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### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

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Hendre, Rhydmwyn

Planning Authority: Sir y Fflint (Flintshire County Council)

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Archaeological Research Services Ltd was commissioned by Caulmert on behalf of N.W. Energy Ltd to produce a Heritage Impact Assessment (HIA) for an area of land at the former Ruby Brickworks, Hendre, Rhydymwym. This is in advance of the submission of a planning application for a proposed anaerobic digestion facility that will comprise a reception hall, ten storage tanks for digestate and other liquids, gas upgrade/compression unit, flare, weighbridge, and other associated facility features.

This assessment has identified that four non-designated heritage assets are recorded within the proposed development area by CPAT HER. However, there appears to be a discrepancy between the historical mapping and the locations of these heritage assets. Further non-designated heritage assets relating to Ruby Brickworks could be located within the PDA. It is considered that Hendre Quarry, Brick Kiln and Stack (CPAT HER PRN:60481), located on the south eastern boundary of the PDA, is actually outside the PDA where the Listed Building Brick Kiln and Stack is located (Cadw ref: 24733).

The former Ruby Brickworks was located within the eastern half of PDA, although only one derelict building remains. This is considered to relate to the later 20<sup>th</sup> century development within the PDA and has limited *evidential* and *historical illustrative value* of *local significance*. No above ground structural remains of the earlier late-19<sup>th</sup>/early-20<sup>th</sup> century Ruby Brickworks exist with the PDA, these having been demolished in two phases during the late-20th century. The only structural remains to survive are the Grade II listed Brick Kiln and Stack, but as stated above, they are located outside the site boundary.

Given the level of clearance in the late-20<sup>th</sup> century associated with these later redevelopment phases, there is a *low potential* for below ground remains to survive as possible foundations. Depending on the amount of site clearance and depth of foundation trenches required for the proposed development there is a potential for below ground remains; however, if any below ground remains relating to the Ruby Brickworks were to survive they would be would be of *low* to *moderate evidential* and *historical illustrative* value of *regional significance*.

The setting study component of the assessment identified that the only designated heritage assets that could be visually affected by the proposed development are those directly within the environs of the PDA. The anaerobic facility would only have a *slight* to *moderate* adverse effect on the setting of these designated heritage assets.

A large degree of the significance of all the designated heritage assets is derived from their *evidential, historical illustrative, architectural* and *aesthetic value*. As the proposed development will not be affecting the physical material and fabric of these Listed Buildings, the anaerobic digestion



facility will cause *no change* to this element of the significance of these designated heritage assets. The facilities associated with the anaerobic digestors will not obstruct the ability to appreciate the buildings relating to North Hendre Lead Mine (Taylor's Shaft) as *group*. None of the proposed anaerobic digestion facility will impede intervisibility between these Listed Buildings, meaning that they will still be able to be appreciated as *group*.

However, the proposed development will be visible from the North Hendre Lead Mine Listed Buildings in one direction to the south. The Brick Kiln and Stack will have views of the anaerobic facilities in two directions to the north and west. Yet, in both cases it is considered that this will only be a *slight* to *moderate adverse visual effect* as the Listed Buildings themselves are illustrative of a previous industrial setting. Therefore, the proposed development would represent a continuation of this industrialised setting.

It is recommended that a strategy of box evaluation trenching be undertaken where intrusive groundworks are to take place, in order to assess the level of possible preservation of archaeological assets associated with industrial features and processes. This should be undertaken through an agreed WSI in consultation with Clywd-Powys Archaeological Trust planning archaeologists.

It is also suggested that screening of the proposed development could be provided by retaining and enhancing the soil bunds and tree lines to the north and south limiting the visual adverse effect to *slight*.

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### I Introduction

### 1.1 Project and Planning Background

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### 1.2 Site description

The 'red line boundary' of the proposed development area (hereafter 'PDA') is depicted by a red polygon on Figure 1, and is *c*. 1.96ha in area, centred at NGR SJ 20469 67677. The PDA is bounded to the north by Listed Buildings associated with North Hendre Lead Mine, as well as a former quarry. The east boundary is bordered by woodland, to the south by Brick Kiln and Stack and the continuation of the same brownfield site and to the west by warehouse building and Nant Figillt. The PDA consist of a brownfield site with a derelict building associated with Ruby Brickworks surrounded by made ground and soil bunds (Photographs 1-2, 5, 10 & 11).

### 1.3 Geology and Soils

The underlying solid geology of the PDA comprises of Bowland Shale Formation - Mudstone, overlain with superficial deposits of Head - Clay, silt, sand and gravel. (BGS 2023).

The soils of the PDA are classified by the *Soilscapes* interactive online viewer as belonging to the *Soilscapes* 6 and 20 soils units. These soils are described as 'freely draining slightly acid loamy soils' and 'loamy and clayey floodplain soils with naturally high groundwater' (Cranfield University 2023).

## 2 AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

The principal aims of this assessment are to produce a report detailing the archaeological potential of the PDA, and to assess the potential impacts of the proposed development upon any buried and upstanding archaeological remains, the historic built environment, the historic landscape, and to assess their significance. The following objectives will contribute towards accomplishing these aims:

- ♦ To collate and assess existing information about the historic environment within the study area and to determine as fully as possible from the available evidence the nature, survival, quality, extent and importance of any archaeological remains and any upstanding buildings/structures within the PDA.
- ♦ To provide an assessment of areas of archaeological potential and survival based on the above research and assess the potential for the use of particular investigative techniques in order to aid the formulation of any necessary mitigation strategy, including further evaluation, excavation, and/or preservation of archaeological remains.
- ♦ To assess, where possible from the available sources, the extent of any ground disturbance associated with any previous intrusive development.
- ♦ To provide an assessment of potential impacts of the proposed development to the settings of cultural heritage assets, and make recommendations for further detailed assessment should this be considered necessary.



### 3 METHOD STATEMENT

### 3.1 Approach

The desk-based element of the report was undertaken in accordance with the guidelines set out in The Chartered Institute for Archaeologists' *Standards and Guidance for Historic Environment Desk Based Assessment* (CIFA 2020).

The approach to the assessment of significance is that set out in *Conservation Principles* (Cadw 2011), which states that the significance of heritage assets derives from the 'heritage values' that they possess, which may be *evidential*, *historical* (either *illustrative* or *associative*), *aesthetic* or *communal*. Reference is also made to 'heritage significance' as described in the *National Planning Policy Framework* (NPPF), which is defined as the 'value of a heritage asset to this and future generations because of its heritage interest. That interest may be archaeological, architectural, artistic or historic. Significance derives not only from a heritage asset's physical presence, but also from its setting' (MHCLG 2021, 71-72).

### 3.2 Study Area

The study area adopted for this assessment was agreed with Dr Gary Duckers, Head of Technology, Information and Planning for Clywd-Powys Archaeological Trust, and comprises a 1km off-set from the PDA. This study area is depicted by a dark blue outline on Figure 1 and subsequent figures.

### 3.3 Information Sources

The following sources of information were consulted to inform this assessment:

- ◆ The Clywd-Powys Historic Environment Record (CPAT HER), maintained by Clywd-Powys Archaeological Trust (CPAT) for information regarding heritage assets, details of previous fieldwork, and Historic Landscape Characterisation (HLC) mapping.
- ♦ The Cadw records maintained by Royal Commission on the Ancient and Historical Monuments of Wales (RCAHMW) for information regarding designated assets.
- The Flintshire County Council for historic maps, plans and other documents relevant to the study area.
- Groundsure Historic Mapping Report for historic Ordnance Survey maps.
- The British Geological Survey onshore digital maps at 1:50 000 scale (DiGMapGB-50 WMS).
- Cranfield University's Soilscapes free interactive online viewer for a simplified version of the
   1:250,000 scale Digital National Soil Map for England and Wales.
- Environment Agency Lidar data.
- Google Earth and Bing online historical satellite imagery.
- Various other relevant books, journals and publications identified during the course of the assessment, details of which can be found in the references section of the report.
- ♦ A site walkover to Historic England (2017) Level 1 standard was undertaken in foggy weather conditions on 30<sup>th</sup> November 2022.



### 4 BASELINE ASSESSMENT

### 4.1 Archaeological and Historical Background

In the discussion that follows, where sites recorded on the CPAT Regional HER are described, the relevant HER preferred reference number is provided in parenthesis. Any designated assets are referred to by their unique Cadw number, and any other sites identified as part of this assessment are referenced by their unique ARS numbers. All of these identification numbers can be found in the tables in sections 4.2 and 4.3 below, or in the Appendices at the end of the report.

### 4.1.1 Prehistoric to Romano-British (1,000,000 BC to 410 AD)

Flintshire is a county in the northeast of Wales. The county borders England to the east, the county of Denbighshire to the west and the county of Wrexham to the south. Within the 1km study area, no archaeological findspots or sites have currently been identified that predated the Bronze Age period. Beyond the 1km study area, there is presently little evidence for Palaeolithic activity within Flintshire. The nearest evidence is located *c.* 8.7km north of the PDA and relates to an incomplete auroch skull found near Shotton Steel Works in the Dee estuary.

No finds associate with Mesolithic activity have been found within the PDA or wider 1km study area. However, beyond the 1km study area, several flint flakes and tools associated with Mesolithic nomadic groups of hunter-gatherers have been recorded. The closest of these is *c*. 1.4km southeast of the PDA, (CPAT HER PRN:117677). Mesolithic cave occupation has also been discovered *c*. 3.4km away to the south: an assortment of animal bones, including horse and wild boar, were discovered, dating to 5000 to 7000 years of age. (CPAT HER PRN:132147; Hankinson 2015).

Several Neolithic lithic findspots, such as (CPAT HER PRN:117667), c. 1.4km from the PDA, have been recorded beyond the wider study area, alongside a possible Neolithic Timber Circle at the later Iron Age Hillfort, *Moel-y-Gaer*, c. 1.7km north from the PDA (CPAT HER PRN:70263).

There is, however, more substantial evidence for later Prehistoric activity within the 1km study area, such as several standing stones, occupation activity and cairn sites. The standing stones relate to Ruby Houses Stone (CPAT HER PRN: 97730), c. 160m east from the PDA, and a former stone recorded at 'Coitier Garreg' (CPAT HER PRN 97771), northeast c. 965m away.

During the Iron Age/Romano-British transition period, Flintshire was occupied by the Iron Age 'Deceangli' tribe, 'Tegeingl' in Welsh. Moel-y-Gaer Iron Age hillfort lies c. 1.8km north of the PDA, outside of the wider 1km study area (Cadw ref: 011), on Halkyn Mountain.

