?

More apparent	<input type="checkbox"/>	1
Less apparent	<input type="checkbox"/>	2
No change	<input type="checkbox"/>	3

20) DO YOU THINK THAT CANOEING HAS A
DETRIMENTAL IMPACT ON OTHER
RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES ON THE WYE?

Yes

No

Dont Know

1

2

3

If YES, what impact do you think it has, and with whom?

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21) DO YOU THINK THAT CANOEING CAN HAVE
A DETRIMENTAL IMPACT ON WILDLIFE
OR THE CONSERVATION VALUE OF THE
RIVER?

Yes

No

Dont Know

1

2

3

If YES, what impacts do you think it can have and how are they caused?

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22) WOULD YOU REGARD THE NEEDS OF
CONSERVATION AS A JUSTIFIABLE
CONSTRAINT ON CANOEING ACTIVITY,
IF THIS WAS PROVEN NECESSARY?

Yes

No

1

2

23) DOES YOUR CLUB/ORGANISATION TAKE ANY
STEPS TO MAKE CANOEISTS AWARE OF THE
CONSERVATION IMPORTANCE OF THE WYE
BEFORE THEY START CANOEING?

Yes

No

1

2

If YES, how do you do this?

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24) DO YOU HAVE ANY VIEWS ABOUT HOW THE MANAGEMENT OF THE RIVER COULD BE IMPROVED
SO AS TO MINIMISE PROBLEMS OR CONFLICTS?
(Please list any suggestions you have)

- 1)
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2)
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3)
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25) WHAT ROLE DO YOU THINK THAT CANOEISTS CAN PLAY IN ALLEVIATING ANY PROBLEMS OR
CONFLICTS.
(Please list any suggestions you have)

- 1)
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2)
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3)
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26) IS THERE ANYTHING WHICH YOU FEEL COULD BE DONE TO IMPROVE CANOEING ON THE WYE
AND INCREASE YOUR ENJOYMENT OF THE SPORT?
(Please list any suggestions you have)

- 1)
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2)
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3)
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27) ARE THERE ANY OTHER COMMENTS OR SUGGESTIONS WHICH YOU WOULD LIKE TO MAKE?

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR CO-OPERATION.

WYE PROJECT POSTAL CANOE GROUP SURVEY RESULTS

SUMMARY OF RESPONSES

Questionnaires distributed	390
Unanswered/sent in error	6
Completed forms	150
Response rate	39%

MEMBERSHIP OF GOVERNING BODIES

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
B.C.U	75	50
W.C.A	11	7
Neither	64	43
Total	150	100

NUMBER OF YEARS CANOEING THE WYE

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
0 - 5 years	53	36
6 - 10 years	39	27
11 - 15 years	14	10
16 - 20 years	20	14
21 - 25 years	9	6
More than 25 years	11	8
Total	146	100

Mean 11 Years

FREQUENCY OF VISITS TO THE WYE

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Less than once a year	8	5
1 - 2 times a year	55	37
3 - 4 times a year	30	20
5 - 6 times a year	9	6
7 - 8 times a year	6	4
More than 8 times a year	42	28
Total	150	100

MONTHS OF THE YEAR CANOED [I.E. Months in groups have canoed on the Wye in the past]

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
January	48	32
February	47	31
March	58	39
April	67	45
May	82	55
June	88	59
July	85	57
August	68	45
September	71	47
October	67	45
November	63	42
December	50	33

DAYS OF THE WEEK CANOED

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Weekdays only	19	13
Weekends only	60	40
Both	71	47
Total	150	100

USUAL GROUP SIZE

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
1 - 5	18	12
6 - 10	81	54
11 - 15	34	23
16 - 20	10	7
More than 20	7	5
Total	150	100

REASONS FOR CHOICE OF LAUNCH POINTS

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>WEIGHTED SCORE</u>
Close to suitable water	99	66	163
Close to base	58	39	96
Close to rapids	56	37	73
Ease of entry to the water	35	23	49
Car parking	24	16	27
Proximity to intended exit	11	7	15
Good facilities on the bank	3	2	3
Uncrowded stretch of river	2	1	2
Other	7	5	11

N.B. The weighted score takes into account the score given to each reason by the respondent as well as its frequency and is a more accurate index of relative importance.

TYPES OF CANOEING UNDERTAKEN

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Training/Instruction	126	84
White water	104	69
General	99	66
Touring	60	40
Racing	11	7
Other	11	7

OTHER ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
None	35	23
Walking	82	55
Climbing	65	43
Sightseeing	61	41
Caving	41	27
Education/Nature study	32	21
Rafting	11	7
Other	32	21

CANOE ACCESS POINTS USED BY ORGANISED GROUPS

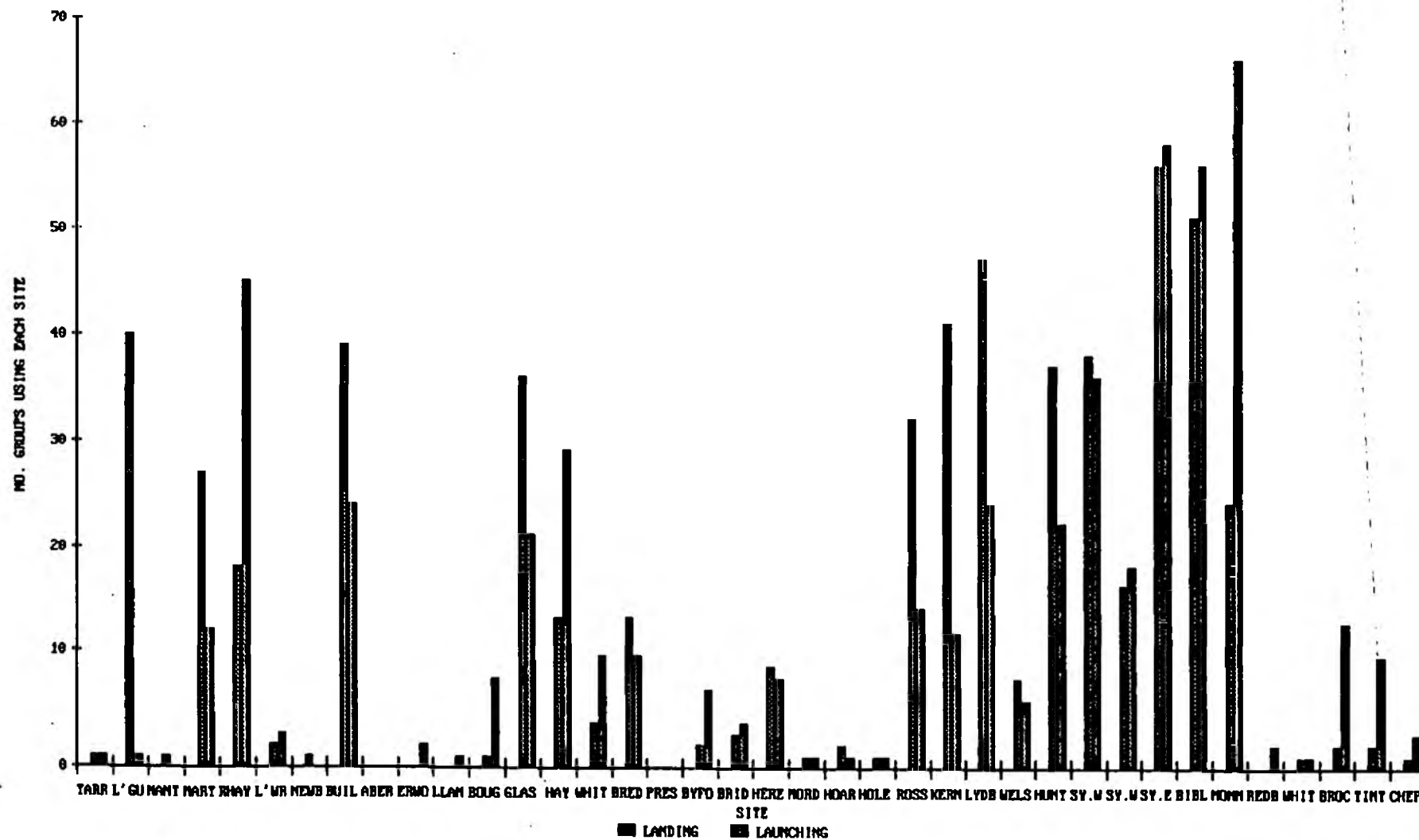
<u>SITE</u>	<u>LAUNCHING SITES</u>		<u>LANDING SITES</u>	
	<u>NO.GROUPS</u>	<u>WEIGHTED SCORE</u>	<u>NO.GROUPS</u>	<u>WEIGHTED SCORE</u>
From source to mouth				
TARRENIG CONFLUENCE	1	6	1	6
L'GURIG	40	159	1	6
NANT-Y-DERNOL	1	5	0	0
MARTEG CONFLUENCE	27	99	12	40
RHAYADER	18	66	45	196
L'WRYTHL	2	7	3	10
NEWBRIDGE	1	4	0	0
BUILTH WELLS	39	124	24	74
ABEREDW	0	0	0	0
ERWOOD	0	0	2	5
LLANSTEPHAN	0	0	1	4
BOUGHROOD	1	5	8	25
GLASBURY	36	139	21	82
HAY	13	37	29	119
WHITNEY	4	9	10	34
BREDWARDINE	13	47	10	31
PRESTON-ON-WYE	0	0	0	0
BYFORD	2	7	7	25
BRIDGE SOLLARS	3	7	4	7
HEREFORD	9	16	8	19
MORDIFORD	1	0	1	6
HOARWITHY	2	11	1	5
HOLE-IN-THE-WALL	1	3	1	2
ROSS	32	102	14	39
KERNE BRIDGE	41	146	12	26
LYDBROOK	47	198	24	93
WELSH BICKNOR HOSTEL	8	29	6	16
HUNTSHAM BRIDGE	37	131	22	79
SY.WEST	38	148	36	147
SY.WEST FERRY INN	16	61	18	68
SY.EAST	56	227	58	260
BIBLINS	51	210	56	258
MONMOUTH	24	86	66	272
REDBROOK	0	0	2	5
WHITEBROOK	1	3	1	3
BROCKWEIR	2	3	13	44
TINTERN	2	2	10	24
CHEPSTOW	1	1	3	6

N.B.

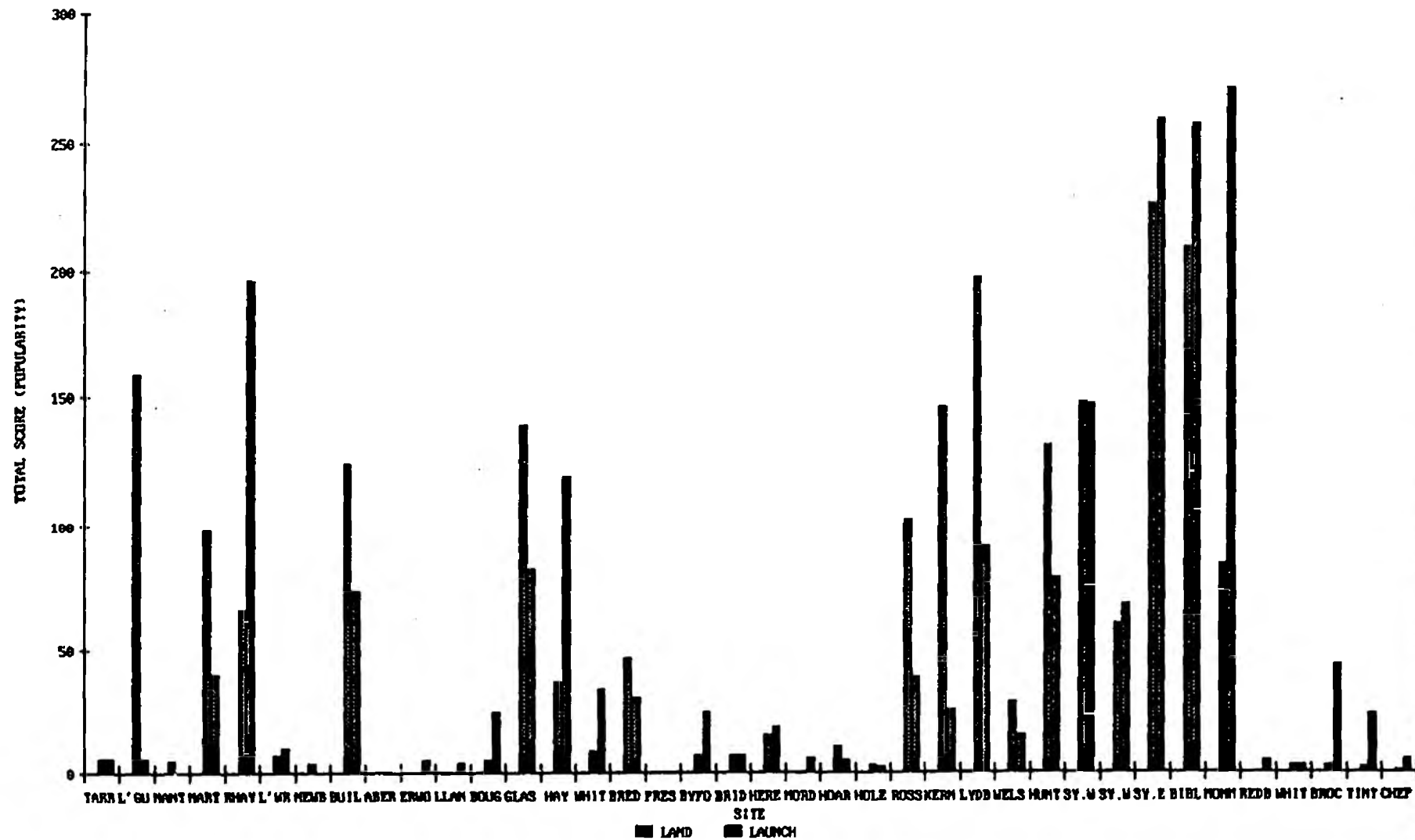
1. NO.GROUPS refers to the number of groups citing each site as one of its six choices.

2. WEIGHTED SCORE takes account the frequency with which each site is used, as indicated by the score given on a scale 1 to 6, and is a more accurate measure of each site's importance.

LAUNCH AND LAND SITES/NO. GROUPS
Uye Project Canoe Group Survey



Wye Project Canoe Group Survey



LENGTH OF VISIT

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Day visit only	41	27
1 - 2 nights	60	40
3 - 4 nights	19	13
5 - 6 nights	16	11
More than 6 nights	14	9
Total	150	100

ACCOMMODATION USED

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
None	19	13
9	89	59
Field Centre	28	19
Youth Hostel	19	13
B & B/Hotel	11	7
Other	11	7

REASONS FOR CHOOSING TO CANOE THE WYE

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>WEIGHTED TOTAL</u>
Good for instruction	77	51	159
Good rapids	68	45	155
Convenient and accessible	62	41	143
Attractive environment	59	39	110
Good water access	52	35	88
Free navigation	36	24	72
Good camping/Accommodation	28	19	59
Clean water	35	23	51
Other activities	8	5	14
Particular event	6	4	13
Canoeing centres	3	2	5
Other	4	3	7

N.B. The weighted score takes into account the score given to each reason by the respondent as well as its frequency and is a more accurate index of relative importance.

HAVE PROBLEMS BEEN EXPERIENCED?

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Yes		
No	82	55
	68	45

**HAVE DIFFICULTIES BECOME MORE OR LESS
APPARENT IN RECENT YEARS?**

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
More apparent	39	46
Less apparent	9	11
Don't know	37	44
Total	85	100

**DO CANOEISTS BELIEVE THAT CANOEING HAS
AN IMPACT ON OTHER RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES?**

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Yes	31	21
No	114	76
Don't know	5	3
Total	150	100

**DO CANOEISTS BELIEVE THAT CANOEING HAS AN
IMPACT ON THE CONSERVATION VALUE OF THE RIVER?**

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Yes	48	32
No	96	64
Don't know	6	4
Total	150	100

**SHOULD THE NEEDS OF CONSERVATION BE A
JUSTIFIABLE CONSTRAINT ON CANOEING?**

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Yes	116	77
No	34	23
Total	150	100

**DOES CLUB/ORGANISATION TAKE STEPS TO MAKE MEMBERS
AWARE OF THE RIVER'S CONSERVATION IMPORTANCE?**

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Yes	119	79
No	31	21
Total	150	

PROBLEMS OR CONFLICTS EXPERIENCED

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
No problems experienced	68	45
Conflict with anglers or owners	53	35
Access to upper river	6	4
Unofficial signs directing canoeists	5	3
Lack of proper access points	3	2
Anglers dominating rapids at Lydbrook	2	1
Dispute over use of Monmouth steps	2	1
Clashes with raft race	1	1
Low water levels	1	1
Water pollution	1	1

SYMONDS YAT

Over crowding	9	6
Conflict with competitive canoeists	5	3
Conflict with passenger cruisers	3	2
Problems getting out of river	2	1
Poor condition of croys	1	1

**WHAT IMPACT DO CANOEISTS THINK CANOEING CAN
HAVE ON OTHER RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES?**

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
None	114	76
Thoughtless conduct can affect angling	18	12
Visual impact of coloured clothing/canoes	7	5
Disturbance caused by large groups	4	3
Litter	1	1
Inconsiderate parking of vehicles	2	1

**WHAT IMPACT DO CANOEISTS THINK CANOEING CAN
HAVE ON THE CONSERVATION VALUE OF THE RIVER?**

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
None	96	64
Damage to banks caused by access	22	15
Disturbance to wildlife	17	11
Noise	5	3
Litter	4	3
Disturbance to spawning fish	3	2

**STEPS TAKEN TO MAKE CANOEISTS AWARE OF
THE CONSERVATION IMPORTANCE OF THE WYE**

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
None	31	21
Briefing/Discussion beforehand	42	28
Instruction given on the river	21	14
Conservation is an integral part of visit	13	9
Use of country code	13	9
Not specified	11	7
B.C.U. Code of Conduct	7	5
Pass on available written information	2	1
Produce own code of conduct	2	1

VIEWS ON IMPROVING MANAGEMENT

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
None	43	29

EDUCATION ABOUT THE NEEDS OF OTHERS

Total	33	22
Erect signs to identify fishing pools	10	7
Information boards along river bank	8	5
Code of conduct	6	4
Promote awareness of legal constraints	1	1

ENCOURAGE MORE COMMUNICATION BETWEEN USERS

Total	20	13
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Formal user group/management committee	7	5
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User's newsletter	1	1
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OTHER

Provide/promote official access points	26	17
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Create access points to spread use.	15	10
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Encourage agreements to extend access	11	7
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Improve access to alternative rivers	11	7
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Educate anglers about needs of canoeists	8	5
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Identification/Licencing of craft	8	5
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Involve B.C.U in decision processes	7	5
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Introduce booking system for large groups	7	5
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Time zoning to seperate uses	7	5
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Restrict sizes of canoe groups	6	4
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Fees for using river	6	4
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Regulate/Advertise events	6	4
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Publicise access agreements	5	3
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Control modification of banks for angling	5	3
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Better car parking at access points	4	3
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Limit commercial canoe usage	4	3
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Fees for use of launch sites	3	2
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Qualified instructors for large groups	2	1
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Introduce river wardens to promote conduct	2	1
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Restrict canoeing in sensitive areas	1	1
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ROLE OF CANOEISTS IN ALLEVIATING CONFLICTS

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
None/Not answered	34	23
Courtesy to others/minimise disturbance	59	39
Abide by agreements and codes	19	13
Voluntary limit on group sizes	13	9
Educate other canoeists	11	7
Join a club/governing body	7	5
Use only agreed access points	6	4
Report problems to relevant authority	5	3
By not changing clothing in public	4	3
Minimise environmental impact	4	3
Involvement in river management	4	3
Discussions with other users	3	2
Care over parking vehicles	3	2
Pay to secure good facilities/access	2	1
Improve instructor:pupil ratio	1	1
Tidy up after slalom events	1	1
Involvement in environmental surveys	1	1

SUGGESTIONS FOR IMPROVING CANOEING ON THE WYE

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
No improvements suggested	40	27
Create more official access points	35	23
Open up access upstream of Glasbury	33	22
More/better camping facilities	5	3
Improve water quality	4	3
Improve facilities at Huntsham Bridge	3	2
Improve facilities at Byford	1	1

Extend use of Biblins site	1	1
Central canoeing information point	1	1
Reduce number of slalom events	1	1
Tidy and maintain banks	1	1
Designate areas for training exercises	1	1
More picnic areas	1	1
<u>Improve existing access points</u>		
Total - all suggestions/not specified	11	7
Improve car parking	5	3
More/better toilets	3	2
Clarify status/publicise official sites	3	2
Changing facilities	2	1
Information boards	1	1
<u>Symonds Yat</u>		
Improve and manage the rapids	11	7
Alternative rapids to relieve pressure	3	2
Introduce booking system for rapids	2	1
Introduce warden to oversee rapids	1	1

CANOEIST RIVERSIDE SURVEY

Notes

1. This survey was carried out in conjunction with the canoe census and took place over the same days and between the same times.
2. Canoeists were interviewed at the end of their trip, as they were leaving the river. The aim was to interview one representative from each group of canoeists.
3. Canoeists entering the river at Monmouth were interviewed at the beginning of their trip as this was the only opportunity to interview those travelling down river.
4. The data was transferred to a computer database and analysed using Microsoft Works.

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Date code				
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RIVER WYE PROJECT

SURVEY OF RIVER WYE CANOEISTS SUMMER 1991

INTERVIEWER DATE

SITE TIME (24 HR CLOCK)

INTERVIEW NUMBER

Good morning/afternoon. I am carrying out interviews on behalf of the River Wye Project. We are undertaking a survey of canoeists on the River Wye. Would you help by answering a few questions. It will only take 5 - 10 minutes.

PLEASE ENSURE THAT EACH OF THE QUESTIONS IS ANSWERED AS FULLY AS POSSIBLE. MOST CAN BE ANSWERED BY PLACING A TICK OR A NUMBER IN THE RELEVANT BOX(ES).

- 1) COULD YOU TELL ME WHERE YOU HAVE TRAVELLED FROM TO GET TO THE WYE?

Town

County

Office
Use

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- 2) IS THIS YOUR HOME ADDRESS?

Yes

No

1

2

[If Yes, go to question 4]

[If No, go to the next question]

- 3) WHERE DO YOU LIVE?

Town

County

Office
Use

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- 4) HOW MANY CANOEISTS ARE THERE IN YOUR PARTY TODAY?

1 - 5

6 - 10

11 - 15

16 - 20

More than 20

1

2

3

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5

- 5) WHAT AGES ARE THEY? PLEASE STATE THE APPROXIMATE NUMBER OF PEOPLE WITHIN EACH AGE GROUP.
[Place the number in the appropriate box(es)]

5 - 9
10 - 14
15 - 19
20 - 29
30 - 44
45 - 64
65+

- 6) WHAT RELATION ARE THESE PEOPLE TO EACH OTHER?

[Tick more than one box if necessary]

Friends

Relatives

Fellow members of a club or organised group

	1
	2
	3

If fellow members of a club or organised group, what is the name of this group?

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- 7) ARE YOU OR THE ORGANISATION YOU ARE WITH A MEMBER OF THE BRITISH CANOE UNION OR THE WELSH CANOEING ASSOCIATION?

BCU

WCA

Neither

	1
	2
	3

- 8) FOR HOW MANY YEARS HAVE YOU REGULARLY CANOED ON THE RIVER WYE?

	Years
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- 9) HOW OFTEN, ON AVERAGE, DO YOU CANOE ON THE WYE?

Less than once a year

1 - 2 times a year

3 - 4 times a year

5 - 6 times a year

7 - 8 times a year

More than 8 times a year

	1
	2
	3
	4
	5
	6

- 10) WHICH MONTHS OF THE YEAR DO YOU USUALLY CANOE ON THE WYE?
[Tick the appropriate boxes]

Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12

- 11) WHICH DAYS OF THE WEEK DO YOU
USUALLY CANOE ON THE WYE?

Weekdays only	<input type="checkbox"/>	1
Weekends only	<input type="checkbox"/>	2
Both	<input type="checkbox"/>	3

- 12) WHICH LAUNCHING AND LANDING POINTS ON THE RIVER WYE DO YOU USUALLY USE?
COULD YOU TELL ME YOUR FOUR MOST FREQUENTLY USED LAUNCH POINTS AND YOUR FOUR
MOST FREQUENTLY USED LANDING POINTS?

[In each of the columns LAUNCH and LAND, place a number 1 to 4 against the four most frequently used access points. Place a 1 against the most frequently used point, a 2 against the second most frequently used point, and so on. If less than four different points are used, only number those that are used. If an access point is not on the list, add it under "others".]

	LAUNCH	LAND		LAUNCH	LAND	
Llangurig	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1	Welsh Bicknor Youth Hostel	<input type="checkbox"/>	15
Confluence - River Marteg	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	2	Huntsham Bridge	<input type="checkbox"/>	16
Rhayader	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	3	Symonds Yat West-camp site	<input type="checkbox"/>	17
Builth Wells car park	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	4	Symonds Yat West-Ferrie Inn	<input type="checkbox"/>	18
Glasbury Common	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	5	Symonds Yat East	<input type="checkbox"/>	19
Hay - steps below bridge	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	6	The Biblins camp site	<input type="checkbox"/>	20
Whitney Toll Bridge	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	7	Monmouth-rowing club steps	<input type="checkbox"/>	21
Bredwardine Bridge	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	8	Brockweir-old quay	<input type="checkbox"/>	22
Byford	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	9	Tintern	<input type="checkbox"/>	23
Bridge Sollars	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	10	Chepstow-old slipway	<input type="checkbox"/>	24
Hereford (Bishops Meadow)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	11	Others (Please specify)		
Ross	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	12	<input type="checkbox"/>	25
Kerne Bridge Picnic Site	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	13	<input type="checkbox"/>	26
Lower Lydbrook	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	14	<input type="checkbox"/>	27

13) WHERE DID YOU LAUNCH YOUR CANOE TODAY?

14) WHAT TIME OF THE DAY DID YOU START CANOEING? (24 Hour Clock)

15) WHY DID YOU CHOOSE TO LAUNCH FROM THIS LOCATION?

[Place a 1 and 2 against the two most important reasons]

Close to Base/Accommodation

1 Uncrowded Stretch of River

6

Close to Suitable Canoeing Water

2 Good Facilities on Bank

7

Ease of Entry to River

3 Proximity to intended exit

8

Close to Rapids

4 Part of longer journey

9

Car Parking

5 Other (Please specify)

10

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16) WHAT TYPES OF CANOEING DO YOU USUALLY USE THE WYE FOR?

[Tick more than one box if necessary]

General pleasure paddling

1

White-water

2

Touring

3

Racing

4

Training/Instruction

5

Other
(Please specify)

6

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17) HOW LONG ARE YOU VISITING THE WYE FOR? Day visit only

1 - 2 nights

3 - 4 nights

5 - 6 nights

More than 6 nights

1

2

3

4

5

- 18) BESIDES CANOEING, WHAT OTHER SPORT OR RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES HAVE YOU UNDERTAKEN OR DO YOU INTEND TO UNDERTAKE DURING THIS VISIT TO THE WYE?

[Tick more than one box if necessary]

None

Rambling/Hill Walking

Rock Climbing

Caving

Rafting

General Sightseeing and
Exploration
Education/Nature Study

Other (Please Specify)

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- 19) WHAT TYPE OF ACCOMMODATION ARE YOU USING DURING YOUR STAY?

None - Day visit only

Camp site

Youth hostel

Bed and breakfast/hotel

Field centre

Friends/relatives

Other (Please specify)

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- 20) WHY DID YOU CHOOSE TO COME TO THE RIVER WYE TO CANOE?
[Place a 1, 2 and 3 against the three most important reasons]

Convenient and accessible

Free navigation

Attractive Environment

Good Rapids

Good Access to Water

Particular Event

1

2

3

4

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6

Good for Instruction

Clean Water

Canoeing Centres

Other Activities

Good Camping/Accommodation

Other (Please specify)

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21) WHILST CANOEING ON THE WYE, HAVE YOU
EVER EXPERIENCED ANY PROBLEMS WHICH
HAVE AFFECTED YOUR ENJOYMENT OF THE
RIVER, INCLUDING ANY CONFLICTS WITH OTHER
RIVER USERS OR LAND AND FISHERY OWNERS?

Yes

☐

1

No

☐

2

[If YES, go to next question]

[If NO, go to question 24)]

22) PLEASE DESCRIBE WHAT PROBLEMS YOU HAVE EXPERIENCED, WHERE AND WHEN THEY HAVE
OCCURED AND HOW THEY HAVE AFFECTED YOUR ENJOYMENT. [Probe]

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23) HAVE THESE DIFFICULTIES BECOME MORE
OR LESS APPARENT IN RECENT YEARS?

More apparent

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1

Less apparent

☐

2

No change

☐

3

24) DO YOU THINK THAT CANOEING CAN HAVE
A DETRIMENTAL IMPACT ON OTHER
RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES ON THE WYE?

Yes

☐

1

No

☐

2

Don't Know

☐

3

If YES, what impact do you think it can have, and with whom? [Probe]

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- 25) DO YOU THINK THAT CANOEING CAN HAVE A DETRIMENTAL IMPACT ON WILDLIFE OR THE CONSERVATION VALUE OF THE RIVER?
- | | | |
|-----------|--------------------------|---|
| Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> | 1 |
| No | <input type="checkbox"/> | 2 |
| Dont Know | <input type="checkbox"/> | 3 |

If YES, what impact do you think it can have? [Probe]

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- 26) WOULD YOU REGARD THE NEEDS OF CONSERVATION AS A JUSTIFIABLE CONSTRAINT ON CANOEING ACTIVITY, IF THIS WAS PROVEN NECESSARY?
- | | | |
|-----|--------------------------|---|
| Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> | 1 |
| No | <input type="checkbox"/> | 2 |

- 27) HAVE YOU SEEN COPIES OF ANY OF THESE PUBLICATIONS?

[Tick the relevant box(es) for each publication seen]

- | | |
|---|-----------------------------------|
| 1 | River Wye Handbook |
| 2 | Wye Calendar of Events |
| 3 | Canosists' Guide to the River Wye |
| 4 | BCU Code of Conduct |

Yes	No
1	2

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

- 28) DO YOU HAVE ANY VIEWS ABOUT HOW THE MANAGEMENT OF THE RIVER COULD BE IMPROVED SO AS TO MINIMISE PROBLEMS OR CONFLICTS?
- | | | |
|-----|--------------------------|---|
| Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> | 1 |
| No | <input type="checkbox"/> | 2 |

[If YES, list any suggestions put forward]

- 1)
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- 2)
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- 3)
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29) IS THERE ANYTHING WHICH YOU FEEL
COULD BE DONE TO IMPROVE CANOEING
ON THE WYE AND INCREASE YOUR
ENJOYMENT OF THE SPORT?

Yes

No

1

2

[If YES, list any suggestions put forward]

1)

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2)

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3)

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ARE THERE ANY OTHER COMMENTS OR SUGGESTIONS WHICH YOU WOULD LIKE TO MAKE?

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR CO-OPERATION.

