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Date of 1 <sup>st</sup> survey: <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> - <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> - <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/>	Date of 2 <sup>nd</sup> survey: <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> - <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> - <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/>
At which level are you surveying?  Wildflower <input type="checkbox"/>  Indicator <input type="checkbox"/>  Inventory <input type="checkbox"/>	Plot number: <input style="width:30px;" type="text"/>  <b>SQUARE plot - OS Grid ref for <u>SW</u> corner</b> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> - <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> - <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/>  <b>LINEAR/VERTICAL plot - OS Grid refs <u>for plot ends</u></b> 1. <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> - <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> - <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> 2. <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> - <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> - <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> <input style="width:20px;" type="text"/> Please estimate the 6 figure grid reference. If you have GPS then please enter the 10 figure grid reference.
<b>Habitat type and description (see guidance notes pp. 27-28 for categories to use):</b> Broad habitat: _____ Fine habitat: _____	
Please also fill in the following information where possible (see guidance notes pp. 20-23).	
If your plot is on a slope, in which direction does it face? [Only when establishing plot] Circle one: <u>N</u> NE E SE <u>S</u> SW <u>W</u> NW	
How steep is the plot? [Only when establishing plot] Flat (0-5°) <input type="checkbox"/> Moderate (6-30°) <input type="checkbox"/> Steep (>30°) <input type="checkbox"/>	
Management type/description (if relevant):   	
Grazing (1 box for each visit): Low <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Moderate <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> High <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> (see guidance notes p. 23) Which animals graze the plot, if known? Visit 1: _____ Visit 2: _____	
How wooded is your plot? Dense tree and/or shrub cover <input type="checkbox"/> Scattered trees and/or shrubs <input type="checkbox"/> Hedgerow <input type="checkbox"/> No trees or shrubs <input type="checkbox"/>	
Vegetation height (both visits), enter in the box how much of the vegetation falls into each category (excluding the canopy layer if in woodland) using the following scores: 0 = 0%; 1 = 1-33%; 2 = 34-66%; 3 = 67-100%  <10cm <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> 11-30cm <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> 31-100cm <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> 101-300cm <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> >300cm <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	
Please use this space for any additional comments: e.g. weather conditions; are plants/trees looking healthy?   	

Please make a sketch that would aid someone else in relocating your plot [on plot establishment only, or if significant changes to plot surrounds], or take a maximum of two photos to upload to the website [every visit]. Plot sketches are uploaded to the “View squares and create plots” website page, photos are uploaded with your sample data using the relevant recording form.



For your plot, allocate an abundance score for each species using the ‘Domin’ scale below (also see inside the back cover of the guidance notes). Record species in all layers i.e. including overlapping shrubs and trees. Please also include scores for the extra items (Bare soil etc.) listed at the end of the table if possible.

<b>Domin</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>% cover</b>	<1% (1-2 indivs)	< 1% (several indivs)	1-4%	5-10%	11-25%	26-33%	34-50%	51-75%	76-90%	91-100%

Species name	Domin visit 1	Domin visit 2	Species name	Domin visit 1	Domin visit 2
			Bare soil		
			Bare rock/gravel		
			Litter (dead stems, leaves, twigs and wood)		
			Mosses, liverworts & lichens		