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1. Summary

- 1.1 This historic environment appraisal has been undertaken by Trysor to examine likely impacts on the historic environment from a proposed wind turbine at Cefn Cynfal, Llanddewi Ystradenni, Powys.
- 1.2 The appraisal has looked at all known historic assets within an area measuring 2.5km in radius, focused on SO1276368961, the location of the proposed turbine, consulting the regional Historic Environment Record and the National Monuments Record, as well as examining historic maps. A field visit was also undertaken to examine the location of the turbine and record previously unknown historic assets.
- 1.3 The appraisal shows that there is no surface evidence of buried archaeological features at the proposed development site.
- 1.4 Two Scheduled Ancient Monuments would experience a Moderate, indirect, visual impact due to intervisibility with the proposed turbine. The impact on their setting would be Low and their significant views would be unaffected. A third Scheduled Ancient Monument would experience a Low, indirect, visual impact due to intervisibility with the proposed turbine at distance, but with no impact on its setting or important views.
- 1.5 Of eight Listed Buildings in the revised appraisal area none would experience any impact from the development.
- 1.6 Mitigation has been recommended where direct physical impacts are likely to occur, affecting post medieval boundary banks and a trackway around the turbine site, to avoid or reduce the impact on historic assets.

2. Copyright

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3. Introduction

- 3.1 Oliver Penney of Seren Energy, 1, High Street, Clydach, Swansea, SA6 5LG commissioned Trysor heritage consultants, on behalf of his client, to write an Historic Environment Appraisal as part of documentation for a planning application for a single wind turbine on land at Cefn Cynfal, Llanddewi Llandrindod Wells, Powys LD1 6SL.
- 3.2 Dyfed Archaeological Trust Heritage Management section has written a generic brief for such appraisals (DAT HM, Undated). These appraisals are intended to be a rapid appraisal of the readily available historic environment information including a site visit. The purpose of the appraisal is to inform interested parties as to whether any further assessment or evaluation would be required as part of the planning process. Trysor prepared a specification based on the brief (Trysor, 2014) and Clwyd Powys Archaeological Trust Heritage Management section approved the specification.



4. The proposed development

- 4.1 It is proposed that a single wind turbine with a hub height of 50m to the hub and a maximum blade tip height of 77m will be located in a single field parcel at SO1276368961 2km to the east of the Llanddewi Ystradenni, see Figure 1.
- 4.2 The turbine will require a foundation hole, approximately 12 metres x 12 metres and 1 metre deep, with a hardstanding area, 35 metres x 19 metres and 0.3 metres to its southeast. Access will be partially via upgrading of an existing trackway with c. 170 metres of a new track added at its eastern end to the turbine site. The cable trench will run past Cefncynfal, back to the road. It will then travel under the road to Llanddewi Ystradenni where the turbine will connect to the grid.

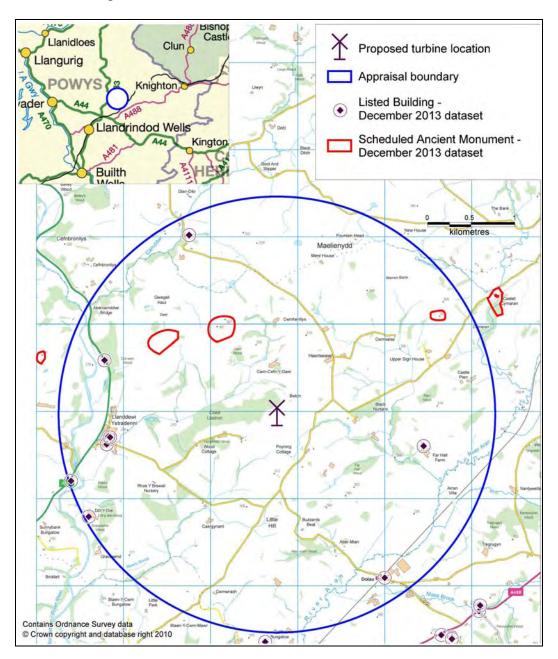


Figure 1: Location of the proposed turbine, showing the 2.5 km radius appraisal area.



5. Methodology

- 5.1 A study area of 2.5km radius circle centred on SO1276368961, the proposed turbine site, was chosen for the initial appraisal of sites. This area was revised during the appraisal to exclude areas where there was no intervisibility.
- 5.2 The HER enquiry for the 2.5km radius area yielded 129 records.
- 5.3 Within the 129 records, 38 records were excluded and removed from the dataset as there was no intervisibility between then and the turbine. A further record was also removed as it was another number for the church at Llanddewi Ystradenni and only one was needed for this appraisal. This left 90 records in the initial dataset.
- 5.4 Within the 90 records, three of these were for Scheduled Ancient Monuments and eight were for Listed Buildings.
- 5.5 A site visit was made to Cefn Cynfal and the surrounding area on March 30th, 2014 to rapidly appraise if there were any visible archaeological features within the area directly affected by the turbine proposal and also the wider landscape context of the proposed development. The field was under pasture at the time.
- 5.6 The aerial photographs on Google Earth, dating to 2006 and 2009, were used to inform the appraisal.
- 5.7 Historic mapping was consulted. The maps used included 19th and 20th century 1:2500 scale Ordnance Survey mapping and the Llanddewi Ystradenni parish tithe map of 1841 and accompanying tithe schedule of 1839.
- 5.8 All information gathered during the desktop appraisal and fieldwork was entered into a bespoke database in Access 2003 format to create an appraisal dataset. The dataset is the source of the material output in this report, including the GIS mapping which illustrates the location of sites in the area, and the tables and appendices which provide detailed information on the sites within the study area.
- 5.9 At the end of a rapid appraisal of the data, the information from the site visit and historic map search, the appraisal dataset contained 104 records.
 - 5.9.1 Fourteen new records were created in the project database by Trysor. These are predominantly features associated with the field system and farmsteads of Cefn Cynfal and Bwlch. Some of the buildings at old Cefn Cynfal have been previously recorded by the RCAHMW and are described in the NMR. A post medieval chapel at Heartsease (ID number 3), not apparently included in the HER, was also added to the appraisal database



5.10 Each of the records in the final appraisal dataset was assessed for Period, Rarity, Documentation, Group Value¹, as well as Evidential Value, Historical Value, Aesthetic Value, Communal Value². Once these had been considered the significance of each site was determined and scored in accordance with the categories adopted by the Welsh Archaeological Trusts i.e. Nationally Important, Regionally Important, Locally Important, Minor and Features Needing Further Investigation (Unknown), see Figure 3. Full details of this exercise are given in Appendix B.

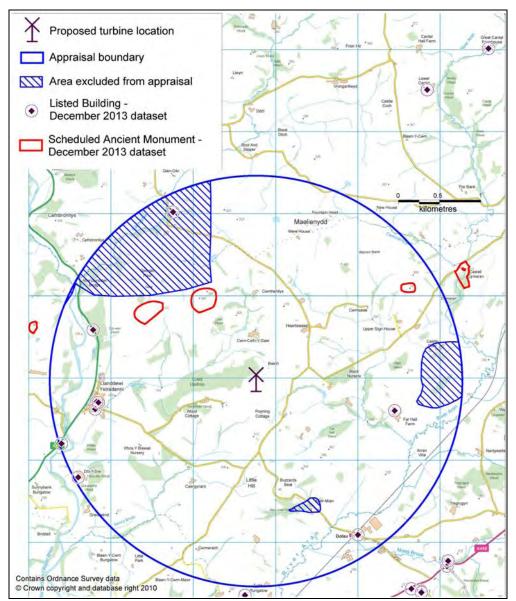


Figure 2: Appraisal area showing area excluded as no intervisibility between the turbine and the sites recorded.

¹ Period, Rarity, Documentation and Group Value are criteria defined in the Welsh Office Circular 60/96, 1996.

² Evidential Value, Historical Value, Aesthetic Value and Communal Value are criteria defined in Cadw's Conservation Principles publication, 2011.

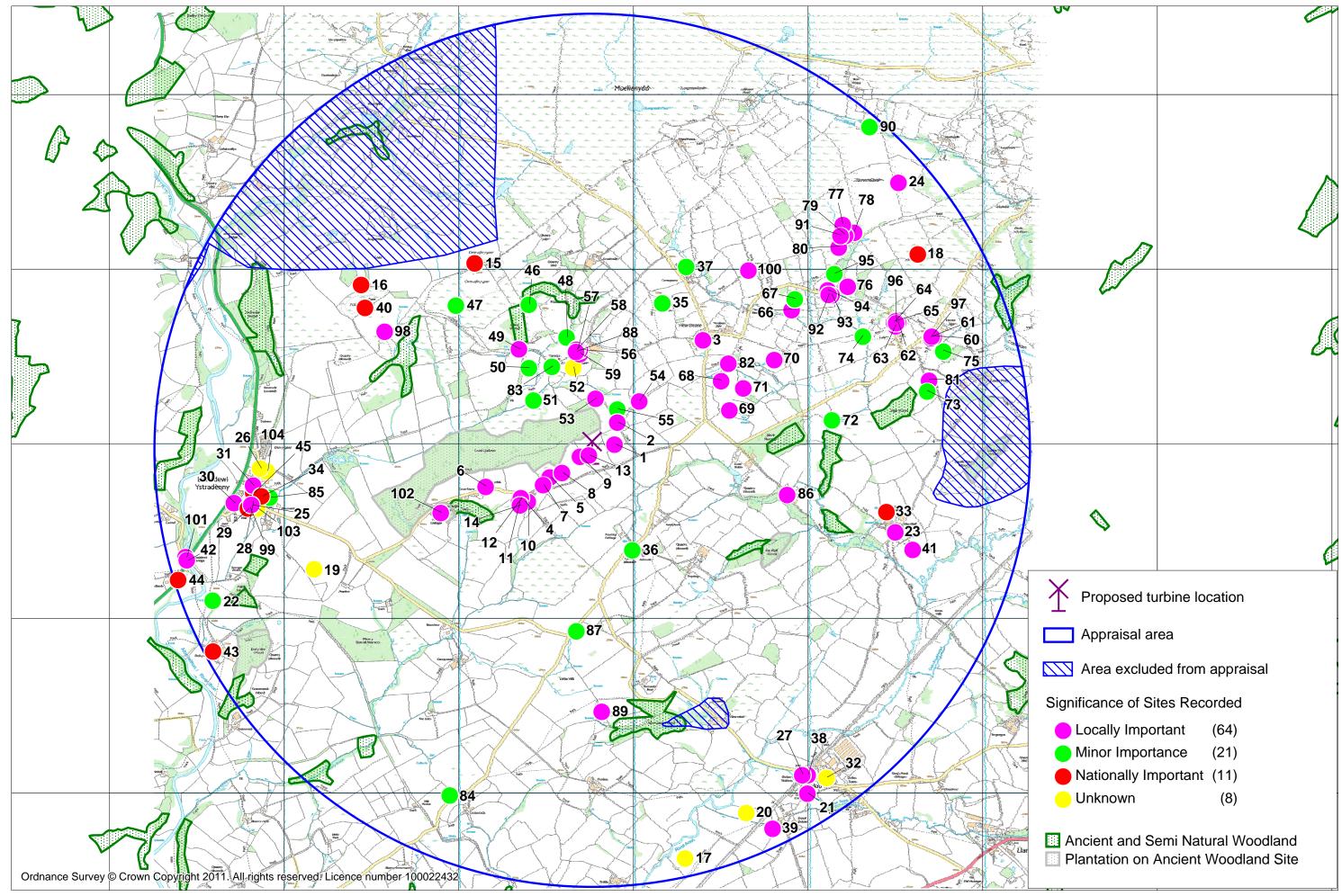


Figure 3: The 2.5km appraisal area showing significance of sites, labelled with Project ID number



6. Cefn Cynfal & Bwlch: Historical overview

- 6.1 *Cefn-cyn-voil* is shown on the Ordnance Survey's Original Surveyors Drawings Llandrindod map sheet, which was surveyed in 1817. This was the first detailed map of the whole country and shows that the farm was at that time focused on a collection of buildings to the east of the present farmhouse. This original farmstead still survives, although it had been replaced by a modern house and building complex by the early 1970s. When the Ordnance Survey published their 1 inch to 1 mile scale First Series map for the area in 1833, based on the 1817 survey, essentially the same picture is presented.
- 6.2 The site of the proposed turbine is within a field which was a part of the now abandoned Bwlch farm until the mid-19th century. The 1817 and 1834 Ordnance Survey maps both show and name Bwlch. Both maps also seem to indicate that the land at the proposed turbine site was already enclosed, although neither shows the detail of the field system.
- 6.3 The Llanddewi Ystradenni parish tithe map of 1839 (see Figure 4) is the first detailed map of the area which shows details of the field systems at Cefn Cynfal and Bwlch. The essential characteristics of the field system were already in place by this time, with the fields generally comparable when compared with the modern field system.
 - 6.3.1 The schedule which accompanies the tithe map gives the landowner's name as Sir John Walsh, who was the MP for Radnorshire between 1840 and 1868, when he became Lord Ormathwaite. His tenant here in 1841 was Thomas Beaumont. The field names, as recorded on the schedule that accompanies the tithe map were;
 - 805 Kevencynfol Wood
 - 806 The Crofty Piece
 - 807 Vron Cefn
 - 808 Quarry Piece
 - 809 Vron Ceven Coppice
 - 810 Little House Meadow
 - 811 Llether
 - The Piece below the Beasthouse
 - 813 Calves Close
 - The Great Meadow
 - 815 The Kefn
 - 816 Kefn
 - 817 Kefn
 - 818 Part of Kefn
 - 819 Browning Piece
 - 820 Days Math
 - Whirley Meadow
 - Whirley Meadow
 - 823 Thistly Piece
 - 824 Well Piece
 - 825 Homestead
 - 825a Garden and Rickyard
 - 826 Llain
 - 710 Great Roft
 - 711 Great Roft
 - 712 Great Roft



6.3.2 The parish tithe schedule names one James Davies as the owner of Bwlch farm and a William Ruell as its occupying tenant. The field names, as recorded in the schedule were;

- 793 no name (a detached portion, not shown in Figure 4)
- 796 Half Days Math
- 798 Half Days Math
- 800 Black Meadow
- Wood Meadow
- 802 Wood
- 1038 Slang
- 1039 Slang
- 1041 Little Wood
- 1042 Bwlch Ross
- 1043 Creron (indistinct)
- 1044 Rail Piece (indistinct)
- 1045 Far Piece
- 1047 Ploughed Piece
- 1048 Wheat Piece
- 1049 Cae Pant
- 1050 Nursery
- 1051 Close
- 1052 Pool Piece
- 1053 House Meadow
- 1054 Homestead
- 1056 House Piece
- 1107 Fish Pool Piece
- 1108 Ryegrass
- 1109 Middle Piece
- 1110 Harp Piece
- 1111 Piece and Catch
- 1063 no name
- 6.4 The parish tithe map also shows details of the farm buildings at the core of both farmsteads.
 - 6.4.1 The layout of the old farmstead at Cefn Cynfal includes several buildings which seem to have survived to the present day, despite the focus of the farm shifting to a new site to the west by the 1970s. These include the farmhouse (ID number 9), the cartshed (ID number 10) and the barn (ID number 12).
 - 6.4.2 The layout of the farmstead at Bwlch only included two buildings within a sub-circular enclosure, between which a trackway passed (see Figure 4). To the northeast of the trackway was a rectilinear building with two wings projecting from its rear, northwestern side. To the southeast of the trackway was a long, rectilinear building. Which of these was the dwelling is not known. Neither building survives today and both appear to have disappeared before the late 19th century, by when Bwlch itself would appear to have lost its status as a farmstead.