WYE PROJECT RIVERSIDE SURVEY OF CANOEISTS RESULTS

SUMMARY OF RESPONSES

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>REFUSALS</u>	<u>% RESPONSE</u>
	<u>INTERVIEWS</u>		
Glasbury	4	0	100
Hay	29	17	63
Whitney	9	3	75
Bredwardine	6	0	100
Hereford	10	2	83
Ross	4	1	80
Kerne Bridge	7	2	77
Lydbrook	14	2	87
Huntsham Bridge	17	0	100
Symonds Yat West	29	3	91
Symonds Yat East	48	10	83
Monmouth	53	1	98
Total	230	41	84.9

ORIGIN OF CANOEING PARTY

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Home	125	54
Holiday	99	43
Other	6	3
Total	230	100

NUMBER OF PEOPLE IN PARTY

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
1 - 5	133	58
6 - 10	45	20
11 - 15	28	12
16 - 20	11	5
More than 20	13	6
	230	100

AGES OF CANOEISTS IN PARTY

	<u>TOTAL NO.</u>	
	<u>WITHIN</u>	<u>%</u>
	<u>RANGE</u>	
[N.B. Only 211 respondents gave the age breakdown of their groups]		
0 - 4 Years	7	1
5 - 9 Years	79	7
10 - 14 Years	332	28
15 - 19 Years	239	20
20 - 29 Years	254	21
30 - 44 Years	205	17
45 - 65 Years	72	6
Greater than 65 Years	5	0
Total	1193	100

RELATIONSHIP TO REST OF PARTY

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Friends	111	48
Relatives	77	33
Club Members	74	32

MEMBERSHIP OF GOVERNING BODY

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
B.C.U	61	27
W.C.A	9	4
Neither	160	70
Total	230	100

NUMBER OF YEARS CANOEING THE WYE

Mean 5 Years

FREQUENCY OF VISITS TO THE WYE

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
First time	100	43
Less than once a year	45	20
1 - 2 times a year	18	8
3 - 4 times a year	13	6
5 - 6 times a year	0	0
7 - 8 times a year	12	5
More than 8 times a year	42	18
Total	230	100

MONTHS OF THE YEAR CANOED

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
January	32	14
February	39	17
March	46	20
April	55	24
May	69	30
June	89	39
July	111	48
August	146	63
September	78	34
October	50	22
November	37	16
December	29	13

DAYS OF THE WEEK CANOED

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Weekdays only	19	8
Weekends only	59	26
Both	79	34
N/A (i.e. First time visitors)	73	32
Total	230	100

CANOE ACCESS POINTS USED BY INTERVIEWED CANOEISTS

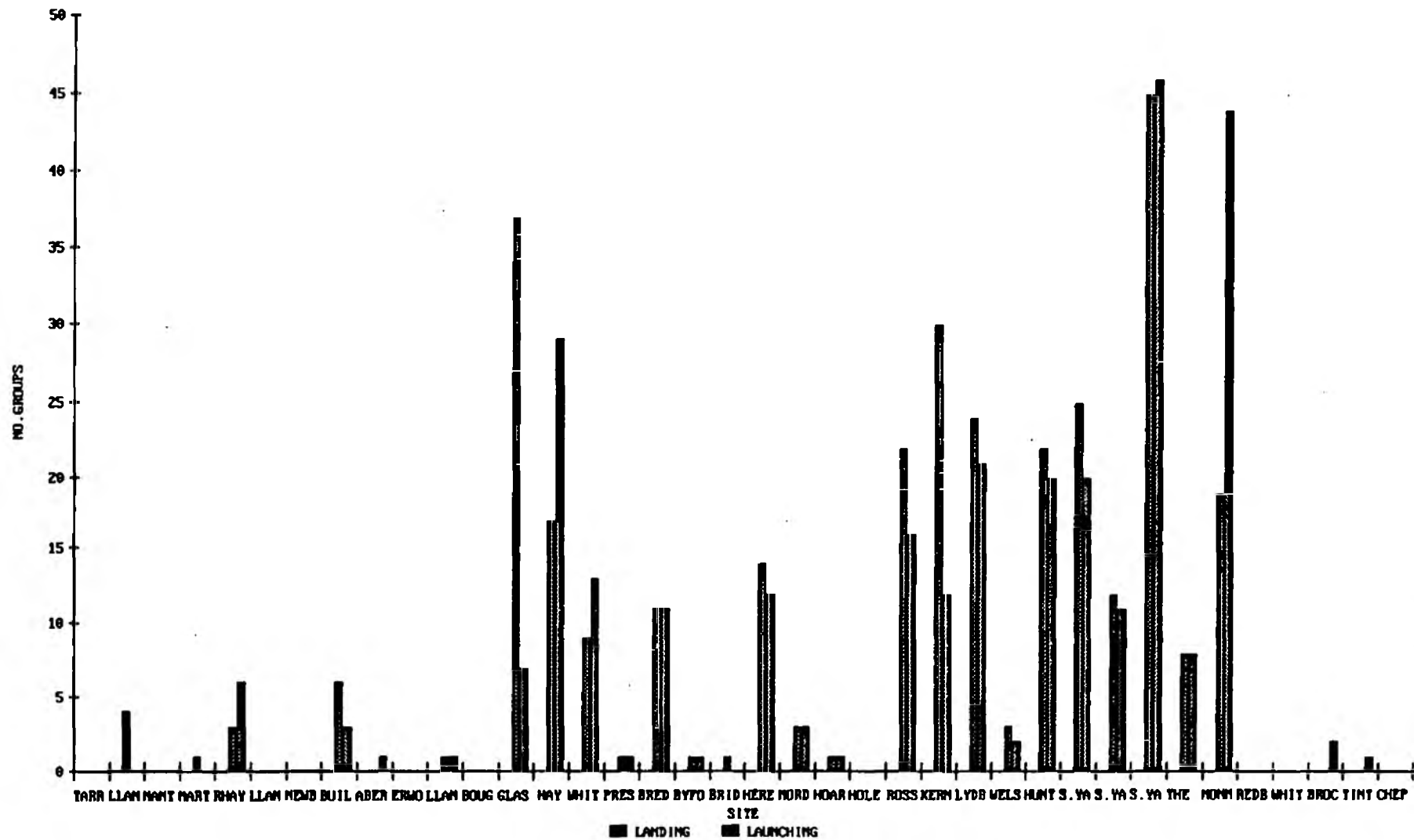
<u>SITE</u>	<u>LAUNCHING</u>		<u>LANDING</u>	
	<u>NO.GROUPS</u>	<u>WEIGHTED SCORE</u>	<u>NO.GROUPS</u>	<u>WEIGHTED SCORE</u>
[From source to mouth]				
TARRENIG CONFLUENCE	0	0	0	0
L'GURIG	4	20	0	0
NANT-Y-DERNOL	0	0	0	0
MARTEG CONFLUENCE	1	4	0	0
RHAYADER	3	15	6	29
L'WRYTHL	0	0	0	0
NEWBRIDGE	0	0	0	0
BUILTH WELLS	6	26	3	12
ABEREDW	0	0	1	4
ERWOOD	0	0	0	0
LLANSTEPHAN	1	5	1	5
BOUGHROOD	0	4	0	0
GLASBURY	37	204	7	33
HAY	17	89	29	164
WHITNEY	9	45	13	71
PRESTON-ON-WYE	1	2	1	5
BREDWARDINE	11	52	11	55
BYFORD	1	5	1	6
BRIDGE SOLLARS	1	3	0	0
HEREFORD	14	65	12	62
MORDIFORD	3	10	3	10
HOARWITHY	1	3	1	4
HOLE-IN-THE-WALL	0	0	0	0
ROSS	22	109	16	77
KERNE BRIDGE	30	155	12	62
LYDBROOK	24	113	21	103
WELSH BICKNOR HOSTEL	3	13	2	12
HUNTSHAM BRIDGE	22	106	20	95
SY.WEST PADDOCKS	25	126	20	108
SY.WEST FERRY INN	12	69	11	57
SY.EAST	45	246	46	252
BIBLINS	8	40	8	39
MONMOUTH	19	86	44	218
REDBROOK	0	0	0	0
WHITEBROOK	0	0	0	0
BROCKWEIR	0	0	2	7
TINTERN	0	0	1	5
CHEPSTOW	0	0	0	0

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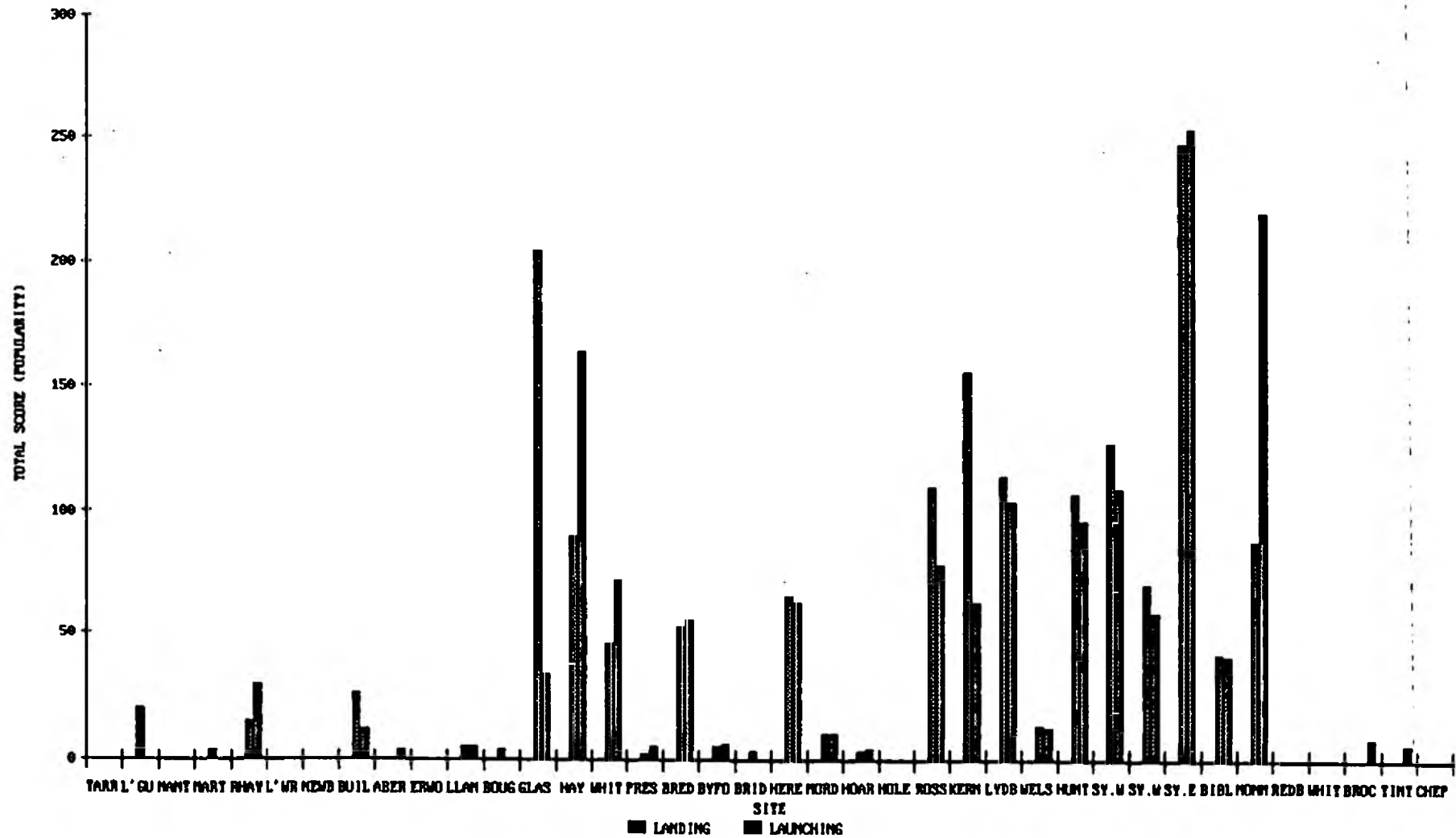
1. NO.GROUPS refers to the number of groups citing each site as one of its six choices.

2. WEIGHTED SCORE takes account the frequency with which each site is used, as indicated by the score given on a scale 1 to 6, and is a more accurate measure of each site's importance.

LAUNCHING AND LANDING NO. GROUPS
Mye Project Caneelst Site Survey



CANOE LAUNCHING AND LANDING POINTS
Mye Project Canoeist Site Survey



REASONS FOR CHOICE OF LAUNCH POINTS

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>WEIGHTED SCORE</u>
Close to base	92	40	166
Close to suitable water	61	27	91
Ease of entry to the water	54	23	72
Close to rapids	38	17	47
Car parking	35	15	38
Proximity to intended exit	23	10	38
Good facilities on the bank	23	10	28
Part of longer tour	13	6	19
Uncrowded stretch of river	10	4	16
Other	36	16	58

N.B. The weighted score takes into account the score given to each reason by the respondent as well as its frequency and is a more accurate index of its relative importance.

TYPES OF CANOEING UNDERTAKEN

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Training/Instruction	62	27
White water	72	31
General	175	76
Touring	49	21
Racing	12	5
Other	7	3

OTHER ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
None	82	36
Walking	95	41
Sightseeing	55	24
Climbing	51	22
Caving	36	16
Education/Nature study	19	8
Rafting	18	8
Angling	6	3
Other	49	21

LENGTH OF VISIT

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Day visit only	107	46
1 - 2 nights	33	14
3 - 4 nights	29	13
5 - 6 nights	19	8
More than 6 nights	42	18
Total	230	100

ACCOMMODATION USED

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
None	91	40
Camp site	81	35
Youth Hostel	8	6
Friends/Relations	14	6
B & B/Hotel	14	5
Field Centre	12	3
Other	10	4

REASONS FOR CHOOSING TO CANOE THE WYE

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>WEIGHTED SCORE</u>
Convenient and accessible	136	59	335
Attractive environment	89	39	175
Good water access	75	33	110
Good rapids	43	19	80
Clean water	53	23	78
Free navigation	44	19	77
Canoeing centres	33	14	73
Good for instruction	37	16	63
Other activities	14	6	24
Good camping/accommodation	12	5	20
Particular event	5	2	11
Other	14	6	30

N.B. The weighted score takes into account the score given to each reason by the respondent as well as its frequency and is a more accurate index of its relative importance.

HAVE PROBLEMS BEEN EXPERIENCED?

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Yes	70	30
No	160	70
Total	230	100

**DO CANOEISTS BELIEVE THAT DIFFICULTIES HAVE
BECOME MORE OR LESS APPARENT IN RECENT YEARS**

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
More apparent	18	26
Less apparent	6	9
Don't know	46	66
Total	70	100

**DO CANOEISTS BELIEVE THAT CANOEING HAS
AN IMPACT ON OTHER RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES?**

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Yes	49	21
No	168	73
Don't know	13	6
Total	230	100

**DO CANOEISTS BELIEVE THAT CANOEING HAS AN
IMPACT ON THE CONSERVATION VALUE OF THE RIVER?**

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Yes	50	22
No	168	73
Don't know	12	5
Total	230	100

**SHOULD THE NEEDS OF CONSERVATION BE A
JUSTIFIABLE CONSTRAINT ON CANOEING?**

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Yes	159	69
No	67	29
Total	4	2

AWARENESS OF THESE PUBLICATIONS

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
River Wye Handbook	52	23
Calendar of Events	18	8
Canoeists Guide	87	38
B.C.U. Code of Conduct	86	37

PROBLEMS EXPERIENCED

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
No problems experienced	160	70
Conflict with anglers (Total)	33	14
Conflict with rowers	8	3
Low water levels	5	2
Conflict with canoeists at rapids	5	2
Conflict with anglers on upper Wye	4	2
Excessive weed growth	4	2
Lack of camp sites/accommodation	4	2
Poor water quality	2	1
Access difficulties to upper river	2	1
Insufficient access points	2	1
Object to unofficial direction notices	2	1
Conflict with landowners over access	2	1
Too many canoeists on river	1	0
Conflict with motor boats	1	0
Did not know of an event	1	0
Conflict with jet-skis	1	0
Obstruction by slalom wires at rapids	1	0

VIEWS ON IMPROVING MANAGEMENT

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
No views	159	69
More public canoe access points	19	8
Set up users group	9	4
Education to raise awareness of others	6	3
Zoning of activities	4	2
Regulate large groups of canoeists	4	2
Signposting/advertising of launch sites	4	2
Regulate the number of canoes	3	1
Educate anglers about needs of canoeing	3	1
Better information about facilities	3	1
Code of conduct	3	1
Introduce craft licencing	3	1
Launch fees to raise money	3	1
Tighter control over angling	2	1
Clarify rights of navigation/access	2	1
Control litter	2	1
Identify/signpost sensitive stretches	2	1
Introduce speed limits	2	1
Introduce river wardens	1	0
Regulate commercial canoe organisations	1	0
Regulate rafting	1	0
Limit number of canoe access sites	1	0

SUGGESTIONS FOR IMPROVING CANOEING ON THE WYE

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>£</u>
No improvements suggested	130	57
More/improved access points	44	19
Showers/Changing areas/Toilets	22	10
More and better campsites	10	4
Improve water quality	7	3
Develop purpose built slalom course	7	3
Control weed growth	7	3
Signpost/Publicise access points	6	3
Improved facilities at launch sites	5	2
Improve access to upper river	5	2
Manage rapids at Symonds Yat	5	2
Provide more information about facilities	3	1
Provide more picnic sites	3	1
Improve Huntsham Bridge site	2	1
More and better car parking	2	1
Erect advisory signs along river	2	1
More refreshment facilities	2	1
Provide more litter bins	2	1
Maintain water levels	1	0
Provide rest/stopping off places	1	0
Limit the number of canoeists	1	0
Deepen navigation channel in places	1	0

SURVEY OF WYE SALMON ANGLERS

Notes

1. Questionnaires were sent to 432 anglers. These were identified from records of salmon rod licence sales for 1990 held by the NRA. This represented a 33% sample of salmon anglers who bought licences from agents in the Wye Valley. The sample was selected randomly.
2. Pre-paid postage stickers were sent out with the forms.
3. The data was transferred to a computer database and analysed using Microsoft Works.

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Hadnock Road
Monmouth
Gwent.
Tel (0600) 772245

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RIVER WYE PROJECT

SURVEY OF RIVER WYE ANGLERS - 1991

DO YOU FISH THE RIVER WYE? Yes ☐ No ☐ Please tick the correct box.

**** If NO, do not complete this questionnaire, but please return it as it stands to the above address using the enclosed postage paid label. ****

If YES, please answer each of the questions as fully as possible. Most of the questions can be answered by placing a tick or a number in the relevant box(es). If you run out of space, please continue on the reverse side of the paper.

1) NAME

2) ADDRESS

.....

.....

.....

3) FOR HOW MANY YEARS HAVE YOU REGULARLY
FISHED THE RIVER WYE?

years

4) HOW OFTEN, ON AVERAGE, DO YOU FISH
THE RIVER WYE?

Approximately

days a year

5) WHICH TYPE OF ANGLING DO YOU USUALLY
UNDERTAKE ON THE RIVER WYE?

Salmon/migratory trout only

1

Coarse/non-migratory trout
only

2

Both

3

6) WHICH DAYS OF THE WEEK DO YOU USUALLY
FISH THE RIVER WYE?

Weekdays only

1

Weekends only

2

Both

3

- 7) WHAT TIMES OF THE DAY DO YOU NORMALLY FISH THE RIVER WYE?
Please tick one box.

Mornings only	<input type="checkbox"/>	1
Afternoons only	<input type="checkbox"/>	2
Evenings only	<input type="checkbox"/>	3
Any time	<input type="checkbox"/>	4

- 8) ON WHAT BASIS DO YOU NORMALLY FISH THE RIVER WYE?
Please tick the appropriate box.

Owner or leaseholder	<input type="checkbox"/>	1
Guest of owner/leaseholder	<input type="checkbox"/>	2
Member of angling club	<input type="checkbox"/>	3
Annual rod let	<input type="checkbox"/>	4
Day/weekly ticket	<input type="checkbox"/>	5
Other (Please specify)	<input type="checkbox"/>	6

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- 9) WHICH STRETCHES OF THE RIVER WYE DO YOU MOST FREQUENTLY FISH?
Please identify your most frequently used stretches and mark them 1,2 etc.

Upstream of Rhayader	<input type="checkbox"/>	1
Rhayader to Builth Wells	<input type="checkbox"/>	2
Builth Wells to Glasbury	<input type="checkbox"/>	3
Glasbury to Bredwardine	<input type="checkbox"/>	4

Bredwardine to Hereford	<input type="checkbox"/>	5
Hereford to Ross	<input type="checkbox"/>	6
Ross to Monmouth	<input type="checkbox"/>	7
Downstream of Monmouth	<input type="checkbox"/>	8

- 10) WHY DO YOU CHOOSE TO FISH ON THE RIVER WYE?
Please list your most important reasons.

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11) BESIDES ANGLING, WHAT OTHER SPORTING AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATED WITH THE WYE DO YOU PARTICIPATE IN?

Please tick more than one box if necessary.

None

Canoeing

Rambling/Hill Walking

Rafting

Rowing

Nature Study

Other (Please Specify)

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12a) WHILST FISHING ON THE WYE, HAVE YOU EXPERIENCED ANY PROBLEMS WHICH HAVE AFFECTED YOUR ENJOYMENT OF THE RIVER, INCLUDING ANY CONFLICTS WITH OTHER RIVER USERS OR LAND OWNERS?

Yes

No

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If YES, go to 12b)

If NO, go to question 13).

12b) WHAT PROBLEMS OR CONFLICTS HAVE YOU EXPERIENCED?

Please describe, in as much detail as possible, what problems you have experienced, where and when they have occurred and how they have affected your enjoyment of the river.

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12c) IN YOUR OPINION, HAVE THESE PROBLEMS AFFECTED YOUR CATCH?

Yes

No

Dont know

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If YES, how?

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12d) HAVE THESE DIFFICULTIES BECOME MORE
OR LESS APPARENT IN RECENT YEARS?

More apparent

1

Less apparent

2

No change

3

12e) AS A RESULT OF THESE DIFFICULTIES
HAVE YOU MADE ANY ALTERATIONS TO
YOUR PATTERN OF FISHING?
Please tick the relevant boxes.

No

1

Yes Changed stretches of
river fished

2

Yes Changed time of day
you go fishing

3

Yes Changed days of week

4

Yes Changed time of year

5

Other (Please specify)

6

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13) DO YOU THINK THAT ANGLING CAN HAVE
DETRIMENTAL IMPACT ON OTHER
RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES ON THE WYE?

Yes

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No

2

Dont Know

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If YES, what impact do you think can have, and with whom?

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14) DO YOU THINK THAT ANGLING CAN HAVE
A DETRIMENTAL IMPACT ON WILDLIFE
OR THE CONSERVATION VALUE OF THE
RIVER?

Yes

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No

2

Dont Know

3

If YES, what impacts do you think it can have?

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- 15) DO YOU HAVE ANY VIEWS ABOUT HOW THE MANAGEMENT OF THE RIVER COULD BE IMPROVED SO AS TO MINIMISE ANY PROBLEMS OR CONFLICTS?
(Please list any suggestions you have)

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- 16) WHAT ROLE, IF ANY, DO YOU THINK THAT ANGLERS AND FISHERY OWNERS CAN PLAY IN ALLEVIATING ANY PROBLEMS OR CONFLICTS?
(Please list any suggestions you have)

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- 17) IS THERE ANYTHING WHICH YOU FEEL COULD BE DONE TO IMPROVE ANGLING ON THE WYE AND INCREASE YOUR ENJOYMENT OF THE SPORT?
(Please list any suggestions you have)

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- 18) ARE THERE ANY OTHER COMMENTS OR SUGGESTIONS WHICH YOU WOULD LIKE TO MAKE?

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR CO-OPERATION.

Please return the form using the enclosed pre-paid address label.

WYE PROJECT SURVEY OF WYE ANGLERS RESULTS

SUMMARY OF RESPONSES

Questionnaires distributed	432
Unanswered/Sent in error	31
Completed forms	181
Response rate	45%

<u>NO. OF YEARS REGULARLY FISHING THE WYE</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
0 - 5 years	52	29
6 - 10 years	37	21
11 - 15 years	14	8
16 - 20 years	23	13
21 - 25 years	13	7
25 - 30 years	17	9
31 - 35 years	7	4
More than 35 years	17	9
Total	180	100

Mean = 17 years

FREQUENCY OF ANGLING TRIPS

Mean = 37 days per year

TYPE OF ANGLING UNDERTAKEN

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Salmon or sea trout only	131	72
Coarse only	2	1
Both	48	27
Total	181	100

DAYS OF WEEK FISHED

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Weekends only	60	33
Weekdays only	19	10
Both	102	56
Total	181	100

TIME OF DAY FISHED

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Mornings only	5	3
Afternoons only	1	1
Evenings only	1	1
Any time	174	96
Total	181	100

BASIS OF RIGHT TO FISH

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Rod let	79	44
Club member	60	33
Guest of owner	45	25
Owner	22	12
Day ticket	13	7
Other	9	5

N.B. Some anglers fish more than one stretch. These may be fished under different arrangements.

STRETCH OF RIVER FISHED

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>WEIGHTED</u> <u>TOTAL</u>
Upstream of Rhayader	4	2	16
Rhayader - Builth	22	12	143
Builth - Glasbury	36	20	264
Glasbury - Bredwardine	21	12	301
Bredwardine - Hereford	45	25	301
Hereford - Ross	77	43	551
Ross - Monmouth	38	21	269
Downstream of Monmouth	29	16	202

N.B. The weighted score takes into account the score given to each stretch by the respondent as well as its frequency and is a more accurate index of its relative popularity.

OTHER ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN ON THE WYE

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
None	97	54
Nature study	59	33
Rambling	34	19
Canoeing	7	4
Rafting	2	1
Rowing	1	1
Other	12	7

EXPERIENCE OF PROBLEMS OR CONFLICTS

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Yes	120	66
No	61	34
Total	181	100

DO ANGLERS BELIEVE THAT PROBLEMS HAVE AFFECTED CATCH?

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Yes	78	61
No	18	14
Don't know	32	25
Total	128	100

N.B. Results refer only to the 128 anglers who answered this question.

**DO ANGLERS BELIEVE THAT PROBLEMS HAVE
BECOME MORE OR LESS APPARENT IN RECENT YEARS?**

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
More apparent	97	79
Less apparent	2	2
No change	24	20
Total	123	100

N.B. Results refer only to the 123 anglers who answered this question.

CHANGES TO PATTERN OF FISHING AS A RESULT OF DIFFICULTIES

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
No change	63	53
Change stretch fished	17	14
Change time of day	28	23
Change day of week	20	17
Change time of year	4	3
Other changes	15	13

N.B. Results refer only to the 120 anglers who had stated that they were experiencing problems.

**DO ANGLERS BELIEVE THAT ANGLING HAS
AN IMPACT ON OTHER RECREATION ACTIVITIES?**

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Yes	17	9
No	155	86
Don't know	9	5
Total	181	100

**DO ANGLERS BELIEVE THAT ANGLING HAS AN
IMPACT ON THE CONSERVATION VALUE OF THE RIVER?**

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Yes	40	22
No	135	75
Don't know	6	3
Total	181	100

REASONS FOR CHOOSING TO FISH THE WYE

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Not answered	4	2
Closeness/Convenience/Owner	123	68
Quality of fishing	98	54
Natural Beauty/Scenery	51	28
Quiet/Relaxing	16	9
By invitation	13	7
Wildlife	11	6
Familiarity	11	6
Financial reasons	10	6
Social/Company	5	3
Water quality	4	2
Ease of fishing	2	1
Historical associations	1	1
Naturalness	1	1
Other	3	2

PROBLEMS OR CONFLICTS EXPERIENCED

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
No problems experienced	61	34

CANOEISTS

Total (All reasons)	82	45
Inconsiderate attitude	17	9
Lack of discipline/inexperience	17	9
General disturbance to fishing	17	9
Large number/increasing number	9	5
Excessive noise	8	4
Unauthorised launching/landing	7	4

Large sized groups	6	3
Poor leadership/supervision	6	3
Disturbance - training exercises	4	2
Canoeing at "wrong" times of day	3	2
Assault/Abuse	2	1
Disturbance - upstream paddling	2	1
Disturbance to spawning fish	1	1
Vandalism	1	1
<u>RAFTING</u>		
Total (All reasons/Not specified)	36	20
General disturbance to fishing	5	3
Nuisance - followers on the bank	3	2
Excessive noise	2	1
Excessive amount of practice	2	1
Verbal/physical abuse	1	1
Disturbance - upstream paddling	1	1
<u>OTHER</u>		
Declining water quality	8	4
Low water levels	7	4
Swimmers	6	3
Other anglers	5	3
Decline in fish/angling quality	4	2
Navigation (unspecified)	3	2
Rowing boats	3	2
Excessive weed growth	2	1
Jet skis	2	1
Powered boats	2	1
Increased flooding	1	1
Fish predation	1	1
Other	10	6

VIEWS ON IMPROVING MANAGEMENT

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
No views/Question not answered	95	52

CANOEING

Limit number of canoeists	9	5
Educate canoeists about other users	7	4
Restrict to certain times of day	7	4
Better supervision of groups	6	3
Regulate launch sites	5	3
Restrict to certain days	5	3
Restrict canoeists to certain stretches	4	2
Reduce size of groups	2	1
Control upstream paddling	1	1
Control commercial canoeing	1	1
Ban canoeing in low water	1	1

RAFTING

Control/reduce numbers	6	3
Restrict to certain areas	4	2
Restrict to certain days	4	2
Educate about other users	3	2
Restrict to certain times of day	2	1
Ban altogether	2	1

OTHER

Introduce licence/charge for boats	28	15
Encourage cooperation/code of conduct	20	11
Introduce boat identification	8	4
Control motorised craft	6	3
Set up users forum	6	3
Control navigation above Hay	4	2
Extend role of balieffs	3	2

Maintain water levels	3	2
Restrict swimming	3	2
Introduce size limits for boats	2	1
Control competitive events	2	1
Clarify navigation rights	2	1
Introduce speed limits	1	1
Divert footpaths away from river	1	1
Introduce bylaws to control conduct	1	1
Ban canoeing during salmon spawning	1	1
Helpline for reporting problems	1	1
Educate/inform about fishing pools etc.	1	1
Restrict angling effort	1	1

ROLE OF ANGLERS IN ALLEVIATING PROBLEMS OR CONFLICTS

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Anglers have no role/not answered	123	68
Tolerance/understanding of others	18	10
Abide by codes of conduct	10	6
Discuss problems with other users	8	4
Report incidents to NRA	6	3
Discussions with authorities	4	2
Limit angling effort	4	2
Encourage access agreements	3	2
Acknowledge good conduct of others	2	1
Erect signs to direct boat users	2	1
Make presence known to others	2	1
Help maintain river banks	2	1
Help to provide canoe access	1	1

SUGGESTIONS FOR IMPROVING ANGLING AND
INCREASING ENJOYMENT OF TYHE SPORT

	<u>NO.</u>	<u>%</u>
Control poaching/netting	81	45
Increase fish stocks	60	33
Improve water quality	35	19
Maintain water levels	33	18
No suggestions/Not answered	26	14
Bait restrictions	9	5
Control weed growth	9	5
Alter length of fishing season	9	5
Manage navigation	8	4
Reduce costs of fishing	8	4
Maintain/Clear banks	8	4
Improvements to river bed/banks	6	3
Control of fish predators	6	3
Protect spawning fish	2	1
Ease legal restrictions on angling	1	1
Develop coarse fishing	1	1
Other	1	1

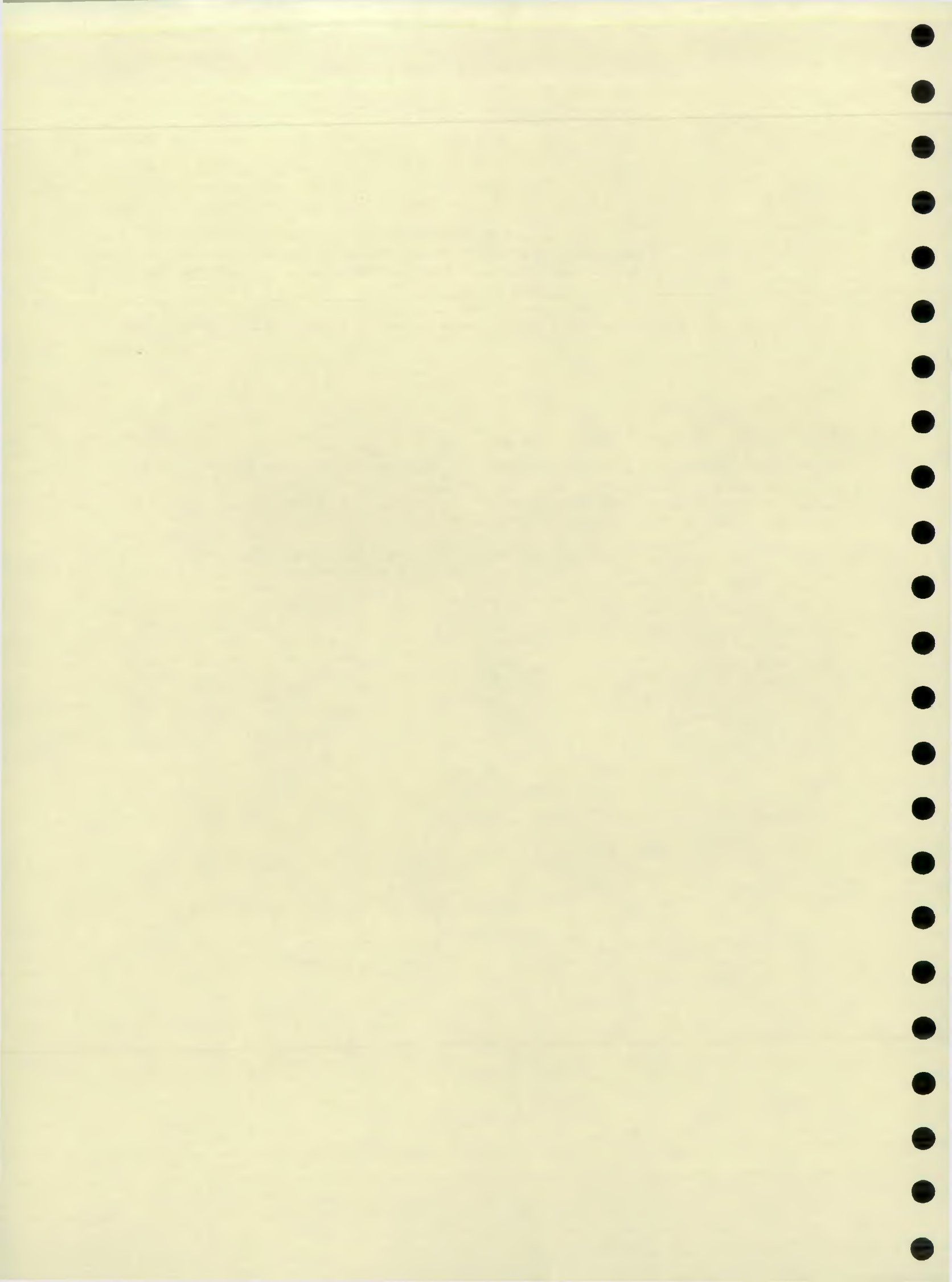
WYE FISHERY OWNERS SURVEYNotes

1. A questionnaire was sent to all known fishery owners on the Wye, 189 in total. These were identified from records held by the NRA and information provided by the Wye Salmon Fishery Owners Association. A postage paid sticker was sent out with each form.
2. A reminder letter was sent out to those that had not replied after five weeks.

Replies

Of the 189 questionnaires distributed, 110 replies were received and two were returned address not known. This represents a response rate of 58.2%. Returns were sub-divided according to the stretch of river in which the fishery was located. Full details of the response are as follows:-

	Questionnaires Sent	Questionnaires Received	Response Rate
Source to Hay-on-Wye	63	30	47.6
Hay-on-Wye to Hereford	49	32	65.3
Hereford to Ross	41	28	68.3
Ross to Monmouth	28	15	53.6
Downstream of Monmouth	<u>8</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>62.5</u>
TOTAL	189	110	58.2



RIVER WYE PROJECT

SURVEY OF WYE FISHERY OWNERS

Please answer each of the questions as fully as possible. If you run out of space, please continue on the reverse side of the paper.

SECTION A

1. NAME
2. ADDRESS
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3. NAME AND/OR LOCATION OF FISHERY
OR FISHERIES
4. ARE YOU THE FISHERY OWNER? IF NOT,
WHAT IS YOUR POSITION IN RELATION
TO THE FISHERY?
5. FOR HOW MANY YEARS HAVE YOU BEEN
ASSOCIATED WITH THIS FISHERY?
6. DO YOU REGULARLY FISH THIS STRETCH
YOURSELF?
7. ARE YOU ALSO THE RIPARIAN LANDOWNER

SECTION B

(N.B. This section relates only to salmon angling)

8. HOW MANY PEOPLE REGULARLY FISH
THIS STRETCH OF RIVER?
9. HOW OFTEN AND HOW INTENSIVELY IS
THIS STRETCH OF RIVER FISHED?
(E.G., APPROXIMATELY HOW MANY ROD
DAYS PER SEASON)
10. WHAT IS THE AVERAGE NUMBER OF PEOPLE
LIKELY TO BE FISHING THIS STRETCH AT
ANY ONE TIME?
11. WHEN IS IT MOST FREQUENTLY FISHED?
(E.G., DAYS OF WEEK, TIME OF DAY,
TIME OF YEAR)

SECTION C

12. IS THIS FISHERY ALSO USED FOR COARSE ANGLING?
13. IF YES, AT WHAT TIMES OF THE YEAR DOES COARSE ANGLING TAKE PLACE.
14. HOW FREQUENTLY IS IT USED FOR COARSE ANGLING AND BY WHOM? (E.G., CLUB, DAY TICKET, ETC.)

SECTION D

15. HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE THE CURRENT RECREATIONAL USE OF THE RIVER WYE AS A WHOLE? IN YOUR EXPERIENCE, HAS THERE BEEN ANY CHANGE IN THE PATTERN OF RECREATION USE OVER THE LAST TEN YEARS?

FOR EXAMPLE:-

- HAS THE LEVEL OF USE INCREASED OR DECREASED?
 - HAS THERE BEEN A CHANGE IN THE TYPES OF ACTIVITY?
 - HAVE SOME ACTIVITIES INCREASED MORE THAN OTHERS?
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16. HAVE YOU EXPERIENCED ANY CONFLICTS OR PROBLEMS WITH OTHER RIVER USERS OR RIPARIAN OWNERS ON YOUR STRETCH OF RIVER? IF SO, PLEASE GIVE DETAILS.

FOR EXAMPLE:-

- WHAT PROBLEMS HAVE YOU EXPERIENCED? AND WITH WHOM?
 - HOW FREQUENTLY HAVE THESE OCCURED?
 - WHERE AND WHEN HAVE THEY OCCURRED?
 - HAVE THEY AFFECTED YOUR FISHING OR YOUR ENJOYMENT OF THE RIVER? IF SO, HOW?
 - HAVE THESE PROBLEMS BECOME MORE OR LESS APPARENT OVER THE LAST TEN YEARS?
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SECTION E

17. IT HAS BEEN ARGUED THAT THERE ARE AREAS OF CONFLICT BETWEEN ANGLERS AND NAVIGATION INTERESTS ON THE WYE. IF AND WHERE APPROPRIATE ON YOUR STRETCH OF RIVER, DO YOU HAVE ANY VIEWS ON HOW THE MANAGEMENT OF NAVIGATION MIGHT BE IMPROVED?

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18. WHAT ROLE DO YOU THINK THAT ANGLERS AND FISHERY OWNERS CAN PLAY IN INCREASING THE OVERALL ENJOYMENT OF THE RIVER AND ALLEVIATING ANY PROBLEMS OR CONFLICTS?

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19. DO YOU THINK THAT THERE IS A NEED TO IMPROVE THE OPPORTUNITIES FOR RECREATION ALONG THE WYE? IF SO, WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING DO YOU THINK COULD BE IMPROVED, AND HOW?

- A) CANOEING AND CANOE ACCESS POINTS
 - B) GENERAL PUBLIC ACCESS TO THE RIVER BANK
 - C) FOOTPATHS/RIGHTS OF WAY
 - D) CAR PARKING
 - E) PICNIC SITES
 - F) CAMP SITES
 - G) OTHER
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20. IS THERE ANYTHING WHICH YOU FEEL COULD BE DONE TO IMPROVE FISHING ON THE WYE OR INCREASE YOUR ENJOYMENT OF THE SPORT?

21. ARE THERE ANY OTHER COMMENTS OR SUGGESTIONS WHICH YOU WOULD LIKE TO MAKE?

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CO-OPERATION.

Results

Due to the open nature of the questions, the completed questionnaire was not suitable for analysis by computer. Neither was it appropriate to use sophisticated statistical techniques. Analysis was undertaken manually and entailed noting the frequency with which particular answers were given. Each time a similar point was raised by the respondent it was recorded. Failure to answer a question was also recorded. Using this method there was no limit to the number of points recorded in reply to each question. Each point raised was given equal weighting.

