

Manor Road Phase 1 Habitat Survey, November 2016 and August 2017

This survey covers the area from Baldwins Gate Farm to Madeley Park Wood. The area is bounded as follows:

North: track leading to Madeley Park Farm
East: West Coast Mainline
South: A53
West: Holly Bush Lane and Whitehouse wood

Notes

- 1 Base map is extract from OS 1981-1995 1:10000
- 2 Baldwin's Gate Farm is an intensive dairy farm and occupies all the land in this survey with the exception of land on the west side of Manor Road and the two northernmost parcels, which belong to Madeley Park Farm.
- 3 Domestic gardens marked UR0
- 4 Red numbers denote hedges, fences, trees (some surveyed from Google earth)
 - 1 Cut hedge, hawthorn, sycamore, elder, hazel
 - 2 Cut domestic hawthorn hedges to cottage gardens
 - 3 Cut domestic hedge, hawthorn, beech, hazel
 - 4 Low wood paling fence, large yew tree behind
 - 5 Clipped tall cupressus hedge, birch tree behind
 - 6 Cut hedge, hazel, elder, holly, ivy, plum; trees 2 veteran oaks in hedge
 - 7 Defunct cut hedge in poor condition and very gappy, elder, holly, hazel, bramble, hawthorn, plum, sloe, ivy; hedgerow trees 1 birch, 2 holly, 2 oak
 - 8 Cut hedge, hawthorn, elder, plum, ash, briar, bracken, bramble, oak
 - 9 Cut hedge, holly, oak, elder, briar, hawthorn; large hazel stools in hedge
 - 10 Cut hedge, briar, hawthorn, bracken, ivy
 - 11 Cut hedge, briar, ash, plum, hawthorn, oak, honeysuckle, bramble, bracken, ivy.
 - 12 High hedge of oak, birch, hazel and hawthorn trees, some overgrown with ivy; leylandii, holly, laurel
 - 13 Cut hedge, hawthorn, oak, bramble, bracken, elder, rowan, briar
 - 14 Cut hedge, hawthorn, hazel, sycamore
 - 15 Cut hedge, hawthorn, oak, bramble, briar, sloe, raspberry, unidentified domestic evergreen; high hedge of trimmed cupressus behind
 - 16 Laurel hedge; birch woodland behind with some holly, oak and conifers; undergrowth of bracken, fern and bilberry; bilberry growing in bottom of laurel hedge
 - 17 Wooded boundary to domestic garden: oak, beech, hazel, birch trees, undergrowth of briar, bramble and ferns; small plantation of Scots pine and oak in south part of garden
 - 18 Laid hawthorn hedge
 - 19 High hedge overgrown with ivy, oak, birch, sloe, 1 veteran oak

- 20 Fence lined with oak and thorn trees
- 21 Cut hawthorn hedge
- 22 Domestic driveway with cut beech hedge and avenue of native broadleaf trees
- 23 Cut laurel hedge; trees: 1 wild plum, 1 sycamore
- 24 Post and rail fence; 1 oak tree
- 25 Domestic driveway with cut laurel hedges
- 26 Cut hedge of bracken, briar, oak, honeysuckle, hawthorn, ivy, ash, plum, ash: trees 1 ash, 1 oak, 1 birch
- 27 Defunct cut hedge, hazel, holly, briar, ivy, birch; trees 1 birch, 2 holly, 1 oak
- 28 Defunct cut hedge, hawthorn, ivy, briar, holly, elder, hazel, plum; wide verge with bracken and nettles; trees 1 oak, 1 birch, 1 holly, 1 sycamore
- 29 Gorse thicket
- 30 Oak tree
- 31 Partially defunct cut hedge, oak, honeysuckle, holly rowan, sycamore, briar, hazel, ivy, bramble, ash, hawthorn, elder
- 32 Deep, wide bank with plum thickets (yellow fruit) and hawthorn trees
- 33 Deep, narrow bank with bracken and nettles
- 34 Trees: 1 sycamore, 2 holly, 4 oak
- 35 Tree: 1 holly
- 36 Trees: 2 holly
- 37 Trees: 7 holly
- 38 Trees: 7 holly, 3 sycamore, 1 oak, 2 ash
- 39 Trees: 1 ash, 1 veteran oak, 1 ash
- 40 Trees: 6 holly
- 41 Trees: 2 sycamore
- 42 Trees: 2 hollies with trunks 60cm diameter
- 43 Very large hazel stools in hedge
- 44 Wide roadside verge and bank with 8 oak trees (1 veteran)
- 45 Hedgerow ash tree
- 46 Wood pasture
- 47 Trees: 2 oak
- 48 Trees: 10 oak
- 49 Trees: 2 oak
- 50 Tree: 1 oak
- 51 Trees: 2 oak
- 52 Tree: 1 oak
- 53 Tree: 1 oak

54 Trees: 4 oak

55 Tree: 1 oak

56 **Shropshire's Wood**: plantation of mature oak trees with understorey of holly; holly trees/hedge on roadside boundaries

57 Cut hedge: hawthorn

58 Cut hedge: hawthorn

59-65 Cut hedges: [predominantly hawthorn, not surveyed]

Railway boundary Cut and uncut hedges alongside.