- 6.5 The 1:2500 scale Ordnance Survey maps of 1889 and 1903 also provide a detailed record of the layout of buildings at both Cefn Cynfal and Bwlch.
 - 6.5.1 At Cefn Cynfal the cowhouse described by the RCAHMW in 1992 (ID number 11) appears at the northern side of the farmyard, with a second building alongside (possibly the "shelter shed alongside" which is mentioned in the RCAHMW's description of the cowhouse). A small building shown to the south of the barn (ID number 12) at the southern end of the farmyard on the parish tithe map had disappeared by 1889. The 1903 map shows the same arrangement of buildings as shown in 1889.
 - 6.5.2 The representation of Bwlch on the 1889 Ordnance Survey map, which is replicated on the 1903 edition of the map, reflects the probable abandonment of the property as an occupied dwelling during the 1860s or 1870s. Neither of the large buildings shown on the parish tithe map appears to have survived. Only two small buildings are shown in 1889 and 1903. The largest of these stood at the northwest side of the original farmyard, with a smaller building to the eastern side of the yard. Even though the site is named as 'Bwlch' on these maps, and the larger of the two buildings has the appearance of being a cottage, there is no indication on any census returns after 1861 that Bwlch included an occupied dwelling and it must be assumed that the buildings which are shown by the Ordnance Survey were used for agricultural purposes.
- 6.6 The 1972-1973 edition of the 1:2500 Ordnance Survey maps charts changes in the use of Cefn Cynfal and Bwlch.
 - 6.6.1 By the 1970s, the old farmyard and dwelling at Cefn Cynfal had been replaced by a new house and a range of agricultural buildings some 250 metres to the west-northwest. The focus of the farm remains at this new location to the present day. The old farmyard still appears to have some use.
 - 6.6.2 The larger of the two buildings at Bwlch is still represented on the 1972-73 1:2500 Ordnance Survey map, but the site was clearly in the latter stages of its decline into complete abandonment. This building no longer survives but its corrugated roof was seen lying on, or close to, the site of the building in 2014.
- 6.7 Parish census returns available for the period 1841 to 1911 give an insight into those who have lived at Cefn Cynfal and Bwlch farm in the past.
 - 6.7.1 Bwlch farm is only included on the census returns from 1841 until 1861. Thereafter it would appear to have been abandoned as a dwelling. In 1841 it was home to a farmer named Richard Lloyd, aged 34, his wife Hannah (30) and six children under the age of 13.
 - 6.7.2 The Lloyd family still farmed Bwlch in 1851, the extent of the property given as 75 acres. They now lived with six children aged between 20 and 11 months, as well as a 3 year old grandson. The birth parish of Richard and Hannah Lloyd is given as Llanfihangel Rhydithon.



- 6.7.3 The Lloyds, now aged 59 and 51, still lived at Bwlch with six children, now aged between 28 and 2, at the time of the 1861 census. Bwlch is not mentioned in any subsequent census returns. As an interesting postscript, it should be mentioned that Hannah Lloyd is recorded by the 1871 census as living with her son William at Coed Swydd, Llandegley parish. She is not recorded as a Widow, however, and may merely have been visiting her son. Her husband may well have still been alive. Indeed, a Richard Lloyd, born at Llanfihangel Rhydithon and described as a married man aged 70 is recorded in the 1871 census as living as a boarder at Upper Pentre, Cascob, Radnorshire.
- 6.7.4 The census returns for Cefn Cynfal show that it was occupied throughout the period 1841 to 1911. The records relate to the old dwelling (ID number 9), which in 1841 is listed as *Cefncunvol* and was home to a 30 year old farmer named Thomas Beaumont. Four female servants and a male servant also lived on the farm.
- 6.7.5 In 1851, *Cefncunvol* was farmed by a 45 year old widow named Ann Morris, who was born in Llandegley parish, Radnorshire. She had four children aged between 9 and 3 years old and was assisted in running the farm by 2 female servants and 3 male servants.
- 6.7.6 Ann Morris still farmed here in 1861, with three children living at home and three visitors and a lodger also staying at the property. Cefn Cynfal was a substantial property, recorded as 365 acres and a female house servant was employed at this time, as well as four male workers, including a bailiff, a carter and two farm labourers.
- 6.7.7 By 1871, Ann Morris, now aged 65 was farming 400 acres at Cefn Cynfal. Her 27 year old son Joseph assisted her, as well as two male farm servants and two female general servants who lived on the farm. A visitor named David Lloyd was also staying at the farm on census day, his occupation being given as a railway Plate Layer.
- 6.7.8 Joseph Morris had taken over at Cefn Cynfal by 1881 and farmed the 400 acre holding with his wife Sarah Ann. They had two sons and a daughter aged 3 or younger and had a female general servant, a nurse maid and two male farm servants living with them.
- 6.7.9 A new family occupied Cefn Cynfal in 1891. It was now farmed by one Richard Morgans, aged 57 and a native of Llanfihangel Rhydithon, as was his wife Maria. They had a son, Aaron, aged 16 and employed a female domestic servant and two male farm servants. Also present were three child visitors, 10 or younger, with the surname Swancutt.
- 6.7.10 By 1901, Richard Morgan was a widower and farmed Cefn Cynfal with the assistance of a servant named William Swancutt (aged 60), a female housekeeper and a male waggoner who also lived here.
- 6.7.11 The last available census returns show that Aaron Llewellyn Morgan, aged 36, had returned to farm Cefn Cynfal. He lived with his wife Elizabeth (a native of



Llananno), four daughters and three sons. A 14 year old female domestic servant also lived at the house.

6.7.12 Llewellyn Morgan is also mentioned as the farmer of *Cefncynfoel* in the 1923 edition of Kelly's Directory for South Wales and Monmouthshire.

6.8 A deed of 1945 (Powys Record Office RD/PEH/1/81) shows that Cefn Cynfal still remained a part of the Radnorshire estates of Lord Ormathwaite at that time.



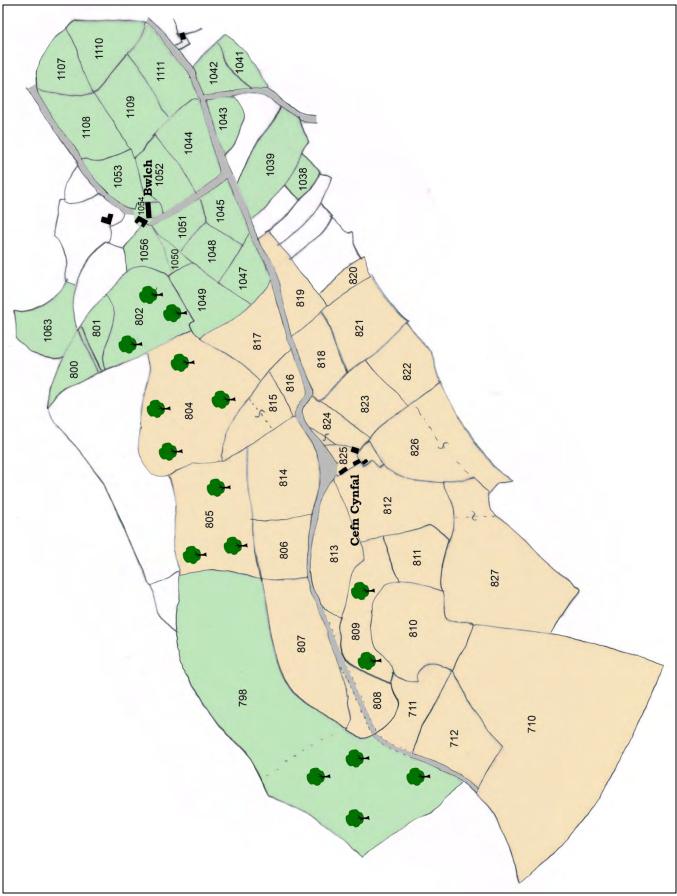


Figure 4: Cefn Cynfal and Bwlch farms, as shown on the Llanddewi Ystradenni parish tithe map of 1839. The turbine would stand in parcel 1049, Cae Pant



7. Cefn Cynfal: Proposed turbine site

- 7.1 The proposed turbine at Cefn Cynfal is to be located at SO1276368961 in a pasture field. A purpose-built track will be used to access the site. This will partially be created by upgrading and existing trackway, with the final 170 metres approaching the turbine site consisting of new trackway. The cable trench will run past Cefncynfal, back to the road. It will then travel under the road to Llanddewi Ystradenni where the turbine will connect to the grid.
- 7.2 When the proposed development site and its environs were visited in March 2014, an assessment was made of the intervisibility of key monuments in the local landscape with the turbine site. This assessment was undertaken on a clear day, with good visibility.

8. Impact Assessment

- 8.1 Within the revised area a total of 104 sites were recorded in the appraisal database.
- 8.2 The Direct and Indirect impact on each site was assessed taking into account both physical and non-physical impacts. Each impact was assessed within the scale Very Low, Low, Moderate, High and Very High, taken into account the significance of the site and the nature of the impact. A full table is found in Appendix A but a summary is tabulated in Table 1 below and illustrated in Figure 5.
- 8.3 As Table 1 and Appendix A show, no recorded historic assets within the area of the appraisal were determined to be exposed to a significant impact from the proposed turbine development. Two Scheduled Ancient Monuments would be subject to a Moderate level of indirect, visual impact, although the impact on their settings is considered to be Low. (Details of the appraisal for direct and indirect impact for each of the sites in Table 1 can be found in Appendix A).
- 8.4 An examination of the proposed development site identified no evidence of surface material of archaeological interest. The land was under pasture with a little exposure of the underlying soil surface.
- 8.5 Access would be via a new trackway, part of which would overlie and existing farm track. Mitigation would be necessary to ensure that the impact of constructing the trackway was minimised on those field boundary banks which it will cross. This would include the use of existing gaps or entrances in field boundaries, with minimal widening of such gaps to maintain the integrity of the historic field boundaries.
- 8.6 No historic field boundaries should be affected by the cable trench as it intended that the route will be bored to allow the cable to pass beneath all boundaries.
- 8.7 A borrow pit will be excavated close to the old Cefn Cynfal farmstead, with vehicular access to the quarry through the farmyard area. Care should be taken to avoid damage to any standing structures in the complex of farmstead buildings which survive.



Table 1: Impact on sites within the appraisal area around the Cefn Cynfal proposed turbine site

ID Number	Site Name	Site Type	Level of Impact
5	CEFN CYNFAL	TRACKWAY	High
13	CEFN CYNFAL	BANK (EARTHWORK)	Moderate
15	CWM CEFN Y GAER	HILLFORT	Moderate
16	GAER	HILLFORT	Moderate
2	BWLCH	FARMSTEAD	Low
3	HEARTSEASE CHAPEL	CHAPEL	Low
6	CEFN CYNFAL	FARMSTEAD	Low
7	CEFN CYNFAL	FIELD BOUNDARY	Low
9	CEFN CYNFAL	FIELD BOUNDARY	Low
18	CWMHARAN	HILLFORT	Low
40	GAER	HUT PLATFORM	Low
55	BWLCH	BUILDING	Low
1	CEFN CYNFAL	BANK (EARTHWORK)	Very Low
8	CEFN CYNFAL	FIELD BOUNDARY	Very Low
28	LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI	VILLAGE	Very Low
35	HEARTSEASE	QUARRY	Very Low
36	POYNING	QUARRY	Very Low
42	LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI	BRIDGE	Very Low
46	CWM CEFN Y GAER	CULTIVATION MARKS	Very Low
47	CWM CEFN Y GAER	QUARRY	Very Low
48	CWM CEFN Y GAER	POND	Very Low
49	CWM WOOD	FARMSTEAD?	Very Low
50	CWM CEFN Y GAER	CULTIVATION MARKS	Very Low
51	CWM CEFN Y GAER	ENCLOSURE	Very Low
52	CWM CEFN Y GAER	BANK (EARTHWORK)	Very Low
53	CWM CEFN Y GAER	TRACKWAY	Very Low
56	CWM CEFN Y GAER	COW HOUSE	Very Low
57	CWM CEFN Y GAER	THRESHING BARN	Very Low
58	CWM CEFN Y GAER	CART SHED	Very Low
59	CWM CEFN Y GAER	BUILDING	Very Low
62	UPPER SIGN	BARN	Very Low
71	THE BANK	FIELD SYSTEM	Very Low
74	UPPER SIGN	CULTIVATION MARKS	Very Low
77	WARREN BANK	PILLOW MOUND	Very Low
78	WARREN BANK	PILLOW MOUND	Very Low
79	WARREN BANK	PILLOW MOUND	Very Low
80	WARREN BANK	PILLOW MOUND	Very Low
81	CASTLE PREN	TRACKWAY	Very Low
83	CWM CEFN Y GAER	QUARRY	Very Low
84	CWMWRACH	QUARRY	Very Low
87	LITTLE HILL	GRAVEL PIT	Very Low
88	CWM CEFN Y GAER	FARMSTEAD	Very Low