Using this analysis, the total number of times a particular issue, problem or suggestion was mentioned can be regarded as an indicator of its significance and the strength of feeling among fishery owners. The full results are contained in tables 1 - 7. These show:-

- 1) The overall frequency distribution of each answer.
- 2) The frequency distribution, expressed as a percentage of the total number of replies received.
- 3) The frequency distribution for each stretch of river.
- 4) The frequency distribution, expressed as a percentage of the total number of replies received for each section of river, for those answers which constitute greater than 10% of the total.

Only questions 15 to 21 were analysed in this way. Questions 1 - 14 were essentially intended to provide reference information and are not covered by this report.

Question 15

- Q. How would you describe the current recreational use of the River Wye as a whole? In your experience, has there been any change in the pattern of recreation use over the past ten years?

The general consensus among fishery owners appears to be that there has been an overall increase in recreational use over the past ten years. The most significant finding from this question was the very high percentage of owners who felt that there had been a growth in canoeing and rafting; 64.5% and 40% respectively. Other uses which were specifically mentioned as having increased were angling (8.2%) and walking (6.4%). 10% said that there had been an increase in general river use but did not specify how the use had changed. 8.2% of owners thought that there had been no change in the level of activity, though perhaps significantly these were all from upstream of Hereford where recreation pressures are not so intensive as further downstream.

In terms of navigation, very few owners thought that there had been a growth in powered craft, despite the concerns expressed in the past by some angling representatives about jet-skis. This did not appear to be a view shared by the majority of owners. 10.9% of respondents did not answer this question.

Question 16

- Q. Have you experienced any conflicts or problems with other river users or riparian owners on your stretch of river? If so, please give details.

Most significantly perhaps, 25.4% of owners stated that they had not experienced any problems, though the percentage of those that had was higher below Ross. Only 4.5% did not reply to this question. Of the remaining 70.1%, the most common problems were associated with navigation. Navigation appears to impact on fishery owning interests in a number of ways and would appear to be a major concern. Most of these problems are centred on canoeing and rafting. These two activities appear to give rise to a range of distinct problems and conflicts, which some owners consider affect the quality of the fishing and/or their enjoyment of the sport.

The most frequently expressed problems concerned the general disturbance to fish and fishing (14.5%), undisciplined or irresponsible behaviour (10.9%) and the unauthorised launching and landing of canoes (13.6%). Other concerns included the large size of some canoeing groups, noise, and general disturbance.

The problems created by rafts are many and varied; but were not so frequently cited as those involving canoes. This may reflect differences in the participation levels of the two sports. Problems experienced included rafts disturbing fishing, noise, and nuisance caused by the followers of raft races. However, no individual rafting related problem was mentioned by more than 10% of owners.

Only one owner reported problems with jet-skis, and none powered craft; other than two owners who mentioned problems caused by a single large barge.

Other more general problems included trespass, vandalism and litter, though these were not encountered by large numbers of owners and do not appear to be regarded as a widespread problem.

Question 17

Q. If and where appropriate on your stretch of river, do you have any views on how the management of navigation might be improved?

It was expected that this question would reveal strong opinions among fishery owners. It was therefore surprising that 7.3% did not answer this question and 20.9% stated that they had no suggestions. However a wide range of viewpoints and suggestions were forthcoming from those that did reply.

Of these, the most frequently mentioned suggestion was that a licensing system should be introduced to cover all craft using the river (23.6%). Linked to this, 15.4% felt that all navigation should be required to make some form of financial payment as a condition of using the river.

A significant number of owners felt that some success could be achieved by voluntary means, including 15.4% who wanted better information to be provided to users, such as the publication of a code of conduct.

A proportion of owners felt that there should be restrictions on certain types of craft using the river, most notably powered craft and jet-skis. Others (4.5%) favoured the introduction of speed limits.

In addition to these general suggestions, several suggestions aimed specifically at regulating canoeing and rafting were put forward. There was no clear consensus as to what form this regulation should take or how it could be achieved. Suggestions included limiting the number of canoes (7.3%), controlling access points (7.3%), and restricting the times when rafts are allowed on the river.

Question 18

- Q. What role do you think that anglers and fishery owners can play in increasing the overall enjoyment of the river and alleviating any problems or conflicts?

A very high proportion of owners (51.8%) either did not answer this question or had no constructive suggestions to make. A further 10% stated that they did not think that anglers or fishery owners had a role to play in alleviating problems or conflicts, arguing that they are at the receiving end of problems caused by others.

Of those that did acknowledge that anglers and fishery owners had a role to play, the largest number (16.3%) felt that they could help by being more tolerant and understanding of others; though none suggested particular mechanisms by which this would be achieved. Some owners, largely those upstream of Hay, felt that some problems could be resolved by allowing more canoe access, by agreement.

Question 19

- Q. Do you think that there is a need to improve the opportunities for recreation along the Wye? If so, which of the following do you think could be improved, and how?

A very high percentage, 48%, thought that there was no need to improve the opportunities for informal recreation. A large number opposed any improvements, believing that they would have a detrimental impact on their interests and on the environment. A further 15.4% did not answer this question.

Although there was little outright support for improving the recreation use of the river, several owners felt that they could support new proposals if they were properly planned and managed and were of a scale compatible with the area. Their opposition was to the continuation of what they regarded as the uncontrolled expansion of use that is occurring at present. There was some support for each of the categories of recreation facilities suggested in the question, again provided they were properly planned.

Question 20

- Q. Is there anything which you feel could be done to improve fishing on the Wye or increase your enjoyment of the sport?

A great many suggestions were put forward which owners believed would improve the quality of fishing. Most of these were concerned with protecting and developing the fishery (control of poaching, fish stocking, bait restrictions, etc.) and improvements to water quality and quantity. Most of these suggestions were not linked to other forms of recreation and are to a large extent outside the terms of reference of the Wye Project. 21.8% did not answer this question.

In terms of recreation management, the only relevant suggestions concerned navigation. 17.3% of respondents considered that the control of navigation should be improved.

Question 21

- Q. Are there any other comments or suggestions which you would like to make?

Very few owners had any additional, relevant comments or suggestions to make. 52.7% of owners either did not answer this question, or stated that they had no comments to make. The only significant point of interest was that 15.5% of owners thought that it was unfair that they (anglers) were the only group of users that contributed financially to the river and effectively had to pay for their recreation. There appeared to be a level of resentment that other users, notably navigation interests, do not also have to pay.

Conclusions

The questionnaire proved to be an effective method of canvassing the opinions of fishery owners. Although the analysis is to a large extent subjective and the results are by no means scientific, they do provide a good indication of the views of Wye fishery owners on a variety of topics. To an extent, the results do not need to be elaborated on and the conclusions are self evident. However, there are a number of general points that can be made.

Of those owners that replied, most demonstrated a keen awareness of the major issues and strong concerns about the river's management. By and large, the opinions and suggestions expressed did not come as a surprise. In most cases they served to confirm pre-conceived ideas about those issues owners regard as important and what they think should be done to improve management. If anything, there did not appear to be such a widespread strength of feeling about some issues as had been expected. Certainly, there was little evidence to support a belief that most of fishery owners are 'anti-navigation'. Indeed, of those that did express an opinion about navigation, the majority accepted it as a legitimate use of the river and maintained that ways needed to be found to enable the river to be shared.

A majority of owners stated that they do experience problems which affect the quality of their fishing, or at least their enjoyment of the sport. Of these, navigation was cited as one of the main causes. However, there was no clear consensus as to the specific nature of the problem. The difficulties experienced appear to vary considerably, with no clear pattern emerging. Not surprisingly, given their levels of participation, many of these problems centred around canoeing and rafting, although again the causes were many and varied.

Not only do there appear to be a many problems associated with navigation, a great many suggestions were put forward and with the aim of resolving them. Again, no clear consensus emerged. Few owners suggested practical ways in which their ideas could be implemented. There was a widespread feeling that navigation should be subject to tighter control. For instance, there was a strong body of opinion in favour of introducing a licensing scheme for all craft and for requiring navigation users to pay to use the river. There was also some support for imposing tighter restrictions on certain navigation activities which give rise to specific problems.

Significantly, most owners felt that they had no role to play in resolving any conflicts between navigation and angling. There was strong support for the N.R.A. or other responsible bodies to introduce outside controls or regulations, but few suggestions as to how conflicts might be resolved by consensus. An exception to the use of statutory controls, which received some support, was expanding the role of education to raise awareness about the river and other activities. There was also support for the introduction of a code of conduct to improve co-operation between users and make them more aware of each others needs.

Although few owners gave any indication of the frequency or scale of conflicts, it does appear that problems, where they do occur, are caused by a minority of individuals. A number of owners stated that over the years they had noticed an improvement in the behaviour of canoeists and in the consideration shown to anglers. Several owners praised canoeists and rafters in general for their good conduct and believed that there was a greater level of awareness; especially among the leaders of organised groups, who they felt had improved considerably over the years.

QUESTION 15

TABLE 1

	UPSTREAM OF HAY		HAY TO HEREFORD		HEREFORD TO ROSS		ROSS TO MONMOUTH		DOWNSTREAM		TOTAL	
	No.	Z	No.	Z	No.	Z	No.	Z	No.	Z	No.	Z
QUESTION NOT ANSWERED	5	16.7	4	12.5	2	7.1	0	0	1	20.0	12	10.9
NO CHANGE IN TYPE OR LEVEL OF ACTIVITY	3		6		0		0		0		9	8.2
INCREASED USE - (NOT SPECIFIED)	2	6.7	5	15.6	2	7.1	2	13.3	0	0	11	10.0
DECREASED USE - (NOT SPECIFIED)	1		0		0		0		0		1	0.9
INCREASED WALKING	2		2		1		1		1		7	6.4
INCREASED PICNICING	1		0		0		0		1		2	1.8
INCREASED CAMPING	0		1		0		0		0		1	0.9
INCREASED SWIMMING	0		1		0		0		3		4	3.6
INCREASE NAVIGATION USE - (NOT SPECIFIED)	0		1		0		1		1		3	2.7
RAFTING - INCREASE	0	0	11	34.4	21	58.8	8	53.3	4	80.0	44	40
CANOEING - INCREASE	18	60.0	16	50.0	22	78.6	11	73.3	4	80.0	71	64.5
- NO CHANGE	0		0		1		0		0		1	0.9
- DECREASE	0		0		1		0		0		1	0.9
POWERED BOATS - INCREASE/INTRODUCTION OF	0		0		2		1		0		3	2.7

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QUESTION 15

TABLE 1

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QUESTION 16

TABLE 2

	UPSTREAM OF HAY		HAY TO HEREFORD		HEREFORD TO ROSS		ROSS TO MONMOUTH		DOWNSTREAM		TOTAL	
	No.	Σ	No.	Σ	No.	Σ	No.	Σ	No.	Σ	No.	Σ
QUESTION NOT ANSWERED	0		2		3		0		0		5	4.5
NO SIGNIFICANT PROBLEMS	11	36.7	8	25.0	8	28.6	1	6.7	0	0	28	25.4
<u>GENERAL</u>												
TRESPASS ON PRIVATE LAND	1		1		0		2		2		6	5.4
VANDALISM/DAMAGE	0		0		0		3		2		5	4.5
LITTER	1		1		0		2		0		4	3.6
CAR PARKING CAUSES NUISANCE	0		0		0		0		1		1	0.9
BADLY CONTROLLED DOGS	0		2		0		0		0		2	1.8
DAMAGE CAUSED BY HORSE RIDERS	0		0		0		0		1		1	0.9
'UNAUTHORISED' SWIMMING	1		0		0		0		1		2	1.8
<u>RAFTING</u>												
PROBLEMS NOT SPECIFIED	0		1		3		2		0		6	5.4
VERBAL ABUSE	0		0		3		0		0		3	2.7
VANDALISM/DAMAGE	0		0		1		0		0		1	0.9

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QUESTION 16

TABLE 2

	UPSTREAM OF HAY		HAY TO HEREFORD		HEREFORD TO ROSS		ROSS TO MONMOUTH		DOWNSTREAM		TOTAL	
	No.	Z	No.	Z	No.	Z	No.	Z	No.	Z	No.	Z
LITTER/DEBRIS FROM BROKEN RAFTS	0		1		0		0		0		1	0.9
GENERAL DISTURBANCE TO FISH/FISHING	0		4		5		1		0		10	9.1
UPSTREAM PADDLING DISTURBS FISH	0		1		2		0		0		3	2.7
NOISE	0		2		0		2		0		4	3.6
NUISANCE/DAMAGE CAUSED BY FOLLOWERS	0		2		2		1		0		5	4.5
DANGER TO WADING ANGLERS	0		1		2		0		0		3	2.7
LACK OF CONTROL/STEERING	0		0		2		0		0		2	1.8
LARGE NUMBER OF RAFTS ON RIVER	0		0		1		0		0		1	0.9
DISREGARD FOR HEIGHT OF RIVER	0		1		0		0		0		1	0.9
UNAUTHORISED LANDING	0		0		0		0		1		1	0.9
<u>CANOEING</u>												
PROBLEMS NOT SPECIFIED	2		1		3		2		0		6	5.4
LARGE NUMBER OF CANOES ON RIVER	0		2		0		0		0		2	1.8
PHYSICAL ASSAULT/VERBAL ABUSE	1		0		0		4		0		5	4.5
'POOR ATTITUDE' OF CANOEISTS	1		1		1		1		1		5	4.5

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QUESTION 16

TABLE 2

	UPSTREAM OF HAY		HAY TO HEREFORD		HEREFORD TO ROSS		ROSS TO MONMOUTH		DOWNSTREAM		TOTAL	
	No.	Z	No.	Z	No.	Z	No.	Z	No.	Z	No.	Z
UNDISCIPLINED/IRRESPONSIBLE INDIVIDUALS	2	6.7	4	12.5	1	3.6	3	20.0	2	40.0	12	10.9
UNAUTHORISED LANDING/LAUNCHING	2	6.7	4	12.5	3	10.7	5	33.3	1	20.0	15	13.6
CANOEISTS DO NOT ASK PERMISSION TO CANOE	6		0		0		0		0		6	5.4
DISTURBANCE TO FISH/FISHING	3	10.0	4	12.5	5	17.9	3	20.0	1	20.0	16	14.5
DISTURBANCE TO SPAWNING FISH	3		0		0		0		0		3	2.7
VANDALISM	1		0		0		0		0		1	0.9
TIMES OF USE PREVENT ANGLING	2		0		0		0		1		3	2.7
LARGE SIZE OF GROUPS	0		3		2		1		1		7	6.3
NOISE	0		4		1		3		0		8	7.2
UNAUTHORISED CAMPING	0		1		0		1		0		2	1.8
POOR LEADERSHIP/SUPERVISION OF GROUPS	0		2		1		1		0		4	3.6
INEXPERIENCED/UNKNOWLEDGABLE INDIVIDUALS	0		1		1		1		0		3	2.7
JET SKIS - PROBLEMS NOT SPECIFIED	0		0		0		1		0		1	0.9
ROWING - DISTURBANCE TO FISH	0		0		0		1		0		1	0.9
LARGE BOATS (BARGE)	0		1		0		1		0		2	1.8

TABLE 3

	UPSTREAM OF HAY		HAY TO HEREFORD		HEREFORD TO ROSS		ROSS TO MONMOUTH		DOWNSTREAM		TOTAL	
	No.	Z	No.	Z	No.	Z	No.	Z	No.	Z	No.	Z
QUESTION NOT ANSWERED	1		4		3		0		0		8	7.3
NO SUGGESTIONS	8	26.7	5	15.6	6	21.4	4	26.7	0	0	23	20.9
ENCOURAGE BETTER UNDERSTANDING/COURTESY	0		1		1		0		0		2	1.8
BETTER INFORMATION/CODE OF CONDUCT	3	10.0	4	12.5	5	17.8	5	33.3	0	0	17	5.4
BETTER INSTRUCTION	0		0		1		2		0		3	2.7
IMPROVE ACCESS/FACILITIES	0		1		0		0		0		1	0.9
VOLUNTARY ACCESS AGREEMENTS	3		0		0		0		0		3	2.7
EMPLOY 'ONBUDSMAN' TO RECEIVE COMPLAINTS	0		0		0		1		0		1	0.9
NRA SOULD 'CONTROL' NAVIGATION - NO SPECIFIC												
SUGGESTIONS GIVEN	2	6.7	1	3.1	4	14.3	2	13.3	2	40.0	11	10.0
LICENCE AND REGISTRATION OF CRAFT	5	16.6	10	31.3	7	25.0	2	13.3	2	40.0	26	23.6
REGULATE COMMERCIAL/HIRE FIRMS	0		1		0		1		0		2	1.8
MAKE ALL USERS PAY	1	3.3	6	18.7	4	14.3	5	33.3	1	20.0	17	15.4

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QUESTION 17

TABLE 3

	UPSTREAM OF HAY		HAY TO HEREFORD		HEREFORD TO ROSS		ROSS TO MONMOUTH		DOWNSTREAM		TOTAL	
	No.	I	No.	I	No.	I	No.	I	No.	I	No.	I
BAN <u>ALL</u> NAVIGATION	0		2		0		1		0		3	2.7
SPEED LIMITS	0		0		2		2		1		5	4.5
SIZE LIMITS	0		1		1		0		1		3	2.7
BYLAW TO REGULATE BEHAVIOUR	1		1		2		2		1		5	4.5
BAN JET SKIS	1		2		1		1		2		7	6.4
BAN HOVERCRAFT	0		1		0		0		1		2	1.8
BAN ALL POWERED CRAFT	0		2		5		1		0		8	7.2
REGULATE EVENTS	0		0		0		0		1		1	0.9
<u>CANOEING</u>												
BAN CANOEING	0		0		0		1		0		1	0.9
CONTROL SIZE OF GROUPS	0		2		0		1		0		3	2.7
LIMIT TOTAL NUMBER	2		2		2		1		1		8	7.3
CONTROL ACCESS POINTS	3		1		1		3		0		8	7.3
LIMIT STRETCHES OF RIVER USED	2		0		0		0		1		3	2.7

QUESTION 17

TABLE 3

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QUESTION 18

TABLE 4

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QUESTION 19

TABLE 5

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QUESTION 20

TABLE 6

	UPSTREAM OF HAY		HAY TO HEREFORD		HEREFORD TO ROSS		ROSS TO MONMOUTH		DOWNSTREAM		TOTAL	
	No.	Z	No.	Z	No.	Z	No.	Z	No.	Z	No.	Z
QUESTIONS NOT ANSWERED/NO SUGGESTIONS	6	20.0	9	28.1	7	25.0	2	13.3	0	0	24	21.8
REDUCE OFFSHORE NETTING	3	10.0	6	18.7	2	7.1	2	13.3	0	0	13	11.8
INCREASED EFFORT TO STOP POACHING	5	16.7	6	18.7	7	25.0	6	40.0	3	60.0	27	24.5
INCREASE FISH STOCKING	5	16.7	6	18.7	6	21.4	5	33.3	2	40.0	24	21.8
CONTROL ABSTRACTION/WATER LEVELS	6	20.0	7	21.9	4	14.3	5	33.3	2	40.0	24	21.8
CONTROL NAVIGATION - GENERAL	5	16.7	5	15.6	3	10.7	5	33.3	1	20.0	19	17.3
CONTROL POLLUTION/WATER QUALITY	1		4		2		3		0		10	9.1
INCREASE BAIT RESTRICTIONS	3	10.0	2	6.2	5	17.8	0	0	1	20.0	11	10.0
REGULATE FISHING EFFORT	0		0		1		0		0		1	0.9
LIMIT CATCH SIZE	0		0		2		1		0		3	2.7
SHORTEN FISHING SEASON	1		0		4		0		0		5	4.5
REMOVE FISHING FROM 'NRA CONTROL'	1		0		0		1		0		2	1.8
TACKLE 'ACID WATER PROBLEM'	1		0		2		1		0		4	3.6
NRA SHOULD ALLOW FISHERY OWNERS TO MODIFY BED OF RIVER	0		1		0		0		0		1	0.9
NRA SHOULD GIVE BETTER ADVISE ON FISHERY MAN'GT	0		2		1		0		0		3	2.7

QUESTION 20

TABLE 6

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QUESTION 21

TABLE 7

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*Sites of nature
conservation interest*



SITES OF SPECIAL SCIENTIFIC INTEREST BORDERING THE RIVER

NO. : 1
NAME : River Wye
GRID REF 1: Various GRID REF 2:
HABITAT : River and river-banks.

NO. : 2
NAME : Plynlimon
GRID REF 1: SN 810880 GRID REF 2:
HABITAT : Upland grassland, blanket bog and heath.

NO. : 3
NAME : Gwaun LLwyn-Gwyn
GRID REF 1: SN 904797 GRID REF 2:
HABITAT : Unimproved pasture.

NO. : 4
NAME : Caeau Clochfaen-isaf
GRID REF 1: SN 911783 GRID REF 2: SN 910780
HABITAT : Unimproved Pasture and mire.

NO. : 5
NAME : Fforddfawr Mire
GRID REF 1: SO 187401 GRID REF 2:
HABITAT : Wetland including ox-bow lake.

NO. : 6
NAME : Monnington Scar
GRID REF 1: SO 354444 GRID REF 2:
HABITAT : River cliff exposure of Old Red Sandstone.
Geological interest.

NO. : 7
NAME : Capler Wood
GRID REF 1: SO 588326 GRID REF 2:
HABITAT : Ancient broadleaved scarp woodland.

NO. : 8
NAME : Park Wood
GRID REF 1: SO 588178 GRID REF 2:
HABITAT : Mixed woodland.

NO. : 9
NAME : Upper Wye Gorge
GRID REF 1: SO 560115 GRID REF 2:
HABITAT : Mixed woodland

SITES OF SPECIAL SCIENTIFIC INTEREST BORDERING THE RIVER

NO. : 10
NAME : Livox Wood
GRID REF 1: SO 519112 GRID REF 2:
HABITAT : Mixed woodland.

NO. : 11
NAME : Shorn Cliff and Caswell Woods
GRID REF 1: SO 540005 GRID REF 2: SO 540990
HABITAT : Limestone, mixed semi-natural woodland.

NO. : 12
NAME : Lower Wye Gorge
GRID REF 1: ST 548983 GRID REF 2:
HABITAT : Limestone woodland, cliffedge, saltmarsh.
Geological interest.

NO. : 13
NAME : Blackcliffe/Wyndcliffe
GRID REF 1: ST 531979 GRID REF 2:
HABITAT : Limestone cliffs and woodlands.

NO. : 14
NAME : Pierce,Alcove and Piercefield
GRID REF 1: ST 530958 GRID REF 2:
HABITAT : Mixed semi natural woodland.

NO. : 15
NAME : Pennsylvania Fields
GRID REF 1: ST 542929 GRID REF 2:
HABITAT : Brackish Pasture.

NO. : 16
NAME : Severn Estuary
GRID REF 1: ST 543905 GRID REF 2:
HABITAT : River estuary.

OTHER SITES OF SPECIAL SCIENTIFIC INTEREST IN THE WYE VALLEY

NO. : 1
NAME : Cerrig-Gwalch
GRID REF 1: SN 935708 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
HABITAT : Mixed deciduous woodland.

NO. : 2
NAME : Cwn Gwyllym
GRID REF 1: SN 945692 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
HABITAT : Sessile oakwood, lake and transition mire.

NO. : 3
NAME : Cae Cwm Bach
GRID REF 1: SN 952700 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
HABITAT : Semi-natural Hay meadow.

NO. : 4
NAME : Coed-y-Cefn
GRID REF 1: SN 955677 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
HABITAT : Sessile oakwood.

NO. : 5
NAME : Maercheini Uplands, Gilfach Farm and
GRID REF 1: SN 957733 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
HABITAT : Upland plateau and woodland. Ornithological
interest.

NO. : 6
NAME : Newhouse meadow
GRID REF 1: SN 968675 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
HABITAT : Herb rich grassland.

NO. : 7
NAME : Upper Nantserth Pasture
GRID REF 1: SN 976702 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
HABITAT : Wet pasture.

NO. : 8
NAME : Rhos Rhyd-y-Ceir
GRID REF 1: SN 984645 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
HABITAT : Damp-wet heath pasture.

NO. : 9
NAME : Cae Comin Coch
GRID REF 1: SN 994548 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
HABITAT : Unimproved pasture.

OTHER SITES OF SPECIAL SCIENTIFIC INTEREST IN THE WYE VALLEY

NO. : 10
 NAME : Aber Ithon and Bedw Turbaries
 GRID REF 1: SO 015574 GRID REF 2: SO 019596 GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Former tubaries.

NO. : 11
 NAME : Rhos Dwfnant
 GRID REF 1: SO 021601 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Herb rich pasture.

NO. : 12
 NAME : Gwern-yfed Fach Quarry
 GRID REF 1: SO 029526 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Quarry. Geological interest.

NO. : 13
 NAME : Llanelwedd Rocks
 GRID REF 1: SO 052524 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Geological. Acidic grassland.

NO. : 14
 NAME : Cors-y-Lynn
 GRID REF 1: SO 066552 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Acid basin mire with buffer zone.

NO. : 15
 NAME : Coed Aber Edw
 GRID REF 1: SO 081472 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Mixed semi-natural woodland.

NO. : 16
 NAME : Brechfa Pool
 GRID REF 1: SO 119377 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Shallow mud bottomed lake.

NO. : 17
 NAME : Llandeilo, Rhulen and Llanbedr Hills
 GRID REF 1: SO 120475 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Sub montain upland.

NO. : 18
 NAME : Cilkenny Dingle
 GRID REF 1: SO 175414 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Semi natural woodland.

OTHER SITES OF SPECIAL SCIENTIFIC INTEREST IN THE WYE VALLEY

NO. : 19
 NAME : Moity and Garth Dingles and Fron Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 184428 GRID REF 2: SO 190421 GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Ancient semi-natural woodland.

NO. : 20
 NAME : Cwm-Gwanon Dingle and Pasture
 GRID REF 1: SO 197442 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Mixed deciduous woodland.

NO. : 21
 NAME : Moccas Park
 GRID REF 1: SO 340423 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Ancient deer park with wood pasture.

NO. : 22
 NAME : The Flits
 GRID REF 1: SO 378410 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Marsh grassland in river flood plain.

NO. : 23
 NAME : Little Marsh Common
 GRID REF 1: SO 439378 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Wet grassland

NO. : 24
 NAME : Cage Brook Valley
 GRID REF 1: SO 451386 GRID REF 2: SO 443377 GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Broadleaved woodland and marsh.

NO. : 25
 NAME : Lugg Meadows
 GRID REF 1: SO 531411 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Historic hay meadow.

NO. : 26
 NAME : Woodshuts Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 580376 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Ancient primary woodland.

NO. : 27
 NAME : Scutterdine Quarry
 GRID REF 1: SO 577369 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Disused quarry. Geological interest.

OTHER SITES OF SPECIAL SCIENTIFIC INTEREST IN THE WYE VALLEY

NO. : 28
 NAME : Haugh Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 591367 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Mixed semi-natural woodland. Some converted to
 conifer.

NO. : 29
 NAME : Cherry Hill Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 577353 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Mixed limestone woodland.

NO. : 30
 NAME : Common Hill
 GRID REF 1: SO 588346 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Ancient broadleaved woodland. Remnants of
 unimproved grassland and old limestone quarry.

NO. : 31
 NAME : Lea and Pagets Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 598343 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Mixed Woodland.

NO. : 32
 NAME : Birch Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 611323 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Woodland.

NO. : 33
 NAME : Coughton Wood and Marsh
 GRID REF 1: SO 590211 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Alder woodland.

NO. : 34
 NAME : Great Doward
 GRID REF 1: SO 549159 GRID REF 2: SO 548163 GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Limestone grassland with scrub and woodland..

NO. : 35
 NAME : Fiddlers Elbow
 GRID REF 1: SO 577140 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Mixed woodland. Coppice with standards.

NO. : 36
 NAME : Swanpool Wood and Furnace Grove
 GRID REF 1: SO 541107 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 HABITAT : Ancient, broadleaved woodland.

OTHER SITES OF SPECIAL SCIENTIFIC INTEREST IN THE WYE VALLEY

NO.	: 37		
NAME	: Astridge Wood		
GRID REF 1:	SO 547088	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
HABITAT	: Calcareous mixed coppice woodland.		
NO.	: 38		
NAME	: Graig Wood		
GRID REF 1:	SO 533087	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
HABITAT	: Woodland. Coppice with standards.		
NO.	: 39		
NAME	: Highbury Wood		
GRID REF 1:	SO 540086	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
HABITAT	: Mixed, alkaline woodland.		
NO.	: 40		
NAME	: Lower Hael Wood		
GRID REF 1:	SO 533075	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
HABITAT	: Mixed woodland. Coppice with standards.		
NO.	: 41		
NAME	: Bigsweir Woods		
GRID REF 1:	SO 546060	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
HABITAT	: Acid woodland.		
NO.	: 42		
NAME	: Cleddon Shoots		
GRID REF 1:	SO 523041	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
HABITAT	: Acid woodland.		
NO.	: 43		
NAME	: Cleddon Bog		
GRID REF 1:	SO 509039	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
HABITAT	: Lowland Bog.		
NO.	: 44		
NAME	: The Hudnalls		
GRID REF 1:	SO 533030	GRID REF 2:	SO 540042 GRID REF 3: SO 545046
HABITAT	: Mixed woodland.		
NO.	: 45		
NAME	: Harpers Grove/Lords Grove		
GRID REF 1:	SO 528113	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
HABITAT	: Mixed woodland. Coppice with standards.		

KEY SITES OF NATURE CONSERVATION INTEREST BOORDERING THE RIVER

NO. : 1
NAME : Cwm-coch meadow
SOURCE : Countryside Council for Wales
GRID REF.1: SN 946707 GRID REF.2:
REMARKS : Wet meadow

NO. : 2
NAME : Graig Ddu flushes
SOURCE : CCW (Phase 1 survey)
GRID REF.1: SN 939725 GRID REF.2: SN 938727
REMARKS : Flushes

NO. : 3
NAME : Safn-y-coed
SOURCE : CCW (Phase 1 survey)
GRID REF.1: SN 929732 GRID REF.2:
REMARKS : Flushes

NO. : 4
NAME : Neuadd Ddu Wood
SOURCE : RWT/CCW
GRID REF.1: SN 919747 GRID REF.2:
REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 5
NAME : Ty n-y-maes
SOURCE : Countryside Council for Wales
GRID REF.1: SN 908795 GRID REF.2:
REMARKS : Wet pasture

NO. : 6
NAME : Goytre Wood
SOURCE : Countryside Council for Wales
GRID REF.1: SO 004540 GRID REF.2:
REMARKS : Plants

NO. : 7
NAME : Pen-ddol rocks
SOURCE : Countryside Council for Wales
GRID REF.1: SO 028523 GRID REF.2:
REMARKS : Geological interest

NO. : 8
NAME : Llanelwedd shingle beds
SOURCE : Countryside Council for Wales
GRID REF.1: SO 040513 GRID REF.2:
REMARKS : Invertebrates, plants.

NO. : 9
NAME : Aberedw
SOURCE : RWT/CCW
GRID REF.1: SO 075486 GRID REF.2:
REMARKS : Woodland

KEY SITES OF NATURE CONSERVATION INTEREST BOORDERING THE RIVER

NO. : 10
 NAME : Island, Skreen farm
 SOURCE : Countryside Council for Wales
 GRID REF.1: SO 099433 GRID REF.2:
 REMARKS : Invertebrates, plants.

NO. : 11
 NAME : Ciliau
 SOURCE : CCW (Phase 1 survey)
 GRID REF.1: SO 104431 GRID REF.2:
 REMARKS : Pasture

NO. : 12
 NAME : Llanstephan Bridge
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW
 GRID REF.1: SO 112417 GRID REF.2:
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 13
 NAME : Glasbury shingle beds
 SOURCE : Countryside Council for Wales
 GRID REF.1: SO 184405 GRID REF.2:
 REMARKS : Invertebrates, birds.