In the later Iron Age period, *Moel y Gaer* was a sub-oval hilltop enclosure, which measured about *c*. 190m north-south by *c*. 130-170m. A bank, ditch and counterscarp generally define the extent of the hillfort, but there is some variation, notably around the east-facing entrance. The site encompasses a tumulus on the summit of the hilltop, which was possibly constructed and in use during the late Bronze Age and early Iron Age. A possible Bronze Age mound is located on the northern side of the hill; however, this also could be associated with a much later Roman signalling tower or that of a known Napoleonic beacon located on top of the hill found during excavations in 1972 (Cadw ref: 011).

It is likely that the 'Deceangli' | Welsh 'Tegeingl' like their southern neighbours, the 'Ordovices', were placed under military administration following the initial campaign of governor Julius Agricola in 78AD (Todd, 2004). The Romano-British period provides less substantial evidence of localised activity inside the 1km study area. A Roman findspot of a cast copper alloy trumpet brooch dating from c.



75- 175 AD, is recorded *c.* 820m northeast of the PDA boundary (CPAT HER PRN:120336). A Romano-British pottery sherd was unearthed *c.* 860m northeast from the PDA, (CPAT HER PRN:70807), possibly linked with a nearby paved track at Rhosesmor which may date to the Romano-British period (CPAT HER PRN:100299).

No Iron Age activity has been recorded within the PDA.

### 4.1.2 Medieval (410 to 1540)

Following the emergence of various petty kingdoms in the early medieval period, this region of Flintshire was divided into the 'Hundreds of Englefield'/Welsh 'Cantref Tegeingl', eventually becoming part of the western boundary with Mercia (Zaluckyj 2011). This can be seen with the linear earthwork of Wat's Dyke, an early historic boundary marker probably associated with the border of the kingdom of Mercia; the section closest to the PDA is c. 2.7 km east from the PDA, running from Chester-Holywell Road to Soughton Farm, (Cadw ref: 083).

A number of medieval sites are located within the 1km study area. One of these, 'Maes y groes' or 'Field of Cross/Crossroad' (CPAT HER PRN:102699), is located c. 810m southeast of the PDA. However, the title was possibly just a field name, as no visible remains of a cross or crossroads exist. A number of medieval quillets (CPAT HER PRN:97755, PRN:97760, PRN:97761, PRN:97762 & PRN:97782) c. 300-950m east and southeast have been recorded. These quillets represent small plots of land illustrating medieval agricultural practices in the surrounding landscape. Further medieval agricultural practice is suggested by possible ridge and furrow cultivation (CPAT HER PRN:99224), running straight north to south, parallel to the western hedge in a level field c. 50m northwest of St John's Church (Cadw Ref: 16440) in Rhydymwyn, c. 610m south of the PDA. The possible site of the 11<sup>th</sup> century battle at Rhydymwyn is also recorded within the 1km study area (CPAT HER PRN:17410), c. 800m southeast of the PDA. No medieval activity has been recorded within the PDA.

### 4.1.3 Post-Medieval (1540 to 1901)

The first maps to depict the PDA in detail are the Tithe maps for the parishes of Halkin (Halkyn) 1839 and Northop in the County of Flint 1838 (Figures 2-3 & Tables 1-2). The Tithe apportionments recorded that plot 824 in Halkin formerly belonged to the Marquis of Westminster and was occupied by Richard Lloyd. Plot a202, in the parish of Northop, is recorded as being owned by Miss Frances Mostyn Edwards, and occupied by Edward Lloyd. The two occupiers of the plots share the same surname, possibly suggesting a tentative familial connected. The names of the fields also share similarities plot 824 is referred to as 'Werglodd', while plot a202 is called 'Werglodd Y Nant'. The name 'Werglodd' means meadow in Welsh, which is supported by the record for plot a202 that states that the land was used as pasture. It would appear that the plots within the PDA were previously subdivided along the political boundary between the parishes of Halkin and Northop.

Table 1: 1839 Tithe Apportionments for the Plan of Halkin Parish in the County of Flint (IR29/50/19)

Plot Number	Landowner	Occupier	Name	State of Cultivation
824	Robert Grosvenor Marquis of Westminster	Richard Lloyd	Werglodd	Unknown

Table 2: 1838 Tithe Apportionment for the Plan of the Parish of Northop in the County of Flint (IR29/50/32)



Plot Number	Landowner	Occupier	Name	State of Cultivation
a201	Miss Frances Mostyn Edwards	Miss Frances Mostyn Edwards	Wood	Woodland
a202		Edward Lloyd	Werglodd Y Nant	Pasture

In the surrounding landscape, *c.* 600m to the northwest of the PDA, further fieldnames have been recorded on the HER and Tithe apportionments that suggest a possible winter dwelling: 'Ardd-y-Hendre' (CPAT HER PRN:98992), and 'Bryn Lidiart' meaning 'Hill of the Gate' (CPAT HER PRN:98990). Agriculture was pivotal to the economy of the local area. Lygan Uchaf (Cadw ref: 26206), *c.* 550m north of the PDA, is a Grade II listed farmhouse purchased by the Grosvenor Estate in 1759. The present house was built in 1851, while an L-shaped farm range that surrounded the farmyard is dated to 1850 and is in characteristic Grosvenor Estate style (CPAT HER PRN:178173, PRN:179478, PRN:179479 & PRN:179480).

The local village of Rhydymwyn, c. 250m south from the PDA, means 'Ford of the Ore' in Welsh. This illustrates that activity in the area surrounding the PDA was not limited to agricultural, but extractive industries were also important to the local economy. The parish was created as a subdivision of the parish of Cilcain, and in 1865 the Church of St John was built with the aid of a grant from the Incorporated Society for the Building of Churches. The site was donated by Philip Bryan Davies and the architect was the nationally important J. L. Pearson, who was engaged at works on Gwysaney for Davies. The church is a Grade II\* listed as an accomplished High Victorian design and an early work by one of the principal ecclesiastical architects of the period.

The 1870 and 1871 OS maps show that the PDA continued to be two agricultural fields (Appendix VII), with the western half of the PDA bisected north to south by a footpath. Outside the PDA a new innovation is depicted, with the Mold and Denbigh Junction Railway running along its southwestern boundary. The railway would have provided vital connectivity for industrial activity in the surrounding area and opened on 12<sup>th</sup> September 1869.

The mid-19<sup>th</sup> century industrial revolution led to the growth of extractive industries, such as *Dolfechlas-uchaf*, a Grade II listed Kiln, (CPAT HER PRN:104104). Extraction of minerals across the mineral-rich Alyn valley surrounding the PDA is denoted by localised mining activity. Across the landscape, numerous mineshafts are recorded (CPAT HER PRN:126911, PRN:126910, PRN:94495, PRN:94494, PRN:115316, PRN:126671, PRN:128626, PRN:126635 & PRN:97807). This further illustrates the importance of mining activity to the PDA and its surrounding locality. *Erwfelin* Lead Mine (CPAT HER PRN:18068), *c.* 850m south of the PDA, represents further extraction activity from the 19<sup>th</sup> century, but is thought have a possible Romano-British—or earlier—antecedent.

The 1899 OS map shows that the western half of the PDA remains largely the same. However, the eastern half has been developed with 'Ruby Brickworks' annotated (Appendix VII). Three structures are depicted in the northeastern corner of the PDA—the northern structure astride border. A circular structure is also illustrated, suggestive of a possible kiln. Approximate 60m north of the PDA, extraction activity is shown as Hendre lead mine and shaft (CPAT HER PRN:126911), with a structure possibly relating to the Boiler Stack at Taylor's Shaft also depicted (Cadw ref: 26203).

Hendre Villa has also been constructed, c. 90m to the northwest. Further buildings are constructed along the route of the railway (CPAT HER PRN), possibly influenced by its construction. These include two small structures depicted on the  $2^{nd}$  edition OS map of 1889 (PRN 94501), c. 900m west of the



PDA. These are thought to be associated with the railway boundary, along with a section of stone block wall standing around 3m high and a former Railway pool (CPAT HER PRN:99229, PRN:115317 & PRN:115318).

### 4.1.4 Modern (1901 to the present day)

The early-20th century saw further development within and immediately around the PDA. The 1912 OS plan, like the earlier maps, depicts the western half of the PDA as being relatively undeveloped, with the footpath bisecting north to south (Appendix VII). The eastern half has remained largely the same: the two central buildings representing Ruby Brickworks, engine and boiler house and western drying sheds (CPAT HER PRN:1001845 & PRN:1001842) and circular structure to their west are identically configured. However, the clay pit has been expanded considerably to the north of the PDA, while the eastern structure within the PDA has been extended southwards, to include the eastern drying sheds with chimney and a further circular structure—possibly another kiln (CPAT HER PRN:1001840). This possible kiln, within the PDA, could be associated with Brick Kiln and Stack (Cadw ref: 24733). The kiln is described as being round, constructed out of bricks and strengthened with steel straps, with a domed roof and round opening at its apex. However, the OS plans do not depict the Listed Building and the listed remains are in fact outside of the PDA to the south, suggesting discrepancy between the OS plan and the actual location of this designated heritage asset. The main innovation within the PDA is what appears to be a tramway connection that links Ruby Brickworks to the Mold and Denbigh Junction Railway, as well as rail loading bays and offices (CPAT HER PRN:1001841 & PRN:1001837).

Large developments, immediately to the north of the PDA and associated with Taylor's Shaft, can be seen on the 1912 OS map (Appendix VII). The 1899 OS map showed three small buildings associated with Hendre lead mine, while the 1912 OS plan depicts considerable industrial development. Taylor's Shaft Engine House has been constructed, as well as associated ancillary buildings, with the Boiler Stack to the south (Cadw ref: 26202 & 26202).

In 1928, Halkyn District United Mines Ltd incorporated and amalgamated a number of older shafts. The company reopened and deepened the *Olwyn Goch* Shaft, *c.* 230m northwest of the PDA, to 490ft. These former mine workings are an important relic of Welsh industrial heritage—as one of the largest and most important lead producers in Britain, they produced over 21,000 tonnes of ore at the peak of production in 1934, with a vast network of shafts, tunnels and roadways amalgamating to over 62 miles of tunnels (Ebbs 2008 & CPAT HER PRN:18091, PRN:18096).

The Ministry of Supply Valley Site is located *c*. 1.1 km south of the PDA (Cadw ref: 210). It comprises of the remains of underground caverns and a group of twenty-one munition assembly buildings. This site was to provide secure, bombproof storage for the Government's reserve stocks of chemical weapons. Construction commenced in late 1939 and buildings were commissioned for use from late 1940. Production at the site ceased in April 1945 and decontamination and disassembly began in 1948. During the Cold War, the tunnels were used as a buffer storage depot for emergency rations, bakeries and canteens.