91	WARREN BANK	RABBIT WARREN	Very Low
92	CWMSAIS	FARMHOUSE	Very Low
96	UPPER SIGN	FARMSTEAD	Very Low
98	GAER	DWELLING	Very Low
4	CEFN CYNFAL	FARMSTEAD	None
10	CEFN CYNFAL	FARMHOUSE	None
11	CEFN CYNFAL	CART SHED	None
12	CEFN CYNFAL	COW HOUSE	None
14	CEFN CYNFAL	BARN	None
17	TY DU STONE	STANDING STONE	None
19	CAE GAER	HILLFORT?	None
20	GREAT DOLAU	FIELD SYSTEM	None
21	DOLAU	FINDSPOT	None
22	DOL Y DRE	BOUNDARY BANK	None
23	FARHALL FARM	FINDSPOT	None
24	WARREN BANK	FIELD SYSTEM	None
25	LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI	CHURCHYARD	None
26	LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI	EARTHWORK	None
27	DOLAU	SETTLEMENT	None
29	ST. DAVID'S CHURCH,	CHURCH	None
	LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI		
30	LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI	CORN MILL	None
31	LLANDDEWI HALL	SAW MILL	None
32	DOLAU	MOUND	None
33	FARHALL HOUSE	FARMHOUSE	None
34	LLANDDEWI HALL	COUNTRY HOUSE	None
37	CWM QUARRY	QUARRY	None
38	DOLAU HOUSE	HOUSE	None
39	LLANFIHANGEL RHYDITHON	CORN MILL	None
41	LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI	CORN MILL	None
43	DOL Y DRE	BARN	None
44	LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI	MILESTONE	None
45	LLANDDEWI HALL	OUTBUILDING	None
54	BWLCH	TRACKWAY	None
60	LOWER SIGN	COW HOUSE	None
61	LOWER SIGN	BARN	None
63	UPPER SIGN	COW HOUSE	None
64	UPPER SIGN	FARMHOUSE	None
65	UPPER SIGN	COW HOUSE	None
66	CWMSAIS	DESERTED RURAL SETTLEMENT	None
67	CWMSAIS	TRACKWAY	None
68	MIDDLE HOUSE	COTTAGE	None
69	STONE HOUSE	COTTAGE	None
70	THE BANK	COTTAGE	None
70	THE BANK	QUARRY	None
73	CASTLE PREN	QUARRY	None
75	LOWER SIGN	CULTIVATION MARKS	None
76	CWMSAIS	TRACKWAY	None
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			None
86	TREVOL	FARMSTEAD	None
89	CILMERI	COTTAGE	None
90	CWM NANT Y GELLI	SHEEP FOLD	None
93	CWMSAIS	BARN	None
94	CWMSAIS	STABLE	None
95	CWMSAIS	QUARRY	None
97	LOWER SIGN	FARMSTEAD	None
99	LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI	INSCRIBED STONE	None
100	WHITE HOUSE	COTTAGE	None
101	LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI	SUSPENSION BRIDGE	None
102	HORSEFIELD WOOD	ENCLOSURE	None
103	THE WALSH	WALL	None
104	LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI	POST HOLE	None

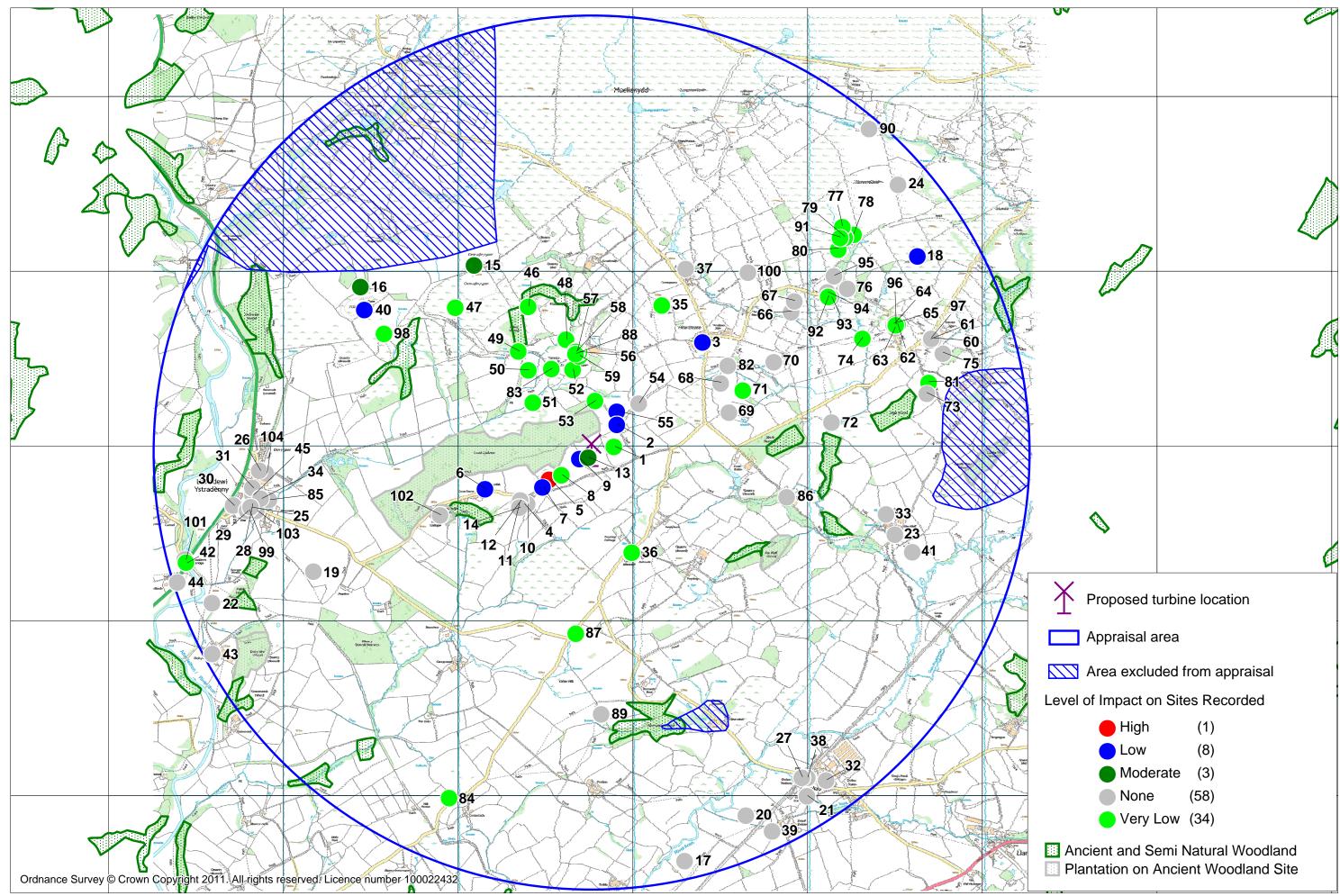


Figure 5: The 2.5km appraisal area showing the impact on sites recorded, labelled with Project ID number



9. Historic Landscape Aspects Relating to the Cefn Cynfal Proposed Turbine

The following aspects of the historic environment around the Cefn Cynfal proposed turbine site have also been considered by this appraisal, as required by the brief supplied by the Dyfed Archaeological Trust Heritage Management Section (DAT, HM, Undated);

9.1 Scheduled Ancient Monuments in their settings

There are 3 Scheduled Ancient Monuments within the revised appraisal area, all of which are Iron Age hillforts (see Table 2). A full discussion on the impacts of the development is included in section 10 of this report.

ID Number	Site Name	Site Type	Level of Impact
15	CWM CEFN Y GAER	HILLFORT	Moderate
16	GAER	HILLFORT	Moderate
18	CWMHARAN	HILLFORT	Low

Table 2: Impacts on Scheduled Ancient Monuments

9.2 Previously Recorded Non-scheduled Ancient Monuments in their settings

There are no Ancient Monuments within the revised 2.5km appraisal area, other than the previously mentioned scheduled sites.

9.3 Newly identified sites of historic importance

Fourteen newly recorded sites of historic importance were noted for this appraisal near the turbine site (see Table 3 below). These are predominantly features associated with the field system and farmsteads of Cefn Cynfal and Bwlch. Some of the buildings at old Cefn Cynfal have been previously recorded by the RCAHMW and are described in the NMR. A post medieval chapel at Heartsease, not apparently included in the HER, was also added to the appraisal database (see 9.5). The details of these sites are included in Appendices A & B.

ID Number	Site Name	Site Type	Level of Impact
5	CEFN CYNFAL	TRACKWAY	High
13	CEFN CYNFAL	BANK (EARTHWORK)	Moderate
2	BWLCH	FARMSTEAD	Low
3	HEARTSEASE CHAPEL	CHAPEL	Low
6	CEFN CYNFAL	FARMSTEAD	Low
7	CEFN CYNFAL	FIELD BOUNDARY	Low
9	CEFN CYNFAL	FIELD BOUNDARY	Low
1	CEFN CYNFAL	BANK (EARTHWORK)	Very Low
8	CEFN CYNFAL	FIELD BOUNDARY	Very Low
4	CEFN CYNFAL	FARMSTEAD	None
10	CEFN CYNFAL	FARMHOUSE	None
11	CEFN CYNFAL	CART SHED	None
12	CEFN CYNFAL	COW HOUSE	None
14	CEFN CYNFAL	BARN	None

Table 3: Impacts on Newly Identified sites



9.4 Listed Buildings in their settings

There are eight Listed Buildings within the revised appraisal area, see Table 5.

ID Number	Site Name	Site Type	Level of Impact
29	ST. DAVID'S CHURCH,	CHURCH	None
	LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI		
33	FARHALL HOUSE	FARMHOUSE	None
34	LLANDDEWI HALL	COUNTRY HOUSE	None
38	DOLAU HOUSE	HOUSE	None
39	LLANFIHANGEL RHYDITHON	CORN MILL	None
43	DOL Y DRE	BARN	None
44	LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI	MILESTONE	None
45	LLANDDEWI HALL	OUTBUILDING	None
99	LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI	INSCRIBED STONE	None

Table 4: Impacts on Listed Buildings

9.5 Non-statutory buildings of local importance

As many as 38 non-statutory buildings or structures were recorded within the appraisal database, most of which are farm buildings and cottages, but only the post medieval chapel at Heartsease is thought likely to experience a Low level of indirect, visual impact. The proposed turbine is likely to be visible from the chapel, but the setting and any essential views of the building would not be affected by the development.

ID Number	Site Name	Site Type	Level of Impact
3	HEARTSEASE CHAPEL	CHAPEL	Low

Table 5: Impacts on Non-statutory buildings of local importance

9.6 Registered Parks & Gardens and their essential settings.

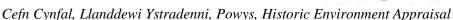
There are no Registered Parks and Gardens within the revised study area.

9.7 Registered Historic Landscapes

The development site does not lie in a Registered Historic Landscape.

9.8 Non-registered Historic Landscapes

There are no Non-Registered Historic Landscapes in this area.





9.9 LANDMAP and landscape characterisation information

The proposed turbine would stand in the extensive Llandewi (sic) LANDMAP Historic Landscape Aspect Area (RDNRHL996), which extends across the hills to the west and east of the Ithon valley to the north of Crossgates, Powys. The area is has a Moderate overall evaluation and has been described thus;

"Undulating lowland basin of the middle Ithon north of Crossgates, with predominantly irregular, medium- to large-sized fields with hedged boundaries, encompassing a number of small areas of enclosed 19th-century lowland commons. Small medieval nucleated church settlement at Llanddewi Ystradenni and post-medieval roadside settlement at Penybont. Dispersed farmsteads of late medieval and post-medieval origin and nonconformist chapels. Early rural industry represented by small stone quarries, and corn mills and fulling mills. Small blocks of broadleaved woodland on steeper slopes and along watercourses."

The proposed turbine would not have an adverse, direct impact on the archaeology of the Aspect Area.

9.10 Conservation Area

There are no Conservation Areas within the revised study area.

9.11 Tir Gofal interests or requirements

No Tir Gofal interests were identified.

9.12 Buried archaeological potential

During the field visit, no physical, visible evidence was noted suggestive of significant buried archaeology at the proposed development site. There is also no documentary, cartographic or aerial photographic evidence of buried archaeology at the proposed location for the turbine.

9.13 Palaeoenvironmental potential

No palaeoenvironmental potential can be identified at the Abernac turbine site. It is situated in a pasture field which is well-drained.

9.14 Hedgerows and field patterns

The proposed development would be located in a pasture field, which seems to have become enclosed by the 19th century and has been subdivided to create the present field parcel since the time of the 1839 parish tithe map. Mitigation is thought necessary to ensure that the proposed development does not pose an adverse impact on any field boundary banks within the field system.

9.15 Ancient woodland

There are 17 Ancient and Semi-natural Woodlands within the appraisal area, as well as 3 examples of plantations on land formerly occupied by Ancient and Semi-natural Woodlands. Two of these woodlands are in close proximity to the proposed turbine site. The nearest is Coed Lladron, a plantation over a former Ancient and Semi-natural Woodland. Coed Lladron occupies the north-facing slope immediately to the north of the turbine site. No element of the development will interfere directly with this woodland. Horsefield Wood, which is an Ancient and Semi-natural Woodland, lies close to Cefn



Cynfal farm, some 750 metres downslope to the west-southwest of the turbine site, and would not be directly affected by the development.

9.16 Place-names

There are no significant place-names closely associated with the proposed turbine site.

9.17 Cumulative impact

- 9.17.1 There are currently two working wind turbines within the 2.5km appraisal area. These are a 40m to blade tip turbine at Dolidre 2.1km to the southwest (SO1112867917) and a smaller turbine at Caergynant 1.6km to the south-southwest (SO1209067500). It is likely that the Cefn Cynfal turbine and the Dolidre turbine would be visible together when viewed from the Ithon valley to the southwest, but the nature of the local landscape would suggest that they would not be visible together from the north or east.
- 9.17.2 Other working turbines were visible from the proposed turbine site at Cefn Cynfal, but these lay well outside the 2.5km appraisal area. The most clearly visible of these is a turbine to the southeast, beyond Llanfihangel Rhydithon, approximately 4km from the Cefn Cynfal site. This latter turbine sits well below the skyline, as the uplands of the Great Radnor Forest rise behind it.
- 9.17.3 It is not thought that the Dolidre, Caergynant and proposed Cefn Cynfal turbines would be visible in the same view from any of the three scheduled hillforts. Public access is only possible to the Cwm y Gaer Hillfort (ID number 15). From the public footpath, the Cefn Cynfal site would be visible from the eastern side of the fort and the Dolidre turbine from the western side of the fort, but there would be no point where both could be seen together by those using the footpath.

9.18 National Park

Cefn Cynfal is not situated close to any National Park.



10. Impacts on Scheduled Ancient Monuments within the Revised Appraisal Area

10.1 Particular interest has been noted as to the potential effects the proposed Cefn Cynfal turbine would have on a series of three scheduled Iron Age hillforts which occupy hilltops to the north and east-northeast of the development site. This section gives consideration to the impacts the development would have on each hillfort, especially on the settings of each of the scheduled monuments.

10.2 Cwmharan (SAM No. RD094; PRN 1107; ID number 18)

This is the furthest of the three hillforts from the proposed turbine site. It occupies a hilltop which reached 318 metres in altitude, some 2.2km to the east-northeast.

- 10.2.1 There would be an unimpeded view from the hillfort to the wind turbine.
- 10.2.2 There is currently no public access to this site.
- 10.2.3 The development would only cause a Low, indirect, visual impact for this hillfort as the two locations are over 2km apart.
- 10.2.4 The turbine would not affect local views of the hillfort and would not affect its essential setting.
- 10.2.5 The Cefn Cynfal turbine would not interrupt views between this hillfort and those at Gaer and Cwm Cefn y Gaer to the west.



Plate 1: The arrow marks the location of the Cwmharan hillfort, looking east-northeastwards from boundary bank ID number 13 at the proposed turbine site.



10.3 Cwm Cefn y Gaer (Sam No. RD011; PRN 270; ID number 15)

This is the closest of the three hillforts to the proposed turbine. It occupies the top of the broad ridge that defines the northern side of the Cwm Cefn y Gaer valley, which rises up to 384 metres inside the hillfort, a little over 1km from the proposed development site.