NO. : 14
 NAME : Rock ledges, Boughrood
 SOURCE : Countryside Council for Wales
 GRID REF.1: SO 123402 GRID REF.2:
 REMARKS : Plants

NO. : 15
 NAME : Lower Glas-y-Bont
 SOURCE : Countryside Council for Wales
 GRID REF.1: SO 180395 GRID REF.2:
 REMARKS : Invertebrates

NO. : 16
 NAME : Pwll Patti
 SOURCE : Radnorshire Wildlife Trust
 GRID REF.1: SO 165391 GRID REF.2:
 REMARKS : Wintering birds

NO. : 17
 NAME : Clifford Common
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 GRID REF.1: SO 244461 GRID REF.2:
 REMARKS : Riverside pasture

NO. : 18
 NAME : Rhydspence Plantation and adjoining sites
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 GRID REF.1: SO 247476 GRID REF.2:
 REMARKS : Woodland

KEY SITES OF NATURE CONSERVATION INTEREST BOORDERING THE RIVER

NO. : 19
 NAME : Oxbow Lake, Letton Court
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 GRID REF.1: SO 333459 GRID REF.2:
 REMARKS : Wetland

NO. : 20
 NAME : Trap Coppice and Mill Leasowe Wood
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 GRID REF.1: SO 338448 GRID REF.2:
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 21
 NAME : Depple Wood and Castle Coppice
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 GRID REF.1: SO 342435 GRID REF.2:
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 22
 NAME : Belmont Wood and Hunderton Rough
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 GRID REF.1: SO 484387 GRID REF.2:
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 23
 NAME : Field nr Eaton Camp
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 GRID REF.1: SO 451396 GRID REF.2:
 REMARKS : Pasture

NO. : 24
 NAME : Cage Brook Valley and Woodlands
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 GRID REF.1: SO 455390 GRID REF.2:
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 25
 NAME : Woods along the Wye nr Capler Camp
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 GRID REF.1: SO 580310 GRID REF.2:
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 26
 NAME : Atbough Wood
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 GRID REF.1: SO 553304 GRID REF.2:
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 27
 NAME : Ballingham Wood
 SOURCE : AONB GAZETTEER
 GRID REF.1: SO 580326 GRID REF.2:
 REMARKS : Woodland

KEY SITES OF NATURE CONSERVATION INTEREST BOORDERING THE RIVER

NO. : 28
NAME : Carey Wood
SOURCE : AONB GAZETTEER
GRID REF.1: SO 587317 GRID REF.2:
REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 29
NAME : Aramstone Wood
SOURCE : AONB GAZETTEER
GRID REF.1: SO 566305 GRID REF.2:
REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 30
NAME : Lyndor and How Caple Woods and west of the stocking
SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
GRID REF.1: SO 618295 GRID REF.2:
REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 31
NAME : Thomas Wood
SOURCE : AONB GAZETTEER
GRID REF.1: SO 581187 GRID REF.2:
REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 32
NAME : Coppet Hill and adjoining land
SOURCE : HNT/AONB Reg.
GRID REF.1: SO 577185 GRID REF.2:
REMARKS : Woodland and heath

NO. : 33
NAME : Park Wood
SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
GRID REF.1: SO 582175 GRID REF.2:
REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 34
NAME : Hentland Wood
SOURCE : AONB GAZETTEER
GRID REF.1: SO 586166 GRID REF.2:
REMARKS : Woodland

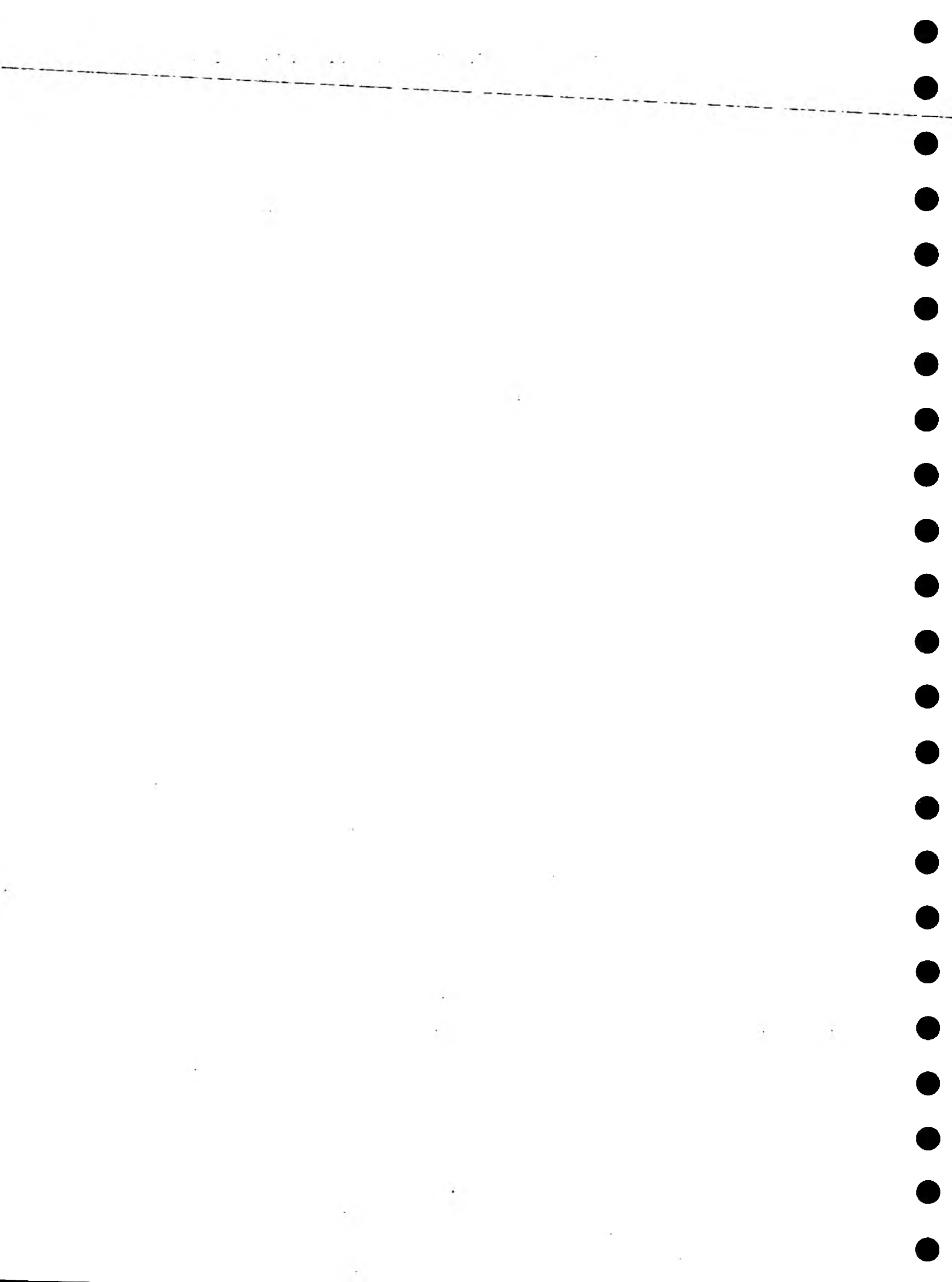
NO. : 35
NAME : Coldwell Wood
SOURCE : AONB GAZETTEER
GRID REF.1: SO 571161 GRID REF.2:
REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 36
NAME : The Doward and Huntsham Hill
SOURCE : HNT/AONB reg.
GRID REF.1: SO 561163 GRID REF.2:
REMARKS : Woodland

KEY SITES OF NATURE CONSERVATION INTEREST BOORDERING THE RIVER

NO. : 37
NAME : Lancut Farm pasture and Salt Marsh
SOURCE : AONB GAZETTEER
GRID REF.1: ST-533960 GRID REF.2:
REMARKS : Salt marsh and pasture

NO. : 38
NAME : James Thorns
SOURCE : AONB GAZETTEER
GRID REF.1: ST 545984 GRID REF.2:
REMARKS : Woodland



SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 1
NAME : Gamrhiw-Uchaf Pastures
GRID REF 1: SN 966621 GRID REF 2:
SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
REMARKS : Pasture

NO. : 2
NAME : Gamrhiw-isaf Rhos
GRID REF 1: SN 964629 GRID REF 2: SN 967629
SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
REMARKS : Pasture

NO. : 3
NAME : Pistyllgwyn Pasture
GRID REF 1: SN 967633 GRID REF 2:
SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
REMARKS : Pasture

NO. : 4
NAME : Talwrnmaenog Pastures
GRID REF 1: SN 973634 GRID REF 2: SN 976634
SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
REMARKS : Pasture

NO. : 5
NAME : Cwm-bach marsh
GRID REF 1: SN 959639 GRID REF 2:
SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
REMARKS : Marsh

NO. : 6
NAME : Cwm Rhos
GRID REF 1: SN 959639 GRID REF 2:
SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
REMARKS :

NO. : 7
NAME : Cefn-Rhos
GRID REF 1: SN 961647 GRID REF 2:
SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
REMARKS :

NO. : 8
NAME : Ffrondorddu Pastures
GRID REF 1: SN 950656 GRID REF 2: SN 952655
SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
REMARKS : Pasture

NO. : 9
NAME : Nannerthffrwd Mire
GRID REF 1: SN 938709 GRID REF 2:
SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
REMARKS : Wetland

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 10
 NAME : Llofftyddgleision Frydd
 GRID REF 1: SN 938714 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
 REMARKS :

NO. : 11
 NAME : Nannerth-ganol Meadow
 GRID REF 1: SN 943713 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
 REMARKS : Grassland

NO. : 12
 NAME : Dolhelfa-ganol Flush
 GRID REF 1: SN 930741 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
 REMARKS : Flushes

NO. : 13
 NAME : Dolhelf-uchaf Flushes
 GRID REF 1: SN 922744 GRID REF 2: SN 923741
 SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
 REMARKS : Flushes

NO. : 14
 NAME : Nant Gwnog Pasture
 GRID REF 1: SN 916734 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
 REMARKS : Pasture

NO. : 15
 NAME : Pen-yr-ochr Rhos
 GRID REF 1: SN 910745 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
 REMARKS :

NO. : 16
 NAME : Nantllemystyn Pasture
 GRID REF 1: SN 910745 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
 REMARKS : Pasture

NO. : 17
 NAME : GraigDdu/Trembyd
 GRID REF 1: SN 985615 GRID REF 2: SN 960635
 SOURCE : Biological survey of common land.
 REMARKS : Common land

NO. : 18
 NAME : Esgair Dderw - Esgair Cae
 GRID REF 1: SN 943700 GRID REF 2: SN 887753
 SOURCE : Biological survey of common land.
 REMARKS : Common land

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 19
 NAME : Rhayader railway tunnel
 GRID REF 1: SN 963673 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Radnor-Bat-Group
 REMARKS : Bat roost, RWT nature reserve.

NO. : 20
 NAME : Ashfield Cliffs
 GRID REF 1: SN 094438 GRID REF 2: SN 975645
 SOURCE : CCW
 REMARKS : Lower plants

NO. : 21
 NAME : Cwm-yr-afr
 GRID REF 1: SO 240474 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW Woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 22
 NAME : Cablava Dingle
 GRID REF 1: SO 233468 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW Woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 23
 NAME : Bettws Dingle
 GRID REF 1: SO 228466 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW Woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 24
 NAME : Pen-y-lan Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 206441 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW Woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 25
 NAME : Wern Iago
 GRID REF 1: SO 190386 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 26
 NAME : The Bogs
 GRID REF 1: SO 194376 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 27
 NAME : Dderw Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 145372 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 28
 NAME : Skynlas Dingle
 GRID REF 1: SO 163392 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW woodland Survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 29
 NAME : Cilgwyn Dingle
 GRID REF 1: SO 150392 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW woodland Survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 30
 NAME : Court Farm, Boughrood
 GRID REF 1: SO 124397 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW woodland Survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 31
 NAME : Ffynnon Gwyydd Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 164404 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW woodland Survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 32
 NAME : Ty'n-y-caeau Woods
 GRID REF 1: SO 124408 GRID REF 2: SO 128413
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW woodland Survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 33
 NAME : Vicarage Dingle
 GRID REF 1: SO 121418 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW
 REMARKS : Plants

NO. : 34
 NAME : Daren Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 110429 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW
 REMARKS : Woodland SSSI

NO. : 35
 NAME : Erwood Dingle
 GRID REF 1: SO 096427 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW
 REMARKS : Woodland SSSI

NO. : 36
 NAME : Llandeilo Graban Dingle
 GRID REF 1: SO 097448 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW Woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 37
 NAME : Alltgoch
 GRID REF 1: SO 094482 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW Woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 38
 NAME : Coed Gafen/Court Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 090476 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : PCC/CCW Woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 39
 NAME : Craig-yr-afon
 GRID REF 1: SO 069504 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW Woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 40
 NAME : Church House Farm woods
 GRID REF 1: SO 073507 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW Woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 41
 NAME : Cnithio Brook Dingle
 GRID REF 1: SO 063522 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW Woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 42
 NAME : Talar-ddu Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 065521 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW Woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 43
 NAME : Llanelwedd Hall Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 045522 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW Woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 44
 NAME : Henllan Brook Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 043526 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW Woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 45
 NAME : Cefn-dyrys Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 037528 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW
 REMARKS : Woodland

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 46
 NAME : Cefn-dyrys
 GRID REF 1: SO 041529 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : BTO/CCW
 REMARKS : Heronry

NO. : 47
 NAME : Dulas Brook Woods
 GRID REF 1: SO 032543 GRID REF 2: SO 037550
 SOURCE : CCW Woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 48
 NAME : Ty'n-y-llidiart Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 012545 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW Woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 49
 NAME : Pont-ar-Ithon
 GRID REF 1: SO 018570 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW Woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 50
 NAME : Rheol Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 028571 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW Woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 51
 NAME : Estyn Brrok Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 005580 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW Woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 52
 NAME : Rhyd-y-ceir Dingle
 GRID REF 1: SO 980639 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW Woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 53
 NAME : Diffryn Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 975666 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW
 REMARKS : RSPB Reserve

NO. : 54
 NAME : Dderw Dingle
 GRID REF 1: SO 960683 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW Woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 55
 NAME : Nant Serw Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 965694 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW Woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 56
 NAME : Rose Cottage Orchard
 GRID REF 1: SO 014585 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW
 REMARKS : Old meadow

NO. : 57
 NAME : Merry Hall Cutting
 GRID REF 1: SO 014586 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW
 REMARKS : Plants

NO. : 58
 NAME : Merry Hall pasture
 GRID REF 1: SO 015589 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW Grassland survey
 REMARKS : Grassland

NO. : 59
 NAME : Caerwnon Pasture
 GRID REF 1: SO 014546 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW
 REMARKS : Dry acidic pasture

NO. : 60
 NAME : Irfon Gorge
 GRID REF 1: SO 029505 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW
 REMARKS : Lichens, geology

NO. : 61
 NAME : Glyn farm
 GRID REF 1: SO 966659 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW
 REMARKS : Pasture, hayfields

NO. : 62
 NAME : Graig Allt-y-bont
 GRID REF 1: SO 966653 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW
 REMARKS : RSPB reserve. Heath, woodland

NO. : 63
 NAME : Cwm-coch Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 944707 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW/PCC Woodland survey
 REMARKS : Woodland

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 64
 NAME : Nannerth Fawr woods
 GRID REF 1: SO 948717 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW
 REMARKS : Lichens, plants

NO. : 65
 NAME : Great Gwernfythen
 GRID REF 1: SO 207445 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW
 REMARKS : Wet pasture

NO. : 66
 NAME : Glasbury cutting
 GRID REF 1: SO 185394 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : BWT
 REMARKS : Plants

NO. : 67
 NAME : Pen-lan meadow
 GRID REF 1: SO 137395 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW
 REMARKS : Grassland survey

NO. : 68
 NAME : Rhosgoch
 GRID REF 1: SO 022561 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW
 REMARKS : Wet pasture

NO. : 69
 NAME : Penmincae
 GRID REF 1: SO 006548 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : BSBI/CCW
 REMARKS : Wet pasture

NO. : 70
 NAME : Clas meadow
 GRID REF 1: SO 957673 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW Grassland survey
 REMARKS : Grassland

NO. : 71
 NAME : Ty'n-y-waun meadow
 GRID REF 1: SO 946674 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW
 REMARKS : Hay meadow

NO. : 72
 NAME : Nant-y-Dernol pasure
 GRID REF 1: SO 913743 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW Grassland survey
 REMARKS : Grassland

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 73
 NAME : Ty Mawr Rhos
 GRID REF 1: SO 922734 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW Grassland survey
 REMARKS : Grassland

NO. : 74
 NAME : Pant-y-drain flushes
 GRID REF 1: SO 913766 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : RWT/CCW Grassland survey
 REMARKS : Flushes

NO. : 75
 NAME : Llyn-gwyn Rhos
 GRID REF 1: SO 902797 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Countryside Council for Wales
 REMARKS : Wet pasture

NO. : 76
 NAME : Tan-y-llyn Rhos
 GRID REF 1: SO 924799 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : MWT/CCW Grassland survey
 REMARKS : Grassland

NO. : 77
 NAME : Gwaun Afon Bidno
 GRID REF 1: SO 881814 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : A.Morton
 REMARKS : Dry acidic pasture

NO. : 78
 NAME : Glanrhyd pastures
 GRID REF 1: SO 836827 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW
 REMARKS : Acid pasture

NO. : 79
 NAME : Quarry Cottage pasture
 GRID REF 1: SO 166401 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
 REMARKS : Pasture

NO. : 80
 NAME : Moity Pasures
 GRID REF 1: SO 184422 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
 REMARKS : Pasture

NO. : 81
 NAME : Lane Cottage Pastures
 GRID REF 1: SO 185430 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
 REMARKS : Pasture

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 82
 NAME : Fforest Cwm Pasure
 GRID REF 1: SO 196437 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
 REMARKS : Pasture

NO. : 83
 NAME : Tre-waelod Pasture
 GRID REF 1: SO 196447 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
 REMARKS : Pasture

NO. : 84
 NAME : Sgithwen Brook Woods
 GRID REF 1: SO 103411 GRID REF 2: SO 110414
 SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
 REMARKS : Pasture

NO. : 85
 NAME : Cwrt-y-graban pastures
 GRID REF 1: SO 115422 GRID REF 2: SO 118420
 SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
 REMARKS : Pasture

NO. : 86
 NAME : Llwyn-penfaen Pastures
 GRID REF 1: SO 107433 GRID REF 2: SO 108444
 SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
 REMARKS : Pasture

NO. : 87
 NAME : Cileau Pastures
 GRID REF 1: SO 103434 GRID REF 2: SO 106430
 SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
 REMARKS : Pasture

NO. : 88
 NAME : Erw-rhenallt Pastures
 GRID REF 1: SO 066455 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
 REMARKS : Pasture

NO. : 89
 NAME : Ty'n-y-coed Pasture
 GRID REF 1: SO 003597 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW Phase 1 survey
 REMARKS : Pasture

NO. : 90
 NAME : Twmpath
 GRID REF 1: SO 083437 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Biological survey of common land.
 REMARKS : Common land

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 91
 NAME : Brechfa Common
 GRID REF 1: SO 120383 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Biological survey of common land.
 REMARKS : Common land

NO. : 92
 NAME : Garth Hill
 GRID REF 1: SO 053507 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Biological survey of common land.
 REMARKS : Common land

NO. : 93
 NAME : Twyn-y-garth
 GRID REF 1: SO 107438 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Biological survey of common land.
 REMARKS : Common land

NO. : 94
 NAME : The Skreen Common
 GRID REF 1: SO 098438 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Biological survey of common land.
 REMARKS : Common land

NO. : 95
 NAME : Ffynnon Gwnydd Common
 GRID REF 1: SO 165407 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Biological survey of common land.
 REMARKS : Common land

NO. : 96
 NAME : Bryn-yr-hydd common
 GRID REF 1: SO 186416 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Biological survey of common land.
 REMARKS : Common land

NO. : 97
 NAME : Aberedw Hill
 GRID REF 1: SO 085515 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Biological survey of common land.
 REMARKS : Common land

NO. : 98
 NAME : Penmaenau Rocks
 GRID REF 1: SO 033525 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Biological survey of common land.
 REMARKS : Common land

NO. : 99
 NAME : Llandeilo Graban roadside
 GRID REF 1: SO 094438 GRID REF 2: SO 105428
 SOURCE : CCW
 REMARKS : Road verge. RWT nature reserve.

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 100
 NAME : 4 Bridge Street, Hay.
 GRID REF 1: SO 228426 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW
 REMARKS : Bat roost

NO. : 101
 NAME : The Skreen
 GRID REF 1: SO 097437 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW
 REMARKS : Bat roost

NO. : 102
 NAME : Crickadarn Church
 GRID REF 1: SO 089422 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW
 REMARKS : Bat roost

NO. : 103
 NAME : Chapel House, Alltmawr
 GRID REF 1: SO 073468 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW
 REMARKS : Bat roost

NO. : 104
 NAME : Aberedw Church
 GRID REF 1: SO 080473 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : CCW
 REMARKS : Bat roost

NO. : 105
 NAME : Llewelyn's Cave
 GRID REF 1: SO 083468 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Radnor Bat Group
 REMARKS : Bat Roost

NO. : 106
 NAME : Llysddinam Pond
 GRID REF 1: SO 095586 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : UWIST/CCW
 REMARKS : Amphibians

NO. : 107
 NAME : Marsh nr Goodrich
 GRID REF 1: SO 573190 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Wetland area

NO. : 108
 NAME : Woodlands east of Kerne Bridge
 GRID REF 1: SO 594190 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Woodland

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 109
 NAME : Garren Brook
 GRID REF 1: SO 559184 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Stream

NO. : 110
 NAME : Marsh nr Bridstow Castle
 GRID REF 1: SO 585249 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Wetland

NO. : 111
 NAME : Wells Brook
 GRID REF 1: SO 591243 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Stream

NO. : 112
 NAME : Wilton Bluff
 GRID REF 1: SO 596239 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Geological exposure

NO. : 113
 NAME : Margin, Wriggle Brooke
 GRID REF 1: SO 542298 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Stream

NO. : 114
 NAME : Riggs Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 550272 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 115
 NAME : Castle Meadow Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 559276 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 116
 NAME : Pools nr Strangford viaduct
 GRID REF 1: SO 579289 GRID REF 2: SO 577291
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 117
 NAME : Pool nr Ashe Ingen Court
 GRID REF 1: SO 579260 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Wetland area

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 118
 NAME : Eaton Park and Newhouse Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 620283 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Woodland. See also AONB Gazetteer

NO. : 119
 NAME : Yatton Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 630298 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 120
 NAME : Fields North of Cary
 GRID REF 1: SO 567312 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS :

NO. : 121
 NAME : Kidley Hill Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 561326 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 122
 NAME : Ballingham railway tunnel
 GRID REF 1: SO 567315 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS :

NO. : 123
 NAME : Lower Bolstone Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 554333 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 124
 NAME : Ponds at Holme Lacey
 GRID REF 1: SO 555348 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Wetland

NO. : 125
 NAME : Woodlands and Grasslands above Fownhope
 GRID REF 1: SO 581348 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS :

NO. : 126
 NAME : River Lugg
 GRID REF 1: SO 566372 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : River

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 127
 NAME : Rotherwas Park Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 540375 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 128
 NAME : Pool at Rotherwas
 GRID REF 1: SO 537380 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Wetland area

NO. : 129
 NAME : Breinton Camp
 GRID REF 1: SO 465393 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS :

NO. : 130
 NAME : Hayleasow Wood, Newtown Coppice and Spring Grove
 GRID REF 1: SO 483376 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 131
 NAME : Pond nr Longmoor Cottage
 GRID REF 1: SO 435407 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Wetland

NO. : 132
 NAME : Warlow Pool
 GRID REF 1: SO 432402 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Wetland area

NO. : 133
 NAME : Pond nr Bunshill
 GRID REF 1: SO 433425 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Wetland area

NO. : 134
 NAME : Ponds nr Bunshill
 GRID REF 1: SO 432427 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Wetland area

NO. : 135
 NAME : Pool nr Magna Castra Farm
 GRID REF 1: SO 442423 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Wetland area

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 136
 NAME : Garnons Hill and Cardine Coppice
 GRID REF 1: SO 400442 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 137
 NAME : Field South of Bycross Farm
 GRID REF 1: GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS :

NO. : 138
 NAME : Field North of Rose Bank
 GRID REF 1: SO 374417 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS :

NO. : 139
 NAME : Court Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 328448 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 140
 NAME : Wern Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 332436 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 141
 NAME : Merbach Hill, Benfield Park and Weston Hill Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 310450 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Moorland and heath

NO. : 142
 NAME : Pond nr Turners Boat
 GRID REF 1: SO 315457 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Wetland

NO. : 143
 NAME : Woodlands and Meadow south of Brilley
 GRID REF 1: SO 265481 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Woodland and meadow

NO. : 144
 NAME : Ton Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 250454 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Woodland

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 145
 NAME : Three fields nr Woodspring and Cwm yr Afr
 GRID REF 1: SO 243475 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire-Nature-Trust
 REMARKS :

NO. : 146
 NAME : Leech Pool
 GRID REF 1: SO 339451 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Wetland

NO. : 147
 NAME : Grove Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 243447 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 148
 NAME : Caswell Wood(part) and Lippets Grove
 GRID REF 1: SO 540002 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS :

NO. : 149
 NAME : Orchard Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 546015 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 150
 NAME : Mill Hill Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 548018 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 151
 NAME : The Admirals Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 545020 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 152
 NAME : Brockweir House Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 535022 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 153
 NAME : Downfield Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 536025 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 154
 NAME : Barn House Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 537027 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 155
 NAME : The Beeches Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 536031 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 156
 NAME : Fayland Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 537034 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 157
 NAME : Ferney Leaze Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 548070 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 158
 NAME : Lodge's Wood (West)
 GRID REF 1: SO 547074 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 159
 NAME : Bowens Grove (Part)
 GRID REF 1: SO 538076 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 160
 NAME : Old Crow Wood/Causeway Grove
 GRID REF 1: SO 536091 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 161
 NAME : Forge Wood (Part)
 GRID REF 1: SO 543099 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 162
 NAME : Staunton Mead, Staunton
 GRID REF 1: SO 543123 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS :

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 163
 NAME : Highmeadow Woods (Part)
 GRID REF 1: SO 560140 GRID REF 2: Various
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Large composite site of mixed woodland

NO. : 164
 NAME : Collins Grove, Chepstow Wood, and Common Grove
 GRID REF 1: SO 582163 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 165
 NAME : Millway Grove
 GRID REF 1: SO 586164 GRID REF 2: SO 588166
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 166
 NAME : Geat Collins Grove
 GRID REF 1: SO 582166 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 167
 NAME : The Kymin
 GRID REF 1: SO 603169 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 168
 NAME : Moorwood Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 604169 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 169
 NAME : Popes Grove
 GRID REF 1: SO 590170 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 170
 NAME : Tumpshill Grove
 GRID REF 1: SO 592171 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 171
 NAME : Moorwood Farm Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 607171 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 172
 NAME : Glasp Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 610173 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 173
 NAME : Ragmans Slade Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 607176 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 174
 NAME : Glyn Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 518000 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 175
 NAME : Cairn Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 523010 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 176
 NAME : Long Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 522017 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 177
 NAME : Coed Beddick
 GRID REF 1: SO 529018 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 178
 NAME : Botany Bay Woodland
 GRID REF 1: SO 527024 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 179
 NAME : Bargain Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 524034 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 180
 NAME : Coanager Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 537049 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 181
 NAME : Bigsnap Woods
 GRID REF 1: SO 534053 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 182
 NAME : Manor Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 527061 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 183
 NAME : Pwllplythin Wood/The Knoll
 GRID REF 1: SO 532068 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 184
 NAME : Narth Woodlands
 GRID REF 1: SO 527068 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 185
 NAME : Colonel's Park
 GRID REF 1: SO 522073 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS :

NO. : 186
 NAME : Tregagle Meadows
 GRID REF 1: SO 523081 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Grassland

NO. : 187
 NAME : Upper Hael Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 528082 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 188
 NAME : Penallt Old Church Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 523105 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 189
 NAME : Dixton Embankment
 GRID REF 1: SO 527141 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Gwent Trust for Nature Conservation reserve.

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 190
 NAME : Miners Rest and White Rocks
 GRID REF 1: SO 553158 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Herefordshire Nature Trust reserve.

NO. : 191
 NAME : Symonds Yat West Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 556162 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 192
 NAME : Leeping Stocks
 GRID REF 1: SO 549162 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS :

NO. : 193
 NAME : Disused Quarries
 GRID REF 1: SO 546163 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Geological interest

NO. : 194
 NAME : Crampton Reserves
 GRID REF 1: SO 555163 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Herefordshire Nature Trust reserve.

NO. : 195
 NAME : Meadow North of Kiln Tumps
 GRID REF 1: SO 547165 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS :

NO. : 196
 NAME : Limekiln Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 553165 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 197
 NAME : Ancient Orchard
 GRID REF 1: SO 550167 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Orchard

NO. : 198
 NAME : The Windles old limestone workings
 GRID REF 1: SO 582184 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS :

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 199
 NAME : Poplands Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 566185 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB-Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 200
 NAME : Sixteen Acre Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 599189 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 201
 NAME : Quarry Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 593189 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 202
 NAME : Pool Ellocks
 GRID REF 1: SO 574189 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Herefordshire Nature Trust reserve.

NO. : 203
 NAME : Warren Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 587194 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 204
 NAME : Oxlet Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 594194 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 205
 NAME : Bulls Hill Wood (North)
 GRID REF 1: SO 593202 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 206
 NAME : Marks Well Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 600203 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 207
 NAME : Goodrich Court
 GRID REF 1: SO 571203 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Herefordshire Nature Trust reserve

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 208
 NAME : Howle Hill Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 604207 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 209
 NAME : Crow Brook Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 564231 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 210
 NAME : Vicarage Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 608277 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 211
 NAME : Eaton Park
 GRID REF 1: SO 620282 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 212
 NAME : Pennoxstone Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 522283 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 213
 NAME : Gandoos Coppice
 GRID REF 1: SO 541285 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 214
 NAME : Quarry Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 539287 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 215
 NAME : Redbrook Meadow
 GRID REF 1: SO 540287 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Grassland

NO. : 216
 NAME : Elvastone Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 535288 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 217
 NAME : Lower Horse Rough
 GRID REF 1: SO 537288 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 218
 NAME : Baytons Grove
 GRID REF 1: SO 597298 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 219
 NAME : How Caple Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 617303 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 220
 NAME : Carey Copse
 GRID REF 1: SO 560310 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 221
 NAME : Kidley Hill Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 567325 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 222
 NAME : Shepherds Rough
 GRID REF 1: SO 558332 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 223
 NAME : Capler Farm Wood
 GRID REF 1: SO 593335 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS : Woodland

NO. : 224
 NAME : The Temple Meadow
 GRID REF 1: ST 522969 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS :

NO. : 225
 NAME : Old Chepstow Golf Course
 GRID REF 1: ST 529954 GRID REF 2:
 SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
 REMARKS :

SITES OF CONSERVATION INTEREST CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 226
NAME : Chepstow Race Course (Part)
GRID REF 1: ST 525954 GRID REF 2:
SOURCE : AONB Gazetteer
REMARKS :

NATURE RESERVES IN THE WYE VALLEY

NO. : 1
 NAME : Rhayader railway tunnel
 LOCATION : Rhayader STATUS:
 OWNER : Radnorshire Wildlife Trust
 GRID REF 1: SN 963673 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS : Bat roost.

NO. : 2
 NAME : Gilfach Farm
 LOCATION : Rhayader STATUS: SSSI
 OWNER : Radnorshire Wildlife Trust
 GRID REF 1: SO 965717 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS :

NO. : 3
 NAME : Cors-y-Llyn
 LOCATION : Newbridge-on-Wye STATUS: NNR
 OWNER : Countryside Council of Wales (part)
 GRID REF 1: SO 066552 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS : Partly subject to nature reserve agreement

NO. : 4
 NAME : Wye/Elan Reserves
 LOCATION : Llanwrthwl STATUS: SSSI (part)
 OWNER : RSPB
 GRID REF 1: SN 955645 GRID REF 2: SN 977667 GRID REF 3: SN 948693
 REMARKS : Includes most of Carn Gafallt SSSI, part of Cwm Gwynllyn SSSI, Dyffren Wood and Graig Allt-y-bont.

NO. : 5
 NAME : Aberithon Turbary
 LOCATION : Newbridge STATUS: SSSI
 OWNER : Llanyre Community Council
 GRID REF 1: SO 015574 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS :

NO. : 6
 NAME : Bedw Turbary
 LOCATION : Newbridge STATUS: SSSI
 OWNER : Llanyre Community Council
 GRID REF 1: SO 019596 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS :

NO. : 7
 NAME : Llandeilo-Graben Roadside
 LOCATION : Erwood STATUS: None
 OWNER : Powys County Council
 GRID REF 1: SO 094438 GRID REF 2: SO 105428 GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS : Roadside reserve. Managed by RWT by agreement with the County Council.

NO. : 8
 NAME : Glasbury Cutting
 LOCATION : Glasbury STATUS:
 OWNER : Brecknock Wildlife Trust
 GRID REF 1: SO 185394 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS : Old railway cutting

NATURE RESERVES IN THE WYE VALLEY

NO. : 9
 NAME : Pwll Patti
 LOCATION : Glasbury STATUS:
 OWNER : Powys County Council
 GRID REF 1: SO 165391 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS : Managed by The Radnorshire Wildlife Trust by agreement with the County Council.

NO. : 10
 NAME : Brechfa Pool
 LOCATION : Lyswen STATUS: SSSI
 OWNER : Private
 GRID REF 1: SO 119377 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS : Managed by Brecknock Wildlife Trust by agreement with the owner.

NO. : 11
 NAME : Cilcenni Dingle
 LOCATION : Llowes STATUS: SSSI
 OWNER : The Woodland Trust
 GRID REF 1: SO 175414 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS :

NO. : 12
 NAME : Moity and Garth Dingles and Fron Wood
 LOCATION : Hay STATUS: SSSI
 OWNER : Woodland Trust (Part)
 GRID REF 1: SO 184428 GRID REF 2: SO 190421 GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS :

NO. : 13
 NAME : Clifford Common
 LOCATION : Clifford STATUS:
 OWNER : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 GRID REF 1: SO 245459 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS : Common Land. Includes part of river.

NO. : 14
 NAME : Brilley Green Dingle
 LOCATION : Brilley STATUS:
 OWNER : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 GRID REF 1: SO 275487 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS : Steep sided valley woodland.

NO. : 15
 NAME : Rhydspence Wood
 LOCATION : Brilley STATUS:
 OWNER : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 GRID REF 1: SO 246474 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS : Woodland overlooking the Wye

NO. : 16
 NAME : Court Wood
 LOCATION : Bredwardine STATUS:
 OWNER : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 GRID REF 1: SO 329448 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS : Woodland

NATURE RESERVES IN THE WYE VALLEY

NO.	: 17		
NAME	: Wern Wood		
LOCATION	: Bredwardine	STATUS:	
OWNER	: Herefordshire Nature Trust		
GRID REF 1:	SO-332437	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
REMARKS	: Woodland reserve		
NO.	: 18		
NAME	: Moccas Park		
LOCATION	: Bredwardine	STATUS: NNR	
OWNER	: Private		
GRID REF 1:	SO 341425	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
REMARKS	:		
NO.	: 19		
NAME	: Lugg Meadows		
LOCATION	: Hereford	STATUS: SSSI	
OWNER	: Herefordshire Nature Trust		
GRID REF 1:	SO 527411	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
REMARKS	:		
NO.	: 20		
NAME	: Pentaloe Glen and the Covallaria area		
LOCATION	: Mordiford	STATUS: SSSI	
OWNER	: Forestry Commission		
GRID REF 1:	SO 586377	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
REMARKS	: Part of Haugh Wood. Managed by the Herefordshire Nature Trust by agreement with the Forestry		
NO.	: 21		
NAME	: Common Hill		
LOCATION	: Fownhope	STATUS: SSSI	
OWNER	: Herefordshire Nature Trust		
GRID REF 1:	SO 591347	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
REMARKS	: Consists of three seperate areas. Part of Common Hill SSSI.		
NO.	: 22		
NAME	: Lea and Pagets Wood		
LOCATION	: Fownhope	STATUS: SSSI	
OWNER	: Herefordshire Nature Trust		
GRID REF 1:	SO 593345	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
REMARKS	: Ancient woodland		
NO.	: 23		
NAME	: Rudge End Quarry		
LOCATION	: Fownhope	STATUS: SSSI	
OWNER	: Forestry Commission		
GRID REF 1:	SO 588353	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
REMARKS	: Leased by Herefordshire Nature Trust.		
NO.	: 24		
NAME	: Nupend Wood		
LOCATION	: Fownhope	STATUS: SSSI	
OWNER	: Herefordshire Nature Trust		
GRID REF 1:	SO 581352	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
REMARKS	: Part of Cherry Hill Wood SSSI		

NATURE RESERVES IN THE WYE VALLEY

NO.	: 25		
NAME	: Poor Mans Piece/Poors Acre		
LOCATION	: Fownhope	STATUS:	SSSI
OWNER	: National Trust		
GRID REF 1:	SO 590365	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
REMARKS	: Managed by the Herefordshire Nature Trust by agreement.		
NO.	: 26		
NAME	: Coughton Marsh		
LOCATION	: Walford, nr Ross	STATUS:	SSSI
OWNER	: Herefordshire Nature Trust		
GRID REF 1:	SO 590210	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
REMARKS	: Wet woodland situated on former course of the River Wye		
NO.	: 27		
NAME	: Goodrich Court Wilderness		
LOCATION	: Goodrich	STATUS:	
OWNER	: Herefordshire Nature Trust		
GRID REF 1:	SO 571202	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
REMARKS	: Site of demolished Goodrich Court. Wilderness showing natural succession.		
NO.	: 28		
NAME	: Pool Ellocks		
LOCATION	: Goodrich	STATUS:	
OWNER	: Herefordshire Nature Trust		
GRID REF 1:	SO 572189	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
REMARKS	:		
NO.	: 29		
NAME	: Yat Rock observatory		
LOCATION	: Symonds Yat	STATUS:	None
OWNER	: Forestry Commission (Managed with RSPB)		
GRID REF 1:	SO 565160	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
REMARKS	: Peregrine falcon observatory.		
NO.	: 30		
NAME	: Leeping Stocks		
LOCATION	: Great Doward, Whitchurch	STATUS:	None
OWNER	: Herefordshire Nature Trust		
GRID REF 1:	SO 549161	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
REMARKS	: Woodland and scrub. Part of the Great Doward.		
NO.	: 31		
NAME	: Crampton reserves		
LOCATION	: Great Doward, Whitchurch	STATUS:	
OWNER	: Herefordshire Nature Trust		
GRID REF 1:	SO 555167	GRID REF 2:	SO 556159 GRID REF 3:
REMARKS	: Two seperate areas of woodland.		
NO.	: 32		
NAME	: King Arthurs Cave		
LOCATION	: Great Doward, Whitchurch	STATUS:	SSSI
OWNER	: Herefordshire Nature Trust		
GRID REF 1:	SO 548158	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
REMARKS	: Part of Lords Wood. Does not include caves themselves.		

NATURE RESERVES IN THE WYE VALLEY

NO. : 33
 NAME : Lords Wood Quarry
 LOCATION : Great Doward, Whitchurch STATUS:
 OWNER : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 GRID REF 1: SO 548155 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS : Disused quarry

NO. : 34
 NAME : Miners Rest
 LOCATION : Great Doward, Whitchurch STATUS:
 OWNER : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 GRID REF 1: SO 552160 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS : Mixed woodland and grassland.