The 1962 OS map shows that the western half of the PDA remained undeveloped, while buildings relating to Ruby Brickworks had been removed and replaced (Appendix VII). Two larger buildings, described as 'Works', with two circular structures annotated as chimneys, were built and the railway connection was no longer in existence. As stated, the larger of the two circular structures could be associated with the listed Brick Kiln and Stack (Cadw ref: 24733), not depicted on the OS map in their actual location. Lead mining ceased at Taylor's Shaft after 1977, but men were employed in maintenance and tunnel repairs until 1987.

The 1988 OS map shows that two larger buildings were later demolished and replaced with a single smaller structure (Appendix VII). The larger of the two 'chimneys' is still in existence, possibly



representing Brick Kiln and Stack in the wrong location. The Ruby Brickworks office has been replaced with a 'Depot', and a 'Coal Yard' with a small chimney occupies the northeastern corner of the PDA. This configuration of structures and ancillary buildings continues on the 1991 OS plan; however, the chimney/kiln is no longer depicted.

As outlined earlier, the PDA currently represents an area of predominantly levelled made ground. The western half is bound to the northwest by a structure depicted on the 1988 OS map. The north of the PDA is bordered by a soil bank and tree line, which continues to the east and south. The PDA is bisected by a line of trees running north to south that delineates the two halves of the PDA as mentioned above. The small structure, depicted from 1988, is still in existence but is a derelict state (Photographs 5-9).

### 4.2 Designated Assets

### **On-Site**

There are no designated heritage assets recorded by Cadw within the PDA.

### **Study Area**

Cadw records 8 designated heritage assets within the wider 1km study area beyond the PDA, comprising 8 Listed Buildings, and 1 Registered Historic Landscape. They relate mainly to industrial period extraction activity surrounding the PDA. These are listed in Tables 3 below and their locations are depicted in purple (Grade II\* Listed Buildings) and magenta (Grade II Listed Buildings) on Figure 4.

Cadw ID	Description	Grade		
26204	Ore Dressing Shed			
26203	Boiler Stack at Taylor's Shaft	II		
26202	Taylor's Shaft Engine House	II		
26205	Brick Kiln and Stack	II		
16440	Church of St John	II*		
525	Engine House at Hendre	II		
26206	'Lygan Uchaf'	II		
16441	Lime Kiln'	II		

Table 3. Listed Buildings within the wider 1km study area

### 4.3 Non-Designated/Other Heritage Assets

### 4.3.1 Archaeological Remains

### **On-Site**

CPAT records no known archaeological sites or findspots within the PDA. However, 4 entries relating to elements of the historic built environment are located within the PDA. These are recorded as being buildings, yet in reality they no longer exist as above ground remains, apart from Hendre Quarry, Brick Kiln and Stack (CPAT HER PRN: 60481). For further details and discussion about these heritage assets see section 4.3.2.

### **Study Area**

CPAT records 59 known archaeological sites and/or findspots within the wider study area. These predominantly relate to medieval and post-medieval agricultural activity as well as post-medieval



industrial activity within the surrounding landscape. Their locations are depicted in orange on Figure 5. Further details are provided in the gazetteer in Appendix I.

### 4.3.2 Historic Built Environment

### On-Site

As stated in section 4.3.1, there are 4 elements of the historic built environment recorded by CPAT HER. These are listed in Table 4 below and are depicted in green on Figures 6 and 7. Although the location for Hendre Quarry, Brick Kiln and Stack CPAT HER record is on the boundary of the PDA. In reality, the record relates to the Grade II listed Brick Kiln and Stack located outside of the PDA (Cadw ref: 26205 & Figure 5). This highlights a minor discrepancy between the Cadw and CPAT entries. All the entries, however, share an association with Ruby Brickworks. Although an extant building is located within the PDA, this building relates the 1980s development, now derelict (Photographs 5-9). The main buildings associated with Ruby Brickworks no longer exist as upstanding remains (Photographs 1-2, 5, 10 & 11), yet depending upon the level of clearance associated with two phases of late-20<sup>th</sup> century development, could possibly survive as below ground foundations.

HER ID	Description	Period
60481	Hendre Quarry, Brick Kiln and Stack Grade II listed brick kiln	post-medieval
1001840	Ruby Brickworks, eastern drying sheds Drying sheds for Ruby Brickworks,	post-medieval
1001837	Ruby Brickworks, offices Office accommodation for Ruby Brickworks	post-medieval
1001842	Ruby Brickworks, western drying sheds	post-medieval

Table 4: Elements of the historic built environment located within the PDA

### **Study Area**

CPAT records a further 79 elements of the historic built environment within the wider 1km study area beyond the PDA. These, as with the archaeological remains, predominantly relate to post-medieval agricultural and industrial activity in the surrounding landscape. They are depicted in green on Figure 7. Further details are provided in the gazetteers in Appendix II.

Historical map regression, however, identified that there could be some further inconsistencies between the locations of the CPAT HER entries and buildings identified on the OS maps, similar to the issues surrounding the recorded locations of Hendre Quarry Brick Kiln and Stack and the Cadw listed Brick Kiln and Stack. The Brick Kiln and Stack is, as stated, located outside of the PDA, but the CPAT HER record is position on the PDA boundary. None of the OS maps depict the Brick Kiln and Stack in either of these locations (Appendix VII). Both locations are illustrated on the OS maps as either rough land or woodland. Yet, the 1912 OS map suggests that a kiln and chimney stack could possibly be located within PDA, which might be the Brick Kiln and Stack (Cadw ref: 26205 & CPAT HER PRN: 60481). This could highlight that the OS maps have a degree of inaccuracy, but Listed Buildings associated with Taylor's Shaft co-locate with their respective depictions on OS maps and Cadw entries. This discrepancy cannot therefore be confidently clarified or explained. It is considered that the OS maps may have a degree of inaccuracy, possibly implying that other CPAT HER entries relating to Ruby Brickworks could extend into or be located within the PDA. Those hypothetically and tentatively suggested as possibly lying within the PDA are listed in Table 5 below and their recorded locations depicted on Figure 6. Indeed, what is clear from the evidence we have is that the eastern half of the PDA represented an area that was subjected to multiple phases of development, primarily associated with Ruby Brickwork.



Table 5: Elements of the historic built environment located just outside the PDA that could possibly extend into or be located inside the PDA

HER ID	Description	Period	
103051	Ruby Brickworks		
	Derelict brickworks buildings some with chimneys still standing.	post-medieval	
	N0185		
1001845	Ruby Brickworks, engine and boiler house	post-medieval	
	Engine and boiler house for Ruby Brickworks	post-medievai	
1001839	Ruby Brickworks, kiln	nast madiaval	
	Kiln at Ruby Brickworks,	post-medieval	
1001838	Ruby Brickworks, privies	nast madiaval	
	Privies for Ruby Brickworks,	post-medieval	
1001841	Ruby Brickworks, rail loading bays		
	Rail loading bays for Ruby Brickworks,	post-medieval	

### 4.3.3 Historic Landscape

### **On-Site**

The entirety of the PDA resides within the HLC unit 'FLNTHL183 – Irregular Fieldscapes. Woodland. Extractive Processing/Manufacturing. Military'. This unit illustrates that the PDA was previously utilised as an extraction/manufacturing processing plant related to Ruby Brickworks. The unit is tabulated in Table 6 below and illustrated on Figure 9.

Table 6: HLC types Located within the PDA

HLC ID	HLC Broad type	HLC Primary type	Details
FLNTHL183	Irregular Fieldscapes	Irregular Fieldscapes. Woodland. Extractive.	Upper Alyn Valley
		Processing/Manufacturing. Military	

### **Study Area**

CPAT record a further 3 HLC units within the wider 1km study area. These similarly relate to irregular fieldscapes and extractive activity, as well as nucleated and non-nucleated settlement illustrating the historical characteristics of the local surrounding landscape. These are illustrated on Figure 9 and detailed in Appendix III.

### 4.4 Previous Investigations

### 4.4.1 Archaeological Events

CPAT records a total of 18 archaeological investigations undertaken within the 1km study area. These are detailed in Appendix IV and their locations illustrated on Figure 10. They predominantly relate to desk-based assessments and surveys of former industrial activity in the surrounding landscape.



### 5 ASSESSMENT OF THE SIGNIFICANCE OF AFFECTED HERITAGE ASSETS

This assessment has identified that 4 non-designated heritage assets are recorded within the PDA by CPAT HER. However, there appears to be a discrepancy between the historical mapping and the locations of these heritage assets. Further non-designated heritage assets relating to Ruby Brickworks could be located within the PDA. It is considered that Hendre Quarry, Brick Kiln and Stack (CPAT HER PRN:60481) located on the south eastern boundary of the PDA is actually outside the PDA, where the Listed Building Brick Kiln and Stack is located (Cadw ref: 24733 & Photographs 25-27).

The eastern half of the PDA represents an area of land that has been subjected to sequential phases of development. The PDA is currently levelled made ground surrounded and bisected by soil bunds and tree lines. Within the PDA, a single structure remains that relates to a building of unknown function first identified on the 1988 OS map. This building represents a late-20<sup>th</sup> century structure that is currently in a state of dereliction and is of *negligible* significance.

Previously, the eastern half of the PDA was occupied by two large structures in the northeastern corner of the PDA, which were replaced by the smaller structure mentioned above and a coal yard,. These structures were mid-20th century in date and any remains of them would be of limited evidential value and negligible significance. However, a possible kiln (CPAT HER PRN:60481), directly to the south of the eastern building could be the Brick Kiln and Stack (Cadw ref: 24733), depicted within the PDA on 1962 OS map—but in actual fact located outside the PDA (For an in-depth discussion to the location discrepancies see section 4.3.2). It is likely that Brick Kiln and Stack, outside the PDA, is a remnant of the earlier complex of structures identified between 1899 and 1912 on OS maps. These structures relate to Ruby Brickworks, which were later replaced by the mid-20th century structures. It is considered that there is a *low potential* for any remains of these buildings and the former rail connection to survive below ground, as this area of the PDA has been subjected to two subsequent sequences of redevelopment. Yet, however unlikely, if any below ground remains relating to Ruby Brickworks were discovered these would be of low to moderate evidential and historical illustrative value of regional significance. The Research Frameworks for the Archaeology of Wales: Northeast Wales (22/12/2003) states that 'there is a clear need to raise the profile of all industrial archaeology' and due to the trend of developing 'brownfield' development of derelict industrial sites. A detailed process of recording at these sites 'which are representative of their industry, despite the existence of apparently reliable documentation' should be carried out (RFAW 2003).

Prior to industrialization, the PDA represented two agricultural fields subdivided by the parish boundary between the Halkin (Halkyn) and Northop. This boundary is of *low historical illustrative value* of *local significance* as relating to the boundary between two local parishes. It is recorded on OS mapping from 1870 to 1962, presumably after which the parish boundary was changed.

