

***Drymochloa sylvatica* (Pollich) Holub**

**Wood Fescue**

Alien

GB & England: Least Concern

VC5 Absent; VC6 Lost

A perennial grass of moist rocky slopes in wooded valleys. Recorded only once in Somerset, by the canal at Bathampton, where it was found by Mr C.E. Broome, before 1886. This species was listed as an Excluded Species by Murray (1896), who regarded it as probably casual; it has not been seen again. *Drymochloa sylvatica* has a scattered distribution in the north and west, with outlying populations in E. Sussex; the Somerset site was south of the main area of distribution.