NO. : 35
 NAME : White Rocks
 LOCATION : Great Doward, Whitchurch. STATUS:
 OWNER : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 GRID REF 1: SO 548158 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS :

NO. : 36
 NAME : Woodside
 LOCATION : Great Doward, Whitchurch STATUS: SSSI
 OWNER : Herefordshire Nature Trust
 GRID REF 1: SO 556158 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS :

NO. : 37
 NAME : Dixon Embankment
 LOCATION : Monmouth STATUS:
 OWNER : Gwent Wildlife Trust
 GRID REF 1: SO 524137 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS : One acre site. Management agreement

NO. : 38
 NAME : Penallt Old Church Wood
 LOCATION : Pennallt STATUS:
 OWNER : Gwent Wildlife Trust
 GRID REF 1: SO 525105 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS :

NO. : 39
 NAME : Prisk Wood
 LOCATION : Near Whitebrooke STATUS:
 OWNER : Gwent Wildlife Trust
 GRID REF 1: SO 533087 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS :

NO. : 40
 NAME : Margarets Wood
 LOCATION : Whitebrooke STATUS:
 OWNER : Gwent Wildlife Trust
 GRID REF 1: SO 526069 GRID REF 2: GRID REF 3:
 REMARKS :

NATURE RESERVES IN THE WYE VALLEY

NO.	: 41		
NAME	: Biggs Nap		
LOCATION	: Whitebrooke	STATUS:	
OWNER	: Gwent Wildlife Trust		
GRID REF 1:	SO 533053	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
REMARKS	:		
NO.	: 42		
NAME	: Cleddon Bog		
LOCATION	: Llandogo	STATUS: SSSI, LNR	
OWNER	: Gwent County Council		
GRID REF 1:	SO 509039	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
REMARKS	:		
NO.	: 43		
NAME	: Cleddon Shoots		
LOCATION	: Llandogo	STATUS: SSSI	
OWNER	: Gwent Wildlife Trust		
GRID REF 1:	SO 523041	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
REMARKS	:		
NO.	: 44		
NAME	: Bigsweir Woods		
LOCATION	: Bigsweir	STATUS: SSSI	
OWNER	: Woodland Trust (Part)	GTNC (Part)	
GRID REF 1:	SO 546060	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
REMARKS	: Managed by GTNC		
NO.	: 45		
NAME	: Blackcliffe-Wyndcliffe		
LOCATION	: Nr Chepstow	STATUS: SSSI	
OWNER	: Forestry Commission		
GRID REF 1:	ST 531979	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
REMARKS	: Forest Nature reserve. Managed by agreement with the Countryside Council for Wales.		
NO.	: 46		
NAME	: Lancaut		
LOCATION	: Nr Chepstow	STATUS: SSSI	
OWNER	: Gloucestershire Trust for Nature Conservation		
GRID REF 1:	ST 539967	GRID REF 2:	GRID REF 3:
REMARKS	: GTNC manages the southern part of Lancaut SSSI.		

Access and visitor facilities

PUBLIC AMENITY AREAS AND PICNIC SITES

NO. : 1
LOCATION: Rhayader
OWNER : Rhayader Town Council
GRID REF: SO 968676
REMARKS : Small public park adjacent to the river.

NO. : 2
LOCATION: Rhayader
OWNER : Radnorshire District Council
GRID REF: SO 969684
REMARKS : Public park adjacent to the river.

NO. : 3
LOCATION: Builth Wells
OWNER : Radnorshire District Council
GRID REF: SO 038514
REMARKS : Large public park adjacent to the river with car park and a full range of visitor facilities.

NO. : 4
LOCATION: Erwood
OWNER : Powys County Council
GRID REF: SO 089439
REMARKS : Site of old railway station. Toilets, craft shop, car park, picnic area and cafe.

NO. : 5
LOCATION: Glasbury Bont
OWNER : Maesllywch Estate. Leased to Radnorshire D.C.
GRID REF: SO 179392
REMARKS : Informal grassed area with nearby car park and toilets. Close to village.

NO. : 6
LOCATION: Hay
OWNER : Hay Town Council
GRID REF: SO 229426
REMARKS : Informal site close to canoe launch with informal parking and picnic area.

NO. : 7
LOCATION: Whitney Toll Bridge.
OWNER : Whitney Toll Bridge
GRID REF: SO 258476
REMARKS : Private site with cafe, toilets, picnic area and canoe launch facility.

NO. : 8
LOCATION: Bredwardine
OWNER : Private
GRID REF: SO 336447
REMARKS : Informal grassed area close to bridge. Public use by permission from owner.

PUBLIC AMENITY AREAS AND PICNIC SITES

NO. : 9
LOCATION: Kenchester - Weir
OWNER : National Trust
GRID REF: SO 435419
REMARKS : Ornamental terraced gardens adjacent to river.
Car parking. Fee payable.

NO. : 10
LOCATION: Breinton Springs
OWNER : National Trust
GRID REF: SO 472395
REMARKS : National Trust church and garden. Limited access
to river. Small car park.

NO. : 11
LOCATION: Hereford-Bishops Meadow
OWNER : Hereford City Council
GRID REF: SO 511392
REMARKS : Large public park with full range of visitor
facilities. Close to city centre. Car parking
nearby.

NO. : 12
LOCATION: Brinkly Hill
OWNER : Hereford and Worcester County Council
GRID REF: SO 585313
REMARKS : Small, low key site with viewpoint. Limited
parking. picnic table.

NO. : 13
LOCATION: Hole in the Wall
OWNER : Perrystone Estate
GRID REF: SO 617295
REMARKS : Informal picnic area. By permission of the estate.
No facilities.

NO. : 14
LOCATION: Ross
OWNER : South Herefordshire District Council.
GRID REF: SO 595241
REMARKS : Large riverside area close to town with full range
of facilities close by.

NO. : 15
LOCATION: Goodrich
OWNER : Hereford and Worcester County Council
GRID REF: SO 575197
REMARKS : Large area close to Goodrich Castle. Car park,
toilets and refreshment kiosk. Information boards
and base for WVCS wardens.

NO. : 16
LOCATION: Kerne Bridge
OWNER : Hereford and Worcester County Council
GRID REF: SO 582187
REMARKS : Recently developed site on old railway land.
Canoe launch, car park and toilet.

PUBLIC AMENITY AREAS AND PICNIC SITES

NO. : 17
 LOCATION: Lower Lydbrook
 OWNER : Lydbrook Parish Council
 GRID REF: SO 596170
 REMARKS : Riverside site in village with car park and canoe launch.

NO. : 18
 LOCATION: Symonds Yat East
 OWNER : Various
 GRID REF: SO 561158
 REMARKS : Popular village fronting onto river. Full range of visitor facilities. Very restricted road access.

NO. : 19
 LOCATION: Symonds Yat West
 OWNER : Leisure Park/Paddocks Hotel
 GRID REF: SO 556170
 REMARKS : Several areas of land fronting river with informal public access. Full range of facilities nearby. Large amusement park backing on to river.

NO. : 20
 LOCATION: Monmouth
 OWNER : Monmouth Borough Council/Monmouth Town Council
 GRID REF: SO 513130
 REMARKS : Area of land between river and main road. Accessible from the town via subway. Limited car parking and steps down to river.

NO. : 21
 LOCATION: Brockweir
 OWNER : Not Known
 GRID REF: SO 539012
 REMARKS : Small area of land next to river in village.

NO. : 22
 LOCATION: Tintern, Old Station
 OWNER : Gwent County Council
 GRID REF: SO 537006
 REMARKS : Picnic site centred around restored station buildings. Carpark, visitor centre, refreshment kiosk, shop and toilet. Access to river bank.

NO. : 23
 LOCATION: Tintern Abbey
 OWNER : CADW
 GRID REF: SO 533001
 REMARKS : Ruins of Cistercian Abbey next to river. Large car park and full range of amenities close by.

NO. : 24
 LOCATION: Wyndcliffe
 OWNER : Forestry Commission
 GRID REF: SO 525973
 REMARKS : Wooded site off A466 road.

PUBLIC AMENITY AREAS AND PICNIC SITES

NO. : 25
LOCATION: Wyndcliffe
OWNER : Forestry Commission
GRID REF: SO 528972
REMARKS : Woodland site. Close to other Wyndcliffe picnic
site. Parking for '365 steps' walk.

NO. : 26
LOCATION: Chepstow
OWNER : Monmouth Borough Council
GRID REF: ST 538943
REMARKS : Public park adjacent to river. Close to town.

CANOE LAUNCHING AND LANDING SITES

NO. : 1
LOCATION: Marteg Confluence
OWNER : Not Known
STATUS : Informal/without permission
GRID REF: SN 952715
REMARKS : Access from footbridge over River Marteg near road
layby. Part of access agreement with Rhayader Angling
Association.

NO. : 2
LOCATION: Pont Rhydgaled
OWNER : Not Known
STATUS : Informal/without permission
GRID REF: SN 841826
REMARKS : Access to river at confluence with the River Tarrenig.

NO. : 3
LOCATION: Llangurig
OWNER : Not Known
STATUS : Informal/without permission
GRID REF: SN 908797
REMARKS : Access from Llangurig bridge.

NO. : 4
LOCATION: Rhayader
OWNER : Brecknock Borough Council
STATUS : Informal/without permission
GRID REF: SN 966886
REMARKS : Access via old ford track to river adjacent to camp
site entrance.

NO. : 5
LOCATION: Rhayader
OWNER : Rhayader Town Council
STATUS : Informal/without permission
GRID REF: SN 968677
REMARKS : Park area on right bank just below bridge. Car parking
area at Triangle Inn though not with pubs consent.
Access also from opposite bank via track. Parking in
rugby field car park.

NO. : 6
LOCATION: Llanwyrthl
OWNER : Not Known
STATUS : Informal/without permission
GRID REF: SN 976640
REMARKS :

CANOE LAUNCHING AND LANDING SITES

NO. : 7
LOCATION: Newbridge on Wye
OWNER : Llysdimun estate
STATUS : Informal/without permission
GRID REF: SO 013583
REMARKS : Access to river via track at site of old ford. Public right of way. Right bank adjacent to bridge.

NO. : 8
LOCATION: Builth Wells
OWNER : Brecknock Borough Council
STATUS : Informal/without permission
GRID REF: SO 041512
REMARKS : Launching from Groe Park. Large car parking area.

NO. : 9
LOCATION: Mordiford
OWNER : Not Known
STATUS : Informal/without permission
GRID REF: SO 569375
REMARKS : Access to river Lugg just above confluence with the Wye. Public footpath. Parking on layby by bridge.

NO. : 10
LOCATION: Glasbury
OWNER : Wye Valley Canoes
STATUS : Private.
GRID REF: SO 180393
REMARKS : Private steps used by commercial canoe hire firm.

NO. : 11
LOCATION: Glasbury
OWNER : Maesllywch Estate. Leased to Radnor District Council.
STATUS : Public
GRID REF: SO 179392
REMARKS : Glasbury Common. Launching by long standing agreement with the estate. District council charge a launching fee but this is not enforced.

NO. : 12
LOCATION: Hay
OWNER : Hollybush Inn Camp Site
STATUS : Private. Public use controlled by owner.
GRID REF: SO 197404
REMARKS : Use restricted to those using the campsite.

CANOE LAUNCHING AND LANDING SITES

NO. : 13
LOCATION: Clifford Common
OWNER : Herefordshire Nature Trust
STATUS : Informal/without permission
GRID REF: SO 245460
REMARKS : Herefordshire Nature Trust nature reserve

NO. : 14
LOCATION: Hay
OWNER : Hay Town Council
STATUS : Public
GRID REF: SO 229426
REMARKS : Purpose built steps on right bank just downstream of bridge. Rough car parking area. Access via Wyeford Road.

NO. : 15
LOCATION: Whitney Toll Bridge
OWNER : Toll Bridge owner
STATUS : Private. Public use controlled by owner.
GRID REF: SO 252475
REMARKS : Steep muddy slope. Difficult to use. Adjacent car park. Fee charged.

NO. : 16
LOCATION: Locksters Pool
OWNER : Locksters Pool Farm
STATUS : Private. Public use controlled by owner.
GRID REF: SO 269462
REMARKS : Private camping field.

NO. : 17
LOCATION: Bredwardine
OWNER : Brobury House.
STATUS : Private. Public use controlled by owner.
GRID REF: SO 337446
REMARKS : Field on left bank below bridge. Express permission to launch not normally required. Rough slope down to river. Car parking on road nearby.

NO. : 18
LOCATION: Preston on Wye
OWNER : Preston Court Farm
STATUS : Private. Public use controlled by owner.
GRID REF: SO 382426
REMARKS : Camping field owned by farm. Launching by permission for non campers.

CANOE LAUNCHING AND LANDING SITES

NO. : 19
LOCATION: Byford
OWNER : Not Known
STATUS : Public
GRID REF: SO 401424
REMARKS : Site of disused ford . Access via narrow lane. Parking very limited. No facilities.

NO. : 20
LOCATION: Bridge Sollars
OWNER : Not Known
STATUS : Informal/without permission
GRID REF: SO 412424
REMARKS : Access to river by bridge via public footpath.

NO. : 21
LOCATION: Hereford. Bishops Meadow.
OWNER : Hereford City Council
STATUS : Public
GRID REF: SO 509395
REMARKS : Right hand bank downstream of Greyfriars Bridge. Access to river down steep bank.

NO. : 22
LOCATION: Hereford Youth Canoe Centre
OWNER : Hereford and Worcester County Council
STATUS : Restricted access.
GRID REF: SO 512396
REMARKS : Use restricted to Organised youth groups.

NO. : 23
LOCATION: Hereford. Victoria Bridge.
OWNER : Hereford City Council.
STATUS : Public
GRID REF: SO 512394
REMARKS : Shingle area on right bank by bridge. Part of Bishops Meadow.

NO. : 24
LOCATION: Hereford
OWNER : Bartonsham Farm Dairy
STATUS : Private. Public use controlled by owner.
GRID REF: SO 514390
REMARKS : Camping field owned by farm. Launching by permission for non campers.

CANOE LAUNCHING AND LANDING SITES

NO. : 25
LOCATION: Holme Lacy
OWNER : Lucks All Camp Site
STATUS : Private. Public use controlled by owner.
GRID REF: SO 568361
REMARKS : Non campers require permission.

NO. : 26
LOCATION: Hoarwithy
OWNER : Section 9 common land
STATUS : Public
GRID REF: SO 549294
REMARKS : Access to river on left bank beneath bridge. Large area of common land with no registered owner. Launching has taken place in the past with few problems but recently some of the commoners have attempted to prevent access.

NO. : 27
LOCATION: Hoarwithy
OWNER : Tressack Farm, Hoarwithy.
STATUS : Private. Public use controlled by owner.
GRID REF: SO 548292
REMARKS : Camping field operated by farmer. Non campers require permission.

NO. : 28
LOCATION: Kings Caple
OWNER : Lower Ruxton Farm, Kings Caple.
STATUS : Private. Public use controlled by owner.
GRID REF: SO 549291
REMARKS : Launching from private camping field. Non campers require permission.

NO. : 29
LOCATION: Hole in the Wall
OWNER : PGL Holidays
STATUS : Private
GRID REF: SO 611287
REMARKS : Main PGL canoeing centre on the Wye. Part of Court Farm residential centre.

NO. : 30
LOCATION: Ross
OWNER : South Herefordshire District Council.
STATUS : Public
GRID REF: SO 596244
REMARKS : Purpose built steps recently constructed by District Council. Adjacent to riverside park. Nearby parking.

CANOE LAUNCHING AND LANDING SITES

NO. : 31
LOCATION: Ross (Wilton Bridge)
OWNER : South Herefordshire District Council
STATUS : Informal/without permission
GRID REF: SO 590242
REMARKS : Left bank beneath bridge. Car parking in roadside layby. Rough slope to the river.

NO. : 32
LOCATION: Symonds Yat East
OWNER : Wydean Canoe Centre.
STATUS : Private. Public use controlled by owner.
GRID REF: SO 561160
REMARKS : Concrete steps owned by canoe centre. Large car park with adjacent toilets and camp site. Charge made for launching and parking.

NO. : 33
LOCATION: Symonds Yat West
OWNER : Ferry Inn
STATUS : Private. Public use controlled by owner.
GRID REF: SO 557164
REMARKS : Launching from ferry steps by pub. Parking in adjacent carpark. Express permission not normally required.

NO. : 34
LOCATION: Symonds Yat West. Paddocks Hotel.
OWNER : Paddocks Hotel
STATUS : Private. Public use controlled by owner.
GRID REF: SO 558168
REMARKS : Shallow slope into river. Access via Paddocks Hotel field. Parking in field. Fee charged.

NO. : 35
LOCATION: Huntsham Bridge
OWNER : Courtfield Estate
STATUS : Informal/without permission
GRID REF: SO 568182
REMARKS : Informal area beneath bridge. Access to river via muddy slope. Rough car parking area. Use has caused problems for fishery owners and can cause traffic congestion.

NO. : 36
LOCATION: Welsh Bicknor Youth Hostel
OWNER : Youth Hostel Association
STATUS : Private. Public use controlled by owner.
GRID REF: SO 592177
REMARKS : Use restricted to residents of youth hostel

CANOE LAUNCHING AND LANDING SITES

NO. : 37
LOCATION: Lower Lydbrook.
OWNER : Lydbrook Parish Council.
STATUS : Public
GRID REF: SO 597171
REMARKS : Steps located within picnic area. Small launching fee charged via honesty box. Car parking.

NO. : 38
LOCATION: Monmouth, Rowing club steps.
OWNER : Monmouth Borough Council
STATUS : Public
GRID REF: SO 512129
REMARKS : Past dispute with rowing club who have claimed ownership and tried to regulate use. Borough Council ownership now accepted.

NO. : 39
LOCATION: The Biblins
OWNER : The Forestry Commission
STATUS : Restricted access.
GRID REF: SO 555146
REMARKS : Site restricted to use by groups staying at campsite.

NO. : 40
LOCATION: Redbrooke
OWNER : Not known
STATUS : Informal/without permission
GRID REF: SO 536098
REMARKS : Access to river from football club car park via steep slope. Frequency of use not known.

NO. : 41
LOCATION: Redbrooke
OWNER : The Boat Inn public house.
STATUS : Private. Public use controlled by owner.
GRID REF: SO 536098
REMARKS : Access beneath old railway bridge via steep slope. Difficult to use.

NO. : 42
LOCATION: Brockweir Quay
OWNER : Not Known
STATUS : Public
GRID REF: SO 539012
REMARKS : Old stone quay. Past dispute over use with nearby resident who has claimed ownership. Difficult to use due to tides and steep slope.

CANOE LAUNCHING AND LANDING SITES

NO. : 43
LOCATION: Tintern
OWNER : CADW
STATUS : Informal/without permission
GRID REF: SO 534001
REMARKS : Access to river by abbey car park. Steep, muddy bank.
Very difficult to use but the only access point
available in the town. Not heavily used.

NO. : 44
LOCATION: Chepstow slipway
OWNER : Monmouth Borough Council
STATUS : Public
GRID REF: ST 539942
REMARKS : Old stone slipway. Very muddy, especially at low tide.
Also used by water-skiers and jet-skiers.

CAR PARKING CLOSE TO THE RIVER

NO. : 1
LOCATION: Llangurig
OWNER : Not Known
GRID REF: SO 909799
REMARKS : Small car park next to bridge.

NO. : 2
LOCATION: Rhayader
OWNER : Radnorshire District Council
GRID REF: SN 970678
REMARKS : Rugby club car park. Leased from district council.

NO. : 3
LOCATION: Builth Wells
OWNER : Brecknock Borough Council
GRID REF: SO 041512
REMARKS : Large car park next to Groe Park.

NO. : 4
LOCATION: Erwood Station Picnic Site
OWNER : Powys County Council
GRID REF: SO 089439
REMARKS : Car park serving picnic site and craft centre/teashop. Pedestrian access to river.

NO. : 5
LOCATION: Glasbury
OWNER : Radnor District Council
GRID REF: SO 178392
REMARKS : Small informal car parking area next to Glasbury Bont. Often very busy.

NO. : 6
LOCATION: Hay
OWNER : Hay Town Council
GRID REF: SO 229427
REMARKS : Informal car parking next to river and canoe launch. No signposting from road.

NO. : 7
LOCATION: Weir Gardens
OWNER : National Trust
GRID REF: SO 436420
REMARKS : Car park for ornamental gardens. Pedestrian access to river bank.

NO. : 8
LOCATION: Breinton
OWNER : National Trust
GRID REF: SO 472395
REMARKS : Car park for church, close to river.

NO. : 9
LOCATION: Hereford
OWNER : Hereford City Council
GRID REF: SO 509393
REMARKS : Two large car parks close to Bishops Meadow.

CAR PARKING CLOSE TO THE RIVER

NO. : 10
LOCATION: Brinkley Hill
OWNER : Hereford and Worcester County Council
GRID REF: SO 585313
REMARKS : Small car park and viewpoint. Approx five cars.

NO. : 11
LOCATION: Mordiford
OWNER : Hereford and Worcester County Council
GRID REF: SO 567375
REMARKS : Roadside layby close to bridge. Connects with Wye Valley Walk and loop walk.

NO. : 12
LOCATION: Hole in the Wall
OWNER : Perrystone Estate
GRID REF: SO 617295
REMARKS : Car parking by permission of owners.

NO. : 13
LOCATION: Ross
OWNER : South Herefordshire District Council
GRID REF: SO 593239
REMARKS : Large car park close to river. Parking also available on Wye Street.

NO. : 14
LOCATION: Goodrich
OWNER : English Heritage
GRID REF: SO 575197
REMARKS : Car park for castle and picnic site.

NO. : 15
LOCATION: Whitchurch
OWNER : South Herefordshire District Council
GRID REF: SO 173175
REMARKS : Car park adjacent to leisure park.

NO. : 16
LOCATION: Kerne Bridge
OWNER : Hereford and Worcester County Council
GRID REF: SO 582187
REMARKS : Car park are for picnic area and canoe launch.

NO. : 17
LOCATION: Lower Lydbrook
OWNER : Lydbrook Parish Council
GRID REF: SO 597171
REMARKS : Car parking next to river serving picnic site and canoe launch. Space for approximately twenty cars.

NO. : 18
LOCATION: Symonds Yat West
OWNER : The Paddocks Hotel
GRID REF: SO 557164
REMARKS : Large riverside field. Fee payable.

CAR PARKING CLOSE TO THE RIVER

NO. : 19
LOCATION: Symonds Yat Rock
OWNER : Forestry Commission
GRID REF: SO 563162
REMARKS : Large car park with pedestrian access to Yat Rock and the river.

NO. : 20
LOCATION: Symonds Yat East
OWNER : South Herefordshire District Council
GRID REF: SO 561159
REMARKS : Small parking area by Saracens Head pub. Gets very busy at peak periods.

NO. : 21
LOCATION: Symonds Yat East
OWNER : Wyedean Canoe Centre
GRID REF: SO 561159
REMARKS : Privately owned car park. Charge levied. Used by canoeists.

NO. : 22
LOCATION: Monmouth
OWNER : Monmouth Borough Council
GRID REF: SO 513129
REMARKS : Car parking by rowing club steps. Area for approximately ten cars. Many also park on grass.

NO. : 23
LOCATION: Redbrooke
OWNER : Not Known.
GRID REF: SO 537098
REMARKS : Car park for football club and Boat Inn. Public allowed to park by permission of owners.

NO. : 24
LOCATION: Old Station, Tintern.
OWNER : Gwent County Council.
GRID REF: SO 537006
REMARKS : Car park for picnic site and visitor centre.

NO. : 25
LOCATION: Tintern Abbey
OWNER : CADW
GRID REF: SO 535001
REMARKS : Large car park adjacent to river serving abbey.

NO. : 26
LOCATION: Wyndcliffe
OWNER : Forestry Commission
GRID REF: SO 528972
REMARKS : Car park for picnic site and viewpoint

NO. : 27
LOCATION: Wyndcliffe
OWNER : Forestry Commission
GRID REF: SO 525973
REMARKS : Car park for picnic site and viewpoint

CAR PARKING CLOSE TO THE RIVER

NO. : 28
LOCATION: Chepstow Castle
OWNER : Monmouth Borough Council
GRID REF: ST 535942
REMARKS : Large car park close to river.

PUBLIC TOILETS CLOSE TO RIVER (RURAL)

NO. : 1
LOCATION: Rhayader
OWNER : Brecknock Borough Council
GRID REF: SO 968684
REMARKS : Located within public park.

NO. : 2
LOCATION: Builth Wells
OWNER : Brecknock Borough Council
GRID REF: SO 041512
REMARKS : Within car park at Groe Park.

NO. : 3
LOCATION: Erwood Station Picnic Site
OWNER : Powys County Council
GRID REF: SO 089439
REMARKS : Part of picnic site, car park and craft centre complex.

NO. : 4
LOCATION: Glasbury
OWNER : Radnor District Council
GRID REF: SO 178392
REMARKS : Located in car parking area close to the Bont.

NO. : 5
LOCATION: Whitney Toll Bridge
OWNER : Whitney Toll Bridge
GRID REF: SO 258476
REMARKS : Private toilets for use by people using facilities at the bridge.

NO. : 6
LOCATION: Hereford
OWNER : Hereford City Council
GRID REF: SO 509395
REMARKS : Located close to Bishops Meadow.

NO. : 7
LOCATION: Ross
OWNER : South Herefordshire District Council
GRID REF: SO 596241
REMARKS :

NO. : 8
LOCATION: Goodrich Castle
OWNER : Hereford and Worcester County Council
GRID REF: SO 575197
REMARKS : Located within car park and picnic area.

NO. : 9
LOCATION: Kerne Bridge
OWNER : Hereford and Worcester County Council
GRID REF: SO 582187
REMARKS : 'Portaloo' located within picnic site.

PUBLIC TOILETS CLOSE TO RIVER (RURAL)

NO. : 10
LOCATION: Symonds Yat East
OWNER : South Herefordshire District Council
GRID REF: SO 561160
REMARKS : Built in 1991. Located close to Saracens Head.

NO. : 11
LOCATION: Symonds Yat Rock
OWNER : The Forestry Commission
GRID REF: SO 563160
REMARKS : Recently built toilet block within car park.
Close to Yat Rock viewpoint.

NO. : 12
LOCATION: Symonds Yat West
OWNER : South Herefordshire District Council
GRID REF: SO 553175
REMARKS : Located close to picnic area and jubilee maze.

NO. : 13
LOCATION: Symonds Yat West
OWNER : South Herefordshire District Council
GRID REF: SO 556165
REMARKS : Toilets close to Ferry Inn.

NO. : 14
LOCATION: Tintern Old Station
OWNER : Gwent County Council
GRID REF: SO 537006
REMARKS : Part of Old Station picnic site and visitor
centre.

NO. : 15
LOCATION: Tintern
OWNER : Monmouth Borough Council
GRID REF: SO 531002
REMARKS : Toilets 400 metres from Tintern abbey.

PUBLIC HOUSES CLOSE TO THE WYE (RURAL)

NO. : 1
NAME : Glanservan Arms
TOWN/VILLAGE: Pant Mawr
GRID REF : SN 847825

NO. : 2
NAME : The Blue Bell
TOWN/VILLAGE: Llangurig
GRID REF : SN 908799

NO. : 3
NAME : The Black Lion
TOWN/VILLAGE: Llangurig
GRID REF : SN 909799

NO. : 4
NAME : The Vulcan Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Llanwyrthl
GRID REF : SN 979635

NO. : 5
NAME : The Golden Lion
TOWN/VILLAGE: Newbridge on Wye
GRID REF : SO 015584

NO. : 6
NAME : The New Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Newbridge on Wye
GRID REF : SO 016583

NO. : 7
NAME : The Wheelwright Arms
TOWN/VILLAGE: Erwood
GRID REF : SO 095431

NO. : 8
NAME : The Erwood Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Erwood
GRID REF : SO 096431

NO. : 9
NAME : The Griffin Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Llyswen
GRID REF : SO 133380

NO. : 10
NAME : The Bridge Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Llyswen
GRID REF : SO 129383

NO. : 11
NAME : The Boat Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Boughrood
GRID REF : SO 131385

NO. : 12
NAME : The Hollybush Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Glasbury
GRID REF : SO 199404

PUBLIC HOUSES CLOSE TO THE WYE (RURAL)

NO. : 13
NAME : The Harp Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Glasbury
GRID REF : SO 181393

NO. : 14
NAME : The Maesllwch Arms
TOWN/VILLAGE: Glasbury
GRID REF : SO 176393

NO. : 15
NAME : Three Cocks Hotel
TOWN/VILLAGE: Three Cocks
GRID REF : SO 174378

NO. : 16
NAME : Baskerville Arms Hotel
TOWN/VILLAGE: Clyro
GRID REF : SO 214439

NO. : 17
NAME : The Rhydspence Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Rhydspence
GRID REF : SO 243473

NO. : 18
NAME : The Boat Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Whitney
GRID REF : SO 268473

NO. : 19
NAME : The Castlefield Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Clifford
GRID REF : SO 292452

NO. : 20
NAME : The Red Lion
TOWN/VILLAGE: Bredwardine
GRID REF : SO 332445

NO. : 21
NAME : The Ancient Camp Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Eaton Bishop
GRID REF : SO 452394

NO. : 22
NAME : The Bunch of Carrots
TOWN/VILLAGE: Hampton Bishop
GRID REF : SO 551381

NO. : 23
NAME : The Moon Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Mordiford
GRID REF : SO 572373

NO. : 24
NAME : The New Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Fownhope
GRID REF : SO 579344

PUBLIC HOUSES CLOSE TO THE WYE (RURAL)

NO. : 25
NAME : The Green Man
TOWN/VILLAGE: Fownhope
GRID REF : SO 578345

NO. : 26
NAME : The Forge and Ferry Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Fownhope
GRID REF : SO 576345

NO. : 27
NAME : The Loughpool Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Sellack
GRID REF : SO 558268

NO. : 28
NAME : The Cottage of Content
TOWN/VILLAGE: Carey
GRID REF : SO 563310

NO. : 29
NAME : New Harp Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Hoarwithy
GRID REF : SO 545293

NO. : 30
NAME : The Hope and Anchor
TOWN/VILLAGE: Ross
GRID REF : SO 597242

NO. : 31
NAME : The White Lion
TOWN/VILLAGE: Wilton
GRID REF : SO 589242

NO. : 32
NAME : Kerne Bridge Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Walford
GRID REF : SO 582189

NO. : 33
NAME : The Forge and Hammer
TOWN/VILLAGE: Lydbrook
GRID REF : SO 596168

NO. : 34
NAME : The Saracens Head
TOWN/VILLAGE: Symonds Yat East
GRID REF : SO 561159

NO. : 35
NAME : The Ferrie Inne
TOWN/VILLAGE: Symonds Yat West
GRID REF : SO 557164

NO. : 36
NAME : The Courtfield Arms
TOWN/VILLAGE: Lydbrook
GRID REF : SO 597169

PUBLIC HOUSES CLOSE TO THE WYE (RURAL)

NO. : 37
NAME : The Bush Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Redbrooke
GRID REF : SO 536102

NO. : 38
NAME : The Bell Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Redbrooke
GRID REF : SO 537096

NO. : 39
NAME : The Boat Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Redbrooke
GRID REF : SO 536098

NO. : 40
NAME : The Sloop Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Llandogo
GRID REF : SO 526041

NO. : 41
NAME : The Brockweir Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Brockweir Inn
GRID REF : SO 540011

NO. : 42
NAME : The Boat Inn
TOWN/VILLAGE: Chepstow
GRID REF : ST 538942

YOUTH HOSTELS IN THE WYE VALLEY

NO. : 1
 NAME : Nant-Y-Dernol
 GRID REF: SN 901755
 ADDRESS : Tan-y-Alt, Llangurig,
 Llanidloes, Powys
 OPEN : Mar - Oct
 REMARKS :

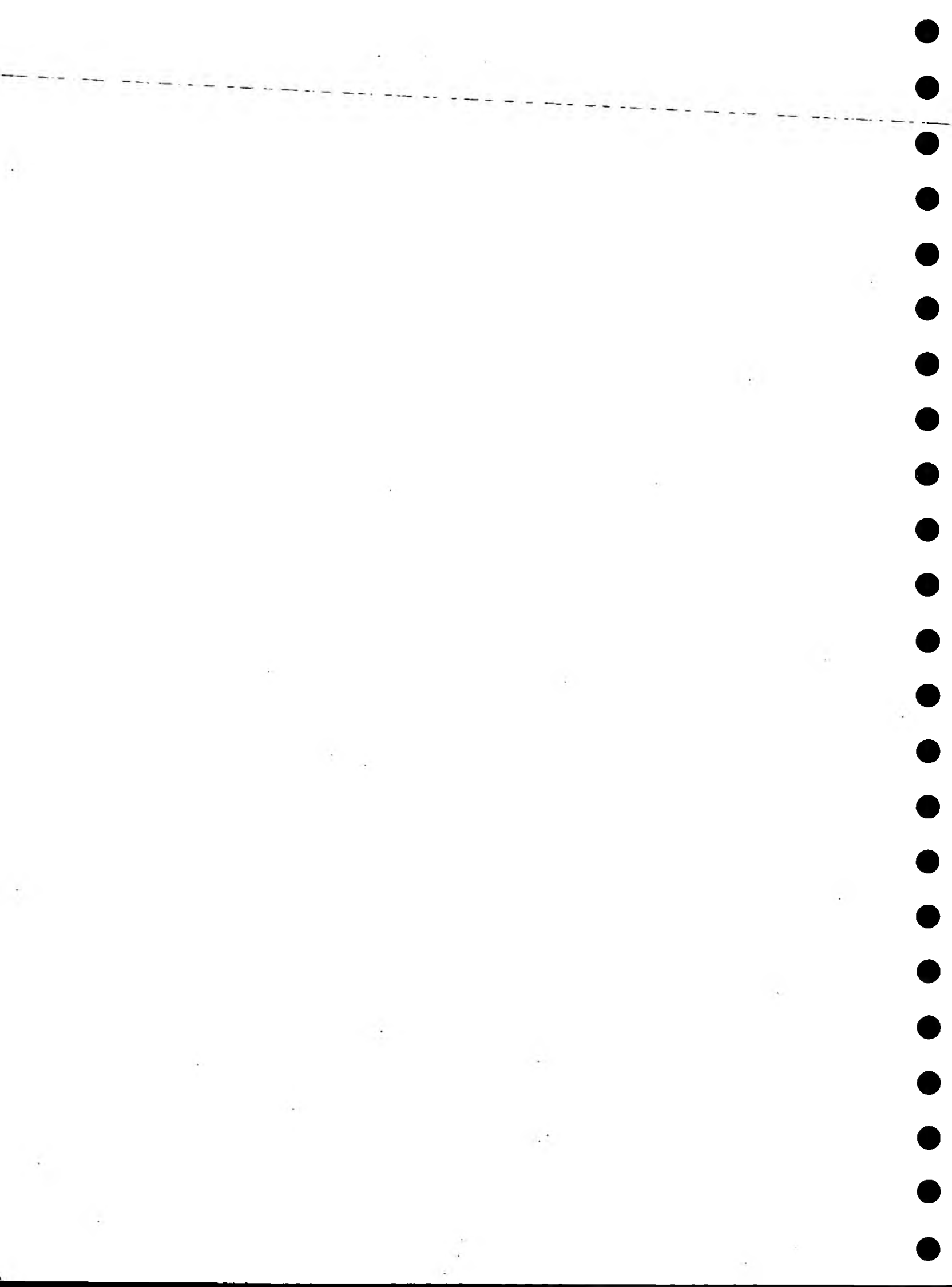
NO. : 2
 NAME : Staunton on Wye
 GRID REF: SO 365451
 ADDRESS : Worlds End Lodge, Staunton on
 Wye, Herefordshire
 OPEN : All year
 REMARKS : Privately run hostel

NO. : 3
 NAME : Welsh Bicknor
 GRID REF: SO 591177
 ADDRESS : The Old Rectory, Welsh
 Bicknor, Nr Ross.
 OPEN : Mar - Oct
 REMARKS : Adjacent to river. Own canoe access steps.

NO. : 4
 NAME : Monmouth
 GRID REF: SO 508130
 ADDRESS : Priory Street School, Priory
 Street, Monmouth.
 OPEN : Mar - Oct
 REMARKS :

NO. : 5
 NAME : St Briavels
 GRID REF: SO 558046
 ADDRESS : St Briavels Castle, St
 Briavels.
 OPEN : All Year
 REMARKS :

NO. : 6
 NAME : Chepstow
 GRID REF: ST 523934
 ADDRESS : Mounton Road, Chepstow, Gwent.
 OPEN : Mar - Oct
 REMARKS :



CAMPING FACILITIES CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 1
LOCATION: Rhayader GRID REF: SN 968684
NAME : Wyese Caravan Park
ADDRESS :- C/O Radnorshire District Council
FACILITIES
TOILETS : x WATER : x WASHING : x SHOWERS: x
TENTS : x CARAVANS: x CANOEING:
REMARKS : Formal camp site.

NO. : 2
LOCATION: Glasbury GRID REF: SO 197404
NAME : Hollybush Inn
ADDRESS : Hay on Wye, Hereford.
FACILITIES
TOILETS : x WATER : x WASHING : x SHOWERS: x
TENTS : x CARAVANS: x CANOEING: x
REMARKS : Formal camp site.