### **6 S**ETTING **A**SSESSMENT

### 6.1 Methodology

The setting assessment also follows the guidelines set out in *Managing Setting of Historic Assets in Wales: How to Assess the Impact of Change or Development within the Setting of Historic Assets* (Cadw 2017) which recommends a 4-stage approach to the assessment of impacts to settings of heritage assets:

 Step 1: Identify the historic assets that might be affected by a proposed change or development.



- Step 2: Define and analyse the settings to understand how they contribute to the significance of the historic assets and, in particular, the ways in which the assets are understood, appreciated and experienced.
- Step 3: Evaluate the potential impact of a proposed change or development on that significance
- Step 4: If necessary, consider options to mitigate or improve the potential impact of a proposed change or development on that significance.

For Step 2, the guidance provides a detailed, but non-exhaustive, checklist of potential attributes of a setting which may help to elucidate its contribution to the significance of an asset. However, the guidance highlights that it may be the case that only a limited selection of the attributes listed is likely to be particularly important in terms of any single asset (Cadw 2017, 6-7). This checklist is reproduced in Table 7 below.

Table 7. Assessing the contribution of setting to the significance of heritage assets

The asset's	◆ Topography
physical surroundings	◆ Aspect
Jameanango	<ul> <li>Other heritage assets (including buildings, structures, landscapes, areas or archaeological remains)</li> </ul>
	♦ Definition, scale and 'grain' of surrounding streetscape, landscape and spaces
	Formal design e.g. hierarchy, layout
	Orientation and aspect
	Historic materials and surfaces
	♦ Green space, trees and vegetation
	Openness, enclosure and boundaries
	♦ Functional relationships and communications
	History and degree of change over time
Experience	Surrounding landscape or townscape character
of the asset	♦ Views from, towards, through, across and including the asset
	♦ Intentional intervisibility with other historic and natural features
	Visual dominance, prominence or role as focal point
	Noise, vibration and other nuisances
	♦ Tranquility, remoteness, 'wildness'
	Busyness, bustle, movement and activity
	♦ Scents and smells
	♦ Diurnal changes
	♦ Sense of enclosure, seclusion, intimacy or privacy
	♦ Land use
	♦ Accessibility, permeability and patterns of movement
	Degree of interpretation or promotion to the public
	Rarity of comparable survivals of setting



- Cultural associations
- ♦ Celebrated artistic representations
- **♦** Traditions

Similarly for Step 3, the guidance provides a detailed, but non-exhaustive checklist of potential attributes of a development affecting setting which may help to elucidate the implications for the significance of an asset. However, the guidance highlights that it may be the case that only a limited selection of the attributes listed is likely to be particularly important in terms of any single asset (Cadw 2017, 8-9). This checklist is reproduced in Table 8 below.

Table 8. Assessing the effect of the proposed development.

Location and	•	Proximity to asset
siting of the development	•	Position in relation to relevant topography and watercourses
•	•	Position in relation to key views to, from and across
	•	Orientation
	•	Degree to which location will physically or visually isolate asset
Form and	<b>*</b>	Prominence, dominance, or conspicuousness
appearance of the	•	Competition with or distraction from the asset
development	•	Dimensions, scale and massing
	•	Proportions
	•	Visual permeability (extent to which it can be seen through), reflectivity
	•	Materials (texture, colour, reflectiveness, etc.)
	<b>♦</b>	Architectural and landscape style and/or design
	<b>*</b>	Introduction of movement or activity
	•	Diurnal or seasonal change
Other effects	<b>*</b>	Change to built surroundings and spaces
of the development	•	Change to skyline, silhouette
u de la complimation	•	Noise, odour, vibration, dust, etc.
	•	Lighting effects and 'light spill'
	•	Change to general character (e.g. urbanising or industrialising)
	•	Changes to public access, use or amenity
	•	Changes to land use, land cover, tree cover
	•	Changes to communications/accessibility/ permeability, including traffic, road junctions and car-parking, etc.
	<b>*</b>	Changes to ownership arrangements (fragmentation/permitted development/etc.)
	•	Economic viability
Permanence	<b>*</b>	Anticipated lifetime/temporariness
of the development	•	Recurrence
23.0.0	•	Reversibility



The checklists presented in Tables 7 and 8 provide a framework for the assessment of impacts to setting which, following a consideration of potential mitigation or enhancement in Step 4, should be clearly documented in Step 5. The GPAN states that:

'It is good practice to document each stage of the decision-making process in a non-technical and proportionate way, accessible to non-specialists. This should set out clearly how the setting of each heritage asset affected contributes to its significance or to the appreciation of its significance, as well as what the anticipated effect of the development will be, including of any mitigation proposals. Despite the wide range of possible variables, normally this analysis should focus on a limited number of key attributes of the asset, its setting and the proposed development, in order to avoid undue complexity. Such assessment work is a potentially valuable resource and should be logged in the local Historic Environment Record' (Historic England 2017, 15).

### 6.2 Step 1: Identify which heritage assets and their settings are affected

Cadw's Managing Setting of Historic Assets in Wales: How to Assess the Impact of Change or Development within the Setting of Historic Assets (2017, 6) states that assessments must:

- consider details of the location, size and scale of the proposed change or development
- consider the location of the identified historic assets
- where appropriate, include a plan overlaying the zone of theoretical visibility on the sites of the historic assets.

Cadw records a total of 8 designated heritage assets within a 1km radius of the PDA (see section 4.2 and Appendix II for further details). All of these identified assets were subsequently visited and it was determined that only the Listed Buildings associated with Taylor's Shaft and the Brick Kiln and Stack, directly within the environs of PDA, could possibly be impacted by the proposed development (see Table 9). The remaining 4 Designated Heritage Assets had no intervisibility with the PDA with either the intervening topography, woodland or urban setting obstructing all views towards it.

Table 9. Designated	Heritage Assets id	entified by t	he walkover o	of having the potential of	of
	being impacted b	v the propo	sed developm	ent	

Cadw ID	Description	Grade
26204	Ore Dressing Shed	II
26203	Boiler Stack at Taylor's Shaft	II
26202	Taylor's Shaft Engine House	II
26205	Brick Kiln and Stack	II

# 6.3 Step 2: Assess whether, how, and to what degree these settings and views make a contribution to the significance of the heritage asset(s) or allow significance to be appreciated

This section will provide an overview of the historical background of a group of 3 Listed Buildings at the former North Hendre Lead Mine and Brick Kiln and Stack associated with the former Ruby Brickworks and the historical development of their landscape setting, in order to address the question as to how, and to what degree the setting, and views to and from the asset(s) contribute to their significance or allow this to be appreciated.



### 6.3.1 North Hendre Lead Mine

North Hendre Lead Mine is a group of 3 Listed Buildings immediately to the north of the PDA. Taylor's Shaft Engine House, Boiler Stack and Ore Shed all draw a large degree of their *significance* from their *group value*, as *rare* surviving examples of a once important local industry (Cadw ref: 26202, 26203 & 26204). Their *group value* is intrinsically linked with the setting of each Listed Building, as they are all associated with each other and with the North Hendre Lead Mine (Taylor's Shaft).

However, their significance is also partly derived from their *evidential* and *historical illustrative value* in representing late-19<sup>th</sup> and early-20<sup>th</sup> industrial innovations relating to North Hendre Lead Mine (Taylor's Shaft). Indeed, they also have *architectural* and *aesthetic value* in displaying late-19<sup>th</sup> to early-20<sup>th</sup> century construction and architectural techniques and materials—although Taylor's Shaft Engine House and Ore Shed are in a state of dereliction.

### 6.3.2 Brick Kiln and Stack

Similarly, Brick Kiln and Stack also draws its *significance* from its *evidential* and *historical illustrative value* relating to late-19<sup>th</sup> and early-20<sup>th</sup> century industrial innovations relating to Hendre Brickworks (Ruby Brickworks). As with the above Listed Buildings, Brick Kiln and Stack has *architectural* and *aesthetic value* but is also in a poor state of conservation. The setting of this designated heritage asset is not as pivotal to the *significance* of this Listed Building, as the buildings with which it was previously associated are no longer in existence.

This and all the aforementioned buildings have been designated by Cadw as Listed Buildings, signifying that they are all of *national significance*.

# 6.4 Step 3: Assess the effects of the proposed development, whether beneficial or harmful, on the significance or on the ability to appreciate it

It is considered that proposed development will only have a *slight* to *moderate* adverse effect on the setting of the designated heritage assets.

As stated, a large degree of the significance of all the designated heritage assets is derived from their *evidential*, *historical illustrative*, *architectural* and *aesthetic value* and the proposed development will not be affecting their physical material and fabric. Therefore, the anaerobic digestion facility will cause *no change* to this component of the significance of these designated heritage assets.

What is more, the facilities associated with the anaerobic digestors will not obstruct the ability to appreciate the buildings relating to North Hendre Lead Mine (Taylor's Shaft) as *group*. None of the proposed anaerobic digestion facility will impede intervisibility between these Listed Buildings, meaning that they will still be able to be appreciated as *group*.

However, the proposed development will be visible from the North Hendre Lead Mine Listed Buildings in one direction to the south (Photographs 19, & 21-23. The Brick Kiln and Stack will also have views of the anaerobic facilities in two directions: to the north and west (Photographs 26-28. In both cases, however, it is considered that this will only cause a *slight* to *moderate adverse visual effect*, as the Listed Building themselves are illustrative of a previous industrial setting; the proposed development, therefore, would represent a continuation of this industrialised setting. Furthermore, it is suggested that—as the digestor and storage tanks are cylindrical—they are similar in character to previous kiln structures, while the flare for the facility can be interpreted as an equivalent to a chimney stack. Therefore the proposed development will echo the previous setting of these designated heritage assets.



The proposed use of green cladding on tanks and structures will also limit the visual effects of the facilities, as this will coalesce with the surrounding natural landscape. The *slight* to *moderate adverse visual impact* could, however be further reduced to a *slight adverse visual effect* by retaining and enhancing the soil bunds and tree lines surrounding the PDA to the north and south (Photographs 20-21, 24, & 26-27), which would provide added screening between the proposed development and the designated heritage assets.

### 6.5 Step 4: Explore ways to maximise enhancement and avoid or minimise harm

The ways in which the proposal could be designed to minimise its visual effects of anaerobic digestion facility could be as follows:

• The retention and enhancement of the existing soil bunds and tree lines to the north and south of PDA to provided additional screening.

### 6.6 Step 5: Make and document the decision and monitor outcomes.

This report documents the decision-making process with regard to this assessment, but the outcomes cannot be considered until after the application has been determined and therefore this is outside the scope of this assessment.