- 10.3.1 There would be an unimpeded view of the turbine from parts of the hillfort, most notably the eastern end and southern side of the enclosure.
- 10.3.2 This is the only one of the three hillforts which has public access, via a public footpath which runs east-northeast to south-southwest through the northern side of the enclosure.
- 10.3.3 The turbine would not affect local views of the hillfort and would not affect its essential setting. It is important to note that the southern side of the hillfort, which would face the proposed turbine, lies above a very steep valley side and the defences along this side were very weak and unimposing. When viewed from the proposed turbine site, the hillfort is barely visible. The defences are stronger and more imposing at the eastern and western ends of the hillfort, where entrances into the enclosure are found, and along the northern edge of the fort, where a ditch and counterscarp bank can still be seen outside a very substantial rampart. This hillfort was clearly positioned and constructed to make an impression when viewed from lower ground to the north. The turbine would not be visible from the north, as it would be hidden by the high ridge of Cwm Cefn y Gaer.
- 10.3.4 Overall, the development would have a Moderate impact on this hillfort. This is largely due to the indirect, visual impact caused by the relatively close proximity of the turbine, at just over 1km. The turbine would be clearly visible from within the south half of the hillfort enclosure.
- 10.3.5 In terms of setting, the impact of the development would be Low in relation to this hillfort. The turbine would not interrupt the essential setting of the monument when viewed from the north, which would appear to have been the key viewpoint when the site was in use. It would also not impact on views of the strong defences around the entrances at the eastern and western end of the hillfort. It would be hidden completely from view for anyone viewing the entrance at the western end of the fort and only visible to the south-southeast for anyone viewing the hillfort from the east.
- 10.3.6 The Cefn Cynfal turbine would not interrupt views between this hillfort and those at Gaer, to the west, and Cwmharan, to the east.



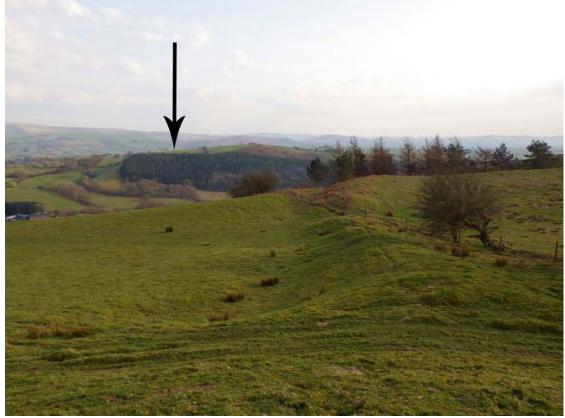


Plate 2: The view south from the eastern entrance into Cwm Cefn y Gaer hillfort.

The arrow marks the proposed turbine site.



Plate 3: The view south from the western entrance into the Cwm Cefn y Gaer hillfort. The Cefn Cynfal site would not be visible from here, but the existing Dolidre turbine can be seen below.





10.4 Gaer (SAM No.RD093; PRN 271; ID number 16)

This is the westernmost of the three hillforts in relation to the proposed turbine site. It occupies the top of a conical hill that rises from the broad ridge which defines the northern side of the Cwm Cefn y Gaer valley. Clear views are gained from this hill across the Ithon valley to the west. The hill rises to 417m inside the hillfort, which lies about 1.5km from the proposed development site.

- 10.4.1 There would be an unimpeded view of the turbine from parts of the hillfort, most notably the eastern end and southern side of the enclosure. The shape of the hilltop means that there would be no view of the turbine from the northwestern quadrant of the hillfort enclosure.
- 10.4.2 There is no public access to this hillfort. A public footpath runs from the Cwm Cefn y Gaer hillfort to the east and drops downslope to the 350m contour across the slope beneath the southern side of the hillfort.
- 10.4.3 The turbine would not affect local views of the hillfort and would not affect its essential setting. It is important to note that the defences along the southern side of the hillfort are weak and unimposing. The defences are stronger and more imposing along the northern edge of the fort. Like the neighbouring Cwm Cefn y Gaer hillfort, Gaer was clearly positioned and constructed to make an impression when viewed from lower ground to the north or northwest, including the upper Ithon valley. The turbine would not be visible from the north, as it would be hidden by the hill on which the Gaer sits, as well as the high ridge of Cwm Cefn y Gaer.
- 10.4.4 Overall, the development would have a Moderate impact on this hillfort. This is largely due to the indirect, visual impact caused by the relatively close proximity of the turbine. The turbine would be visible from within the southern and eastern sides of the hillfort enclosure.
- 10.4.5 In terms of setting, the impact of the development would be Low in relation to this hillfort. The turbine would not interrupt the essential setting of the monument when viewed from the north or northwest, which would appear to have been the key viewpoints when the site was in use. Good views of the Gaer are also possible from the public footpath in the area around the western entrance into the neighbouring Cwm Cefn y Gaer fort. The turbine would not interfere with these views.
- 10.4.6 The Cefn Cynfal turbine would not interrupt views between this hillfort and those at Cwm Cefn y Gaer and Cwmharan to the east.





Plate 4: The view westwards from the western entrance of Cwm Cefn y Gaer hillfort, looking towards Gaer. The stronger defences on the northern side of the Gaer hillfort can be seen.

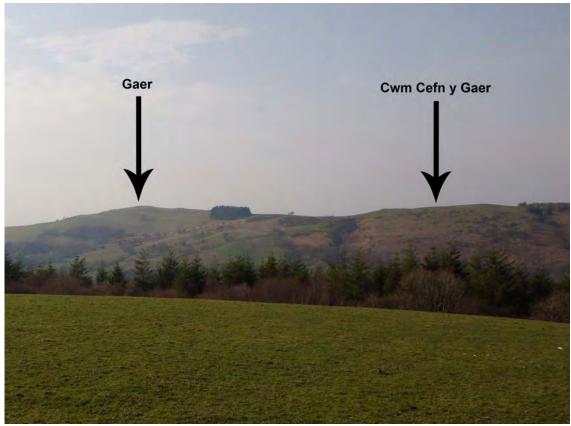


Plate 5: The arrow marks the location of the Gaer and Cwm Cefn y Gaer hillforts, looking north-northwest from the proposed turbine site.





Plate 6: The arrows mark the location of the Gaer and Cwm Cefn y Gaer hillforts, viewed from the north.



11. Conclusion

- 11.1 The only archaeological mitigation thought necessary for this development is to ensure that minimal disruption is caused to the field boundary banks around the turbine site and along the course of the access trackway and cable trench. This includes
 - boring beneath boundaries to allow the cable to pass below them
 - using existing gateways or eroded gaps in boundary banks for the access track
 - ensuring that the turbine hardstanding is to the north of field bank ID number 13 and that the associated groundworks do not damage this bank. Ideally the substation building should also lie to the north of this bank, but if it is positioned to the south, then steps should be taken to avoid removing any section of the bank i.e. by boring the cable trench beneath the bank.
- 11.2 Care should be taken not to damage or interfere with any of the standing structures at old Cefn Cynfal farmstead (ID number 4), where the farmyard area will be used as an access point to a borrow pit associated with the development.
- 11.3 There will be no impact on any listed buildings in the revised appraisal area.
- 11.4 There will an indirect, visual impact on three Scheduled Ancient Monuments. Two of these (Gaer ID, number 16 and Cwm Cefn y Gaer, ID number 15) would experience a Moderate indirect, visual impact, but the impact of the development on their settings is considered to be Low, with no impact on significant views or essential settings. The third SAM (Cwmharan, ID number 18) is further from the development site and would only experience a Low indirect, visual impact, with no impact on its setting or significant views.
- 11.5 In total, 46 of the 104 historic assets included in the appraisal dataset would experience some form of impact;
 - 34 of these would experience Very Low, indirect, visual impact
 - 8 would experience a Low, indirect, visual impact
 - 2 would experience a Moderate, indirect, visual impact
 - 1 would experience a Moderate, direct, physical impact. This is the Cefn Cynfal boundary bank ID number 13, and mitigation can reduce or avoid this impact.
 - One would experience a High, direct, physical impact. This is the Cefn Cynfal trackway (ID number 5), but it will only be upgraded as a new trackway and not lost in its entirety.

12. Reporting

12.1 Copies of this report will be provided to the client and the Regional Historic Environment Record.



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Appendix A: Cefn Cynfal Impacts



ID number: 1 CEFN CYNFAL BANK (EARTHWORK)

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The proposed turbine would be visible from this

location, but the bank is no longer functioning and is not a prominent feature in the landscape, therefore the visual impact caused should be

considered to be minimal.

ID number: 2 BWLCH FARMSTEAD

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Low The proposed turbine would be visible c.200m

upslope to the west-southwest, but a steep slope and mature trees and hedgerows would be likely to screen much of the view from the former

farmstead site.

ID number: 3 HEARTSEASE CHAPEL CHAPEL

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Low The proposed turbine would be visible from the

southern side of this chapel, but its presence some 900 metres away to the southwest would not impact significantly on the setting of the building and it would not be visible from the north of the building, or in essential views of the attractive chapel façade from the east or

southeast.

ID number: 4 CEFN CYNFAL FARMSTEAD

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None It seems unlikely that the proposed turbine

would be visible from this location as steep, wooded slope lies just to the northeast of the farmyard, blocking views towards the turbine

site.

ID number: 5 CEFN CYNFAL TRACKWAY

Is there a Direct Impact: Yes This trackway will be upgraded as a section of

the access track to the proposed turbine site.

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes

The turbine will be visible from the trackway

Overall Impact: High The conversion of this trackway into an access

track for the proposed turbine will include

widening and metalling.



ID number: 6 CEFN CYNFAL FARMSTEAD

Is there a Direct Impact: Yes Construction of access track and other

groundworks such as cable trenches.

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Construction/excavation of trackway and cable

trenches could see some minor damage to

historic field boundaries.

Overall Impact: Low It seems unlikely that the proposed turbine

would be intervisible from this location. Some direct impacts would be felt on three field boundary banks and an existing farm trackway. Construction/excavation of trackway and cable

trenches could see some minor damage to

historic field boundaries.

ID number: 7 CEFN CYNFAL FIELD BOUNDARY

Is there a Direct Impact: Yes A section of the boundary could be removed to

widen an existing gate to create an access track

to the proposed turbine site

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Low Although it is possible that the widening of an

existing gateway may be required for the access trackway to the turbine site, only a small section of the boundary bank would be affected, with

most of the bank remaining intact.

ID number: 8 CEFN CYNFAL FIELD BOUNDARY

Is there a Direct Impact: Yes A section of the boundary could be removed to

allow an access track to the proposed turbine site

to pass into the next field to the east

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The access track to the proposed turbine would

have to cross this boundary, although a gap in the boundary bank already exists to allow the existing trackway to gain access to the next field. If this gap is used again, there would be

minimal impact on the boundary bank.

ID number: 9 CEFN CYNFAL FIELD BOUNDARY

Is there a Direct Impact: Yes A section of the boundary could be removed to

allow an access track to the proposed turbine site

to pass into the next field to the east

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Low The access track to the proposed turbine would

have to cross this boundary to allow the an access trackway to reach the proposed turbine

site.



ID number: 10 CEFN CYNFAL FARMHOUSE

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None This dwelling has been deserted for several

decades. It was not seen when the field visit was undertaken and its present condition is not known, although it is not occupied. Mature trees and rising ground to the northeast would screen any view of the proposed turbine from this

location.

ID number: 11 CEFN CYNFAL CART SHED

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None Trees and a steep slope to the east of the

farmyard seem likely to block views of the

proposed turbine from this location.

ID number: 12 CEFN CYNFAL COW HOUSE

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None Trees and a steep slope to the east of the

farmyard seem likely to block views of the

proposed turbine from this location.

ID number: 13 CEFN CYNFAL BANK (EARTHWORK)

Is there a Direct Impact: Yes This bank lies close to the proposed turbine and

could experience physical impacts during construction unless mitigation is put in place Vehicles and machinery could damage the bank

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Vehicles and machinery could damage the bank

during construction unless steps are taken to

protect its integrity

Overall Impact: Moderate This bank lies immediately alongside the

proposed turbine, its hardstanding area, access track, cable trench and substation building. Mitigation is required to ensure there is no loss

or damage cause to this bank during

construction.

ID number: 14 CEFN CYNFAL BARN

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None This building no longer exists.



ID number: 15 CWM CEFN Y GAER HILLFORT

Is there a Direct Impact:

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes

Overall Impact: Moderate

Intervisibility

The visual impact of the turbine will vary at different points around the monument. The proposed turbine would be clearly visible from the southern side and eastern end of this hillfort. Views of the turbine would probably be lost from much of the interior and along the northern and western sides, as the ground rises within the hillfort and blocks southward views to some extent

The turbine would not have an impact on the essential views of the monument, which are from the east, west and, more especially, the north. The ramparts are at their most impressive when viewed from the lower ground to the north, from where the turbine would not be visible. Due to the weak defences along the southern side of the hillfort, it is all but invisible when viewed from the south, therefore the turbine would not impact on an essential view from that direction.

16 ID number: **GAER** HILLFORT

> Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Moderate The visual impact of the turbine, almost 1.5km

to the southeast, will vary at different points around the monument. The proposed turbine would be clearly visible from the southern side and eastern end of the hillfort. The nature of the hill means that views would be blocked from the

northern and western slopes.

The turbine would not have an impact on the essential views of the monument, which are from the east, west and the north. The ramparts are at their most impressive when viewed from the lower ground to the north and east, from where the turbine would not be visible. The defences along the southern side of the hillfort are slight and the monument is not obvious when viewed from the south, therefore the turbine would not impact on an essential view from that direction.



ID number: 17 TY DU STONE STANDING STONE

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None This stone has been reported as being destroyed

in 1939 and its location has not been accurately

plotted.

ID number: 18 CWMHARAN HILLFORT

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Low The proposed turbine would be visible c2.1km

to the west-southwest.

ID number: **19** CAE GAER HILLFORT?

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None No archaeological features have been identified

in association with this "gaer" placename.

ID number: 20 GREAT DOLAU FIELD SYSTEM

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine is unlikely to be visible

from this location as the land rises up to 70m higher between this site and the development

site.

ID number: 21 DOLAU FINDSPOT

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None This find has been removed and no

archaeological features have been recorded at

the findspot.

ID number: 22 DOL Y DRE BOUNDARY BANK

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine is unlikely to be visible

from this location.



ID number: 23 FARHALL FARM FINDSPOT

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The spindle whorl has been removed and there

are no recorded archaeological features

associated with the findspot.

ID number: 24 WARREN BANK FIELD SYSTEM

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None Insufficient information is available as to the

precise location of these features. If they are situated on the northern or northeastern slope of Warren Bank, they would not be intervisible

with the proposed turbine.

ID number: 25 LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI CHURCHYARD

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine is unlikely to be visible

from the churchyard. Mature trees screen the

view eastwards.