NO. : 3
LOCATION: Hay on Wye GRID REF: SO 224431
NAME : Radnors End camp site
ADDRESS : Hay on Wye, Hereford.
FACILITIES
TOILETS : x WATER : x WASHING : x SHOWERS: x
TENTS : x CARAVANS: x CANOEING:
REMARKS : Formal camp site

NO. : 4
LOCATION: Hay on Wye GRID REF: SO 119369
NAME : Mrs E J Parry
ADDRESS : Upper Brechfa, Llandefalle, Brecon.
FACILITIES
TOILETS : x WATER : x WASHING : x SHOWERS: x
TENTS : x CARAVANS: x CANOEING:
REMARKS :

NO. : 5
LOCATION: Hay on Wye GRID REF: SO 175378
NAME : Mill caravan park
ADDRESS : Three Cocks, Hay on Wye.
FACILITIES
TOILETS : x WATER : x WASHING : SHOWERS:
TENTS : x CARAVANS: x CANOEING:
REMARKS : Formal camp site.

NO. : 6
LOCATION: Clifford GRID REF: SO 269462
NAME : Mr G M Mason
ADDRESS : Oakfield, Locksters Pool, Clifford, Hereford.
FACILITIES
TOILETS : WATER : x WASHING : SHOWERS:
TENTS : x CARAVANS: CANOEING: x
REMARKS : Simple farm site.

CAMPING FACILITIES CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 7
 LOCATION: Whitney on GRID REF: SO 259475
 NAME : Not known
 ADDRESS : Whitney Toll Bridge, Whitney on Wye, Hereford.
FACILITIES
 TOILETS : x WATER : x WASHING : x SHOWERS:
 TENTS : x CARAVANS: x CANOEING: x
 REMARKS : Informal site next to main road

NO. : 8
 LOCATION: Preston-on-Wy GRID REF: SO 382427
 NAME : Mr Pryce
 ADDRESS : Preston Court Farm, Preston-on-Wye, Hereford.
FACILITIES
 TOILETS : WATER : x WASHING : SHOWERS:
 TENTS : x CARAVANS: CANOEING: x
 REMARKS : Simple farm site

NO. : 9
 LOCATION: Hereford GRID REF: SO 500420
 NAME : Hereford Racecourse Camp Site
 ADDRESS : Hereford Race Course, Roman Road, Hereford.
FACILITIES
 TOILETS : x WATER : x WASHING : x SHOWERS: x
 TENTS : x CARAVANS: x CANOEING:
 REMARKS : Formal camp site, some way from the river.

NO. : 10
 LOCATION: Hereford GRID REF: SO 514390
 NAME : Bartonsham dairies
 ADDRESS : Bartonsham Farm, Hereford.
FACILITIES
 TOILETS : WATER : x WASHING : SHOWERS:
 TENTS : x CARAVANS: CANOEING: x
 REMARKS : Simple farm site. Canoeists only.

NO. : 11
 LOCATION: Mordiford GRID REF: SO 567362
 NAME : Lucks All Camp Site
 ADDRESS : Mordiford, Hereford
FACILITIES
 TOILETS : x WATER : x WASHING : x SHOWERS: x
 TENTS : x CARAVANS: x CANOEING: x
 REMARKS : Formal camp site.

NO. : 12
 LOCATION: Mordiford GRID REF: SO 578367
 NAME : Mr and Mrs Watts
 ADDRESS : Hope Spring Farm, Mordiford.
FACILITIES
 TOILETS : x WATER : x WASHING : SHOWERS:
 TENTS : x CARAVANS: CANOEING:
 REMARKS : Back packers only

CAMPING FACILITIES CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 13
 LOCATION: Fownhope GRID REF: SO 597332
 NAME : Mrs Williams
 ADDRESS : Capler Farm, Fownhope, Hereford
FACILITIES
 TOILETS : x WATER : x WASHING : x SHOWERS:
 TENTS : x CARAVANS: x CANOEING:
 REMARKS :

NO. : 14
 LOCATION: Kings Caple GRID REF: SO 549294
 NAME : Mr H D Jenkins
 ADDRESS : Lower Ruxton Farm, Kings Caple, Hereford
FACILITIES
 TOILETS : WATER : x WASHING : SHOWERS:
 TENTS : x CARAVANS: CANOEING: x
 REMARKS : Simple farm site.

NO. : 15
 LOCATION: Hoarwithy GRID REF: SO 547292
 NAME : Mrs Roberts
 ADDRESS : Tressack Farm, Hoarwithy, Hereford.
FACILITIES
 TOILETS : x WATER : x WASHING : SHOWERS:
 TENTS : x CARAVANS: CANOEING: x
 REMARKS : Simple farm site

NO. : 16
 LOCATION: Ross on Wye GRID REF: SO 589249
 NAME : Mr and Mrs Brewer
 ADDRESS : Benhall Farm, Wilton, Ross on Wye.
FACILITIES
 TOILETS : WATER : x WASHING : SHOWERS:
 TENTS : x CARAVANS: CANOEING:
 REMARKS : Simple farm site.

NO. : 17
 LOCATION: Goodrich GRID REF: SO 574196
 NAME : Goodrich Castle Picnic Site
 ADDRESS : C/O Hereford and Worcester County Council
FACILITIES
 TOILETS : x WATER : x WASHING : x SHOWERS:
 TENTS : x CARAVANS: CANOEING:
 REMARKS : Backpackers and cyclists only. Booking essential.

NO. : 18
 LOCATION: Symonds Yat GRID REF: SO 556174
 NAME : Symonds Yat Caravan Park
 ADDRESS : Symonds Yat West, Hereford
FACILITIES
 TOILETS : x WATER : x WASHING : x SHOWERS: x
 TENTS : x CARAVANS: x CANOEING: x
 REMARKS : Formal camp site.

CAMPING FACILITIES CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 19
 LOCATION: Symonds Yat GRID REF: SO 561159
 NAME : Wydean Canoe Centre
 ADDRESS : Penny Royal Cottage, Symonds Yat East, Hereford.
FACILITIES
 TOILETS : x WATER : x WASHING : x SHOWERS: x
 TENTS : x CARAVANS: CANOEING: x
 REMARKS : Formal camp site. Canoe hire and activity centre.

NO. : 20
 LOCATION: Symonds Yat GRID REF: SO 549145
 NAME : The Biblins Camp Site
 ADDRESS : Forestry Commission, Crown Offices, Coleford, Glos.
FACILITIES
 TOILETS : x WATER : x WASHING : x SHOWERS:
 TENTS : x CARAVANS: CANOEING: x
 REMARKS : Organised youth groups only. Booking essential.

NO. : 21
 LOCATION: Christchurch GRID REF: SO 567128
 NAME : Christchurch Camp Site
 ADDRESS : Forestry Commission, Christchurch, Coleford, Glos.
FACILITIES
 TOILETS : x WATER : x WASHING : x SHOWERS: x
 TENTS : x CARAVANS: x CANOEING:
 REMARKS : Large site within Forest of Dean Forest Park.

NO. : 22
 LOCATION: Lydbrook GRID REF: SO 616168
 NAME : Mr and Mrs V R Knight
 ADDRESS : Hollymead House, Smithercross Farm, Ruardean, Glos.
FACILITIES
 TOILETS : WATER : x WASHING : SHOWERS:
 TENTS : x CARAVANS: x CANOEING:
 REMARKS : Simple site.

NO. : 23
 LOCATION: Monmouth GRID REF: SO 496106
 NAME : Glen Trothy Caravan and Camp site
 ADDRESS : Mitchel Troy, Monmouth.
FACILITIES
 TOILETS : x WATER : x WASHING : x SHOWERS: x
 TENTS : x CARAVANS: x CANOEING: x
 REMARKS : Formal site next to River Trothy.

NO. : 24
 LOCATION: Monmouth GRID REF: SO 504124
 NAME : Monnow Bridge Caravan and Camp Site
 ADDRESS : Drybridge Street, Monmouth, Gwent.
FACILITIES
 TOILETS : x WATER : x WASHING : x SHOWERS: x
 TENTS : x CARAVANS: x CANOEING:
 REMARKS : Formal site.

CAMPING FACILITIES CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 25
LOCATION: Llandogo GRID REF: SO 530043
NAME : Mr and Mrs Reynolds
ADDRESS : Elmsfield, Llandogo, Gwent.

FACILITIES

TOILETS : x WATER : x WASHING : SHOWERS:
TENTS : x CARAVANS: x CANOEING:
REMARKS :

NO. : 26
LOCATION: Brockweir GRID REF: SO 548006
NAME : Mrs M Cracknell
ADDRESS : Beeches Farm, Tiddenham Chase, Chepstow , Gwent.

FACILITIES

TOILETS : x WATER : x WASHING : x SHOWERS:
TENTS : x CARAVANS: CANOEING:
REMARKS :

NO. : 27
LOCATION: St Briavels GRID REF: SO 538035
NAME : Mrs J M Watts
ADDRESS : Oak Cottage, St Briavels, Glos.

FACILITIES

TOILETS : WATER : x WASHING : SHOWERS:
TENTS : x CARAVANS: CANOEING:
REMARKS :

NO. : 28
LOCATION: Chepstow GRID REF: SO 523955
NAME : Chepstow Racecourse Caravan Site
ADDRESS : St Arvans, Chepstow

FACILITIES

TOILETS : x WATER : x WASHING : x SHOWERS: x
TENTS : x CARAVANS: x CANOEING:
REMARKS : Formal site.

YOUTH HOSTELS IN THE WYE VALLEY

NO. : 1
NAME : Nant-Y-Dernol
GRID REF: SN 901755
ADDRESS : Tan-y-Alt, Llangurig,
Llanidloes, Powys
OPEN : Mar - Oct
REMARKS :

NO. : 2
NAME : Staunton on Wye
GRID REF: SO 365451
ADDRESS : Worlds End Lodge, Staunton on
Wye, Herefordshire
OPEN : All year
REMARKS : Privately run hostel

NO. : 3
NAME : Welsh Bicknor
GRID REF: SO 591177
ADDRESS : The Old Rectory, Welsh
Bicknor, Nr Ross.
OPEN : Mar - Oct
REMARKS : Adjacent to river. Own canoe access steps.

NO. : 4
NAME : Monmouth
GRID REF: SO 508130
ADDRESS : Priory Street School, Priory
Street, Monmouth.
OPEN : Mar - Oct
REMARKS :

NO. : 5
NAME : St Briavels
GRID REF: SO 558046
ADDRESS : St Briavels Castle, St
Briavels.
OPEN : All Year
REMARKS :

NO. : 6
NAME : Chepstow
GRID REF: ST 523934
ADDRESS : Mounon Road, Chepstow, Gwent.
OPEN : Mar - Oct
REMARKS :

*Archaeological and historical
remains close to the Wye*

ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL REMAINS CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 1
LOCATION : Llangurig
GRID REF : SN 893804
NAME : Aberbidno Bridge
DESCRIPTION: Post medieval bridge

STATUS :

NO. : 2
LOCATION : Llangurig
GRID REF : SN 910792
NAME : Ty'n y Maes Pond
DESCRIPTION: Circular feature. Probably pond site. Post medieval.

STATUS :

NO. : 3
LOCATION : Rhayader
GRID REF : SN 968677
NAME : Llansantffraed Church
DESCRIPTION: 1864 church

STATUS :

NO. : 4
LOCATION : Rhayader
GRID REF : SN 968680
NAME : Rhayader Castle
DESCRIPTION: Earthworks. Medieval castle.

STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 5
LOCATION : Rhayader
GRID REF : SN 968678
NAME : Tomen Llansantffraed Motte
DESCRIPTION: Partly damaged motte and mound earthworks.

STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 6
LOCATION : Newbridge
GRID REF : SO 011567
NAME : Brynwern Bridge
DESCRIPTION: Post medieval bridge.

STATUS :

NO. : 7
LOCATION : Builth Wells
GRID REF : SO 044510
NAME : Builth Wells Castle
DESCRIPTION: Medieval Castle

STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 8
LOCATION : Cilmerly
GRID REF : SO 006539
NAME : Pen Min Cae Fort
DESCRIPTION: Earthworks. Roman fort.

STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL REMAINS CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 9
 LOCATION : Boughrood
 GRID REF : SO 124399
 NAME : Llangoed Chapel
 DESCRIPTION: Site of chapel and burial ground.. No remains
 apparent.

STATUS :

NO. : 10
 LOCATION : Erwood
 GRID REF : SO 089437
 NAME : Erwood Bridge
 DESCRIPTION: Post medieval bridge

STATUS :

NO. : 11
 LOCATION : Llowes
 GRID REF : SO 191407
 NAME : Llowes Castle multiple site.
 DESCRIPTION: Multiple site comprising motte and baily.

STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 12
 LOCATION : Clyro
 GRID REF : SO 228434
 NAME : Clyro Fort
 DESCRIPTION: Roman Fort.

STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 13
 LOCATION : Llyswen
 GRID REF : SO 123396
 NAME : Maen Hir stone
 DESCRIPTION: Standing Stone

STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 14
 LOCATION : Glasbury
 GRID REF : SO 177390
 NAME : Glsbury Old Vicarage
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval stone built house.

STATUS :

NO. : 15
 LOCATION : Llyswen
 GRID REF : SO 137382
 NAME : Llyswen field system
 DESCRIPTION: Area of ridge and furrow forming part of open
 field system.

STATUS :

NO. : 16
 LOCATION : Llyswen
 GRID REF : SO 128383
 NAME : Boatside field
 DESCRIPTION: Series of field banks forming part of open
 field system.

STATUS :

ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL REMAINS CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 17
 LOCATION : Llyswen
 GRID REF : SO 140382
 NAME : Llyswen cropmarks
 DESCRIPTION: Series of straight and curvilinear crop marks running towards river. Undated.
 STATUS :

NO. : 18
 LOCATION : Hay
 GRID REF : SO 226422
 NAME : Hay Motte
 DESCRIPTION: Earthwork. Medieval motte.
 STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 19
 LOCATION : Hay
 GRID REF : SO 229423
 NAME : Hay Castle
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval castle buildings.
 STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 20
 LOCATION : Clifford
 GRID REF : SO 243456
 NAME : Clifford Castle
 DESCRIPTION: Remains and earthworks of 13thC castle.
 STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 21
 LOCATION : Clifford
 GRID REF : SO 283456
 NAME : Motte and Baily, Old Castleton, Clifford
 DESCRIPTION: Earthworks. Medieval castle.
 STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 22
 LOCATION : Whitney
 GRID REF : SO 260473
 NAME : Bridge foundations
 DESCRIPTION: 18th C? ruins of bridge foundations.
 STATUS :

NO. : 23
 LOCATION : Whitney
 GRID REF : SO 256476
 NAME : The Grove
 DESCRIPTION: 17th C house
 STATUS :

NO. : 24
 LOCATION : Bredwardine
 GRID REF : SO 335443
 NAME : Fish ponds, Bredwardine Castle.
 DESCRIPTION: Earthworks, Medieval fishponds.
 STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL REMAINS CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 25
 LOCATION : Bredwardine
 GRID REF : SO 335449
 NAME : Old Court Mound, Bredwardine.
 DESCRIPTION: Earthworks. Medieval fortified hill.

STATUS :

NO. : 26
 LOCATION : Bredwardine
 GRID REF : SO 335443
 NAME : Bredwardine Castle
 DESCRIPTION: Earthworks of medieval castle.

STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 27
 LOCATION : Preston on Wye
 GRID REF : SO 384425
 NAME : DMV, N of Preston Court
 DESCRIPTION: Earthworks of deserted medieval settlement.

STATUS :

NO. : 28
 LOCATION : Bridge Sollars
 GRID REF : SO 413425
 NAME : Metal bridge, Bridge Sollars
 DESCRIPTION: 19th C bridge

STATUS :

NO. : 29
 LOCATION : Byford
 GRID REF : SO 404438
 NAME : Offas Dyke (Part)
 DESCRIPTION: Earth works. Course of Offas Dyke.

STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 30
 LOCATION : Kenchester
 GRID REF : SO 436417
 NAME : New Weir Roman site
 DESCRIPTION: Buried remains of Roman buildings, including stone buttresses supporting river bank.

STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 31
 LOCATION : Madley
 GRID REF : SO 422407
 NAME : Fields Mill
 DESCRIPTION: Post medieval water mill

STATUS :

NO. : 32
 LOCATION : Breinton
 GRID REF : SO 473395
 NAME : Moated site, SW of church, Breinton
 DESCRIPTION: Buried remains and earthworks of medieval buildings.

STATUS :

ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL REMAINS CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 33
 LOCATION : Hereford
 GRID REF : SO 497393
 NAME : Broomy Hill Pumping Station
 DESCRIPTION: 19th C water pumping house. Engines preserved.
 STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 34
 LOCATION : Hereford
 GRID REF : SO 511397
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Site of quay at end of Quay Street. Coal wharves near Wye Bridge
 STATUS :

NO. : 35
 LOCATION : Hereford
 GRID REF : SO 508396
 NAME : Wye Bridge, Hereford
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval stone bridge across the River Wye.
 STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 36
 LOCATION : Hereford
 GRID REF : SO 512396
 NAME : Hereford Castle
 DESCRIPTION: Site of Saxon/Medieval Castle. Earthworks.
 STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 37
 LOCATION : Lower Bullingham, Hereford
 GRID REF : SO 521381
 NAME : Lower Bullingham deserted medieval settlement.
 DESCRIPTION: House platforms and croft boundaries in pasture. Indicate site of medieval settlement.
 STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 38
 LOCATION : Dinedor, Hereford
 GRID REF : SO 535383
 NAME : Rotherwas House
 DESCRIPTION: Site and remains of medieval manor house
 STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 39
 LOCATION : Even Pitts
 GRID REF : SO 569367
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Remains of Wharf walls and a cottage known as The Warehouse
 STATUS :

NO. : 40
 LOCATION : Fownhope
 GRID REF : SO 575342
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: A few stones remains of a wharf close to the ferry crossing
 STATUS :

ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL REMAINS CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 41
 LOCATION : Brockhampton
 GRID REF : SO 591295
 NAME : Fawley Chapel
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval church

STATUS :

NO. : 42
 LOCATION : Hole in the Wall
 GRID REF : SO 610286
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: A few buildings formerly used as warehouses

STATUS :

NO. : 43
 LOCATION : Ross
 GRID REF : SO 589239
 NAME : Cropmark, enclosure.
 DESCRIPTION: Undated cropmark

STATUS :

NO. : 44
 LOCATION : Ross
 GRID REF : SO 590242
 NAME : Wilton Bridge
 DESCRIPTION: 16th C stone bridge across the River Wye.

STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 45
 LOCATION : Ross
 GRID REF : SO 598242
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Site of wharves by Hope and Anchor public house

STATUS :

NO. : 46
 LOCATION : Ross
 GRID REF : SO 589242
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Several cottages on right bank of river close to Wilton Bridge. Formerly warehouses.

STATUS :

NO. : 47
 LOCATION : Wilton
 GRID REF : SO 589242
 NAME : Way side cross
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval wayside cross

STATUS :

NO. : 48
 LOCATION : Goodrich
 GRID REF : SO 577199
 NAME : Goodrich Castle
 DESCRIPTION: 12thC Castle remains

STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL REMAINS CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 49
 LOCATION : Goodrich
 GRID REF : SO 579194
 NAME : Flanesford Priory
 DESCRIPTION: 14th C monastery buildings. Current use residential
 STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 50
 LOCATION : Goodrich. Old Forge nr Garren Brook
 GRID REF : SO 558184
 NAME : New Mill, Garren Brook, Goodrich
 DESCRIPTION: County list as 18thC mill. Other sources suggest barge warehouse. Remnants of a wharf.
 STATUS :

NO. : 51
 LOCATION : Goodrich
 GRID REF : SO 567182
 NAME : Huntsham Bridge
 DESCRIPTION: 19thC bridge over River Wye
 STATUS :

NO. : 52
 LOCATION : Goodrich
 GRID REF : SO 564176
 NAME : Huntsham Roman Villa
 DESCRIPTION: Buried remains of Roman villa.
 STATUS :

NO. : 53
 LOCATION : Goodrich
 GRID REF : SO 592177
 NAME : Rectangular enclosure
 DESCRIPTION: Cropmark
 STATUS :

NO. : 54
 LOCATION : Goodrich
 GRID REF : SO 581192
 NAME : Kerne Bridge
 DESCRIPTION: 16th C stone bridge across River Wye
 STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 55
 LOCATION : Wilton
 GRID REF : SO 590243
 NAME : Wilton Castle
 DESCRIPTION: Earthworks and ruins of medieval castle.
 STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 56
 LOCATION : Whitchurch
 GRID REF : SO 548152
 NAME : Merlins Cave
 DESCRIPTION: Cave containing palaeolithic, Neolithic and Bronze Age remains.
 STATUS :

ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL REMAINS CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 57
 LOCATION : Whitchurch
 GRID REF : SO 557154
 NAME : The Queens Stone
 DESCRIPTION: Prehistoric standing stone.

STATUS :

NO. : 58
 LOCATION : Whitchurch
 GRID REF : SO 557154
 NAME : Merlins Cave
 DESCRIPTION: Caves containing palaeolithic and roman remains.

STATUS :

NO. : 59
 LOCATION : Whitchurch
 GRID REF : SO 556175
 NAME : Churchyard cross, Whitchurch
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval cross

STATUS :

NO. : 60
 LOCATION : Symonds Yat
 GRID REF : SO 559156
 NAME : New Weir Iron Works
 DESCRIPTION: Ruins of 17th C forge and iron works.

STATUS :

NO. : 61
 LOCATION : Welsh Bicknor
 GRID REF : SO 592177
 NAME : St Margarets Church
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval church

STATUS :

NO. : 62
 LOCATION : Various
 GRID REF : Various
 NAME : Offa's Dyke
 DESCRIPTION: Several sections of Offas Dyke

STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 63
 LOCATION : Bigsweir
 GRID REF : SO 538045
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Roman pavement

STATUS :

NO. : 64
 LOCATION : Tintern
 GRID REF : SO 532006
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Tintern quarries

STATUS :

ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL REMAINS CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 65
 LOCATION : Brockweir
 GRID REF : SO 539011
 NAME : Brockweir Quay
 DESCRIPTION: Remains of riverside quay

STATUS :

NO. : 66
 LOCATION : Brockweir
 GRID REF : SO 538011
 NAME : Brockweir Bridge
 DESCRIPTION: Bridge over the River Wye

STATUS :

NO. : 67
 LOCATION : Tintern
 GRID REF : SO 536003
 NAME : Tintern railway tunnel
 DESCRIPTION: Disused railway tunnel

STATUS :

NO. : 68
 LOCATION : Tintern
 GRID REF : SO 536004
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Site of old railway bridge

STATUS :

NO. : 69
 LOCATION : Tintern
 GRID REF : SO 537000
 NAME : Wye Valley Railway
 DESCRIPTION: Site of disused railway

STATUS :

NO. : 70
 LOCATION : Tintern Parva
 GRID REF : SO 530003
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Tramway over river

STATUS :

NO. : 71
 LOCATION : Redbrook
 GRID REF : SO 537097
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Remains of riverside wharf

STATUS :

NO. : 72
 LOCATION : Redbrook
 GRID REF : SO 536098
 NAME : Redbrook Bridge
 DESCRIPTION: Disused iron railway bridge over river.

STATUS :

ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL REMAINS CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 73
 LOCATION : Bigsweir
 GRID REF : SO 538051
 NAME : Bigsweir Bridge
 DESCRIPTION: Road bridge over river

STATUS :

NO. : 74
 LOCATION : Bigsweir
 GRID REF : SO 540051
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Toll house

STATUS :

NO. : 75
 LOCATION : Symonds Yat
 GRID REF : SO 564157
 NAME : Symonds Yat Camp
 DESCRIPTION: Site of pre historic settlement

STATUS :

NO. : 76
 LOCATION : Lydbrook
 GRID REF : SO 587176
 NAME : Lydbrook Cable Works
 DESCRIPTION:

STATUS :

NO. : 77
 LOCATION : Symond Yat
 GRID REF : SO 563161
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Lime kiln

STATUS :

NO. : 78
 LOCATION : Welsh Bicknor
 GRID REF : SO 587178
 NAME : Stowfield Viaduct
 DESCRIPTION: Disused railway bridge over river. Now
 footbridge.

STATUS :

NO. : 79
 LOCATION : Lydbrook
 GRID REF : SO 590175
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Railway junction

STATUS :

NO. : 80
 LOCATION : English Bicknor
 GRID REF : SO 580165
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Disused railway line running alongside river.

STATUS :

ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL REMAINS CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 81
 LOCATION : Symonds Yat
 GRID REF : SO 563159
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Disused railway tunnel

STATUS :

NO. : 82
 LOCATION : Welsh Bicknor
 GRID REF : SO 593176
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Site of ferry

STATUS :

NO. : 83
 LOCATION : Welsh Bicknor
 GRID REF : SO 591176
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Ship Building shipways

STATUS :

NO. : 84
 LOCATION : Lydbrook
 GRID REF : SO 599169
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Site of ferry

STATUS :

NO. : 85
 LOCATION : Symonds Yat
 GRID REF : SO 564161
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Old quarry

STATUS :

NO. : 86
 LOCATION : Tutshill
 GRID REF : ST 531946
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Oudoceus stone

STATUS :

NO. : 87
 LOCATION : Tutshill
 GRID REF : ST 532946
 NAME : Remains of St Davids Chapel
 DESCRIPTION:

STATUS :

NO. : 88
 LOCATION : Chepstow
 GRID REF : ST 531947
 NAME : Striul Bridge
 DESCRIPTION: Site of Roman Bridge across river

STATUS :

ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL REMAINS CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 89
 LOCATION : Chepstow
 GRID REF : ST 538933
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Site of bridge. Tallards marsh.

STATUS :

NO. : 90
 LOCATION : Tutshill
 GRID REF : ST 533943
 NAME : Elmvale brickyard
 DESCRIPTION:

STATUS :

NO. : 91
 LOCATION : Chepstow
 GRID REF : ST 536944
 NAME : Chepstow Bridge
 DESCRIPTION: Road bridge over river

STATUS :

NO. : 92
 LOCATION : Chepstow
 GRID REF : ST 539941
 NAME : Chepstow railway bridge
 DESCRIPTION:

STATUS :

NO. : 93
 LOCATION : Lancaut
 GRID REF : ST 541967
 NAME : Promontory earthwork."Spital Meend" placename
 DESCRIPTION:

STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 94
 LOCATION : Lancaut
 GRID REF : ST 536965
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Deserted medieval village with church and cross

STATUS : Scheduled Ancient Monument

NO. : 95
 LOCATION : Nr Lancaut
 GRID REF : ST 546972
 NAME : Ban-Y-Gor Well
 DESCRIPTION:

STATUS :

NO. : 96
 LOCATION : Lydbrook
 GRID REF : SO 602169
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Remains of wharf and row of dock cottages on Quay Row.

STATUS :

ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL REMAINS CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 97
 LOCATION : Nr Monmouth
 GRID REF : SO 534154
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Earth work (Undated)

STATUS :

NO. : 98
 LOCATION : Monmouth
 GRID REF : SO 536152
 NAME : Little Hadnock roman villa
 DESCRIPTION: Roman Villa

STATUS : SAM

NO. : 99
 LOCATION : Monmouth
 GRID REF : SO 5194
 NAME : St Peters Churh
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval riverside church

STATUS : LB

NO. : 100
 LOCATION : Monmouth
 GRID REF : SO 511128
 NAME : Wye Bridge
 DESCRIPTION: Post medieval stone bridge

STATUS : SAM

NO. : 101
 LOCATION : Monmouth
 GRID REF : SO 513121
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Disused railway bridge over river

STATUS :

NO. : 102
 LOCATION : Monmouth
 GRID REF : SO 513120
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Disused railway viaduct over river

STATUS :

NO. : 103
 LOCATION : Redbrook
 GRID REF : SO 536103
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Post medieval incline overbridge

STATUS : SAM

NO. : 104
 LOCATION : Redbrook
 GRID REF : SO 534101
 NAME : St Denis' Chapel
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval ecclesiastical building

STATUS :

ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL REMAINS CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 105
 LOCATION : Redbrook
 GRID REF : SO 536098
 NAME : Redbrook viaduct
 DESCRIPTION: Disused railway viaduct

STATUS :

NO. : 106
 LOCATION : Whitebrook
 GRID REF : SO 543063
 NAME : New Weir
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval weir

STATUS :

NO. : 107
 LOCATION : Bigsweir
 GRID REF : SO 537045
 NAME : Bigs Weir
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval weir

STATUS :

NO. : 108
 LOCATION : Llandogo
 GRID REF : SO 531030
 NAME : Coed Ithel weir
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval weir

STATUS :

NO. : 109
 LOCATION : Llandogo
 GRID REF : SO 523026
 NAME : Coed Ithol furnace
 DESCRIPTION: Post medieval furnace

STATUS : SAM

NO. : 110
 LOCATION : Llandogo
 GRID REF : SO 529023
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Furnace/modern

STATUS :

NO. : 111
 LOCATION : Brockweir
 GRID REF : SO 539011
 NAME : Break weir
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval weir

STATUS :

NO. : 112
 LOCATION : Tintern
 GRID REF : SO 539008
 NAME : Tintern ford
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval ford

STATUS :

ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL REMAINS CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 113
 LOCATION : Tintern
 GRID REF : SO 535004
 NAME : Lyn Weir
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval weir

STATUS :

NO. : 114
 LOCATION : Tintern
 GRID REF : SO 531007
 NAME : St Michaels church
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval ecclesiastical building

STATUS :

NO. : 115
 LOCATION : Tintern
 GRID REF : SO 529003
 NAME : Ash Weir
 DESCRIPTION: Medeival weir

STATUS :

NO. : 116
 LOCATION : Tintern
 GRID REF : SO 530003
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Railway viaduct

STATUS :

NO. : 117
 LOCATION : Tintern
 GRID REF : SO 538002
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval ferry

STATUS :

NO. : 118
 LOCATION : Tintern
 GRID REF : SO 533000
 NAME : Tintern Abbey
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval ecclesiastical building

STATUS : SAM

NO. : 119
 LOCATION : Nr Tintern
 GRID REF : ST 538996
 NAME : Plum Weir
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval weir

STATUS :

NO. : 120
 LOCATION : Nr Tintern
 GRID REF : ST 536985
 NAME : Stowe weir
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval weir

STATUS :

ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL REMAINS CLOSE TO THE WYE

NO. : 121
 LOCATION : Nr Tintern
 GRID REF : ST 535985
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval piscatory building

STATUS :

NO. : 122
 LOCATION : Nr Tintern
 GRID REF : ST 539979
 NAME : Wall Weir
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval weir

STATUS :

NO. : 123
 LOCATION : Nr Tidenham
 GRID REF : ST 545972
 NAME : Half Weir
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval weir

STATUS :

NO. : 124
 LOCATION : Nr Tidenham
 GRID REF : ST 542971
 NAME : Hook Weir
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval Weir

STATUS :

NO. : 125
 LOCATION : Chepstow
 GRID REF : ST 527960
 NAME : Walters Weir
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval weir

STATUS :

NO. : 126
 LOCATION : Chepstow
 GRID REF : ST 588956
 NAME : Chit Weir
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval weir

STATUS :

NO. : 127
 LOCATION : Chepstow
 GRID REF : ST 531948
 NAME : Striguil Bridge
 DESCRIPTION: Remains of medieval bridge

STATUS :

NO. : 128
 LOCATION : Chepstow
 GRID REF : ST 539935
 NAME :
 DESCRIPTION: Medieval bridge remains

STATUS :

SITES OF HISTORICAL FORDS ON THE WYE

NO. : 1
NAME/LOCATION: Clifford
GRID REF : SO 243457
INFO SOURCES : A
REMARKS :

NO. : 30
NAME/LOCATION: Cablava
GRID REF : SO 245472
INFO SOURCES : H
REMARKS : Also site of ferry.

NO. : 2
NAME/LOCATION: Rhydspence
GRID REF : SO 244451
INFO SOURCES : A
REMARKS :

NO. : 3
NAME/LOCATION: Whitney Bridge/Cowpond Pool
GRID REF : SO 261474
INFO SOURCES : A H
REMARKS : Exact position not clear

NO. : 4
NAME/LOCATION: Clock Mills
GRID REF : SO 291456
INFO SOURCES : A I
REMARKS : Plus ferry

NO. : 5
NAME/LOCATION: Turners Boat
GRID REF : SO 311459
INFO SOURCES : A
REMARKS :

NO. : 6
NAME/LOCATION: Bredwardine
GRID REF : SO 336446
INFO SOURCES : A
REMARKS :

NO. : 7
NAME/LOCATION: Monnington
GRID REF : SO 376432
INFO SOURCES : A
REMARKS : Position unclear

NO. : 8
NAME/LOCATION: Byford
GRID REF : SO 400424
INFO SOURCES : A H I
REMARKS : Site of ford still visible. Used as canoe launch.

NO. : 9
NAME/LOCATION: Bridge Sollars
GRID REF : SO 412425
INFO SOURCES : A
REMARKS : Also site of ferry.

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SITES OF HISTORICAL FORDS ON THE WYE

NO. : 10
 NAME/LOCATION: Rowlands Ford
 GRID REF : SO 417407
 INFO SOURCES : A
 REMARKS : Position unclear

NO. : 11
 NAME/LOCATION: Sugwas
 GRID REF : SO 450402
 INFO SOURCES : A
 REMARKS : Also site of ferry.

NO. : 12
 NAME/LOCATION: Eaton Camp
 GRID REF : SO 452397
 INFO SOURCES : A
 REMARKS : Position unclear

NO. : 13
 NAME/LOCATION: Lower Breinton
 GRID REF : SO 472395
 INFO SOURCES : A H
 REMARKS :

NO. : 14
 NAME/LOCATION: Hereford
 GRID REF : SO 509396
 INFO SOURCES : A G
 REMARKS :

NO. : 26
 NAME/LOCATION: Sink Ford
 GRID REF : SO 547376
 INFO SOURCES : D
 REMARKS : Location not certain

NO. : 15
 NAME/LOCATION: James Ford, Holme Lacy
 GRID REF : SO 557363
 INFO SOURCES : A D F
 REMARKS :

NO. : 16
 NAME/LOCATION: Mill Farm, Fownhope
 GRID REF : SO 573348
 INFO SOURCES : A H
 REMARKS :

NO. : 17
 NAME/LOCATION: Hoarwithy
 GRID REF : SO 549295
 INFO SOURCES : A B F G H
 REMARKS : Later replaced by toll bridge

NO. : 18
 NAME/LOCATION: Red Rail ford
 GRID REF : SO 548283
 INFO SOURCES : A F G H
 REMARKS :

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SITES OF HISTORICAL FORDS ON THE WYE

NO. : 32
 NAME/LOCATION: Ballingham
 GRID REF : SO 571307
 INFO SOURCES : H
 REMARKS : Also site of ferry.

NO. : 24
 NAME/LOCATION: Strangford
 GRID REF : SO 578286
 INFO SOURCES : C F
 REMARKS :

NO. : 27
 NAME/LOCATION: Much Fawley
 GRID REF : SO 591295
 INFO SOURCES : F
 REMARKS : Location not certain

NO. : 19
 NAME/LOCATION: Foy
 GRID REF : SO 604284
 INFO SOURCES : A D H
 REMARKS :

NO. : 20
 NAME/LOCATION: Wilton
 GRID REF : SO 591242
 INFO SOURCES : A
 REMARKS :

NO. : 21
 NAME/LOCATION: Ross
 GRID REF : SO 589241
 INFO SOURCES : A G
 REMARKS :

NO. : 25
 NAME/LOCATION: Hom ford
 GRID REF : SO 574226
 INFO SOURCES : C
 REMARKS : Location not certain

NO. : 22
 NAME/LOCATION: Kerne
 GRID REF : SO 580192
 INFO SOURCES : A G
 REMARKS : Replaced by bridge

NO. : 23
 NAME/LOCATION: Lydbrook
 GRID REF : Not known
 INFO SOURCES : A G
 REMARKS :

NO. : 28
 NAME/LOCATION: Lydbrook
 GRID REF : SO 596170
 INFO SOURCES : G
 REMARKS : Location not certain

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SITES OF HISTORICAL FORDS ON THE WYE

NO. : 34
NAME/LOCATION: Huntsham (Nr)
GRID REF : SO 568172
INFO SOURCES : H
REMARKS :

NO. : 29
NAME/LOCATION: Symonds Yat
GRID REF : SO 558153
INFO SOURCES : G I
REMARKS : Location uncertain

NO. : 31
NAME/LOCATION: Ox ford
GRID REF : SO 563355
INFO SOURCES : H
REMARKS :

SITES OF HISTORICAL FERRIES ON THE WYE

NO. : 1
NAME/LOCATION: Moccas
GRID REF : SO 364333
REMARKS :

NO. : 2
NAME/LOCATION: New Weir, Kenchester
GRID REF : SO 433418
REMARKS : Exact postion unclear.