### 7 ASSESSMENT OF POTENTIAL IMPACTS

The proposed development would see the construction of an anaerobic digestion facility that will comprise a reception hall, ten storage tanks for digestate and other liquids, gas upgrade/compression unit, flare, weighbridge, and other associated facility features. The potential direct physical impact to any heritage assets during the clearance and construction phases include the following:

- Removal or truncation of heritage assets during ground works, site clearance and construction (e.g. removal of hardstanding).
- Damage to buried archaeological remains because of piling and excavation of foundation trenches
- Other groundworks associated with the construction of the proposed development which have the potential to damage or destroy below ground features or deposits of cultural heritage value, should they be present.

As noted, the former Ruby Brickworks was located within the PDA, although only one derelict building remains. This is considered to relate to the later 20<sup>th</sup> century development within the PDA and has limited *evidential* and *historical illustrative value* of *local significance*. No above ground structural remains exist of the earlier late-19<sup>th</sup>/early-20<sup>th</sup> century Ruby Brickworks within the PDA; these were demolished in two subsequent phases during the late-20<sup>th</sup> century. The only structural remains to survive are the Grade II listed Brick Kiln and Stack, but as stated above, they are located outside the site boundary.

Dependent upon the level of clearance in the late-20<sup>th</sup> century associated with these later redevelopment phases, there is a *low potential* for some below ground remains to survive as possible foundations. Depending on the amount of site clearance and depth of foundation trenches required for the proposed development there is a potential for below ground remains, if present, to be directly impacted by the construction phases. The construction of the 3-digester single storage



tanks and associated compressors and pasteurisers could possibly directly impact the former Ruby Brickworks' western and eastern dry sheds (CPAT HER PRN:1001842 & PRN: 1001840) and possible kilns and chimneys (CPAT HER PRN:1001839). They could also impact on the former railway loading bay (CPAT HER PRN: 1001841), while the construction of the Flare, CHP's and Gas Upgrade/Compression would also affect the loading bays as well as the former Ruby Brickworks' offices (CPAT HER PRN: 1001837). If any below ground remains relating to the Ruby Brickworks were to survive they would be would be of *low* to *moderate evidential* and *historical illustrative value* of *regional significance*.

### 8 RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that a programme of box evaluation trenching be undertaken where intrusive groundworks are to take place, in order to assess the level of possible preservation of archaeological assets associated with industrial features and processes. This should be undertaken through an agreed WSI in consultation with Clywd-Powys Archaeological Trust planning archaeologists.

Additionally, it is suggested that screening of the proposed development could be provided by retaining and enhancing the soil bunds and tree lines to the north and south, limiting the adverse visual effect to *slight*.

### 9 STATEMENTS AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

### 9.1 Archive Deposition

One digital PDF/A copy of the final report will be deposited with CPAT HER.

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# APPENDIX I GAZETTEER OF ARCHAEOLOGICAL REMAINS

### **CPAT HER Entries**

HER PRN	Description	Period
97771	Coitier Garreg	Bronze Age
	No stone located.	Di Olize / ige
102731	Caer Garreg Standing stone	Bronze
	1870 OS map shows a stone in this field which will explain the	Age/unknown
	name.site not visited.;	Age/ driknown
97730	Ruby houses stone	Bronze Age
	Site not visited. Depicted on 1870 6" OS map.	Bronze Age
57732	Rhosesmor Mine, Roman find	
	Desk-top survey and evaluation carried out by EAS in 1998 prior to	
	land reclamation of Rhosesmor lead and zinc works. No	Roman
	documentary evidence was found to suggest that the area in	Koman
	question was mined before the mid C19th or later than c.1912. No	
	evidenc	
120336	Rhosesmor, Trumpet Brooch	Roman
	Cast copper alloy trumpet brooch dating from c.75- 175 AD.	
100299	Rhosesmor Paved Track	
	Flat-topped bank 0.4m high 1.6m wide 100m long stretch survives	medieval/Roman
	at least 1150m long. Originally shallow ditch on either side the bank	carcran, r.ca
	was paved pack horse track associated with lead mine.;	
99224	Playing Field Ridges	
	Slight suggestion of ridge and furrow running dead straight N-S,	
	parallel to the W hedge in a level field 50m NW of St John's Church,	medieval
	Rhydymwyn. Most obvious in the centre of the field. Irregular	
	widths between 3-5m. (Clwyd County Council 1979 – Flintshire)	
17410	Rhydymwyn battlefield	medieval
	Possible site of 11 <sup>th</sup> century battle. (Wayne, D 1992b, 86).	medievai
97762	Wernier quillet	medieval
	Site not visited.	medievai
97760	Caer-Corrig Quillet	medieval
	Site not visited.	medievai
97761	Coties Newydd quillet	medieval
	Site not visited.	medievai
97755	Gwenglodd quillet	medieval
	Nothing archaeological visible.	illedievai
99227	Hen Blas quillet	
	Site of quillet indicated on 1840 Tithe Schedule (ref 129). No sign of	medieval
	quillet or any hedge boundaries. (Clwyd County Council 1979 -	inedievai
	Flintshire SMR)	
102699	Maes-y-groes Fieldname	
	Field named 'Maes y groes' or 'Field of cross/crossroad' on 1839	
	Tithe Schedule. No visible remians of a cross or crossroads. Thought	medieval
	to be a field name only. (Clwyd County Council 1979 - Flintshire	
	SMR)	
97782	Nant Farm quillet	medieval
	Site not visited.	illeulevai



HER PRN	Description	Period
98992	Ardd-y-Hendre	
	Field named 'Ardd y hendre' on 1840 Tithe Schedule. Name	nost modioval
	suggestive of a winter dwelling. No visible remains. (Clwyd County	post medieval
	Council 1979 - Flintshire SMR)	
98990	Bryn Llidiart	
	Field named 'Bryn Lidiart' (Hill of the Gate) on 1840 Tithe Schedule.	post medieval
	Nothing archaeological visible. (Clwyd County Council 1979 -	post medievai
	Flintshire SMR)	
99163	Coed Du old road	
	Trackway located 150m S of Coed Du, running W-E paralel with	
	hedge line. Visible at its W end as a 3m wide sunken track, petering	post medieval
	out after about 40m. Some large trees line the edge of it. (Clwyd	
	County Council 1979 - Flintshire SMR)	
99179	Coitie Ysgubor field	post medieval
	Field name. (Clwyd County Council 1979 - Flintshire SMR)	posemeatera
53527	Dolfechlas-isaf, pond	
	Large pond lying between the road and the dismantled railway	post medieval
	depicted on 1st edition (1873) OS map.	
18068	Erwfelin	post medieval
	Lead (1864-1871)	
99226	Gwern-y-Refel	
	Field name on 1840 tithe Map suggestive of smithy. A few large	post medieval
	stones in SE cornr of field, but no sign of a smithy. (Clwyd County	<b>1</b>
	Council 1979 - Flintshire SMR)	
18094	Halkyn, South/Halkyn, Rhydymwyn	post medieval
10000	Lead/Silver/Zinc (1897-1903)	·
18098	Hendre Figallt Lead (19th century)	post medieval
94495	Hendre Mine, adit	
34433	Possible mine adit depicted on the 1st edition OS map of 1873.	post medieval
94493	Hendre Mine, quarry	
34433	Quarry depicted on the 1st edition OS map of 1873.	post medieval
115316	Hendre, pit	
	Possible quarry pit or mine shaft, measuring 3m in diameter x 2m	post medieval
	deep. (Better Woodlands for Wales visit, 10/02/2011)	
94494	Hendre, shaft (lead)	
	Lead shaft depicted on the 1st edition OS map of 1873.	post medieval
128626	Hendre, shaft I	
	Mine shaft visible on post-war (1940s) aerial photographs. Evidence	post medieval
	probably removed by	•
97783	Pant y Cwlas	
	Field name. No archaeological remains.	post medieval
18166	Pen-yr-Orsedd	المناد والمساهم والمساه
	Lead/Silver (1864-1889)	post medieval
160225	Pen-yr-orsedd Farm, outbuilding	moot madelianal
169325		
169325	Rubble stone built pig shed, roughly rectangular in shape.	post medieval



HER PRN	Description	Period
	Remains of a pool - a depression around 20m diameter and 1m	
	deep next to the railway. The hollow is dry and has trees growing	
	out of it. (Clwyd County Council 1979 - Flintshire SMR)	
97806	Red Lion bank	post medieval
	Possible bank, derived from road widening? Bank overgrown.	<b>P</b>
103055	Rhosesmor/Halkyn District Mines	post medieval
00000	Lead/Silver/Zinc (1858-1913)	•
98630	Rhydymwyn Industrial Estate track or leat	
	Trackway or leat depicted on the 1914 6" OS map. No visible remians. (Clwyd County Council 1979 - Flintshire SMR)	post medieval
98608	Tyddyn-y-Gwent old road	
30000	Old road depicted on 1811 map (D/GW/687) No visible remains,	
	though a few large trees seem to be in line with its original course.	post medieval
	(Clwyd County Council 1979 - Flintshire SMR)	
99231	Vicarage ditch and bank	
33231	Bank and ditch depicted on 1914 6" OS map. Ditch is 4-6m wide and	
	runs N-S, very shallow. It is now defiend by fences and trees on its	post medieval
	eastern side. On OS map, ditch meets a bank at its southern end.	,
	Nothing now survives of this bank - area now being co	
97788	Wern-y-Gaer Farm, Coitier Groundel	na at ma a dia val
	Field name, no archaeological remains.	post medieval
18224	Wern-y-Gaer/Nantfigallt	post medieval
	Lead (1868)	post medievai
97739	Nantfigillt Fechan	
	No visible remains of farm or enclosure. A stone structure possibly	post medieval
	associated with the old lead mine is situated within the garden	post modification
	adjacent to farm.	
97779	Pen yr Orsedd building	post medieval
07742	No sign of "plas" building. No apparent reason for site names.	•
97742	Red Lion public house building	post medieval
97780	No evidence of old building east of Red Lion public house.	
97780	Red Lion Public House, Building, Caerfallwch, Northop  No visible remains of old building at Red Lion public house,	nost modioval
	Caerfallwch.	post medieval
97743	Top-y-Rhos building	
37743	No trace of old building.	post medieval
130256	Supermarine Spitfire I R7062	
	The Spitfire was one of 450 delivered to the RAF by Supermarine,	
	Southampton, to contract b19713/39 between May 1940 and April	modern
	1941. Its service life included assignments to 308/405 squadrons	
	and 57 OTU. The aircraft collided with R6829 and crashed near	
98044	Rhydymwyn, MS Valley, Wartime ARP Shelter No.9	
	This Air Raid Protection (ARP) shelter was the northernmost within	modern
	this area of the West Bank. It was constructed within a recess cut	mouem
	into the terracing which was retained by a dry-stone revetment.	
13104	Rhosesmor Mine, water pump	
	Large electric water pump at Batters Shaft, dating to about 1900.	modern
	Was partially dismantled and damaged during salvage work prior to	