ID number: 26 LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI EARTHWORK

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine is unlikely to be visible

from this location.

ID number: 27 DOLAU SETTLEMENT

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine seems unlikely to be

visible from most of the area around Dolau.

ID number: 28 LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI VILLAGE

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Probable intermittent visibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The top of the proposed turbine may just be

visible 1.9km to the east, but only from limited parts of the village. Buildings and trees will screen much of the view eastwards. The development would not affect the setting of the

settlement or its historic buildings.



ID number: 29 ST. DAVID'S CHURCH, CHURCH

LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine is unlikely to be visible

from the church. Mature trees screen the view

eastwards.

ID number: 30 LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI CORN MILL

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine would not be visible from

this location.

ID number: 31 LLANDDEWI HALL SAW MILL

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None

ID number: 32 DOLAU MOUND

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine would not be visible from

this location.

ID number: 33 FARHALL HOUSE FARMHOUSE

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine would not be visible from

this location.

ID number: 34 LLANDDEWI HALL COUNTRY HOUSE

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None It is unlikely that the proposed turbine would be

visible from this location as the view eastwards

is screened by mature trees.



ID number: 35 HEARTSEASE QUARRY

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The top of the proposed turbine would be visible

from this location, 930m away, but with minimal visual impact on this old and minor quarry

working.

ID number: **36** POYNING QUARRY

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The proposed turbine would be visible from this

quarry, although trees would screen the view and the development would not affect the setting

of this minor feature.

ID number: 37 CWM QUARRY QUARRY

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine would not be visible from

this location as higher ground blocks the view

towards the southwest.

ID number: 38 DOLAU HOUSE HOUSE

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None It seems unlikely that the proposed turbine

would be visible from this location. The house has a southwestern aspect, facing away from the turbine site, 2.2km away to the north-northwest.

ID number: 39 LLANFIHANGEL CORN MILL

RHYDITHON

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The location of this corn mill has apparently not

been accurately plotted.

ID number: 40 GAER HUT PLATFORM

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Low The proposed turbine would be visible 1.5km to

the southeast. It would have some visual impact but would not affect the setting of this feature or

its relationship with the hillfort.



ID number: 41 LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI CORN MILL

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The location of the mill recorded in the HER is

not known and the grid-reference give to the site

seems to be inaccurate.

ID number: 42 LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI BRIDGE

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The proposed turbine would be visible 2.4km to

the east-northeast but would have only minimal

visual impact on the bridge.

ID number: 43 DOL Y DRE BARN

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine would not be visible from

this location.

ID number: 44 LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI MILESTONE

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine would not be visible from

this location.

ID number: 45 LLANDDEWI HALL OUTBUILDING

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine would not be visible from

this location.

ID number: 46 CWM CEFN Y GAER CULTIVATION MARKS

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The top of the turbine would be visible over the

hill to the south of this location, but any visual

impact caused would be slight.



ID number: 47 CWM CEFN Y GAER **OUARRY**

Is there a Direct Impact:

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: The proposed turbine would be visible from this Very Low

> location, 1.1km to the southeast, but its visual impact on this minor feature would be slight.

ID number: CWM CEFN Y GAER **POND**

Is there a Direct Impact:

Intervisibility Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes

Overall Impact: Very Low The top of the turbine would be visible over the

hill to the south of this location, but any visual

impact caused would be slight.

ID number: 49 **CWM WOOD** FARMSTEAD?

> Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The top of the turbine would be visible over the

hill to the south of this location, but any visual

impact caused would be slight.

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CWM CEFN Y GAER **CULTIVATION MARKS** ID number: 50

Is there a Direct Impact:

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low It is possible that the top of the turbine would be

> visible over the hill to the south of this location. but any visual impact caused would be slight.

ID number: 51 CWM CEFN Y GAER **ENCLOSURE**

Is there a Direct Impact:

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Possible intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low It is possible that the top of the turbine would be

> visible over the hill to the south of this location, but any visual impact caused would be slight.

ID number: 52 CWM CEFN Y GAER

BANK (EARTHWORK)

Is there a Direct Impact:

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

The top of the turbine would be visible over the Overall Impact: Very Low

hill to the south of this location, but any visual

impact caused would be slight.



ID number: 53 CWM CEFN Y GAER TRACKWAY

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The top of the turbine may be visible from the

southern end of the track but it would probably be out of view further north as a steep slope and

woodland intervene.

ID number: 54 BWLCH TRACKWAY

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine is unlikely to be visible

from this section of the trackway as mature trees will block much of the view to the southwest.

ID number: 55 BWLCH BUILDING

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Low The top of the proposed turbine is likely to be

visible from this location as they would be only 220m apart, although as steep slope and mature hedgerows would screen much of the view.

ID number: 56 CWM CEFN Y GAER COW HOUSE

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The top of the turbine would be visible over the

hill to the south of this location, but any visual

impact caused would be slight.

ID number: 57 CWM CEFN Y GAER THRESHING BARN

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The top of the turbine would be visible over the

hill to the south of this location, but any visual

impact caused would be slight.

ID number: 58 CWM CEFN Y GAER CART SHED

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The top of the turbine would be visible over the

hill to the south of this location, but any visual

impact caused would be slight.



ID number: 59 CWM CEFN Y GAER BUILDING

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The top of the turbine would be visible over the

hill to the south of this location, but any visual

impact caused would be slight.

ID number: 60 LOWER SIGN COW HOUSE

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine is unlikely to be visible

from this building.

ID number: 61 LOWER SIGN BARN

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine is unlikely to be visible

from this building.

ID number: 62 UPPER SIGN BARN

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The proposed turbine is likely to be visible from

this building, 1.9km to the west-southwest.

ID number: 63 UPPER SIGN COW HOUSE

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine, 1.9km to the west, would

not be visible from this building, which faces

north, away from the turbine site.

ID number: 64 UPPER SIGN FARMHOUSE

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine, 1.9km to the west, would

not be visible from this dwelling, which faces south, away from the turbine site, and a farm building and mature trees screen views to the

west.



ID number: 65 UPPER SIGN COW HOUSE

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine, 1.9km to the west, would

not be visible from this cow shed, which faces south, away from the turbine site, and a farm building and mature trees screen views to the

west.

ID number: 66 CWMSAIS DESERTED RURAL

SETTLEMENT

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None A slight rise in the ground to the west and

hedgerows topped with mature trees are likely to block any view towards the proposed turbine.

ID number: 67 CWMSAIS TRACKWAY

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine is unlikely to be visible

from this location as mature trees screen the

view from here.

ID number: 68 MIDDLE HOUSE COTTAGE

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None This cottage was demolished before the 1970s.

ID number: 69 STONE HOUSE COTTAGE

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None Mature trees would block the view

southwestwards in the direction of the proposed

turbine.

ID number: **70** THE BANK COTTAGE

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None Mature trees would block the view

southwestwards in the direction of the proposed

turbine.



ID number: 71 THE BANK FIELD SYSTEM

> Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The proposed turbine would be visible from

> parts of the field system but the visual impact would be minimal given the presence of mature trees on many hedgerows which limit local

views.

ID number: 72 THE BANK **QUARRY**

> Is there a Direct Impact: No

> Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: The quarry lies in a stream valley. None

ID number: CASTLE PREN **OUARRY**

> Is there a Direct Impact: No Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine, nearly 2km to the west,

would be blocked from view by a conifer

plantation close to the quarry.

ID number: 74 **UPPER SIGN CULTIVATION MARKS**

> Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: The proposed turbine would be visible 1.65km Very Low

to the west-southwest.

ID number: 75 LOWER SIGN **CULTIVATION MARKS**

> Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine, almost 2km to the west,

seems unlikely to be visible from here as rising

ground and mature trees screen the view.

ID number: **76 CWMSAIS TRACKWAY**

> Is there a Direct Impact: No Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: Mature trees along the side of the track are likely None

to screen the view towards the proposed turbine.

ID number: 77 WARREN BANK PILLOW MOUND

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The proposed turbine would be visible c.1.8km

to the southwest.

ID number: 78 WARREN BANK PILLOW MOUND

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The proposed turbine would be visible c.1.9km

to the southwest.

ID number: 79 WARREN BANK PILLOW MOUND

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The proposed turbine would be visible c.1.9km

to the southwest.

ID number: 80 WARREN BANK PILLOW MOUND

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The proposed turbine would be visible c.1.9km

to the southwest.

ID number: 81 CASTLE PREN TRACKWAY

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The proposed turbine would be occasionally

visible along the line of this trackway, but at

nearly 2km away to the west.

ID number: 82 WATERSIDE COTTAGE

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None Mature trees would block the view

southwestwards in the direction of the proposed

turbine.

ID number: 83 CWM CEFN Y GAER QUARRY

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The top of the turbine would be visible over the

hill to the south of this location, but any visual

impact caused would be slight.



ID number: 84 CWMWRACH QUARRY

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The turbine would be visible 2.1km to the

north-northeast of this location, but any visual

impact caused would be slight.

ID number: 85 LLANDDEWI HALL ORCHARD

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None There are no archaeological features associated

with this former orchard.

ID number: **86** TREVOL FARMSTEAD

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine would not be visible from

this location.

ID number: 87 LITTLE HILL GRAVEL PIT

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The top of the proposed turbine may be visible

from this location c.1km to the north, but it would have minimal visual impact on this minor

feature.

ID number: 88 CWM CEFN Y GAER FARMSTEAD

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The top of the turbine would be visible over the

hill to the south of this location, but any visual

impact caused would be slight.

ID number: 89 CILMERI COTTAGE

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine, 1.5km to the north, is

unlikely to be visible from this location as trees

screen the view northwards.



ID number: 90 CWM NANT Y GELLI SHEEP FOLD

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine would not be visible from

this location as higher ground lies between the

two sites.

ID number: 91 WARREN BANK RABBIT WARREN

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The proposed turbine would be visible c.1.8km

to the southwest.

ID number: 92 CWMSAIS FARMHOUSE

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The proposed turbine, 1.6km to the

west-southwest, is likely to be visible from this

location.

ID number: 93 CWMSAIS BARN

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None This structure was demolished in the early 21st

century.

ID number: 94 CWMSAIS STABLE

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None This structure was demolished in the early 21st

century.

ID number: 95 CWMSAIS QUARRY

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine would not be visible from

this location.

ID number: 96 UPPER SIGN FARMSTEAD

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The proposed turbine, 1.9km to the

west-southwest, is likely to be visible from the farmyard area, although trees and buildings may



screen the view to a large extent from most positions.

ID number: 97 LOWER SIGN FARMSTEAD

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None A rise in the ground level and mature trees

screen the view to the west and it is unlikely that the proposed turbine would be visible from here.

ID number: 98 GAER DWELLING

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: Yes Partial intervisibility

Overall Impact: Very Low The proposed turbine would be visible 1.3km to

the southeast, but mature trees around the site

would largely screen the view.

ID number: 99 LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI INSCRIBED STONE

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine would not be visible from

this location.

ID number: 100 WHITE HOUSE COTTAGE

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The cottage was taken down over 60 years ago.

ID number: 101 LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI SUSPENSION BRIDGE

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None This bridge no longer survives.

ID number: 102 HORSEFIELD WOOD ENCLOSURE

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None The proposed turbine would not be visible from

this location, which is hidden in woodland.



ID number: 103 THE WALSH WALL

Is there a Direct Impact: No

Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None This is a buried feature and the proposed turbine

would have no impact on it.

ID number: 104 LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI POST HOLE

Is there a Direct Impact: No
Is there an Indirect Impact: No

Overall Impact: None These buried features were presumably

destroyed upon excavation.



Appendix B:

Site Appraisals Within Study Area



ID number: 1 CEFN CYNFAL BANK (EARTHWORK)

HER PRN: NMR NPRN:

NGR: SO1289868998 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: 0 grade:

Description: This ploughed out field boundary defined the northeastern and southeastern sides of a field

on Cefn Cynfal farm which the 1841 parish census map for Llanddewi Ystradenni shows as field parcel number 1048. The boundary was ploughed out during the 20th century when three fields (numbered as 1045, 1048 and 1051 on the tithe map) were amalgamated into two fields. The boundary bank is still very noticeable on aerial photographs but is less

prominent on the ground.

Rarity: Common Reference: Trysor

Documentation:

Group Value: Part of Cefn Cynfal farm

Evidential Value: Ploughed out earthwork bank

Historical Value: None
Aesthetic Value: None
Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 2 BWLCH FARMSTEAD

HER PRN: NMR NPRN:

NGR: SO1291369125 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Domestic; Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Near Destroyed

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: 0 grade:

Description: This farmstead appears on the Ordnance Survey's Original Surveyors Drawings map of

1817. It is shown in more detail on the 1841 parish tithe map for Llanddewi Ystradenni parish, when two relatively large buildings are shown in close proximity. 19th century census returns show that it was occupied and farmed until the 1860s, but it is absent from the census in 1871 and all subsequent censuses. It is still shown, named as Bwlch, on the 1889 and 1903 1:2500 Ordnance Survey maps, albeit with only two small buildings present, which suggest some use was made of the site into the 20th century, even if it was not lived in. When seen by Trysor in 2014, there were scant remains to show that a group of farm buildings had ever existed here, with the corrugated roof of a much ruined structure

being the main structural evidence.

Rarity: Common Reference: Trysor

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Slight traces of former farm buildings survive

Historical Value: None
Aesthetic Value: None
Communal Value: None



Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 3 HEARTSEASE CHAPEL CHAPEL

HER PRN: NMR NPRN: 8277

NGR: SO1340469595 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Religious Ritual and Funerary

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: 0 grade:

Description: This English Presbyterian chapel was originally built in 1842, but rebuilt in brick in 1902.

It was still in use as a place of worship in 2014.

Rarity: Common Reference: RCAHMW

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Standing building, in use

Historical Value: None Aesthetic Value: None

Communal Value: Place of worship
Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 4 CEFN CYNFAL FARMSTEAD

HER PRN: NMR NPRN: 98144

NGR: SO1238068670 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Complex Condition: Various

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: 0 grade:

Description: The site of the pre-20th century farmstead of Cefn Cynfal. It has a range of 19th century

farm buildings. In 1992 the RCAHMW also described a 17th century "platformed and

timber-framed farmhouse" here.

Rarity: Common

Reference: RCAHMW;Trysor

Documentation:

Group Value: Several farm buildings still stand

Evidential Value: Standing buildings, in use

Historical Value: NoneAesthetic Value: NoneCommunal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 5 CEFN CYNFAL TRACKWAY



HER PRN: NMR NPRN:

NGR: SO1252668810 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Transport

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: 0 grade:

Description: This farm trackway crosses a pasture field. It is little more than a linear earthwork, being

neither metalled nor defined by fences or earthwork banks. It follows the line of what appears to be a boundary bank shown on the 1841 parish tithe map for Cefn Cynfal farm (separating field parcels numbers 815 and 816). This feature is shown as a trackway on the

1889 1:2500 scale Ordnance Survey map.