NO. : 3
NAME/LOCATION: Hereford (Hunderton)
GRID REF : SO 498392
REMARKS :

NO. : 4
NAME/LOCATION: Hereford
GRID REF : SO 512394
REMARKS :

NO. : 5
NAME/LOCATION: Hereford (Bartonsham)
GRID REF : SO 513394
REMARKS :

NO. : 6
NAME/LOCATION: Bullingham
GRID REF : SO 521392
REMARKS :

NO. : 7
NAME/LOCATION: Stanks Ferry (Carrots Inn)
GRID REF : SO 550381
REMARKS :

NO. : 8
NAME/LOCATION: Holme Ferry
GRID REF : SO 567365
REMARKS :

NO. : 9
NAME/LOCATION: Shipholme/Shipley Ferry
GRID REF : SO 567362
REMARKS :

NO. : 10
NAME/LOCATION: Fownhope
GRID REF : SO 574342
REMARKS :

NO. : 11
NAME/LOCATION: Mancells Ferry
GRID REF : SO 576326
REMARKS :

NO. : 12
NAME/LOCATION: Ballingham or Cary Boat
GRID REF : SO 571307
REMARKS :

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SITES OF HISTORICAL FERRIES ON THE WYE

NO. : 13
 NAME/LOCATION: Hoarwithy
 GRID REF : SO 548295
 REMARKS : Later replaced by bridge

NO. : 14
 NAME/LOCATION: Sellack
 GRID REF : SO 565280
 REMARKS : Also site of ford

NO. : 15
 NAME/LOCATION: Foy
 GRID REF : SO 610287
 REMARKS : Exact position unclear

NO. : 16
 NAME/LOCATION: Glewstone
 GRID REF : SO 566221
 REMARKS :

NO. : 17
 NAME/LOCATION: Goodrich
 GRID REF : SO 575202
 REMARKS :

NO. : 19
 NAME/LOCATION: Lydbrook
 GRID REF : SO 602170
 REMARKS :

NO. : 20
 NAME/LOCATION: Huntsham
 GRID REF : SO 568182
 REMARKS : Later replaced by bridge

NO. : 21
 NAME/LOCATION: Whitchurch
 GRID REF : SO 556164
 REMARKS :

NO. : 22
 NAME/LOCATION: Lechmere Ley (nr Holme Lacy)
 GRID REF : SO 564353
 REMARKS :

NO. : 23
 NAME/LOCATION: Poulstone (nr Sellack)
 GRID REF : SO 574282
 REMARKS : Exact position unclear

NO. : 24
 NAME/LOCATION: Foy
 GRID REF : SO 600283
 REMARKS : Exact position unclear

NO. : 25
 NAME/LOCATION: Pilstone Ferry
 GRID REF : SO 542059
 REMARKS : Exact position unclear

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SITES OF HISTORICAL FERRIES ON THE WYE

NO. : 26
 NAME/LOCATION: Not known
 GRID REF : SO 567358
 REMARKS : Exact position unclear

NO. : 27
 NAME/LOCATION: Home
 GRID REF : SO 566357
 REMARKS : Exact position unclear

NO. : 28
 NAME/LOCATION: Capler
 GRID REF : SO 582326
 REMARKS : Exact position unclear

NO. : 29
 NAME/LOCATION: Ballingham
 GRID REF : SO 565328
 REMARKS :

NO. : 30
 NAME/LOCATION: English Bicknor
 GRID REF : SO 586177
 REMARKS : Exact position unclear

NO. : 31
 NAME/LOCATION: Hadnock
 GRID REF : SO 523137
 REMARKS :

NO. : 32
 NAME/LOCATION: Redbrook
 GRID REF : SO 534103
 REMARKS : Exact position unclear

NO. : 33
 NAME/LOCATION: Byford
 GRID REF : SO 398426
 REMARKS :

NO. : 34
 NAME/LOCATION: Sugwas
 GRID REF : SO 450402
 REMARKS :

NO. : 35
 NAME/LOCATION: Bycross
 GRID REF : SO 374425
 REMARKS :

NO. : 36
 NAME/LOCATION: Bridge Sollars
 GRID REF : SO 412425
 REMARKS : Later replaced by bridge

NO. : 37
 NAME/LOCATION: Brobury
 GRID REF : SO 351444
 REMARKS :

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SITES OF HISTORICAL FERRIES ON THE WYE

NO. : 38
NAME/LOCATION: Turners Boat
GRID REF : SO 311459
REMARKS :

NO. : 39
NAME/LOCATION: Clockmill Ferry
GRID REF : SO 291456
REMARKS :

NO. : 40
NAME/LOCATION: Shipley Ferry
GRID REF : SO 563355
REMARKS :

NO. : 41
NAME/LOCATION: Welsh Bicknor
GRID REF : SO 592176
REMARKS :

SITES OF HISTORICAL WHARVES ON THE WYE

NO. : 1
NAME/LOCATION: Byford
GRID REF : SO 401424
REMARKS :

NO. : 2
NAME/LOCATION: Bridge Sollars
GRID REF : SO 412425
REMARKS :

NO. : 3
NAME/LOCATION: New Weir, Kenchester
GRID REF : SO 433414
REMARKS :

NO. : 4
NAME/LOCATION: Hereford
GRID REF : Various
REMARKS :

NO. : 5
NAME/LOCATION: Eign
GRID REF : SO 521392
REMARKS :

NO. : 6
NAME/LOCATION: Mordiford
GRID REF : Not Known
REMARKS :

NO. : 7
NAME/LOCATION: Dinedor
GRID REF : SO 546368
REMARKS : Exact position unclear

NO. : 8
NAME/LOCATION: Holme Lacy
GRID REF : SO 568365
REMARKS :

NO. : 9
NAME/LOCATION: Fownhope, Locking Stocks
GRID REF : SO 575342
REMARKS :

NO. : 10
NAME/LOCATION: Cary Mills
GRID REF : Not Known
REMARKS :

NO. : 11
NAME/LOCATION: Red Rail
GRID REF : SO 548283
REMARKS :

NO. : 12
NAME/LOCATION: Much Fawley
GRID REF : SO 591295
REMARKS :

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SITES OF HISTORICAL WHARVES ON THE WYE

NO. : 13
 NAME/LOCATION: How Caple
 GRID REF : SO 608302
 REMARKS : Exact position unclear

NO. : 14
 NAME/LOCATION: Ross
 GRID REF : Not Known
 REMARKS :

NO. : 15
 NAME/LOCATION: Lydbrook
 GRID REF : SO 601177
 REMARKS :

NO. : 16
 NAME/LOCATION: English Bicknor
 GRID REF : SO 586177
 REMARKS : Exact position unclear

NO. : 17
 NAME/LOCATION: Whitchurch, Old Forge
 GRID REF : SO 560184
 REMARKS : Remains still standing.

NO. : 18
 NAME/LOCATION: Symonds Yat
 GRID REF : SO 558154
 REMARKS : Exact position unclear

NO. : 19
 NAME/LOCATION: Monmouth
 GRID REF : SO 514132
 REMARKS :

NO. : 20
 NAME/LOCATION: Redbrook
 GRID REF : Not Known
 REMARKS :

NO. : 21
 NAME/LOCATION: Whitebrook, Tump Farm
 GRID REF : SO 538067
 REMARKS :

NO. : 22
 NAME/LOCATION: Riding Stream Wharf
 GRID REF : SO 525037
 REMARKS :

NO. : 23
 NAME/LOCATION: Llandogo
 GRID REF : SO 526038
 REMARKS :

NO. : 24
 NAME/LOCATION: Llandogo
 GRID REF : Not known
 REMARKS :

SITES OF HISTORICAL WHARVES ON THE WYE

NO. : 25
 NAME/LOCATION: St Briavels
 GRID REF : SO 531040
 REMARKS : Exact position unclear

NO. : 26
 NAME/LOCATION: Brockweir Quay
 GRID REF : SO 539012
 REMARKS : Remains still standing. Recently restored.

NO. : 27
 NAME/LOCATION: Tintern, Friars Wharf
 GRID REF : SO 531007
 REMARKS :

NO. : 28
 NAME/LOCATION: Tintern Quay
 GRID REF : SO 531002
 REMARKS :

NO. : 29
 NAME/LOCATION: Abbey Slipway
 GRID REF : SO 532002
 REMARKS : Remains still standing. Slipway has been filled in.

NO. : 30
 NAME/LOCATION: Chepstow
 GRID REF : Various
 REMARKS :

Miscellaneous

LAND BORDERING THE RIVER OWNED OR LEASED BY PUBLIC BODIES

NO. : 1
LOCATION: Llangurig
GRID REF: SN 850800
OWNER : Forestry Commission

LAND USE: Timber Production
REMARKS : Large area of woodland close to and adjacent to
right bank of river.

NO. : 2
LOCATION: Llanyrthwl
GRID REF: SN 977640
OWNER : Llanyrthwl Community Council

LAND USE: None
REMARKS : Very small area of rough land next to bridge.
Downstream, right bank.

NO. : 3
LOCATION: Pont Aber-Bidno
GRID REF: SN 893803
OWNER : Powys County Council

LAND USE: Highway Verge
REMARKS : Very small strip of land next to road.

NO. : 4
LOCATION: Rhayader
GRID REF: SN 968684
OWNER : Radnorshire District Council (Part owner, part
leased from private owner)
LAND USE: Public park and camp site.
REMARKS : Land is held in a mix of ownership and leasehold.

NO. : 5
LOCATION: Rhayader
GRID REF: SN 970677
OWNER : Radnorshire District Council

LAND USE: Rugby field and football ground
REMARKS : Part of site is leased to rugby club.

NO. : 6
LOCATION: Rhayader
GRID REF: SN 973676
OWNER : Rhayader Town Council

LAND USE: Riverside walk
REMARKS : Narrow strip of land next to river on left bank
next to rugby ground. Riverside walk with picnic
tables.

LAND BORDERING THE RIVER OWNED OR LEASED BY PUBLIC BODIES

NO. : 7
LOCATION: Rhayader
GRID REF: SN 968685
OWNER : Rhayader Town Council

LAND USE: Rough track
REMARKS : Rough track to river from main road. Common land.
Old ford or drovers track.

NO. : 8
LOCATION: Rhayader, The Groe
GRID REF: SN 968677
OWNER : Rhayader Town Council

LAND USE: Public open space
REMARKS : Small area of formal public park next to river
below bridge.

NO. : 9
LOCATION: Builth Wells Groe Park
GRID REF: SO 040512
OWNER : Brecknock Borough Council

LAND USE: Public park
REMARKS :

NO. : 10
LOCATION: Erwood
GRID REF: SO 089439
OWNER : Powys County Council

LAND USE: Picnic Site and car park.
REMARKS : Former railway station land. Footpath to river.

NO. : 11
LOCATION: Glasbury
GRID REF: SO 172392
OWNER : Powys County Council

LAND USE: Agricultural holding
REMARKS : Hamilton smallholding estate.

NO. : 12
LOCATION: Glasbury Bont
GRID REF: SO 179391
OWNER : Radnorshire District Council (Leased from
Maesyllwch Estate)
LAND USE: Grazing and public open space.
REMARKS : Well used canoe launching site. Registered common
land.

LAND BORDERING THE RIVER OWNED OR LEASED BY PUBLIC BODIES

NO. : 13
LOCATION: Glasbury Bont
GRID REF: SO 180395
OWNER : Radnor District Council (Leased from Maesyllwch Estate)
LAND USE: Grazing and public open space.
REMARKS : Registered common land.

NO. : 14
LOCATION: Hay
GRID REF: SO 228426
OWNER : Hay Town Council
LAND USE: Footpath and public open space.
REMARKS : Long strip of land fronting the river, either side of bridge on right bank. Includes riverside walk, canoe launch, informal car park and picnic site.

NO. : 15
LOCATION: Canon Bridge
GRID REF: SO 435415
OWNER : Hereford and Worcester County Council
LAND USE: Agricultural estate
REMARKS : Approximately 2.5 km of river frontage.

NO. : 16
LOCATION: Kenchester
GRID REF: SO 435419
OWNER : National Trust
LAND USE: Historic gardens
REMARKS :

NO. : 17
LOCATION: Breinton
GRID REF: SO 472395
OWNER : National Trust
LAND USE: Historic church and land
REMARKS :

NO. : 18
LOCATION: Hereford, Bishops Meadow
GRID REF: SO 591395
OWNER : Hereford City Council
LAND USE: Public open space
REMARKS : Large area of land used as recreation ground and informal public open space.

LAND BORDERING THE RIVER OWNED OR LEASED BY PUBLIC BODIES

NO. : 19
LOCATION: Hereford, Castle Green.
GRID REF: SO 513396
OWNER : Hereford City Council

LAND USE: Public open space
REMARKS : Site of previous castle. Ancient monument.

NO. : 20
LOCATION: Hereford
GRID REF: SO 503393
OWNER : Hereford City Council

LAND USE: Footpath and cycleway.
REMARKS : Riverside footpath. Cyclway on route of disused railway crosses the river via old bridge.

NO. : 21
LOCATION: Hereford, Broomy Hill
GRID REF: SO 500394
OWNER : Hereford City Council

LAND USE: Public open space and playing field.
REMARKS :

NO. : 22
LOCATION: Hereford. Lower Bullingham
GRID REF: SO 520383
OWNER : Hereford City Council

LAND USE: Informal public open space
REMARKS : Registered common land

NO. : 23
LOCATION: Hereford
GRID REF: SO 523385
OWNER : Hereford and Worcester County Council

LAND USE: Pumping station
REMARKS : Very little land fronting the river

NO. : 24
LOCATION: Holme Lacy
GRID REF: SO 563353
OWNER : Hereford and Worcester County Council

LAND USE: Agriculture
REMARKS :

LAND BORDERING THE RIVER OWNED OR LEASED BY PUBLIC BODIES

NO. : 25
LOCATION: Holme Lacy
GRID REF: SO 553359
OWNER : Hereford and Worcester County Council

LAND USE: Agriculture. Woodland along river bank
REMARKS : Grounds of Herefordshire College of Agriculture.

NO. : 26
LOCATION: Ballingham Island
GRID REF: SO 555303
OWNER : Hentland and Ballingham Parish Council

LAND USE: None
REMARKS : Registered common land.

NO. : 27
LOCATION: Backney
GRID REF: SO 583272
OWNER : Hereford and Worcester County Council

LAND USE: Restored waste land fill site.
REMARKS : Former railway cutting and embankment. Outline plans for development as picnic site and possible canoe launch. Adjacent S.9 common land.

NO. : 28
LOCATION: Ross
GRID REF: Various
OWNER : South Herefordshire District Council

LAND USE: Public open space
REMARKS : Several large areas of riverside land in Ross and Wilton.

NO. : 29
LOCATION: Wilton Common
GRID REF: SO 582236
OWNER : South Herefordshire District Council

LAND USE: Grazing
REMARKS : Common land

NO. : 30
LOCATION: Kerne Bridge
GRID REF: SO 582188
OWNER : Hereford and Worcester County Council

LAND USE: Picnic site and canoe launch
REMARKS :

LAND BORDERING THE RIVER OWNED OR LEASED BY PUBLIC BODIES

NO. : 31
LOCATION: Lower Lydbrook
GRID REF: SO 596170
OWNER : Lydbrook Parish Council

LAND USE: Picnic Site and canoe launch
REMARKS :

NO. : 32
LOCATION: Welsh Bicknor
GRID REF: SO 587177
OWNER : Gloucestershire County Council

LAND USE: Footbridge
REMARKS : Land and footbridge at Stowfield viaduct.

NO. : 33
LOCATION: Symonds Yat area.
GRID REF:
OWNER : Forestry Commission

LAND USE: Timber production, conservation and recreation.
REMARKS : Several large areas of land comprising part of the Royal Forest of Dean.

NO. : 34
LOCATION: Monmouth
GRID REF: SO 509123
OWNER : Monmouth Borough Council

LAND USE: Allotments, sewage farm and open space.
REMARKS : Triangle of land between the river and A40 road. Includes river island.

NO. : 35
LOCATION: Monmouth
GRID REF: SO 513129
OWNER : Monmouth Borough Council.

LAND USE: Public open Space.
REMARKS : Riverside park. Site of rowing club. Concrete steps used for canoe access. Route of Wye Valley Walk. Ownership includes bed of river.

NO. : 36
LOCATION: Monmouth
GRID REF: SO 513131
OWNER : Monmouth Town Council

LAND USE: Rough open space
REMARKS : Land known as Dixon Field. Town Council also own strip of land along river in two adjacent upstream fields.

LAND BORDERING THE RIVER OWNED OR LEASED BY PUBLIC BODIES

NO. : 37
LOCATION: Cadora Backs (Nr Redbrook)
GRID REF: SO 535086
OWNER : Gloucestershire County Council

LAND USE: Highways Verge
REMARKS : Land is let, together with fishing rights. Licence for water level recorder and gauge posts.

NO. : 38
LOCATION: Redbrook
GRID REF: SO 535102
OWNER : Gloucestershire County Council

LAND USE: Highways - Roadside verge
REMARKS : Former railway land.

NO. : 39
LOCATION: Redbrooke
GRID REF: SO 536098
OWNER : Gloucestershire C.C /Monmouth B.C (Joint).

LAND USE: Rough land and footbridge.
REMARKS : Land and disused railway bridge. Highways. Two councils are joint tenants subject to wayleaves for water pipe, and recorder box.

NO. : 40
LOCATION: Brockweir
GRID REF: SO 537015
OWNER : Gwent County Council

LAND USE: Highway Verge
REMARKS : Highway land plus strip of land cut off by road next to river. Former railway land.

NO. : 41
LOCATION: Brockweir
GRID REF: SO 538013
OWNER : St Briavels Parish Council

LAND USE: Footpath and rough vegetation
REMARKS : Strip of overgrown river frontage land. Crossed by Offas Dyke Path.

NO. : 42
LOCATION: Tintern
GRID REF: SO 538008
OWNER : Gwent County Council

LAND USE: Picnic site and footpath
REMARKS : Site of old railway station. Operated as picnic site and visitor centre. Extends upstream to Brockweir bridge. Includes riverside meadow.

LAND BORDERING THE RIVER OWNED OR LEASED BY PUBLIC BODIES

NO. : 43
LOCATION: Chepstow
GRID REF: ST 538942
OWNER : Monmouth Borough Council

LAND USE: Public open space
REMARKS : Public park fronting the river. Part of area has
been purchased recently from the NRA and enhanced.

REGISTERED COMMON LAND BORDERING THE WYE

NO.: 1 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 104
NAME/LOCATION : Rhayader
GRID REF: SN 966656
OWNER : Glanusk Estates
REMARKS :

NO.: 2 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 70
NAME/LOCATION : Rhayader
GRID REF: SN 974677
OWNER : Mr and Mrs A S Sowman
REMARKS : One of two small areas of land leading to river
from road. Public right of way.

NO.: 3 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 70
NAME/LOCATION : Rhayader
GRID REF: SN 975677
OWNER : Miss E A Vaughn
REMARKS : One of two small areas of land leading to river
from road. Public right of way.

NO.: 4 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 72
NAME/LOCATION : Rhayader
GRID REF: SN 968685
OWNER : Rhayader Town Council
REMARKS : Narrow strip of land leading down to river. Site
of old ford or drovers track. Public right of way.

NO.: 5 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 105
NAME/LOCATION : Llanwrthwl
GRID REF: SN 982627
OWNER : Glan Usk Estates
REMARKS :

NO.: 6 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 1
NAME/LOCATION : Glasbury, Upper and Middle Groe
GRID REF: SO 182397
OWNER : Mr R S Eckley
REMARKS :

NO.: 7 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 31
NAME/LOCATION : Glasbury Bont
GRID REF: SO 180395
OWNER : Maesllwch Estate (Leased to Radnorshire D.C.)
REMARKS : Grazing and public open space.

NO.: 8 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 62
NAME/LOCATION : Glasbury
GRID REF:
OWNER : Radnor District Council
REMARKS :

NO.: 9 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 30
NAME/LOCATION : Glasbury Bont
GRID REF: SO 179391
OWNER : Maesyllwch Estate (Leased to Radnorshire D.C.)
REMARKS : Grazing and public open space.

REGISTERED COMMON LAND BORDERING THE WYE

NO.: 10 -- COUNTY REF NO.: CL76
NAME/LOCATION : Clifford Common
GRID REF: SO 244462
OWNER : Herefordshire Nature Trust
REMARKS : Managed as a nature reserve.

NO.: 11 COUNTY REF NO.: CL78
NAME/LOCATION : Merbach Hill
GRID REF: SO 300453
OWNER : J Williams
REMARKS :

NO.: 12 COUNTY REF NO.: CL175
NAME/LOCATION : Little Scar
GRID REF: SO 340453
OWNER : See Land Registrar
REMARKS :

NO.: 13 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 131
NAME/LOCATION : Breinton Common (Part)
GRID REF: SO 453401
OWNER : Mr G Morgan-Jones_
REMARKS :

NO.: 14 COUNTY REF NO.: CL87
NAME/LOCATION : Breinton Common (Part)
GRID REF: SO 452399
OWNER : None. Protected under S.9
REMARKS :

NO.: 15 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 167
NAME/LOCATION : Wye River Bank, Lower Bullingham.
GRID REF: SO 520383
OWNER : Hereford City Council(Pt). Remainder protected S.9
REMARKS :

NO.: 16 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 27
NAME/LOCATION : Ballingham Common and Hill
GRID REF: SO 574323
OWNER : (Pt) Mr R H Thomas. Rest none regd. Protected S.9
REMARKS :

NO.: 17 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 26
NAME/LOCATION : Ballingham Island
GRID REF: SO 555303
OWNER : Hentland and Ballingham Parish Council.
REMARKS :

NO.: 18 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 158
NAME/LOCATION : Bibletts Common and Bibletts Island
GRID REF: SO 553302
OWNER : Mrs E P Williams
REMARKS :

REGISTERED COMMON LAND BORDERING THE WYE

NO.: 19 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 158
 NAME/LOCATION : Kings Caple Commonn
 GRID REF: SO 549295
 OWNER : None. Protected S.9
 REMARKS :

NO.: 20 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 47
 NAME/LOCATION : Shop Meadow Common
 GRID REF: SO 548293
 OWNER : (Pt) G A Roberts. Rest none regd. Protected S.9
 REMARKS :

NO.: 21 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 48
 NAME/LOCATION : The Rocks Common(part)
 GRID REF: SO 546287
 OWNER : Charles Clore
 REMARKS :

NO.: 22 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 49
 NAME/LOCATION : The Rocks Common(part)
 GRID REF: SO 547285
 OWNER : Mr B Whitehouse
 REMARKS :

NO.: 23 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 185
 NAME/LOCATION : Riverside Plot, Bibletts Common
 GRID REF: SO 553303
 OWNER : Mrs Ellen Rose Williams
 REMARKS :

NO.: 24 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 5
 NAME/LOCATION : Backney Common
 GRID REF: SO 586270
 OWNER : None Registered. Protected S.9
 REMARKS : Outline plans by Hereford and Worcester County
 Council to develop adjacent land as picnic site.

NO.: 25 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 205
 NAME/LOCATION : Wilton Common
 GRID REF: SO 590241
 OWNER : South Herefordshire District Council
 REMARKS :

NO.: 26 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 32
 NAME/LOCATION : Moor Meadow
 GRID REF: SO 582237
 OWNER : Prudential Assurance Co.
 REMARKS :

NO.: 27 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 126
 NAME/LOCATION : Coppett Hill
 GRID REF: SO 572175
 OWNER : The Coppett Hill Trust Ltd
 REMARKS : Management of the common is the responsiblity of a
 charitable trust.

REGISTERED COMMON LAND BORDERING THE WYE

NO.: 28 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 192
NAME/LOCATION : River Island, Symonds Yat
GRID REF: SO 560156
OWNER : None Registered. Protected S.9
REMARKS :

NO.: 29 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 196
NAME/LOCATION : Alpine Wharf, Symonds Yat West.
GRID REF: SO 560159
OWNER : None Registered. Protected S.9
REMARKS :

NO.: 30 COUNTY REF NO.: GL83
NAME/LOCATION : Reddings Enclosure
GRID REF: SO 540140
OWNER : Sec of State for Wales (Maj.) Part protected S.9.
REMARKS : Part of Forestry Commission estate.

NO.: 31 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 333
NAME/LOCATION : The Hudnalls (1)
GRID REF: SO 535040
OWNER : (Part) J.O.C.Hopkinson. (Part) Protected S.9
REMARKS : Rights held by residents of Bigsweir parish.
Boundary stops short of river.

NO.: 32 COUNTY REF NO.: CL 333
NAME/LOCATION : The Hudnalls (2)
GRID REF: SO 533030
OWNER : (Part) J.O.C.Hopkinson. (Part) Protected S.9
REMARKS : Rights held by residents of Bigsweir parish.
Boundary stops short of river.

EXISTING INFORMATION SOURCES - ENVIRONMENTINTRODUCTION

The following reports and publications are the most directly relevant sources of information about nature conservation and landscape interests in the Wye Valley. The list is by no means exhaustive. A great deal of additional information is available, much of which has not been published. A lot of information is held by English Nature and the Countryside Council for Wales, by non-statutory groups and by local naturalists and other interested individuals.

GENERAL

Nature Conservancy Council River Wye Corridor Survey 1988 (Unpublished)

This major survey was undertaken between August and September, 1988 and covers the stretch of the river between a point just west of Hay-on-Wye and its mouth. The work was carried out by a two person survey team under contract to the NCC.

The river was divided into $\frac{1}{2}$ km stretches. The following information was recorded:-

- o The physical feature of the channel - including its dimensions, substrata and bank type.
- o Adjacent land use.
- o Bankside vegetation.
- o Channel vegetation (where obviously identifiable from the banks).
- o Other points of interest.

Both banks of the river were surveyed. The information collected is contained on a series of annotated maps, together with a written description and a photographic record.

Although the methodology used was appropriate for collecting the level of information required of this type of corridor survey, it does have limitations:-

- o The survey was carried out from one bank only.
- o Generally, the survey stopped at the water's edge and only considered bankside vegetation.
- o It did not look in detail at fauna.
- o The level of species identification in the vegetation survey was very general and may have overlooked some of the more unusual species, lower plants and early flowering species.

Despite these limitations, this survey does provide the most comprehensive record of vegetation and river structure available for the Wye, and is a most useful reference, especially when considering proposals for development adjacent to the river.

Nature Conservancy Council (1987) Gazetteer of Sites of Nature Conservation Interest in the Wye Valley AONB.

This report provides the most comprehensive assessment of non SSSI sites of nature conservation interest within the AONB. It is based on information held by English Nature and the Countryside Council for Wales, and that provided by the county nature trusts in Herefordshire, Gloucestershire and Gwent, all whom have undertaken some key site surveys. Information is held on a series of maps and written details are available for each site.

Herefordshire Nature Trust Ltd/Worcestershire Nature Conservation Trust Ltd
Special Wildlife Sites in the County of Hereford and Worcester (1990)

This report contains details of key sites in Hereford and Worcester which, though not SSSIs, are none the less important locally for nature conservation. The information contained in the report is based on survey work carried out by the trusts and is intended to be kept up to date. It contains details of a number of sites adjacent or close to the river. It is particularly useful for that part of Herefordshire outside the AONB where information is otherwise scarce.

NCC Nature Conservation in the Wye Valley AONB 1977

This report to the Wye Valley AONB Joint Advisory Committee reviews the prospects for nature conservation within the AONB. It followed on from a previous report ("Nature Conservation in the Wye Valley AONB" 1971, Nature Conservancy) and a series of supplementary reports giving details of local interest and sites in each of the three counties - Herefordshire, Gloucestershire and (at the time) Monmouthshire.

The report contains an assessment of natural history interests within the AONB and discusses how the conservation of these interests may be influenced by policies and practices in forestry, river management and land use.

The Appendix to the report lists 77 sites of natural history interest, with a general description, points of interest and an assessment of their importance. It also contains a map showing the extent and distribution of important sites and the main physiographical zones.

Gloucestershire Trust for Nature Conservation Rivers Survey 1978

This report includes a section on the Gloucestershire stretch of the Wye. The river is divided into 1 km lengths, and is discussed under the following headings:-

- o Physical features (geology, topography, profile, substrata, flow and turbidity).
- o Human influence (land use, artefacts, outflows and recreation).
- o Vegetation, including aquatic, marsh and emergent vegetation and adjacent habitats.
- o Fauna (fish, birds and mammals).
- o Areas meriting conservation.

This survey provides a useful summary of the main interests on this section of the river although it is fairly superficial in its approach. It has also to some extent been superseded by the more recent NCC survey.

NCC River Wye Survey of Herefordshire 1979

This survey, which is based on data on riparian habitats held by the NCC, lists those sites along the river which were selected as being most important for their natural history interest, together with a description of their important features. It concentrates on riparian land and adjacent land uses. Again this information is dated and has been superseded by more recent reports.

R. W. Edwards and M. P. Brooker The Ecology of the Wye 1982

This book summarises a substantial body of scientific information about the Wye. In doing so, it draws together the results of past investigations into

various aspects of the River's ecology. The book is divided into a number of chapters covering physiography, water quality, plants, macro-invertebrates, fish, birds and mammals. It also considers the possible effects of future changes in land use and water resource management. The book's importance lies in the fact that at the time of publication, it was the most complete account of the ecology of the Wye. It also contains an extensive bibliography of past publications and scientific papers.

BIRDS

RSPB Survey of the Birds of the River Wye (1977) Report prepared for the
Nature Conservancy Council January 1978

This report is based upon a survey undertaken in the spring and summer of 1977 between Plynlimon and Redbrook - most of the river. The main objectives of the survey were:-

- o To determine the diversity, numbers and distribution of birds using the river and its banks, and to assess the breeding population of these species.
- o To relate the breeding density of birds to the physical and vegetation characteristics of the river and its banks.

The river was surveyed a total of 6 times. The species of bird recorded fell into 4 categories:-

1. Species closely associated with the river.
2. Species which used the river but did not nest on it or its banks.
3. Waders which breed on land adjacent to the river.
4. Species associated mainly with the scrub and wasteland along the river bank.

In addition, the physical and vegetation characteristics of the river and its banks were recorded, i.e., aspects of river flow, river structure, river vegetation, bank vegetation, land use and man-made artefacts. The river was divided into several sections, reflecting its different physical characteristics.

A total of 129 species were recorded, of which 71 were breeding on the river or its banks. A further 6 were breeding on nearby waters and another 18 were probably breeding nearby. The remaining 34 were recorded only as visitors. From these a select list of 58 species were chosen for detailed counts. The results of the census are illustrated on a series of maps showing the distribution of each species, together with an assessment of the number of breeding territories. The maps are accompanied by a written description for each species.

This is the only comprehensive survey of bird populations to be undertaken on the Wye. It is, however, fifteen years out of date and cannot be regarded as a definitive record of present day bird populations. Its usefulness is as a base upon which future surveys can build.

WOODLAND

The Wye Valley is internationally important for its woodland and the amount of information held about them is extensive. Those within the AONB, which contains most of the major blocks, are particularly well documented. Many have been designated as SSSIs and are managed, at least in part, for conservation and amenity. Some are owned by the Forestry Commission.

Ancient Woodland Inventories

English Nature and The Countryside Council for Wales are in the process of compiling inventories of ancient woodland for each county. These are in varying stages of completion and, once complete, will form a valuable record of these important habitats and landscape features. Inventories are available for Herefordshire, Gloucestershire and Gwent. There is no comparable inventory for Powys.

I. C. Bolt Wye Valley Woodlands Project Report (1980).

This important report is the culmination of a two year project sponsored by the Nature Conservancy Council. It covers all woodlands within the AONB and contains a great deal of information about each area of woodland. This is held on a series of maps, record cards and species lists.

LANDSCAPE

Company of Designers Ltd The Wye Valley Study (1991) (Report Commissioned by the Wye Valley AONB Joint Advisory Committee)

This report is an appraisal of the landscape of the entire Wye Valley AONB. It looks at the land use, topographic, ecological and historical components of the valley and identifies those landscape features which contribute most to the special qualities of the area. It also identifies a number of major landscape issues affecting the AONB. The report recognises in particular the special beauty of the Wye Gorge landscape with the river as its focus, and the various activities centred on the river. Some of the potentially damaging consequences of recreation and tourism use of the river are discussed, including the development and control of canoe access points and the impact of fishery improvements.

Hereford and Worcester County Council - County Landscape Appraisal 1990

The intention of this appraisal was to collect information about the visual experience, historical importance and ecological value of the landscape within Hereford and Worcester, whilst taking into account activities such as agriculture, recreation and tourism, and their relationship with the landscape. A wide range of information was collected including statutorily protected areas, topography, slopes, woodland, habitat types, sites of nature conservation interest and historic landscapes. This is held on a series of Ordnance Survey map overlays.

An report sets out the findings of the appraisal and the issues arising from it. This report incorporates the advice and comments from a number of statutory and voluntary organisations.

The purpose of the report is to assist with:-

- o Reviewing the landscape policies of the county structure plan and providing a planning framework for local planning authorities.
- o Identifying opportunities for landscape management.
- o Identifying priorities and programmes for those agencies involved in countryside management.

Although the report is very general in its approach and does not deal specifically with the River Wye, it does form a useful data base of information about landscape interests in the Herefordshire section of the Valley.

PREVIOUS STUDIES OF RECREATION ON THE WYE

D. Crease and E. C. Penning-Rowse Pressure and Conflict: Managing Recreation and Sharing Water Space on the River Wye Middlesex Polytechnic 1985

This report was the culmination of a research study into the recreational use of the Wye between Glasbury and Chepstow, commissioned by the Welsh Water Authority. It considers the use made of the river by the various recreational activities and examines the perceptions and attitudes of groups such as riparian and fishery owners, recreational users and conservationists. The main aim of the study was to consider the conflicts between competing uses and to recommend practical means of resolving them.

The research methodology used involved using two sets of questionnaire surveys; one aimed at river users (e.g., canoeists, fishermen, visitors/tourists) and one aimed at non-users (e.g., fishery owners, bailiffs, canoeists and other navigation interests, nature conservation bodies and statutory agencies). A limited postal survey of canoe clubs and associations was also carried out.

The study provided a lot of information about the pattern of recreational use on the Wye and the nature and extent of any conflicts, both between different users and between users and non-users. However, whilst the report does provide some good examination, there are serious limitations arising from the research method adopted. The reliance on questionnaires alone is inherently subjective. This particularly affects the estimates of the level and distribution of use. No 'on the ground' monitoring was carried out.

Despite these drawbacks, the report does contain a valuable body of comments and opinions drawn from a wide variety of individuals, and there is no reason to challenge the main conclusions and recommendations of the report.

J. Foster Angling and Canoeing on the River Wye UWIST 1988

This report, commissioned by the Welsh Water Authority, sought to quantify the total number of canoeists and anglers using the Wye, and to look at the patterns of activity of the two groups. Counts of anglers and canoeists were carried out over 66 days between June 1987 and February 1988. These took place either from a canoe or from the bank. The number and location of canoeists and anglers observed was recorded and where possible, the origin of canoeists was noted.

A great deal of data was collected and from this an estimate of the relative levels of use and the potential for conflict was calculated. However, caution should be expressed about the reliability of these findings. The survey methods used are likely to result in inaccuracies - the sites chosen for survey (i.e., bridges) were arbitrary and unsystematic, and the counts only took place for short period at each point. The number of staff employed to carry out the surveys was very limited.