HER PRN	Description	Period
	the closure of the mine. Was probably installed to pump water to the surface for ore dressing.	
13106	North Hendre Flat Workings, winch I Hand-operated drum winch with a diameter of 1.2m. A geared device with a drum diameter of 0.6m. Was originally mounted upon timbers in the roof of an inclined passage.	modern
13107	North Hendre Flat Workings, winch II  A geared winch with a 1.2m diameter flywheel. Manufactured by Charles Booth & Co of Park Lane Liverpool (ships chandlers and engineering supplies). Was used to raise ore up the Main East Incline and was powered by a surface compressor at the main shaft	modern
130397	Miles Master I T8376  Pratt and Grant (2002, 223) report that the aircraft stalled while low flying and crashed between Mold and Nannerch on 12/12/1940. The pilot was killed and the aircraft written off. Location approximate.	modern
13109	Halkyn Tunnel North, drill carriage Heavy steel drill carriage used in 1908. Inscribed 'McCullick Patent'. Weighs c. 2t. Is fitted with axles for transporting underground by rail. Designed to support two arm-mounted compressed air rock drills. Locked in position for drilling by screw-	modern
13108	Halkyn Tunnel North, wagon Wooden, end-tipping ore-wagon, dating to about 1908. Similar to those described in PRN 13101.	modern
19213	Hendre quarry Modern quarry. See also PRN 100231 barrow destroyed by quarry (Silvester, R J & Brassil, K S 1991, 10).	modern
99164	Erw pwll tywfod Field name only. (Clwyd County Council 1979 - Flintshire SMR)	unknown
99230	Dolfechlas Uchat Farm Field  A series of low banks seen on AP 037 74 176 - these are thought to be natural breaks of slope in sloping field. (Clwyd County Council 1979 - Flintshire SMR)	unknown
98613	Cae Clawdd Field named 'Cae Clawdd' or 'Ditch/bank Field' on 1839 Tithe Schedule. A natural ridge runs from the east and immeditaely west, the land slopes down steeply towards the north and west. A boggy ditch runs along the northern edge of the field. (Clwyd Count	unknown
128629	Hendre, trackway Terraced trackway. Now abandoned (Hankinson.R & Silvester. R.J, 2008).	unknown
99007	Lygan uchaf linear feature A series of former hedge banks said to have been removed in the 1950's, extending 5 or 6 small fields into one large one. (Clwyd County Council 1979 - Flintshire SMR)	unknown



# APPENDIX II GAZETTEER OF THE HISTORIC BUILT ENVIRONMENT

### **Listed Buildings**

NHLE ID	CPAT HER PRN	Description	Grade
26204	60482	Ore Dressing Shed	II
26203	60480	Boiler Stack at Taylor's Shaft	II
2620	60483	Taylor's Shaft Engine House	II
26205	60481	Brick Kiln and Stack	II
16440	36184	Church of St John	II*
0525	99002	Engine House at Hendre	II
26206	60518	'Lygan Uchaf'	II
16441	104104	Lime Kiln'	II

### **CPAT HER Entries**

HER ID	Description	Period
214445	Cilcain, weir	unknown
	Weir identified by the Amber Barrier Atlas project 2020	dikilowii
214446	Cilcain, weir	unknown
	Weir identified by the Amber Barrier Atlas project 2020	
214447	Cilcain, weir	unknown
100000	Weir identified by the Amber Barrier Atlas project 2020	
126909	Coed lygan-Uchaf, building	nost modioval
	Building noted on early Ordnance Survey mapping during Glastir private woodland project	post medieval
53525	Dolfechlas-isaf, farmstead	
	Farmstead likely to contain traditional farm buildings as those depicted on 1st	post medieval
	edition (1873) OS map corresponding with buildings on the modern digital	post medievai
	mapping.	
53526	Dolfechlas-isaf, structure	
	Small structure adjacent to dismantled railway depicted on 1st edition (1873)	post medieval
56988	OS map.  Engine House	
30366	Site recorded in former Flintshire SMR. Supposed site of an engine house from	post medieval
	an unknown reference.	post illedieval
98999	Glan-yr-Afon	
	18th century stone public house. (Clwyd County Council 1979 - Flintshire SMR)	post medieval
126675	Glan-yr-afon, limekiln	
	Lime kiln noted on early Ordnance Survey mapping during Glastir private	post medieval
	woodland project	
126674	Glan-yr-afon, limekilns	
	Lime kiln noted on early Ordnance Survey mapping during Glastir private	post medieval
400000	woodland project	
126676	Glan-yr-afon, quarry building I	
	Building noted on early Ordnance Survey mapping during Glastir private	post medieval
126677	woodland project  Glan-yr-afon, quarry building II	
1200//	Building noted on early Ordnance Survey mapping during Glastir private	post medieval
	woodland project	Postilicaleval
94501	Glan-yr-afon, structure	post medieval



HER ID	Description	Period
	Two small structures depicted on the 2nd edition OS map of 1889. Possibly associated with the Mold and Denbigh Junction Railway to the north.	
18096	Hendre	
	Lead/Silver (Early 19th century-1987)	post medieval
99209	Hendre air shaft	
	Disused Air Shaft shown on 1964 6" OS map. Site not visited. (Clwyd County	post medieval
	Council 1979 - Flintshire SMR)	
126911	Hendre Lead Mine, building	
	Mine shaft noted on early Ordnance Survey mapping during Glastir private	post medieval
	woodland project	
126910	Hendre Lead Mine. Shaft	
	Mine shaft noted on early Ordnance Survey mapping during Glastir private	post medieval
	woodland project	
103420	Hendre Limekiln	
	Limekiln presumed to have been destroyed. Rough stone wall at this location	post medieval
	was possibly associated.	
104072	Hendre Limekiln	post medieval
	Kiln (OS, 1964)	•
98998	Hendre Limeworks	
	Hendre Limeworks depicted on 1914 6" OS map. now in use as an extensive	post medieval
0.4500	limestone quarry. (Clwyd County Council 1979 - Flintshire SMR)	
94500	Hendre Mine, buildings I	
	Two small buildings with 3 small enclosures in between shown on the 2nd	post medieval
	edition OS map of 1889. Probably associated with the Hendre Lead Mine located to the east.	
94499	Hendre Mine, tramway	
34433	Tramway depicted on the 2nd edition OS map of 1889 running NE-SW	post medieval
	between the Hendre Lead Mine and Hendre Mine Quarry (PRN 94493).	post medievai
103373	Hendre Quarry Engine House	
100070	Substantial limestone 4-walled structure measuring 15m high by 6m wide by	post medieval
	6m long. n0285;	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
1001836	Hendre Quarry, engine house 2	
	Built 1917 to hold electric motors for pumps in Taylor's shaft adjacent.	post medieval
103415	Hendre Villas Engine House	
	Substantial limestone block building with walls up to 3m high and 10m long	
	by 9m wide.the floor is concreted and the evidence for machinery	post medieval
	foundations confirm this as the engine house. n0285;	
126672	Hendre, building I	
	Building noted on early Ordnance Survey mapping during Glastir private	post medieval
	woodland project	
126673	Hendre, building II	
	Building noted on early Ordnance Survey mapping during Glastir private	post medieval
	woodland project	
126671	Hendre, old shaft (lead)	_
	Mine shaft noted on early Ordnance Survey mapping during Glastir private	post medieval
	woodland project	
115317	Hendre, stone wall	
	Section of stone block walling standing to around 3m high. Ivy covered in	post medieval
	places. There is a large bank built up behind it - so the wall possibly acted	
445343	some sort of revetment to stabilise the bank alongside the railway line.	
115318	Hendre, walls	post medieval



HER ID	Description	Period
	Two low, parallel walls visible aligned N-S. Possibly concrete, with squared holes through them. To the immediate E there is a square concrete platform. Walls are all moss covered and there are brambles growing over remains. Possibly remnants of a building.	
97747	Lewis Furniture Centre	post medieval
103418	No evidence of weighbridge / weighing machine.  Lygan Uchaf Limekiln	
105410	No evidence of a limekiln at this site as shown on the os map presumed destroyed. n0285;	post medieval
99005	Lygan Uchaf tracks	
	Line of a former trackway depicted on 1870 6" OS map leading from Coed Lygan Uchaf to limekiln. This has since been removed to form one large arable field. (Clwyd County Council 1979 - Flintshire SMR)	post medieval
178173	Lygan-uchaf farm Farm complex identified on OS 2nd edition 25 inch to 1 mile map. Likely to contain traditional farm buildings (CPAT, Farms and Farmsteads - Flintshire, 2019).	post medieval
179478	Lygan-uchaf farm, farm building Traditional farm building, or building now encompassing a traditional farm building, identified from OS 2nd edition 25 inch to 1 mile map by CPAT Farm	post medieval
179479	Lygan-uchaf farm, farm building Traditional farm building, or building now encompassing a traditional farm building, identified from OS 2nd edition 25 inch to 1 mile map by CPAT Farm	post medieval
179480	Lygan-uchaf farm, farm building  Traditional farm building, or building now encompassing a traditional farm building, identified from OS 2nd edition 25 inch to 1 mile map by CPAT Farm	post medieval
179481	Lygan-uchaf farm, farm building Traditional farm building, or building now encompassing a traditional farm building, identified from OS 2nd edition 25 inch to 1 mile map by CPAT Farm	post medieval
126634	Nant Cottage, building  Building noted on early Ordnance Survey mapping during Glastir private woodland project	post medieval
126635	Nant Cottage, shaft Mine shaft noted on early Ordnance Survey mapping during Glastir private woodland project	post medieval
126636	Nant Cottatge, house House noted on early Ordnance Survey mapping during Glastir private woodland project	post medieval
178169	Nant Farm Farm complex identified on OS 2nd edition 25 inch to 1 mile map. Likely to contain traditional farm buildings (CPAT, Farms and Farmsteads - Flintshire, 2019).	post medieval
179474	Nant Farm, farm building Traditional farm building, or building now encompassing a traditional farm building, identified from OS 2nd edition 25 inch to 1 mile map by CPAT Farm	post medieval
99006	Nant Figillt stepping stones Stepping Stones depicted on 1914 6" OS map. No visible remains. (Clwyd County Council 1979 - Flintshire SMR)	post medieval
97731	Nant Figillt stone Site not visited.	post medieval
178170	Nant-figillt farm	post medieval