Rarity: Common Reference: Trysor

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Linear earthwork

Historical Value: None
Aesthetic Value: None
Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 6 CEFN CYNFAL FARMSTEAD

HER PRN: NMR NPRN:

NGR: SO1215968756 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence; Domestic

Period: Modern

Form: Complex Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: 0 grade:

Description: This farmhouse and associated agricultural buildings does not appear on Ordnance Survey maps until the 1973-1973 edition of the 1:2500 map series. It replaced the earlier house

and buildings of the original Cefn Cynfal farmstead, which lies just over 200 metres to the

east-southeast.

Rarity: Common Reference: Trysor

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Working farm in 2014

Historical Value: NoneAesthetic Value: NoneCommunal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 7 CEFN CYNFAL FIELD BOUNDARY

HER PRN: NMR NPRN:

NGR: SO1248968764 Grid reference taken at centre of site



Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition:

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: 0 grade:

Description: This field boundary defines the southern edge of a field on Cefn Cynfal farm. The 1841

parish census map for Llanddewi Ystradenni shows the field as parcel number 816, a field which has since been merged with parcel 815 on the tithe map to form a larger land parcel. The boundary consists of an earth bank and hedgerow and it divides the field from a minor

road which runs along its southern side.

Rarity: Common Reference: Trysor

Documentation:

Group Value: Part of Cefn Cynfal farm

Evidential Value: Earthwork bank

Historical Value: None
Aesthetic Value: None
Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 8 CEFN CYNFAL FIELD BOUNDARY

HER PRN: NMR NPRN:

NGR: SO1259768835 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition:

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: 0 grade:

Description: This field boundary defines the western edge of a field on Cefn Cynfal farm. The 1841

parish census map for Llanddewi Ystradenni shows the boundary dividing parcel number 817, to the east, from fields 815 and 816 to the west. The boundary consists of an earth bank and hedgerow. A gap already exists which is sufficient for an existing farm track to

pass from east to west through the boundary.

Rarity: Common Reference: Trysor

Documentation:

Group Value: Part of Cefn Cynfal farm

Evidential Value: Earthwork bank

Historical Value: NoneAesthetic Value: NoneCommunal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 9 CEFN CYNFAL FIELD BOUNDARY

HER PRN: NMR NPRN:

NGR: SO1270068927 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence



Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork *Condition:*

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: 0 grade:

Description: This field boundary defines the eastern edge of a field on Cefn Cynfal farm. The 1841

parish census map for Llanddewi Ystradenni shows the boundary dividing parcel number 817, to the west, from fields 1049 and 1047 to the west. The boundary consists of an earth bank and hedgerow, which run along the top edge of a step down from the field to the east

into the field to the west.

Rarity: Common Reference: Trysor

Documentation:

Group Value: Part of Cefn Cynfal farm

Evidential Value: Earthwork bank

Historical Value: None
Aesthetic Value: None
Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 10 CEFN CYNFAL FARMHOUSE

HER PRN: NMR NPRN: 81786

NGR: SO1240168669 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Domestic

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: 0 grade:

Description: This former farmhouse was described by the RCAHMW in 2001 as a "substantial

three-unit, timber-framed, storeyed farmhouse with a C17 core, including a stone-built end chimney and fireplace stair. The house was reframed c. 1800 beyond the hall/kitchen partition." The house had been empty for some time as a new farmhouse was built to the

west by the early 1970s. It is thought that the house remains unoccupied.

Rarity: Common Reference: RCAHMW

Documentation:

Group Value: Part of the original farmstead at Cefn Cynfal

Evidential Value: Standing building

Historical Value: Described by the RCAHMW in 1992

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 11 CEFN CYNFAL CART SHED

HER PRN: NMR NPRN: 98143

NGR: SO1235268676 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Transport

Period: Post Medieval



Form: Building Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: 0 grade:

Description: This building was described by the RCAHMW in 1992 as a "wainhouse with granary over"

and a cowshed or stable at the northern end. It stands at the western side of the yard at the

original Cefn Cynfal farmstead.

Rarity: Common Reference: RCAHMW

Documentation:

Group Value: Part of the original farmstead at Cefn Cynfal

Evidential Value: Standing building

Historical Value: Described by the RCAHMW in 1992

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 12 CEFN CYNFAL COW HOUSE

HER PRN: NMR NPRN: 98142

NGR: SO1236268691 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: 0 grade:

Description: This building was described by the RCAHMW in 1992 as a "three-door cow house with

shelter-shed alongside." It stands at the northern side of the yard at the original Cefn

Cynfal farmstead.

Rarity: Common Reference: RCAHMW

Documentation:

Group Value: Part of the original farmstead at Cefn Cynfal

Evidential Value: Standing building

Historical Value: Described by the RCAHMW in 1992

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 13 CEFN CYNFAL BANK (EARTHWORK)

HER PRN: NMR NPRN:

NGR: SO1275168935 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: 0 grade:

Description: This field boundary defines the eastern edge of a field on Cefn Cynfal farm. The 1841

parish census map for Llanddewi Ystradenni shows the boundary dividing parcel number 1049 from fields 1048 and 1047 to the southwest. The boundary consists of a denuded



earthwork bank, which no longer has a hedgerow growing along it.

Rarity: Common Reference: Trysor

Documentation:

Group Value: Part of Cefn Cynfal farm
Evidential Value: Denuded earthwork bank

Historical Value: None
Aesthetic Value: None
Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 14 CEFN CYNFAL BARN

HER PRN: NMR NPRN: 98141

NGR: SO1235768650 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: 0 grade:

Description: According to the RCAHMW this building was demolished before 1992, but was said to

have been a five-bay barn. It is shown on late 19th century Ordnance Survey maps as a long, narrow building at the southern edge of the yard at the original Cefn Cynfal farmstead. A modern agricultural building now stands on approximately the same site.

Rarity: Common Reference: RCAHMW

Documentation:

Group Value: Part of the original farmstead at Cefn Cynfal Evidential Value: Historic mapping and documentary sources

Historical Value: Described by RCAHMW

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 15 CWM CEFN Y GAER HILLFORT

HER PRN: 270 *NMR NPRN*:

NGR: SO1209870035 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Defence

Period: Iron Age

Form: Earthwork Condition: Various

Site Status: Scheduled Ancient SAM number: RD011 LB number: grade:

Monument

Description: This is a large, univallate hillfort, which measures c.10 acres in area. It sits on a broad and

relatively flat ridgetop, with steep slopes falling away to the south and north. The defences are strongest to the northern side, where a the substantial earth bank has an external ditch and counterscarp bank in places. The slope is much steeper to the south and for this reason the defences along the southern edge appear to have been less substantial. There were originally entrances at the east and west ends of the fort. There may be a small outwork



outside the eastern entrance.

Rarity: Not rare

Reference: Powys HER;Trysor;NMR

Documentation:

Group Value: One of three hillforts in close proximity

Evidential Value: Denuded earthwork site

Historical Value:Described in archaeological sourcesAesthetic Value:Photographic record held by the HER

Communal Value: Publicly accessible by footpath

Significance: Nationally Important

ID number: 16 GAER HILLFORT

HER PRN: 271 **NMR NPRN:** 306136

NGR: SO1144769911 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Defence

Period: Iron Age

Form: Earthwork Condition: Various

Site Status: Scheduled Ancient SAM number: RD093 LB number: grade:

Monument

Description: A multivallate contour fort which occupies a prominent hill to the east of the Ithon valley.

It has an inner and outer enclosure, but it is not certain whether these are contemporary

features.

Rarity: Not rare

Reference: Powys HER; Trysor; NMR

Documentation:

Group Value: One of three hillforts in close proximity

Evidential Value: Denuded earthwork site

Historical Value: Described in archaeological sources
Aesthetic Value: Photographic record held by the HER

Communal Value: None

Significance: Nationally Important

ID number: 17 TY DU STONE STANDING STONE

 HER PRN:
 275 NMR NPRN:

 NGR:
 SO13306663 Unknown

Broadclass: Religious Ritual and Funerary

Period: Bronze Age

Form: Other Structure Condition: Destroyed

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A standing stone reported here is said to have fallen into the stream due to erosion in 1939

and to have been lost. No such stone is shown on the 1889 and 1903 1:2500 OS maps.

Rarity: Not rare
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:



Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Documentary sources

Historical Value: NoneAesthetic Value: NoneCommunal Value: NoneSignificance: Unknown

ID number: 18 CWMHARAN HILLFORT

HER PRN: 1107 **NMR NPRN:** 306169

NGR: SO1463070090 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Defence

Period: Iron Age

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: Scheduled Ancient SAM number: RD094 LB number: grade:

Monument

Description: A univallate hillfort.

Rarity: Not rare
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: One of several hillforts in the area

Evidential Value: Represented by denuded earthwork ramparts

Historical Value: Mentioned in archaeological sources

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Nationally Important

ID number: 19 CAE GAER HILLFORT?

HER PRN: 2134 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO11186828 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Defence

Period: Iron Age?

Form: Place-name Condition:

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: This field is known as Cae Gaer but the origin of the Gaer element is not known and there

are no archaeological features recorded to suggest that an Iron Age fort exists here.

Rarity: Not rare
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Place name only

Historical Value: None
Aesthetic Value: None
Communal Value: None



Significance: Unknown

ID number: 20 GREAT DOLAU FIELD SYSTEM

HER PRN: 2461 NMR NPRN:

NGR: SO13656689 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: Denuded traces of a field system were reported here in 1993 by CPAT.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Earthwork feature

Historical Value: NoneAesthetic Value: NoneCommunal Value: NoneSignificance: Unknown

ID number: 21 DOLAU FINDSPOT

HER PRN: 4213 NMR NPRN:

NGR: SO1467 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Object

Period: Roman

Form: Finds Condition: Moved

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A Roman bead was found at Dolau in 1950.

Rarity: Not common Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Documentary source

Historical Value: NoneAesthetic Value: NoneCommunal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 22 DOL Y DRE BOUNDARY BANK

HER PRN: 4214 *NMR NPRN*:

NGR: SO106681 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Monument <By Form>



Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: Thought originally to be a short-dyke, CPAT have reinterpreted this feature as a probable

post-medieval boundary bank.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Denuded bank

Historical Value: Mentioned in CPAT report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Minor Importance

ID number: 23 FARHALL FARM FINDSPOT

HER PRN: 5230 NMR NPRN:

NGR: SO1450068500 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Object

Period: Iron Age

Form: Finds Condition: Moved

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: An Iron Age spindle whorl was found on land at Farhall Farm, before 1976. It is now kept

at the National Museum of Wales.

Rarity: Not rare
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None
Evidential Value: Findspot

Historical Value: Documented in archaeological sources

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 24 WARREN BANK FIELD SYSTEM

HER PRN: 7009 *NMR NPRN: NGR:* SO14527050 Uncertain

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: It is unclear which features are referred to in this HER record. Earthwork banks forming a field system, a rectilinear structure and overlying ridge and furrow cultivation marks are

described but their extent and exact locations are not specified. They are not visible on

APs.



Rarity: Common Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: Part of the post medieval field system

Evidential Value: Earthworks

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Locally Important Significance:

CHURCHYARD ID number: 25 LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI

HER PRN: 16089 *NMR NPRN*:

NGR: SO10826865 Grid reference taken at centre of site

> **Broadclass:** Religious Ritual and Funerary

Period: Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Intact

grade: Site Status: SAM number: LB number: **Description:**

Llanddewi Ystradenni parish church stands in a sub-circular churchyard which is

suggestive of a medieval or earlier origin.

Rarity: Common Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: Associated with St. David's parish church

Evidential Value: Churchyard in use

Historical Value: Mentioned in archaeological reports

Aesthetic Value: None

Communal Value: Burial ground Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 26 LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI **EARTHWORK**

HER PRN: 16090 *NMR NPRN*:

NGR: SO10876886 Grid reference taken at centre of site

> **Broadclass:** Monument <By Form>

Period: Unknown

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: Earthworks in a field in Llanddewi Ystradenni village which were described by CPAT as

"unintelligible" in 1993.

Rarity: Common Powys HER Reference:

Documentation:

Group Value: Unknown

Evidential Value: Earthwork features



Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT report

Aesthetic Value: None
Communal Value: None
Significance: Unknown

ID number: 27 DOLAU SETTLEMENT

HER PRN: 16134 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1397167107 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Domestic

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Complex Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: CPAT have recorded this settlement for the loose cluster of farms and dwellings in the area

around Dolau, which is not a nucleated village. Although some modern development lies to the west of the 19th century core. There is a railway station and a small Baptist chapel at

the eastern edge of the hamlet.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: Cluster of dwellings and farms, as well as a chapel and railway station

Evidential Value: Standing buildings

Historical Value: None
Aesthetic Value: None
Communal Value: Settlement

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 28 LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI VILLAGE

HER PRN: 16161 NMR NPRN:

NGR: SO1082568670 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Domestic

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Complex Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A small, rural village in the Ithon valley. It had a medieval church, which was rebuilt in

1890, and the settlement is thought likely to have medieval origins. The 16th century Llanddewi Hall is one of its most prominent buildings. Much of the village is modern

development.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Village including dwellings, a church and 16th century hall

Historical Value: UnknownAesthetic Value: NoneCommunal Value: Settlement



Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 29 ST. DAVID'S CHURCH, CHURCH

LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI

HER PRN: 16822 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO10806863 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Religious Ritual and Funerary

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Restored

Site Status: Listed Building SAM number: LB number: 83356

grade:

Description: This parish church stands in Llanddewi Ystradenni village. It was originally a medieval

church, but was essentially rebuilt in 1890 and most of its medieval detail and fabric was

lost. It remains open as a place of worship in 2014.

Rarity: Common

Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: Part of an historic village
Evidential Value: Standing building, in use

Historical Value: Mentioned in archaeological reports

Aesthetic Value: None

Communal Value: Place of worship
Significance: Nationally Important

ID number: 30 LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI CORN MILL

HER PRN: 17472 **NMR NPRN:** 40302

NGR: SO10726866 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Industrial

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Converted

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A former corn mill, which was in use in the 18th century and worked until 1936. It became

derelict and the remains were incorporated into a modern dwelling in 1973.

Rarity: Not rare
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: Associated with Llanddewi Hall

Evidential Value: Historic mapping

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT report on medieval mills

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important



ID number: 31 LLANDDEWI HALL SAW MILL

HER PRN: 17528 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO10836876 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Industrial

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A saw mill operated here from the 19th century until 1973. It was built in 1860 and had

water powered machinery. The buildings of the complex still stand.

Rarity: Not common Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: Part of a group of buildings at Llanddewi Hall

Evidential Value: Map sources

Historical Value: NoneAesthetic Value: NoneCommunal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 32 DOLAU MOUND

HER PRN: 19274 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO14116709 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Monument <By Form>

Period: Modern?