Comment

These two reports (Crease and Penning-Rowse and Foster) together form the only previous authoritative estimates of recreational use of the Wye. Both surveys found the distribution and pattern of use by canoeists and anglers to be broadly similar. Game fishing and canoeing were found to be common along most of the river, with particularly high concentrations of canoeists at Glasbury and Symonds Yat. However, there are significant differences between the two reports when it comes to estimating the relative numbers within each

group. For instance, Foster puts the number of game angler day visits at 16910 per year compared to Crease and Penning- Rowsell's 5-7000, whereas Crease and Penning-Rowsell's estimate of 30-35000 canoeists contrasts with Foster's estimate of 13472.

Much of this discrepancy can probably be attributed to the methodology used. Foster's report is possibly more reliable in that it was at least based upon direct observation, whereas Crease and Penning-Rowsell based their estimates solely on the opinions and observations of third parties.

Welsh Water Authority/Wye Valley AONB Joint Advisory Committee Report of the proceedings of the conference held on 4th June, 1984 entitled 'The Wye - Consensus or Chaos' 7

This is a collection of papers, presented to a specially convened conference by representatives from some of the main statutory agencies with responsibility for the Wye and by the various sporting governing bodies. Together, they are a useful summary of the important issues affecting the Wye at the time. They rehearse many of the concerns expressed by the various river users and highlight some of the potential ways forward. Two of its conclusions, the need for an overall management plan and the appointment of a project officer, led to the inception of the River Wye Project.

Sports Council for Wales/Welsh Water Authority River Canoeing in Wales 1980

This report examines the opportunities for canoeing in Wales and the problems of access faced by canoeists. It also sets out the physical requirements for different branches of the sport. The most useful aspect of the report is its wide ranging analysis of the access question and the ways in which access can be improved. It highlights a number of alternative viewpoints on this issue, including those of other river users and owners. It concentrates on the conflict between canoeing and angling in particular, and puts forward several recommendations aimed at reducing conflict. A number of different access agreements are examined in detail and, of direct relevance to the Wye, the issues of canoe registration and payment are discussed.

**NRA BYELAW MAKING POWERS
WATER RESOURCES ACT 1991**

SCHEDULE 25

BYELAW-MAKING POWERS OF THE AUTHORITY

Byelaws for regulating use of inland waters

1.—(1) Subject to the following provisions of this paragraph but without prejudice to the powers conferred by the following provisions of this Schedule, where it appears to the Authority to be necessary or expedient to do so for the purposes of any of the functions specified in paragraphs (a), (c) and (d) of section 2(1) of this Act, the Authority may make byelaws—

- (a) prohibiting such inland waters as may be specified in the byelaws from being used for boating (whether with mechanically propelled boats or otherwise), swimming or other recreational purposes; or
- (b) regulating the way in which any inland waters so specified may be used for any of those purposes.

(2) Byelaws made by the Authority under this paragraph shall not apply to—

- (a) any tidal waters or any discrete waters;
- (b) any inland waters in relation to which functions are exercisable by a navigation authority, harbour authority or conservancy authority other than the Authority; or
- (c) any reservoir belonging to, and operated by, a water undertaker.

(3) Byelaws made in respect of any inland waters by virtue of this paragraph may—

- (a) include provision prohibiting the use of the inland waters by boats which are not for the time being registered with the Authority in such manner as the byelaws may provide; and
- (b) authorise the Authority to make reasonable charges in respect of the registration of boats in pursuance of the byelaws.

Byelaws for regulating the use of navigable waters etc.

2.—(1) The Authority shall have power to make such byelaws as are mentioned in sub-paragraph (3) below with respect to any inland waters in relation to which—

- (a) there is a public right of navigation; and
- (b) the condition specified in sub-paragraph (2) below is satisfied,

and with respect to any land associated with such waters.

(2) For the purposes of this paragraph the condition mentioned in sub-paragraph (1) above is satisfied in relation to any waters if navigation in those waters—

- (a) is not for the time being subject to the control of any navigation authority, harbour authority or conservancy authority; or
- (b) is subject to the control of such a navigation authority, harbour authority or conservancy authority as is prescribed for the purposes of this paragraph by reason of its appearing to the Secretary of State to be unable for the time being to carry out its functions.

(3) The byelaws referred to in sub-paragraph (1) above in relation to any inland waters or to any land associated with any such waters are byelaws for any of the following purposes, that is to say—

- (a) the preservation of order in or on any such waters or land;
- (b) the prevention of damage to anything in or on any such waters or land or to any such land;

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- (c) securing that persons resorting to any such waters or land so behave as to avoid undue interference with the enjoyment of the waters or land by others.

(4) Without prejudice to the generality of any of the paragraphs of sub-paragraph (3) above or to the power conferred on the Authority by virtue of paragraph 4 below, the byelaws mentioned in that sub-paragraph include byelaws—

- (a) regulating sailing, boating, bathing and fishing and other forms of recreation;
- (b) prohibiting the use of the inland waters in question by boats which are not for the time being registered, in such manner as may be required by the byelaws, with the Authority;
- (c) requiring the provision of such sanitary appliances as may be necessary for the purpose of preventing pollution; and
- (d) authorising the making of reasonable charges in respect of the registration of boats for the purposes of the byelaws.

(5) In this paragraph "boat" includes a vessel of any description, and "boating" shall be construed accordingly.

THE LEGAL STATUS OF NAVIGATION ON THE RIVER WYE

Report by NRA Regional Solicitor - April 1992

The aim of this report is to outline the legal position as regards navigation rights on the River Wye and to answer the question:-

Is there a public right of navigation on the River Wye?

General

The public may acquire rights of navigation in one or more of the following ways:-

- (a) where Statute confers such rights on the public, or
- (b)(i) by express (or implied) grant by the riparian owners,
- (b)(ii) on proof of immemorial user.

Over tidal waters however, there is a presumption that the public has a right to navigate.

Already therefore it becomes clear that in considering the public's right to navigate the River Wye a distinction must be drawn between the tidal and the non-tidal Wye.

The Tidal Wye

It is generally accepted that the tidal limit of the Wye is found at Bigsweir, below Monmouth. It can therefore be said with certainty that upon this stretch of the Wye, that is from the mouth of the Wye to Bigsweir, that a public right of navigation exists. To my knowledge this right has not been subject to rebuttal it remains physically navigable and as such the public have navigated this stretch freely without dispute for many years.

It is on the River above this point, the non-tidal Wye where uncertainty arises.

The Non-Tidal Wye

The presumption on tidal rivers that a public right of navigation exists is based on the fact that it is the Crown that owns the bed of a river up to the limits of the tide. Above the flow of the tide land beneath a river is privately owned so that while the public can acquire navigational rights over such waters they cannot have them as of right. As outlined above the public can acquire such rights in one of three ways: by statute; by express grant or on proof of immemorial user.

a) The Statutory Position

Four Acts of Parliament have been identified as applying to the River Wye but only three of these have been considered relevant to this report namely:-

1. 14 Charles II Chap 14, Royal Assent 19 May 1662
2. 7 & 8 William III Chap 14, Royal Assent 7 March 1695
3. George III Chap 78, Royal Assent 20 May 1809

To the best of my knowledge none of the above have been subject to repeal and therefore the laws created by them remain in force to date.

1. The first of these three, 14 Charles II is entitled:-

"An Act for the making navigable the Rivers Wye & Lugg and the Rivers and Brookes running into the same in the County of Hereford, Gloucester and Monmouth."

Brief Summary:-

This Act gave authority to the Sandys (Sir William, Windsor & Henry) as trustees, to "make navigable the Rivers Wye and Lugg.... in the County of Hereford and other adjacent Counties" with the view to improving trade on the River Wye by removing all "impediments to navigation" and setting up a system of locks and weirs along the river.

It is the Act which follows this one, ie. that of 7 & 8 William III 1695 (which is referred to, for the purposes of this report, as the 'main Act') on which most of my attention has been centred for it is this Act which expressly creates public rights of navigation on the River Wye. Hence, consideration is now given to this Act but references will also be made to the 1662 Act.

2. 7 & 8 William III Chap 14 - 1695

This Act was entitled:-

"An Act for making navigable the Rivers of the Wye & Lugg in the County of Hereford."

and is referred to as the 'main' Act.

This Act was introduced as a continuance of the former Act of 1662, the aim being to increase trade upon the said Rivers Wye and Lugg by making them 'free and common' for all.

Brief Summary

Under the previous Act, inter alia, powers, rights and privileges had been granted to the Sandys to undertake works laid out in the Statute with the aim of improving navigation on the said rivers. The Sandys received monies in order to undertake this work.

However, it is said that the Sandys "did nothing towards the making of the said River of Lugg navigable, and what they did towards the said work upon the said River of Wye was performed so slightly, that most of the locks and passages by them made, did in a very few years fall utterly to decay and ruin."

The purpose of the "main" Act then was to create a number of trustees to whom the task of completing these works and making the rivers navigable was given. Thus all powers, vested in the Sandys and all rights and privileges enjoyed by them (plus additional powers) were transferred to the trustees named in the main Act to hold on trust "for the good and benefit of the people of Hereford".

There is no doubt that this Act expressly creates a public right of navigation over the Rivers Wye and Lugg and their tributaries but some doubt has been expressed as to whether these rights extend along the whole length of the Rivers Wye & Lugg or are limited to within the County of Hereford.

Arguments for and against

There is evidence to suggest that the rights expressly granted by the main Act of the public to navigate the said River extend only to the length of the river which lies within the County of Hereford.

The main argument put forward by proposers of this interpretation stems from the reference to Hereford in the long title of that Act:-

"An Act for making navigable the rivers of Wye and Lugg in the County of Hereford".

This would appear at first glance to place a geographical limitation on these rights. However, although the long title of the 'main' Act makes reference to the County of Hereford the enacting clause itself, which expressly creates the public right of navigation, makes no such limitation. It states as follows:-

"the said Rivers of Wye and Lugg be, and from henceforth be accounted, deemed and taken to be free and common rivers and streams, to and for all his majesties subjects, freely to make use of...."

The words of the enacting clause are clear and unambiguous and although the title of an Act may be looked at for the purpose of interpreting the statute as a whole it may not for the purpose of contradicting the clear and unambiguous language of particular provisions.

Furthermore, if we refer back to the Act of 1662 we find that whilst the long title of that Act refers specifically to the Countyes of Monmouth, Gloucester and Hereford further reference is made in the provisions to "other adjacent countyes" and it is this reference which has been interpreted by some as constituting an extension of the improvement of navigation on the upper Wye ie. above Hay, and thus that the public rights granted under the main Act, with a view to improving navigation, must also apply to the 'Upper Wye' (see attached diagram for 'Upper Wye').

In addition the 'main Act' refers to monies raised under the 1662 Act by way of a trust fund, for the completion of the works on the river and it also stipulated that this trust was to be for:

"the good and benefit of the inhabitants of the said County of Hereford."

This reference could be regarded as further evidence that the public right of navigation was intended to be created solely within the County of Hereford since the monies raised were raised solely within that County for the "good and benefit" of those that lived there. However, it is also possible to argue in the alternative. When we consider that the purpose of these three Acts was to make the River Wye navigable thus improving trade on the said river then we can say that it would be for the good and benefit of the people of Hereford, in terms of trade, for that public right of navigation to extend along the full length of the river. After all trade would not have been confined within the County boundary of Hereford but would have extended along the full length of the river.

3. George III, 1809 - The title of this Act was:-

"An Act for amending several Acts for making navigable the Rivers Wye & Lugg, in the County of Hereford and for making a Horse Towing path on certain points of the banks of the said River Wye."

This Act provides for the creation of a company whose purpose was to build a towing path along the banks of the River Wye. The aim was to aid free navigation of vessels upon the River Wye and thus render the main Act more effectual.

Whilst it is recognised that the main title of this Act makes reference again to the County of Hereford it is suggested that since this Act was introduced to make "the main Act" more effectual it cannot intend to confine any public right of navigation conferred to the County of Hereford, if we take the view that this was not the purpose of the main Act.

It is my opinion that on the basis of the evidence studied and which is presented above that when the Act of 1695 was drafted it was not the draftsman's intention to limit the public right of navigation, which it expressly creates, to the County of Hereford but that the right should extend along the whole length of the non-tidal Wye.

However, I must stress that the position is far from certain and I suggest that the only way that a definite answer could be given would be by way of a Court ruling.

b) THE COMMON LAW POSITION

Where a statute does not expressly grant a public right of navigation attention must be turned towards the Common Law to infer that such a right exists.

As has been stated in the previous section a public right of navigation certainly exists on the River Wye within the County of Hereford but it remains uncertain as to whether these rights extend to the Upper Wye, above Hay-on-Wye and into Wales. In the absence of a definite ruling I have turned to the Common Law.

As was noted at the beginning of this report public rights of navigation over a watercourse may be acquired in one of three ways, the second and third are now considered:-

i) By express (or implied) grant by the riparian owners

Public rights of navigation can arise through express or implied dedication of the right to navigate by all riparian owners.

It is suggested that to rely on this method of acquiring a public right of navigation is doubtful and unlikely to succeed and should therefore be discarded from consideration.

ii) On proof of immemorial user

The acquisition of a right arising from long user must be founded on custom, prescription or the doctrine of lost grant.

However, the public cannot acquire rights by custom as customary rights are confined to specific classes of people rather than the public at large. Nor can the public acquire rights by prescription without evidence of express or implied dedication (refer to the case of : AG -v- Esher Lindleum Co Ltd [1901] 2 Ch. 647) which, as is suggested above, in the light of the recent decision in the Derwent Case cannot be considered an option in these circumstances ie. when considering public rights of navigation. This would appear to leave only the option of the doctrine of lost grant, a doctrine adopted by the Courts, as a result of the difficulties in proving continuous user since time immemorial

(1189), and under which user as of right will be presumed where there is proof of continuous user for a period of 20 years or more. However this doctrine has been suggested as inappropriate by John Bates, a Barrister in his work entitled "Water and Land Drainage Law" 1990; with supplements to date, since to base the right on this doctrine would be to hold that the public was granting itself the right as it arises from the fact that the river is owned by the public.

So after considering all the possibilities, as outlined above, and especially the implications of the decision in the case of : Wills Trustees -v- Cairngorn Canoeing & Sailing School ([1976] S.C.30, S.L.T. 162) it has been suggested that the basis of a public right of navigation in a non-tidal river should be treated as a legal class of its own. I refer to Lord Fraser's speech in the Wills Trustee Case:-

"I have reached the opinion that a public right of navigation in a non-tidal river depends not only upon the theoretical navigability of the river but also on the proof of its actual use for that purpose, although I think the word 'prescriptive' in this context is apt to mislead by suggesting that navigation is a servitude right, which it is not, or at least that it is closely analogous to a right of way of land."

If we then apply this to the present situation, the criteria to be applied to the non-tidal River Wye, as regards whether the public have a right to navigate exists, will be based on the physical characteristics of the river and whether it is suitable for use by the public. It will also rely on evidence of actual public user since time immemorial. For evidence of public user it will be necessary to show "continuous user as of right" by the public as far as living testimony can go ie. 60-70 years.

A right will be exercised "as of right" if it is exercised in the following way:-

Nec vi - without force
Nec clam - without secrecy
nec precario - without permission.

To conclude the Common Law position as regards public navigation rights on the River Wye will depend on the following:-

1. Whether the River Wye is by its physical nature navigable by the public. The increasing use by the public of the Wye for recreational purposes, especially canoeing, may assist this argument.
2. That evidence can be deduced to prove continuous user as of right by the public on the River Wye since time immemorial. This evidence must show in the manner set out by Viscount Maugham, in the case of, Wolstanton Ltd -v- Newcastle Borough Council [1940] 3All ER 101, continuous user as of right, going as far back as living testimony can go, which would be about 60 to 70 years. The collection of such evidence would no doubt be assisted by the continued growth in recreational activities over recent years.

It is my opinion, based on the evidence presently available to me, that any claim that a public right of navigation exists over the whole of the River Wye based on the Common Law principles outlined above would not be difficult to sustain provided the necessary evidence could be produced.

AN OUTLINE OF THE LEGAL STATUS OF NAVIGATION ON THE RIVER WYE

SOURCE

PLYNLIMON - 'THE UPPER WYE'

STATUTE:-

UNCLEAR WHETHER PUBLIC RIGHT
EXPRESSLY GRANTED UNDER 1695 ACT
EXTENDS TO THE 'UPPER WYE'
(COURT RULING NEEDED)

COMMON LAW -

WHERE THE RIVER IS SHOWN TO BE
PHYSICALLY NAVIGABLE BY THE
PUBLIC AND THERE HAS BEEN
CONTINUOUS USER AS OF RIGHT BY
THE PUBLIC AS FAR AS LIVING
TESTIMONY (IE. 60-70 YEARS) A
PUBLIC RIGHT OF NAVIGATION MAY
BE ESTABLISHED AT COMMON LAW

HAY-ON-WYE

- HEREFORD COUNTY BOUNDARY
UPPER LIMIT

A PUBLIC RIGHT OF NAVIGATION
GRANTED EXPRESSLY BY VIRTUE OF
STATUTE [7 & 8 WILLIAM III 1695]

- HEREFORD COUNTY BOUNDARY
LOWER LIMIT

BIGSWEIR

- TIDAL LIMIT OF WYE

PUBLIC RIGHT OF NAVIGATION
EXISTS

MOUTH
SEVERN ESTUARY

CONCLUSION

(Please refer to the attached diagram headed "An Outline of the Legal Status of Navigation on the River Wye".)

There is no doubt that a public right of navigation exists over the tidal Wye to the point of Bigsweir which marks the tidal limit of the Wye.

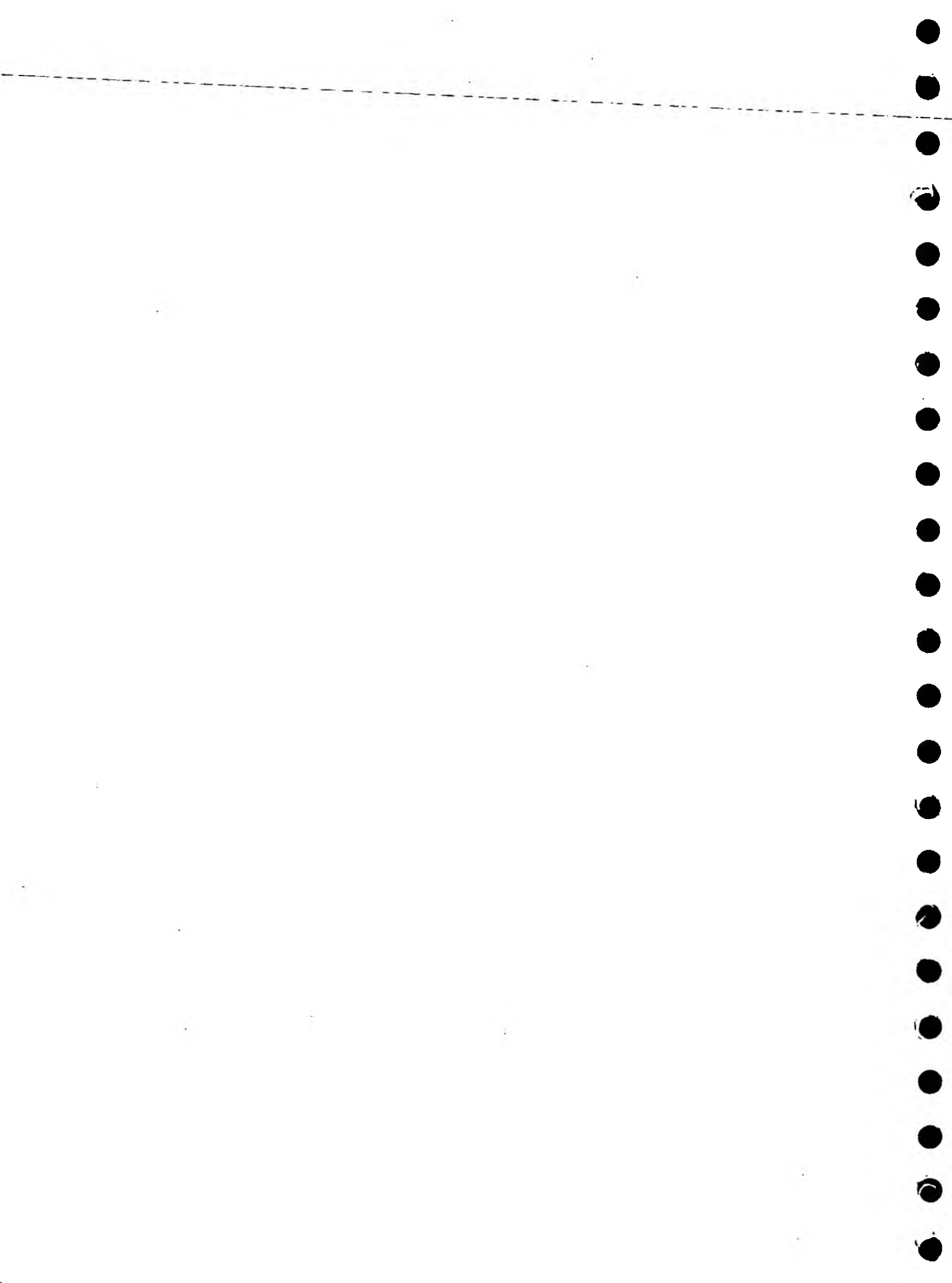
Furthermore, there is no doubt that the Statute of 1695 (7 & 8 William III) expressly grants a public right of navigation over the non tidal Wye which lies within the County of Hereford, as shown on the diagram. There is however, a considerable amount of conflicting opinion as to whether this right of navigation extends along the length of the River Wye.

It is my opinion, based on the evidence available, that it was the intention of the draftsman when they expressly granted a public right of navigation by the 1695 Act that this right was to extend to the whole length of the river and not be limited to that part of the Wye which lies within the County of Hereford. However, I can give no enforceable ruling on the matter, as this would require a court ruling. However, in the absence of such a Court ruling the common law position has been considered as regards the Upper Wye. The conclusion reached is that at common law a public right of navigation will be established if evidence can be deduced to prove:

1. That the River is physically capable of navigation.
2. That there has been a continuous user as of right by the public since living memory ie. over the last 60-70 years.

The increasing use of the Wye in recent years for recreational pursuits such as canoeing may be of some assistance in this regard.

Having considered both the Statutory and Common Law positions there appears to be an arguable case to support the view that a public right of navigation extends along the length of the River Wye.



WYE CODE OF CONDUCT

This advice is intended to help you to enjoy the river, whilst not spoiling the enjoyment of others or damaging the environment. Detailed guidance is given for each activity which, if followed, should ensure that problems are avoided. It is essential that all river users make an effort to follow these guidelines.

Learn about other activities by reading the whole of this section. Try to understand their needs and help to encourage a spirit of goodwill and co-operation by showing consideration for others.

GENERAL GUIDANCE TO ALL USERS

- Look after the environment and avoid damaging the banks and bankside vegetation. Do not pick, uproot or trample wild plants.
- Take special care not to disturb beds of water-weed and gravel beds.
- Do not disturb birds and other wildlife you find along the river. Keep clear of nesting birds and areas important for breeding fish.
- Never throw rubbish into the river or leave it on the banks. Take it home or place it in a bin.
- Please be as quiet as possible. Do not spoil the enjoyment of others.
- Show understanding to those engaged in organised competition. Have regard to any instructions given by officials.
- Have special regard for the problems of those new to a sport, as you would for learner drivers on the road.

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and cannot use such shallow water as canoes.

- Keep clear of rowing craft and rafts, particularly when racing or serious coaching is taking place. Remember that it is sometimes difficult for others to see canoes.
- Salmon lay their eggs between October and March. During this period trampling and launching canoes on gravels used by salmon may damage unhatched eggs and young fry. This is of particular concern upstream of Glasbury and when the water level is low. Please do not canoe if the risk of disturbance is high.
- It is an offence to wilfully disturb breeding fish or spawning beds. Please leave the water if requested to do so by an NRA bailiff. Such a request will only be made where there is a real risk of disturbance.

RAFTING

If paddling upstream, do not sit on fast flowing water and thereby remain stationary if there are anglers nearby.

Make sure that any pieces of broken raft are cleared away. Do not leave debris in the river.



- Avoid pollution. If using old barrels, make sure that they are clean and empty beforehand.
- If following a raft race from the bank, take care not to cause a nuisance. Do not trespass on private land. Keep to public footpaths, close farm gates and do not damage crops.

ROWING

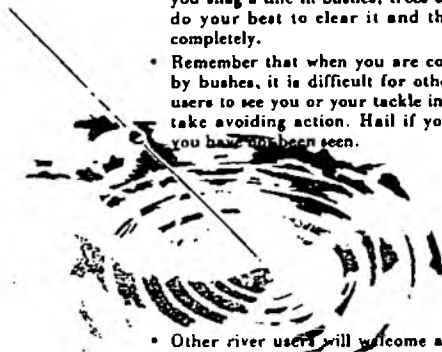
Look out for others on the water and be ready to change speed and direction if

- Hail to draw a person's attention to a situation which might result in inconvenience, damage or collision. Treat a hail as a friendly warning and not as an insult.
- Display warning notices at each end of a stretch of river being used for competitions.

GUIDANCE FOR SPECIFIC ACTIVITIES

Governing bodies of most water sports produce rules for safety and other matters. These should be read and understood before taking part in any activity. See the back of this handbook for addresses of governing bodies.

ANGUNG Take your rubbish home, especially discarded tackle. Hooks and nylon line are dangerous to birds and animals. If you snag a line in bushes, trees or weed, do your best to clear it and the hook completely.



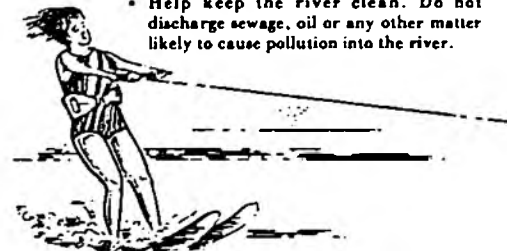
- Remember that when you are concealed by bushes, it is difficult for other river users to see you or your tackle in time to take avoiding action. Hail if you think you have not been seen.
- Other river users will welcome a sign to indicate what you would like them to do: for example, keep clear, pass quickly or hold back. Respond to a hail from an approaching craft.
- Bear in mind that canoes and other craft do not always disturb fish and if they are properly handled and pass by quietly and quickly they may do little or no harm to fishing on deep, wide water.

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necessary to avoid collision. Remember that it may be difficult for others to see fast moving rowing craft which lie low in the water.

MOTORISED CRAFT

- Keep a sharp lookout for other river users and be ready to change speed or direction to avoid a collision. When approaching other users, slow down and give a clear indication of your intentions.
- Respect the needs of anglers whose recreation can be spoiled by thoughtless behaviour. Keep a good distance from them and avoid their lines. Create as little disturbance as possible.
- Speeding is dangerous. Accidents are more likely to occur at high speeds so where possible keep to a walking pace, especially when there are other people on the river.
- Keep a check on your wash. All moving craft create wash and excessive wash can:
 - Harm wildlife.
 - Be dangerous to swimmers and those in canoes and other small craft.
 - Damage banks and bankside vegetation.
 - Interfere with fishing.
- Avoid shallow water as you may disturb the bed of the river and plants which are important to fish and other river life.
- Help keep the river clean. Do not discharge sewage, oil or any other matter likely to cause pollution into the river.



WATER-SKIING

For environmental and safety reasons the Wye is generally not suitable for water-skiing and other high speed activities. As

- Acknowledge considerate behaviour by other river users.
- Take care when casting to avoid hitting or frightening other river users. Look in front and behind to check the area is clear. Remember, hooks, lines and weights can be dangerous.
- Respect the rights of navigation and do not cast a fly or bait immediately in front of an approaching craft.
- Take care not to block riverside footpaths with your tackle.

GUIDANCE FOR ALL BOAT USERS

This advice applies to all boat users and should be read alongside the sections on individual activities.

- Look out for anglers. Keep a good distance from them and avoid their lines. Pass by quickly and quietly, creating as little disturbance as possible and do not loiter in fishing pools.
 - Keep well clear of wading anglers or anglers in boats and leave enough room in front and behind them for their cast.
 - Comply with any signals anglers make to indicate whether they wish you to pass by or wait a moment. Hail if you think your approach has not been noticed.
 - Except in an emergency, launch, land or come ashore from boats only at recognised landing places. Do not trespass on private banks.
 - Park vehicles and trailers responsibly so that they do not cause a nuisance. Do not enter or park on private land without permission.
- CANOEING** Groups of young or inexperienced canoeists should be accompanied by a suitably experienced, responsible person; preferably a qualified canoe instructor.
- Do not get in the way of other craft by suddenly changing course. Remember that larger boats are less manoeuvrable.

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a consequence these uses are largely confined to the tidal stretches where the river is physically more suitable.

- Water-skiers should operate in a careful and responsible manner and keep a reasonable distance from other users so as not to endanger people or property.
- Keep a sharp lookout for other river users and be prepared to slow down or change direction to avoid a collision or disturbing them with your wash.
- All powerboats towing skiers should be operated by at least two competent people, allowing the driver to watch the river ahead and the second person to watch the skier and relay any signals to the driver.

SWIMMING

Due to strong currents, the depth of water, underwater obstructions such as weed and tree roots and the danger from sharp stones and broken glass, you are advised not to swim in the River Wye. It is particularly dangerous to jump or dive off bridges.

SUB AQUA

- Check that you have permission from the landowner and fishery owner before you dive.
- Warn other river users that divers are below the surface by displaying the international code flag A or a notice visible to river traffic. Post a lookout to warn craft that they are approaching a diving area.
- Keep well away from anglers and others who are likely to be disturbed by divers.
- Do not dive in busy areas or close to bridges.



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CALENDAR OF MAJOR EVENTS ON THE RIVER WYE 1992



DATE	EVENT	LOCATION	TIME	SPORT	NUMBER	ORGANISER
JANUARY						
Sun 5th	1st Belmont	Belmont, Hereford	10.00 - 15.00	A	80	H. & D.A.A.
Sun 12th	2nd Belmont	Belmont, Hereford	10.00 - 15.00	A	80	H. & D.A.A.
Sun 19th	3rd Belmont	Belmont, Hereford	10.00 - 15.00	A	80	H. & D.A.A.
Sun 26th	4th Belmont	Belmont, Hereford	10.00 - 15.00	A	80	H. & D.A.A.
FEBRUARY						
Sun 2nd	5th Belmont	Belmont, Hereford	10.00 - 15.00	A	80	H. & D.A.A.
Sat 29th	Downriver Champs	Marteg - Rhayader	10.00 - 16.00	C	120	B.P.S.A.
MARCH						
Sun 8th	Welsh HoR	Monmouth R.C.	10.00 - 15.00	RO	75	W.A.R.A.
APRIL						
Sat 4th	Welsh Spring Sculls HoR	Monmouth R.C.	10.00 - 15.00	RO	60	W.A.R.A.
Sat 4th/Sun 5th	Canoe Slalom	Symonds Yat	09.00 - 17.00	C	150	G.C.C.
Sun 12th	Club Regatta	Belmont/Greyfriars, Hereford	11.00 - 17.00	RO	100	H.R.C.
MAY						
Sat 2nd	100 Mile Raft Race	Hay - Hereford	08.30 - 17.00	RA	75	C.H.A.R.
Sun 3rd	100 Mile Raft Race	Hereford - Huntsham	08.00 - 16.00	RA	75	C.H.A.R.
Mon 4th	100 Mile Raft Race	Huntsham - Chepstow	05.30 - 13.00	RA	75	C.H.A.R.
Sun 16th	Raft Race	Lydbrook - Biblins	10.00 - 17.00	RA	20	Young Gloucs.
Sat 23rd	100 Mile Canoe Test	Glasbury - Byford	10.00 - 17.00	C	400	N.A.B.C.
Sun 24th	100 Mile Canoe Test	Byford - Hoarwithy	07.30 - 17.00	C	400	N.A.B.C.
Mon 25th	100 Mile Canoe Test	Moreton - Ross	07.00 - 20.00	C	400	N.A.B.C.
Tues 26th	100 Mile Canoe Test	Ross - Monmouth	08.00 - 14.00	C	400	N.A.B.C.
Sun 24th	Monmouth Regatta	Monmouth R.C.	08.00 - 19.30	RO	300	M.R.C.
Mon 25th	Hereford City Regatta	Belmont - Greyfriars, Hereford	10.00 - 19.30	RO	400	H.R.C.

KEY TO SPORTS

A	=	Angling
C	=	Canoeing
RA	=	Rafting
RO	=	Rowing
S	=	Swimming

DATE	EVENT	LOCATION	TIME	SPORT	NUMBER	ORGANISER
JUNE						
Sun 7th	Triathlon	Symonds Yat - Biblins	14.00 - 17.00	C	50	Young Gloucs.
Sun 7th	Canoe Trip	Ross - Monmouth	10.30 - 17.00	C	—	Ackers Trust
Sun 21st	Hereford MENCAP - Canoe Rally	Hereford - Ross	08.30 - 18.00	C	500	H. MENCAP
Sun 21st	Raft Race	Ross - Lydbrook	13.30 - 15.30	RA	45	Mitcheldean S.C.
JULY						
Sun 5th	One day Sprint	Hereford - Hoarwithy	09.00 - 15.00	RA	40	C.H.A.R.
Sun 12th	Hereford Triathlon	Breinton - Hereford	07.00 - 13.00	S	200	H.T.C.
Sat 11th/Sun 12th	R.E.C.C. Canoe Champs.	Symonds Yat - Monmouth	09.00 - 16.00	C	100	A.C.U.
Sat 18th/Sun 19th	A.C.U. Canoe Champs.	Symonds Yat - Monmouth	08.30 - 17.30	C	200	A.C.U.
AUGUST						
Sat 1st	Weekend Sprint	Breinton - Hereford R.C.	10.30 - 19.00	RO	400	H.R.C.
Sun 2nd	Weekend Sprint	Breinton - Hereford R.C.	10.30 - 19.00	RO	400	H.R.C.
Mon 31st	Ross Regatta	Ross R.C.	09.00 - 19.00	RO	200	R.R.C.
SEPTEMBER						
Sat 5th	40 Mile Ladies' Raft Race	Hereford - Foy	09.00 - 17.00	RA	40	C.H.A.R.
Sun 6th	40 Mile Ladies' Raft Race	Foy - Huntsham	09.00 - 14.00	RA	40	C.H.A.R.
Sun 6th	Raft Race	Monmouth - Whitebrook	12.00 - 16.00	RA	240	M.C.A.
Sun 6th	Captains Trip	Monnington - Hereford R.C.	All Day	RO	50	H.R.C.
Sun 13th	Lions Canoe Trip	Hereford - Ross	08.00 - 17.00	C	100	H.L.C.
Sun 20th	Raft Race	Biblins - Monmouth	11.00 - 14.30	RA	30	Cowlin & Sons
Sun 20th	Raft Race	Ross - Lydbrook	12.00 - 16.30	RA	30	Glos. Scouts/Guides
Sat 26th/Sun 27th	Canoe Slalom	Symonds Yat	09.00 - 17.00	C	150	G.C.C.
Sun 27th	Fun Regatta/Belmont Plate	Hereford - Belmont	10.00 - 19.00	RO	400	H.R.C.
OCTOBER						
Sat 3rd	Wye Team Champs	Breinton - Fownhope	10.00 - 15.00	A	250	H. & D.A.A.
Sun 4th	Welsh Autumn Sculls	Monmouth R.C.	10.00 - 15.00	RO	60	W.A.R.A.
Sun 25th	Wye Championships	Breinton - Capler	10.00 - 15.00	A	250	H. & D.A.A.
NOVEMBER						
Sun 1st	Monmouth HoR	Monmouth R.C.	10.00 - 16.00	RO	130	M.R.C.
Sun 1st	Mini-Wye Champs	Hereford - Fownhope	10.00 - 15.00	A	75	H. & D.A.A.
Sun 15th	Lower Wye Race	Symonds Yat - Monmouth	13.00 - 16.00	C	35	G.C.C.
Sun 22nd	Wye Charity Match	Breinton - Capler	10.00 - 15.00	A	250	H. & D.A.A.
Sun 29th	Senior 'Fur & Feather'	Hereford - Fownhope	10.00 - 15.00	A	75	H. & D.A.A.
DECEMBER						
Sun 27th	Belmont Open	Belmont, Hereford	10.00 - 15.00	A	80	H. & D.A.A.