HER ID	Description	Period
	Farm complex identified on OS 2nd edition 25 inch to 1 mile map. Likely to contain traditional farm buildings (CPAT, Farms and Farmsteads - Flintshire, 2019).	
179475	Nant-figillt farm, farm building Traditional farm building, or building now encompassing a traditional farm building, identified from OS 2nd edition 25 inch to 1 mile map by CPAT Farm	post medieval
178168	Pen-yr-orsedd Farm Farm complex identified on OS 2nd edition 25 inch to 1 mile map. Likely to contain traditional farm buildings (CPAT, Farms and Farmsteads - Flintshire, 2019).	post medieval
179473	Pen-yr-orsedd Farm, farm building Traditional farm building, or building now encompassing a traditional farm building, identified from OS 2nd edition 25 inch to 1 mile map by CPAT Farm	post medieval
100304	Pen-yr-orsedd Farmhouse  Two storied building of rubble construction with a slate roof. Large external chimney breast on east side thought to be 17th century or earlier orsedd mound, no mound visible today.; (cas 4/12/93)	post medieval
98628	Pent-y-Terfyn stone Boundary stone described in 1699. No visible remians. (Clwyd County Council 1979 - Flintshire SMR)	post medieval
99223	Penyfron wheel pit Site of wheel pit - now destroyed (since 1975) and occupied by a modern house and garden. (Clwyd County Council 1979 - Flintshire SMR)	post medieval
97807	Red Lion circular feature Circular bank 0.5m in ehight and 8m length. Depression within circualr faeture and possible entrance to the NE. Probably an old lead shaft.	post medieval
87820	Red Lion Public House, Caerfallwch, Northop  Eastern face has two projections; a porch to the front door and a toilet block to the back (South).	post medieval
145073	Rh-y-mwyn, Rhyd-y-mwyn - WW1 Plaque, war memorial First World War (1914-1918), Board / Plaque / Tablet	modern
103065	Rhosesmor Powder Magazine Stone footings of small building 2.9m by 3.4m standing up to 0.75m high, believed to be the remains of a powder magazine. n0185;	post medieval
129227	Rhosesmor, Cefn Eurgain Lane, Jerusalem Chapel, Chapel House Chapel House	post medieval
126608	Rhyd-Alyn, Flour Mill, mill race Mill race noted on early Ordnance Survey mapping during Glastir private woodland project	post medieval
145074	Rhyd-y-mwyn, Rhyd-y-mwyn - WW2 Plaque, war memorial War memorial commemorating the Second World War (1939-1945) of Board / Plaque / Tablet type	modern
145075	Rhyd-y-mwyn, Rhyd-y-mwyn War Memorial Institute, war memorial War memorial commemorating the First World War (1914-1918) of Hall / Institute type	modern
104074	Rhydymwyn Milestone Milestone missing at this location. n0785;	post medieval
104075	Rhydymwyn Mill House House called Mill House shows no evidence of it being a mill at all. nothing else in the area to suggest a mill. n0785;	post medieval
17138	Rhydymwyn National School	post medieval



HER ID	Description	Period
	Approximate NGR. designed by Thomas Henry Wyatt. tablet in gable records site given by P.B. Davies-Cooke of Gwysaney in 1868 (seaborne, m.v.j., 1992, 90-1). currently private house (ibid, 102).	
98000	Rhydymwyn, MS Valley, Process Garage, This building served as the garage and workshop for all of the vehicles at Valley. It is single-storied but open to its sloping steel-framed roof which is unique to the surviving buildings at Valley. The garage originally had three inspection pits	modern
103051	Ruby Brickworks  Derelict brickworks buildings some with chimneys still standing. n0185;	post medieval
1001840	Ruby Brickworks, eastern drying sheds Drying sheds for Ruby Brickworks,	post medieval
1001845	Ruby Brickworks, engine and boiler house Engine and boiler house for Ruby Brickworks	post medieval
1001839	Ruby Brickworks, kiln Kiln at Ruby Brickworks,	post medieval
1001837	Ruby Brickworks, offices Office accommodation for Ruby Brickworks	post medieval
1001838	Ruby Brickworks, privies Privies for Ruby Brickworks	post medieval
1001842	Ruby Brickworks, western drying sheds Drying sheds for Ruby Brickworks,	post medieval
1001843	Ruby Brickworks, workshops Workshopd for Ruby Brickworks,	post medieval
1001841	Ruby Brickworks, rail loading bays Rail loading bays for Ruby Brickworks	post medieval
178167	Tyddyn-y-gwynt farm Farm complex identified on OS 2nd edition 25 inch to 1 mile map. Likely to contain traditional farm buildings (CPAT, Farms and Farmsteads - Flintshire, 2019).	post medieval
178895	Tyddyn-y-gwynt farm, farm building Traditional farm building, or building now encompassing a traditional farm building, identified from OS 2nd edition 25 inch to 1 mile map by CPAT Farm	post medieval
178896	Tyddyn-y-gwynt farm, farm building Traditional farm building, or building now encompassing a traditional farm building, identified from OS 2nd edition 25 inch to 1 mile map by CPAT Farm	post medieval
178897	Tyddyn-y-gwynt farm, farm building Traditional farm building, or building now encompassing a traditional farm building, identified from OS 2nd edition 25 inch to 1 mile map by CPAT Farm	post medieval
98576	Tyddyn-y-Gwynt Lime Kiln Limekiln shown on c1862 map (D/DM/223/63). No visible remians. (Clwyd County Council 1979 - Flintshire SMR)	post medieval
178172	Wern Farm Farm complex identified on OS 2nd edition 25 inch to 1 mile map. Likely to contain traditional farm buildings (CPAT, Farms and Farmsteads - Flintshire, 2019).	post medieval
179477	Wern Farm, farm building Traditional farm building, or building now encompassing a traditional farm building, identified from OS 2nd edition 25 inch to 1 mile map by CPAT Farm	post medieval
178171	Wern-y-gaer Farm	post medieval



HER ID	Description	Period
	Farm complex identified on OS 2nd edition 25 inch to 1 mile map. Likely to contain traditional farm buildings (CPAT, Farms and Farmsteads - Flintshire, 2019).	
179476	Wern-y-gaer Farm, farm building Traditional farm building, or building now encompassing a traditional farm building, identified from OS 2nd edition 25 inch to 1 mile map by CPAT Farm	post medieval





## APPENDIX III GAZETTEER OF HLC UNITS

HLC UID	HLC Broad type	HLC Primary type	Details
FLNTHL757	Irregular Fieldscapes	Irregular Fieldscapes. Woodland.	Trellyniau
		Nucleated Settlement. Non-	
		nucleated Settlement. Extractive.	
		Communications	
FLNTHL183	Irregular Fieldscapes	Irregular Fieldscapes. Woodland.	Upper Alyn Valley
		Extractive.	
		Processing/Manufacturing. Military	
FLNTHL349	Irregular Fieldscapes	Irregular Fieldscapes. Woodland.	Lleeswood
		Nucleated Settlement. Extractive.	
		Processing/Manufacturing.	
		Communications. Designed	
		Landscape	
FLNTHL417	Extractive	Marginal Land. Non-nucleated	Halkym Mountain
		Settlement. Extractive.	
		Processing/Manufacturing.	
		Communications	



## APPENDIX IV GAZETTEER OF PREVIOUS ARCHAEOLOGICAL EVENTS

## **HER Event Entries**

PRN	Name	Description/Event
38542	Rhydymwyn to Northop Gas Pipeline, assessment 1992	Evaluation of proposed pipeline identified a battlefield (17410) and field banks (26932) (Wayne, D 1992).
49214	Rhydymwyn battlefield, metal detector survey 1992	Metal detector survey of possible site of 11th century battle. Various ferrous objects and lead token with acorn motif recovered (Wayne, D 1992b, 86).
13097	Halkyn Mountain mines, topographical survey 1996	In 1996 the Grosvenor Caving Club explored a number of Flintshire lead veins for the first time since their closure. Work concentrated on locating the Halkyn Tunnel.  A large number of artifacts were found and a
38271	Hen Blas motte and bailey, excavation 1957	photographic record was made. (Ebbs, C, 1)  Motte and bailey built AD 1157. Motte predominantly levelled in late 13th cent for timber buildings within a pallisade. Excavations concluded in 1957. Site bounded on north & south by steep sided ravine. S f 62.
112363	Hendre Quarry, assessment project 2008	Assessment project carried out by Clwyd Powys Archaeological Trust in 2008.
123124	Medieval and Post-Medieval Industry, assessment project 2011- 12	Assessment project carried out for Cadw by Clwyd-Powys Archaeological Trust in 2011-12. Consisted of desk-based assessment and limited fieldwork of medieval and early post-medieval industrial sites in east and north-east Wales.
70807	Rhosesmor Mine Land Reclamation Scheme, evaluation 1998	Desk-top survey and evaluation carried out by EAS in 1998 prior to land reclamation of Rhosesmor lead and zinc works. No documentary evidence was found to suggest that the area in question was mined before the mid C19th or later than c.1912. No evidence
106538	Rhydymyn, MS Valley, assessment project 2006	Assessment project carried out by Birmingham Archaeology in 2006
129723	Mills and Milling Scheduling Enhancement Programme 2011-12	Cadw-funded Scheduling Enhancement Programme looking at medieval and early post-medieval (pre-1750) mills in north-east and mid-Wales. Desk based assessment (PRN129724) was followed by field survey (PRN129725).
129724	Mills and Milling Scheduling Enhancement Programme, desk- based assessment 2011-12	Desk-based assessment, part of a Scheduling Enhancement Programme looking at medieval and early post-medieval (pre-1750) mills in north-east and mid- Wales (Hankinson & Silvester, 2012).
128559	Railway Ruin, Glastir HEF report	NULL
129106	Rhosesmor, Cefn Eurgain Lane, Jerusalem Chapel, Chapel House	Photographic survey undertaken in 2005 ahead of development. (Andy Evans, 2013)
140230	Twentieth Century Military Remains - Rhydymwyn, Flintshire. Scheduling Enhancement Programme	The main programme of work comprised a desk-based- assessment using primary and secondary documentation in order to identify the nature, uses and inter- relationships of the surviving resource. This was informed largely by the Historic Environment Management
141996	Medieval and Post-Medieval Industry, desk based assessment 2011-12	Desk-based assessment of medieval and early post- medieval industrial sites in east and north-east Wales.