Form: Earthwork Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A mound can be seen here, with unspecified earthworks also mentioned by CPAT in 1993.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Earthworks in a pasture field

Historical Value: Mentioned in archaeological sources

Aesthetic Value: None
Communal Value: None
Significance: Unknown

ID number: 33 FARHALL HOUSE FARMHOUSE

HER PRN: 20625 **NMR NPRN:** 8117

NGR: SO1444968617 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Domestic

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Intact



Site Status: Listed Building SAM number: LB number: 8801

grade: II*

Description: A farmhouse which was built in 1569-1570 AD. It is T-shaped in plan, has two-storeys

and is listed as a fine example of a house of the period, particularly for its interior detail.

Rarity: Not common
Reference: Cadw;RCAHMW

Documentation:

Group Value: Associated with Farhall Farmstead

Evidential Value: Standing building

Historical Value: Described by Cadw for listing purposes; 16th century sources

Aesthetic Value: Photographs and plans kept at NMR

Communal Value: None

Significance: Nationally Important

ID number: 34 LLANDDEWI HALL COUNTRY HOUSE

HER PRN: 20626 *NMR NPRN*:

NGR: SO1087768700 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Domestic

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Intact

Site Status: Listed Building SAM number: LB number: 8796

grade: II*

Description: A 16th century country house which stands in Llanddewi Ystradenni village.

Rarity: Not common

Reference: Powys HER;RCAHMW

Documentation:

Group Value: Set in its own grounds

Evidential Value: Standing building

Historical Value: Surveyed by the RCAHMW

Aesthetic Value: Survey archive including photographs and plans kept at NMR

Communal Value: None

Significance: Nationally Important

ID number: 35 HEARTSEASE QUARRY

HER PRN: 22615 *NMR NPRN:*

NGR: SO1317169808 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Industrial

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A minor quarry working, shown on the 1889 1:2500 map.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER



Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: The quarry pit is still open at the edge of a pasture field

Historical Value: None
Aesthetic Value: None
Communal Value: None

Significance: Minor Importance

ID number: 36 POYNING QUARRY

HER PRN: 22619 *NMR NPRN:*

NGR: SO1299968391 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Industrial

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A minor quarry working, now overgrown.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Disused quarry

Historical Value: None
Aesthetic Value: None
Communal Value: None

Significance: Minor Importance

ID number: 37 CWM QUARRY QUARRY

HER PRN: 22693 NMR NPRN:

NGR: SO1330770017 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Industrial

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A minor quarry shown on the 1889 1:2500 OS map. It was disused by the early 20th

century. Now grassed over.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Grassed over quarry scoop

Historical Value: None
Aesthetic Value: None
Communal Value: None



Significance: Minor Importance

ID number: 38 DOLAU HOUSE HOUSE

HER PRN: 31466 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1400267105 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Domestic

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Intact

Site Status: Listed Building SAM number: LB number: 9282

grade:

Description: built in the mid-1860s by Thomas Watkins, a local Quaker.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Standing building

Historical Value: Associated with local Quaker Thomas Watkins in the 1860s.

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 39 LLANFIHANGEL RHYDITHON CORN MILL

HER PRN: 34339 *NMR NPRN:*

NGR: SO138668 Unknown

Broadclass: Industrial

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Not Known

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A corn mill of this name is recorded at this location, said to be first mentioned in 1817, but

there is no map or aerial photographic evidence of such a building at the given

grid-reference, which appears to be erroneous.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Documentary source

Historical Value:NoneAesthetic Value:NoneCommunal Value:None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 40 GAER HUT PLATFORM

HER PRN: 34820 NMR NPRN:



NGR: SO11476978 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Domestic

Period: Iron Age

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: An earthwork hut platform within the inner enclosure of the Gaer hillfort. The levelled

area measures 6m x 5.5m and it is located just inside the eastern entrance into the

enclosure.

Rarity: Not common Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: Within Gaer hillfort

Evidential Value: Denuded earthwork

Historical Value: None
Aesthetic Value: None
Communal Value: None

Significance: Nationally Important

ID number: 41 LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI CORN MILL

HER PRN: 34885 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO146684 Unknown

Broadclass: Industrial

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Documents Condition: Not Known

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: The Powys HER records a corn mill of this name at this grid-reference, but there is no

evidence of such a building on historic maps or aerial photos.

Rarity: Not rare
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Documentary sources

Historical Value: NoneAesthetic Value: NoneCommunal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 42 LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI BRIDGE

HER PRN: 34933 *NMR NPRN*:

NGR: SO1045068332 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Transport

Period: Modern

Form: Other Structure Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A concrete bridge built in 1933.



Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Standing structure

Historical Value: NoneAesthetic Value: NoneCommunal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 43 DOL Y DRE BARN

HER PRN: 40576 **NMR NPRN:** 97623

NGR: SO10606781 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Intact

Site Status: Listed Building SAM number: LB number: 83355

grade:

Description: A 17th century, cruck-framed barn, with a later cow house added to it.

Rarity: Not common
Reference: Powys HER;NMR

Documentation:

Group Value: Part of Dol y Dre farmstead

Evidential Value: Standing building

Historical Value: Recorded by the RCAHMW
Aesthetic Value: Survey archive held at the NMR

Communal Value: None

Significance: Nationally Important

ID number: 44 LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI MILESTONE

HER PRN: 40578 *NMR NPRN:*

NGR: SO10406822 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Transport

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Other Structure Condition: Intact

Site Status: Listed Building SAM number: LB number: 83359

grade: II

Description: A milestone alongside the A483, dating to the 19th century.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: One in a series of milestones along this road



Evidential Value: Stone remains in place

Historical Value: None Aesthetic Value: None

Communal Value: Milestone on public road Significance: Nationally Important

ID number: 45 LLANDDEWI HALL OUTBUILDING

HER PRN: 40581 *NMR NPRN*:

NGR: SO10836872 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Intact

Site Status: Listed Building SAM number: LB number: 83362

grade: II

Description: An outbuilding to the western side of the courtyard at Llanddewi Hall, thought to have

been

used originally as a cow house.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: Part of the buildings complex a Llanddewi Hall

Evidential Value: Standing building

Historical Value: Described by Cadw for listing purposes

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Nationally Important

ID number: 46 CWM CEFN Y GAER CULTIVATION

MARKS

HER PRN: 48925 *NMR NPRN*:

NGR: SO1240569801 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: An area of ridge and furrow cultivation was recorded here by CPAT.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Earthwork features

Historical Value: Mentioned in CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: None



Communal Value: None

Significance: Minor Importance

ID number: 47 CWM CEFN Y GAER QUARRY

HER PRN: 48926 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1199069793 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Industrial

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A minor quarry working.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Disused quarry working, grassed over

Historical Value: None
Aesthetic Value: None
Communal Value: None

Significance: Minor Importance

ID number: 48 CWM CEFN Y GAER POND

HER PRN: 48927 *NMR NPRN*:

NGR: SO1262269612 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Water Supply and Drainage

Period: Modern

Form: Earthwork Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A rectilinear pond, created since the 1970s by damming a small stream with an earthen

dam.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Pond still held water in early 21st century

Historical Value: Mentioned in CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Minor Importance

ID number: 49 CWM WOOD FARMSTEAD?



HER PRN: 48928 *NMR NPRN*:

NGR: SO1235169543 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence; Domestic

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: There appear to be at least two buildings here on the 1833 OS map. CPAT recorded at

least two possible building platforms here in 2004. It may well be a farmstead site that was

abandoned by the third quarter of the 19th century.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Earthwork remains

Historical Value: Mentioned in CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 50 CWM CEFN Y GAER CULTIVATION

MARKS

HER PRN: 48929 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1240569437 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A small area of ridge and furrow cultivation was recorded here by CPAT.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Ridge and furrow seen in 2004

Historical Value: Mentioned in CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Minor Importance

ID number: 51 CWM CEFN Y GAER ENCLOSURE

HER PRN: 48930 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1243169251 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged



Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: CPAT described an earthwork enclosure here, c.25m across, to the south of the stream.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Earthwork banks seen in 2004

Historical Value: Mentioned in CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Minor Importance

ID number: 52 CWM CEFN Y GAER BANK (EARTHWORK)

HER PRN: 48931 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1265969441 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Unassigned

Period: Unknown

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A substantial but denuded earthwork bank that runs from the northwest to the east across

the field to the south of the farmyard of Cwm Cefn y Gaer farm. CPAT recorded it as being up to 6 metres wide and 2 -3 metres high in 2004, which suggests it is more than a denuded field bank. The RCAHMW have suggested it may be part of an Iron Age

defended enclosure.

Rarity: Unknown
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Earthwork feature

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: Photographs held in the HER

Communal Value: None Significance: Unknown

ID number: 53 CWM CEFN Y GAER TRACKWAY

HER PRN: 48932 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1278869261 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Transport

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A trackway recorded by CPAT during Tir Gofal fieldwork and classed as a public footpath,

but not shown on historic OS maps. The land is pasture and the line of the trackway is not

obvious in the landscape.

Rarity: Common



Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: The faint line of the path is visible in the field

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: None

Communal Value: Public footpath
Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 54 BWLCH TRACKWAY

HER PRN: 48933 *NMR NPRN*:

NGR: SO1303769247 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Transport

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Near Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: An old trackway that formerly served Bwlch farm.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: Associated with Bwlch Farm

Evidential Value: Footpath defined by earthwork banks

Historical Value: None
Aesthetic Value: None

Communal Value: Public footpath
Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 55 BWLCH BUILDING

HER PRN: 48934 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1291269200 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Destroyed

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: An irregular levelled area has been cut into a fairly steep slope here. It has all the

appearance of a minor quarry but the parish tithe map of c.1841 shows that an L-shaped building stood here, forming part of Bwlch farmstead. The building had been removed by

the time of the 1889 1:2500 OS map.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: Part of Bwlch farmstead

Evidential Value: Earthwork evidence of the terrace created for the building



Historical Value: Shown on the parish tithe map

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Minor Importance

ID number: 56 CWM CEFN Y GAER COW HOUSE

HER PRN: 48935 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1269769540 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A 19th century cow house at the northeastern side of the farmyard, built largely of brick. It

had six stable doors in its southwest elevation but three had been blocked up in modern

times.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: A building at Cwm Cefn y Gaer farmstead

Evidential Value: Standing building

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: Photographs kept in the HER

Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 57 CWM CEFN Y GAER THRESHING BARN

HER PRN: 48936 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1268469548 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A 19th century threshing barn at the northwestern side of the farmyard. It is two storey and

built largely of brick.

Rarity: Not rare
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: A building at Cwm Cefn y Gaer farmstead

Evidential Value: Standing building

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: Photographs kept in the HER

Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important



ID number: 58 CWM CEFN Y GAER CART SHED

HER PRN: 48937 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1267869542 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Transport

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A brick farm building at the northwestern side of the farmyard at Cwm Cefn y Gaer, with weatherboarding forming the upper storey of its southeast-facing wall. The cart shed is on

the ground floor, with a former granary above.

Rarity: Not rare
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: A building at Cwm Cefn y Gaer farmstead

Evidential Value: Standing building

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: Photographs kept in the HER

Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 59 CWM CEFN Y GAER BUILDING

HER PRN: 48938 *NMR NPRN:*

NGR: SO1269869518 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A stone and brick farm building at the southeastern side of the farmyard at Cwm Cefn y

Gaer, with weatherboarding forming its northwest wall.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: A building at Cwm Cefn y Gaer farmstead

Evidential Value: Standing building

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: Photographs kept in the HER

Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 60 LOWER SIGN COW HOUSE

HER PRN: 48991 *NMR NPRN*:

NGR: SO1472169618 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval



Form: Building Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: An outbuilding at the southeastern side of the farmyard. Timber framed with

weatherboarding.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: A building at Lower Sign farmstead

Evidential Value: Standing building

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report and NMR archives

Aesthetic Value: Photographs kept in the HER & NMR

Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 61 LOWER SIGN BARN

HER PRN: 48992 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1470569613

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: An outbuilding at the southwestern side of the farmyard. Timber framed with

weatherboarding.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: A building at Lower Sign farmstead

Evidential Value: Standing building

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report and NMR archives

Aesthetic Value: Photographs kept in the HER & NMR

Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 62 UPPER SIGN BARN

HER PRN: 48993 **NMR NPRN:** 98130

NGR: SO1451669700 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A barn at the east end of the farmyard, described as being in reasonable condition in 2004.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER



Documentation:

Group Value: A building at Upper Sign farmstead

Evidential Value: Standing building

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report and NMR archives

Aesthetic Value: Photographs kept in the HER & NMR

Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 63 UPPER SIGN COW HOUSE

HER PRN: 48994 *NMR NPRN*:

NGR: SO1450369681 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: An outbuilding at the southern side of the farmyard, found to be in reasonable condition in

2004.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: A building at Upper Sign farmstead

Evidential Value: Standing building

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report and NMR archives

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 64 UPPER SIGN FARMHOUSE

HER PRN: 48995 *NMR NPRN:*

NGR: SO1450369707 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Defence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Near Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: The old farmhouse at Upper Sign, now used as a store building. It has a medieval cruck

truss exposed at the front of the fireplace.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: The original dwelling on Upper Sign farm

Evidential Value: Standing building, no longer a dwelling

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report and NMR archives

Aesthetic Value: Photographs kept in the NMR

Communal Value: None



Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 65 UPPER SIGN COW HOUSE

HER PRN: 48996 *NMR NPRN*:

NGR: SO1449369702 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: This cow shed is attached to the west gable of the old farmhouse at Upper Sign.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: A building at Upper Sign farmstead

Evidential Value: Standing building

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report and NMR archives

Aesthetic Value: Photographs kept in the NMR

Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 66 CWMSAIS DESERTED RURAL

SETTLEMENT

HER PRN: 48998 *NMR NPRN*:

NGR: SO1390969772 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Domestic

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: The wall bases of a rectangular building are found here, measuring 7m x 4m, within a

sub-circular enclosure.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: Associated with trackway PRN 48999

Evidential Value: Earthwork feature

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 67 CWMSAIS TRACKWAY

HER PRN: 48999 *NMR NPRN*:



NGR: SO1392769833 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Transport

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: An old trackway that seems to have originally run to an abandoned settlement PRN 48998.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: Associated with building PRN 48998

Evidential Value: Earthwork feature

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Minor Importance

ID number: 68 MIDDLE HOUSE COTTAGE

HER PRN: 53046 *NMR NPRN*:

NGR: SO1350569365 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Domestic

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Destroyed

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A small cottage which appears on the 1889 1:2500 OS map but had been removed by the

1972 edition of the OS map. Little evidence of it was found by CPAT in 2005.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Historic mapping only

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal Report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 69 STONE HOUSE COTTAGE

HER PRN: 53047 *NMR NPRN:*

NGR: SO1355269198 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Domestic

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition:

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A small cottage which appears on the 1889 1:2500 OS map but had been removed by the

1972 edition of the OS map. Only evidence of the wall bases were found by CPAT in



2005.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Slight traces of foundations present

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal Report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 70 THE BANK COTTAGE

HER PRN: 53048 **NMR NPRN:** 81757

NGR: SO1380969486 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Domestic

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Converted

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A small stone cottage which had been converted into a storage shed, predominantly built of

brick and timber by the time it was seen by CPAT in 2005. The cottage appears on the

1889

1:2500 OS map but is shown as empty by the 1972 edition of the OS map.

Rarity: Common

Reference: Powys HER;NMR

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Standing building when seen in 2005 when it was used for storage Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal Report and in the NMR archive

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 71 THE BANK FIELD SYSTEM

HER PRN: 53049 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1363269322 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Complex Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A field system, composed of small, irregular field parcels, which is associated with a

cluster of small cottages shown on late 19th century OS maps. The cottages are now all abandoned and many of the original field boundaries have been removed to create larger

parcels.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER



Documentation:

Group Value: Associated with cottages PRNs 54106 & 53048

Evidential Value: Some field boundaries remain in place but best seen on historic OS maps

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 72 THE BANK QUARRY

HER PRN: 53050 *NMR NPRN:*

NGR: SO1413969139 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Industrial

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A 19th century quarry providing stone for local use.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Shown on 19th century Ordnance Survey Maps

Historical Value: None
Aesthetic Value: None
Communal Value: None

Significance: Minor Importance

ID number: 73 CASTLE PREN QUARRY

HER PRN: 53052 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1468369306 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Industrial

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A minor quarry pit. Shown on 1st edition 1:2500 OS map of 1889.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Disused quarry scoop

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None



Significance: Minor Importance

ID number: 74 UPPER SIGN CULTIVATION

MARKS

HER PRN: 54000 *NMR NPRN:*

NGR: SO1431569621 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A small area of lazy bed cultivation. The furrows are 1.5m apart and the ridges up to 0.3m

high.

Rarity: Not rare
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Denuded earthwork feature

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Minor Importance

ID number: 75 LOWER SIGN CULTIVATION

MARKS

HER PRN: 54001 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1477569537 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A small area of lazy bed cultivation. The furrows are 1.5m apart and the ridges up to 0.3m

high, ploughed on a north to south axis.

Rarity: Not rare
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Denuded earthwork feature

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Minor Importance

ID number: 76 CWMSAIS TRACKWAY

HER PRN: 54004 *NMR NPRN*:



NGR: SO1422869906 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Transport

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Various

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A trackway linking Cwmsais with Upper Sign. Still in use and partly metalled.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Trackway still in use

Historical Value: None Aesthetic Value: None

Communal Value: This track has Bridleway status

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 77 WARREN BANK PILLOW MOUND

HER PRN: 54005 **NMR NPRN:** 310208

NGR: SO1420070260 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Medieval?; Post Medieval?

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: This pillow mound measures 100m long northeast to southwest, by 4m to 5m wide and

0.3m high. It is one of a group of four forming Rabbit Warren PRN 67741.

Rarity: Not rare
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: One of a group of four pillow mounds forming Rabbit Warren PRN 67741.

Evidential Value: Denuded earthwork

Historical Value: Described in a CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 78 WARREN BANK PILLOW MOUND

HER PRN: 54006 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1426470215 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Medieval?:Post Medieval?

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: This pillow mound measures 30m long north to south, by 3m wide and 0.3m high. It is one

of a group of four forming Rabbit Warren PRN 67741.



Rarity: Not rare
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: One of a group of four pillow mounds forming Rabbit Warren PRN 67741.

Evidential Value: Denuded earthwork

Historical Value: Described in a CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 79 WARREN BANK PILLOW MOUND

HER PRN: 54007 **NMR NPRN:** 310207

NGR: SO1421470199 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Medieval?:Post Medieval?

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: This pillow mound measures 80m long northeast to southwest, by 4m wide and 0.4m high.

There is a ditch along either side. It is one of a group of four forming Rabbit Warren PRN

67741.

Rarity: Not rare
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: One of a group of four pillow mounds forming Rabbit Warren PRN 67741.

Evidential Value: Denuded earthwork

Historical Value: Described in a CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 80 WARREN BANK PILLOW MOUND

HER PRN: 54008 **NMR NPRN:** 310206

NGR: SO1417770132 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Medieval?; Post Medieval?

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: This pillow mound measures 90m long northwest to southeast, by 5m wide and 0.4m high.

There is a ditch along either side. It is one of a group of four forming Rabbit Warren PRN

67741.

Rarity: Not rare
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: One of a group of four pillow mounds forming Rabbit Warren PRN 67741.



Evidential Value: Denuded earthwork

Historical Value: Described in a CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 81 CASTLE PREN TRACKWAY

HER PRN: 54099 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1469369368 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Transport

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A trackway defined by parallel earthwork banks.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Earthwork feature in landscape

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: None

Communal Value: Public bridleway
Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 82 WATERSIDE COTTAGE

HER PRN: 54106 **NMR NPRN:** 81879

NGR: SO1354669465 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Domestic

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A small cottage which was undergoing some renovation when seen by CPAT in 2005, but

does not appear to have been completed. The cottage appears on the 1889 1:2500 OS map

but is shown as empty by the 1972 edition of the OS map.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Standing building when seen in 2005 but likely to be derelict now Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal Report and in the NMR archive

Aesthetic Value: Photographs kept in NMR archive

Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important



ID number: 83 CWM CEFN Y GAER QUARRY

HER PRN: 57521 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1253869445 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Industrial

Period: Modern

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A minor quarry hollow, grassed over by the early 21st century.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Disused and grassed over quarry

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Minor Importance

ID number: 84 CWMWRACH QUARRY

HER PRN: 67007 *NMR NPRN:*

NGR: SO1195466988 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Industrial

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A minor quarry working, partly wooded over by the early 21st century.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Disused quarry, now partly wooded

Historical Value: None
Aesthetic Value: None
Communal Value: None

Significance: Minor Importance

ID number: 85 LLANDDEWI HALL ORCHARD

HER PRN: 67438 *NMR NPRN*:

NGR: SO1092468693 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence



Period: Post Medieval

Form: Topography Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A possible orchard is shown here to the east of Llanddewi Hall on the 1889 1:2500 OS

map. The area is now a garden.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: Associated with Llanddewi Hall

Evidential Value: Historic mapping

Historical Value: None
Aesthetic Value: None
Communal Value: None

Significance: Minor Importance

ID number: 86 TREVOL FARMSTEAD

HER PRN: 67529 **NMR NPRN:** 404274

NGR: SO1388468712 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence; Domestic

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Complex Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A farmstead complex which includes an 18th century farmhouse, a barn, cart shed and cow

house around the farmyard at its historic. More modern agricultural sheds stand to the north

and south of the historic core. It is a working farm.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Working farm

Historical Value: Described by the RCAHMW

Aesthetic Value: Photographs and sketch plans held at the NMR

Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 87 LITTLE HILL GRAVEL PIT

HER PRN: 67530 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1267967928 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Industrial

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A minor gravel pit shown on the 1889 1:2500 OS map.

Rarity: Common



Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Minor working in pasture field

Historical Value: None
Aesthetic Value: None
Communal Value: None

Significance: Minor Importance

ID number: 88 CWM CEFN Y GAER FARMSTEAD

HER PRN: 67662 **NMR NPRN:** 401688

NGR: SO1267769530 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence; Domestic

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Complex Condition: Intact

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A working farmstead the record for which includes a farmhouse, cart shed, granary,

threshing barn, cow house and another farm building.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: A group of farm buildings around the farmyard

Evidential Value: Standing buildings

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 89 CILMERI COTTAGE

HER PRN: 67693 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1282467468 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Domestic

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Near Destroyed

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A small cottage which appears on the 1889 1:2500 OS map but had been abandoned by the

1903 2nd edition of the map.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Historic mapping

Historical Value: None



Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 90 CWM NANT Y GELLI SHEEP FOLD

HER PRN: 67740 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1435470820 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: The 1889 1:2500 OS map shows a sub-rectilinear enclosure or fold here. The feature would

appear to have partially survived, with mature trees now growing on some of the defining

earthwork banks.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Historic mapping and earthwork remains

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Minor Importance

ID number: 91 WARREN BANK RABBIT WARREN

HER PRN: 67741 **NMR NPRN:** 310205

NGR: SO1418870196 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Medieval

Form: Complex Condition: Various

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A group of four pillow mounds. Three lie in an improved pasture field to the north of a

minor rill and the fourth to the south of the rill. PRNs 54005-54008.

Rarity: Not rare
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: A group of four pillow mounds

Evidential Value: Denuded earthworks

Historical Value: Description in a CPAT Tir Gofal report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 92 CWMSAIS FARMHOUSE



HER PRN: 67742 **NMR NPRN:** 81756

NGR: SO1412169859 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Domestic

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Restored

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A 19th century farmhouse, renovated and still in use as a dwelling. It was a smallholding of

14 acres in the mid-19th century according to the RCAHMW.

Rarity: Common

Reference: Powys HER;NMR

Documentation:

Group Value: Formerly the house was associated with a barn and stable both now demolished

Evidential Value: Standing building

Historical Value: None

Aesthetic Value: A photo record and plan are kept at the NMR

Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 93 CWMSAIS BARN

HER PRN: 67743 **NMR NPRN:** 98115

NGR: SO1413869855 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Destroyed

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A weatherboarded, 3-Bay barn was seen here in 2001. It had been demolished within a few

years.

Rarity: Common

Reference: Powys HER;NMR

Documentation:

Group Value: Part of Cwmsais farm

Evidential Value: Historic mapping

Historical Value: None

Aesthetic Value: A photo record and plan are kept at the NMR

Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 94 CWMSAIS STABLE

HER PRN: 67744 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1411669883 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Destroyed

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:



Description: The stable range associated with Cwmsais farm is shown on late 19th century OS maps but

had been demolished by 2001.

Rarity: Common

Reference: Powys HER;NMR

Documentation:

Group Value: Part of Cwmsais farm

Evidential Value: Historic mapping

Historical Value: None

Aesthetic Value: A photo record and plan are kept at the NMR

Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 95 CWMSAIS QUARRY

HER PRN: 67745 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1415469977 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Industrial

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A minor quarry at the edge of a woodland strip.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Small quarry working, now overgrown

Historical Value: None
Aesthetic Value: None
Communal Value: None

Significance: Minor Importance

ID number: 96 UPPER SIGN FARMSTEAD

HER PRN: 67746 **NMR NPRN:** 81773

NGR: SO1450769696 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Medieval; Post Medieval

Form: Complex Condition: Various

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: This farmstead includes evidence of late medieval origin in the form of a cruck truss. The

post medieval farm includes the present farmhouse, an earlier farmhouse now used as an

outbuilding, two cow houses and a small barn.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:



Group Value: Cluster of farm buildings

Evidential Value: Standing buildings

Historical Value: Sketch and plan held at the NMR

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

FARMSTEAD ID number: 97 LOWER SIGN

HER PRN: 67747 *NMR NPRN*: 81898

NGR: SO1471069621 Grid reference taken at centre of site

> Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Complex Condition: Various

grade: Site Status: SAM number: LB number:

Description: A small 18th or 19th century farmstead which includes a farmhouse, barn and cow houses.

Rarity: Common Powys HER Reference:

Documentation:

Group Value: Cluster of farm buildings

Evidential Value: Standing buildings

Historical Value: Sketch and plan held at the NMR

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 98 **GAER DWELLING**

HER PRN: 70834 *NMR NPRN*:

NGR: SO1158269642 Grid reference taken at centre of site

> Broadclass: Domestic

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Near Destroyed

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A house site, perhaps including a house and byre, which appears on the 1889 1:2500 OS

map but had been deserted by the time of the 1972 edition of the OS map. It was in a very

ruinous state when visited by CPAT in 1998, with its walls no more than 0.5m high.

Rarity: Common Powys HER Reference:

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Ruined building

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None



Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 99 LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI INSCRIBED STONE

HER PRN: 81757 *NMR NPRN*:

NGR: SO1080668636 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Religious Ritual and Funerary

Period: Early Medieval

Form: Other Structure Condition: Intact

Site Status: Listed Building SAM number: LB number: 83356

grade: II

Description: Part of a 10th or 11th century AD inscribed stone is built into the jamb of a blocked

doorway in the south wall of the church. Its inscription is illegible.

Rarity: Not rare
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: Associated with St. David's church

Evidential Value: Stone built into the external church wall Historical Value: Mentioned in archaeological reports

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Nationally Important

ID number: 100 WHITE HOUSE COTTAGE

HER PRN: 110683 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1366169998 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Defence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Building Condition: Destroyed

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A small cottage is shown here on late 19th and early 20th century OS maps. It had been

removed by the time of the 1953 1:10,560 scale OS map.

Rarity: Common
Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Historic mapping

Historical Value: Mentioned in a CPAT report relating to a Glastir woodland project

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 101 LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI SUSPENSION BRIDGE



HER PRN: 120889 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1044368351 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Transport

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Other Structure Condition: Destroyed

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A suspension bridge was built here in mid-19th century. It was replaced by a concrete

bridge in 1933.

Rarity: Not common Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Documentary sources

Historical Value: None
Aesthetic Value: None
Communal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 102 HORSEFIELD WOOD ENCLOSURE

HER PRN: 125756 NMR NPRN:

NGR: SO1190268606 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Agriculture and Subsistence

Period: Post Medieval

Form: Earthwork Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A very regular, square enclosure is shown here on the 1889 and 1903 1:2500 OS maps. It

seems likely to have been associated with a nearby Pheasantry shown in the next field to the south and Wood Cottage, just to the west, which is labelled as a Keeper's Lodge on the

1889 map.

Rarity: Not common
Reference: Powys HER;Trysor

Documentation:

Group Value: Possibly part of a Pheasantry

Evidential Value: Historic mapping

Historical Value: NoneAesthetic Value: NoneCommunal Value: None

Significance: Locally Important

ID number: 103 THE WALSH WALL

HER PRN: 128515 **NMR NPRN:**

NGR: SO1085268630 Grid reference taken at centre of site

Broadclass: Monument <By Form>

Period: Post Medieval



Form: Other Structure Condition: Damaged

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade:

Description: A wall was excavated beneath the car park here in 2007. Local information at the time suggested in belonged to a cow house associated with The Walsh pub, which had been

demolished in the mid-19th century.

Rarity: Common Reference: Powys HER

Documentation:

Group Value: None

Evidential Value: Wall exposed by excavation and reburied

Historical Value: Mentioned in archaeological report

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None Unknown Significance:

104 ID number: LLANDDEWI YSTRADENNI POST HOLE

HER PRN: 128557 *NMR NPRN*:

NGR: SO1090768845 Grid reference taken at centre of site

> Broadclass: Monument <By Form>

Period: Unknown

Excavated Feature Form: Condition: Destroyed

Site Status: SAM number: LB number: grade: **Description:**

An excavation held here in 2005 found two post holes and several stake holes but they

were not dated and their purpose was not understood.

Rarity: Common Powys HER Reference:

Documentation:

Group Value: Unknown

Evidential Value: Excavated features

Historical Value: Described in an archaeological source

Aesthetic Value: None Communal Value: None Significance: Unknown