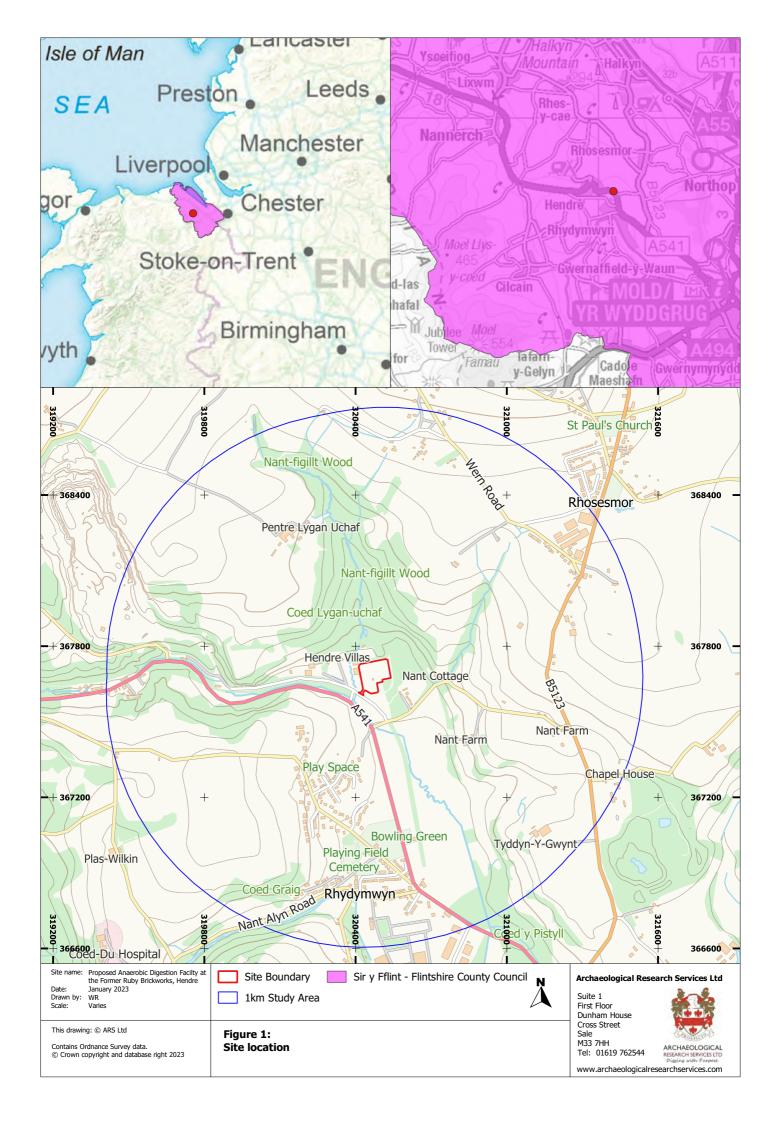
PRN	Name	Description/Event
132130	Military Aircraft Crash Sites. Scheduling Enhancement Programme 2013-14	A thematic study of military aircraft crash sites in east and north-east Wales carried out by CPAT and funded through grant-aid from Cadw as part of a pan-Wales project. The work comprised an initial desk-top study (PRN132131), followed by field visits.
132131	Military Aircraft Crash Sites. Scheduling Enhancement Programme, desk based assessment 2013-14	Desk based assessment, part of a Scheduling Enhancement Programme looking at aircraft crash sites in east and north-east Wales. Work commenced in August 2013 with a desk-top assessment. Based on a pan-Wales database of crash sites both on land and at sea.
144346	Halkyn, Pen Yr Orsedd, building survey, 2017	The exterior and the interior were viewed and photographed. The location and orientation of photographs were located on existing plans.
170065	Rivers Scheduling Enhancement Project "Rivers Usk, Honddu and Grwyne	This Cadw-funded project was completed over 12 months by Clwyd-Powys Archaeological Trust [CPAT]. Its purpose was to identify in-river archaeological features, or those related to river modification across the CPAT region.



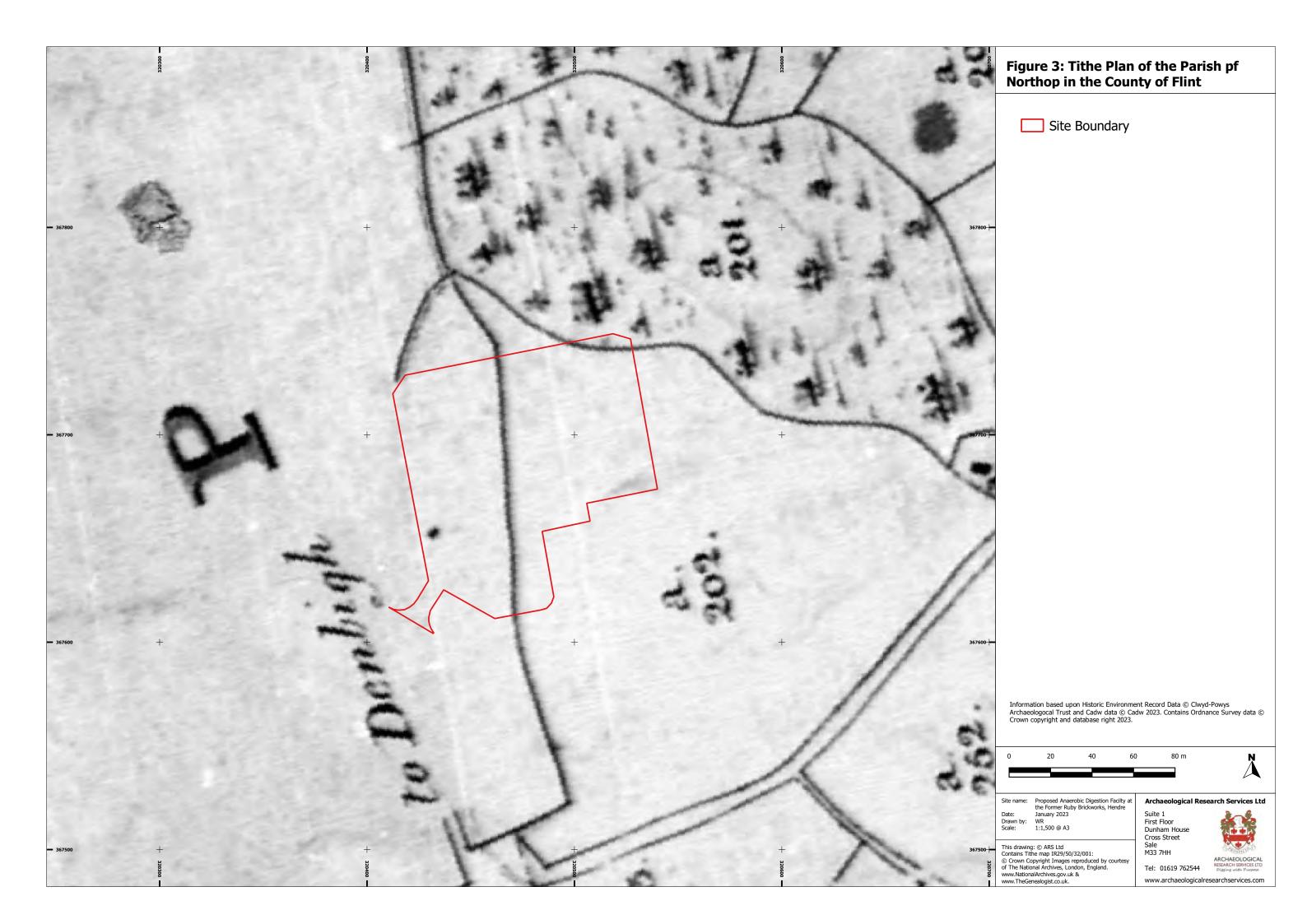


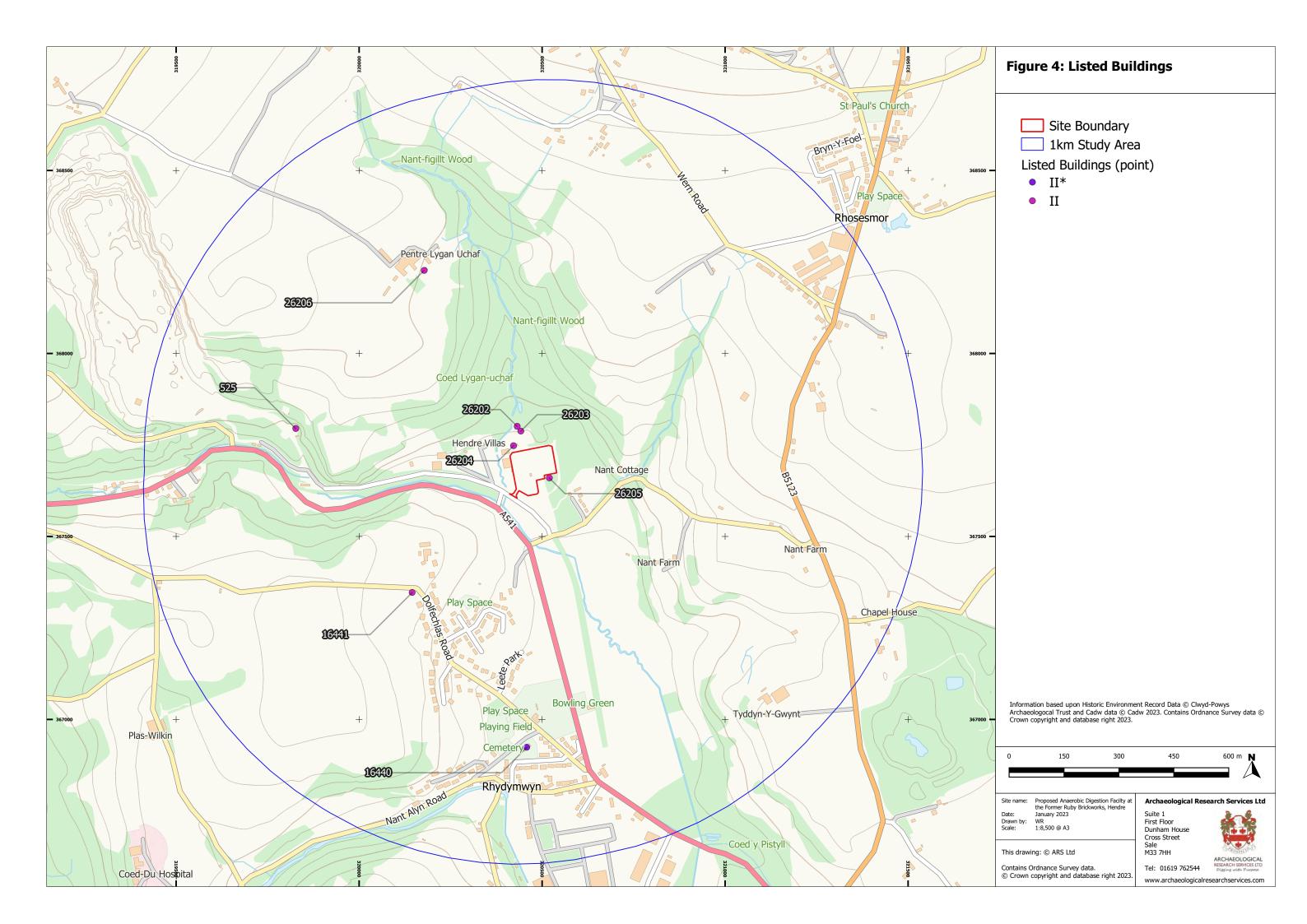


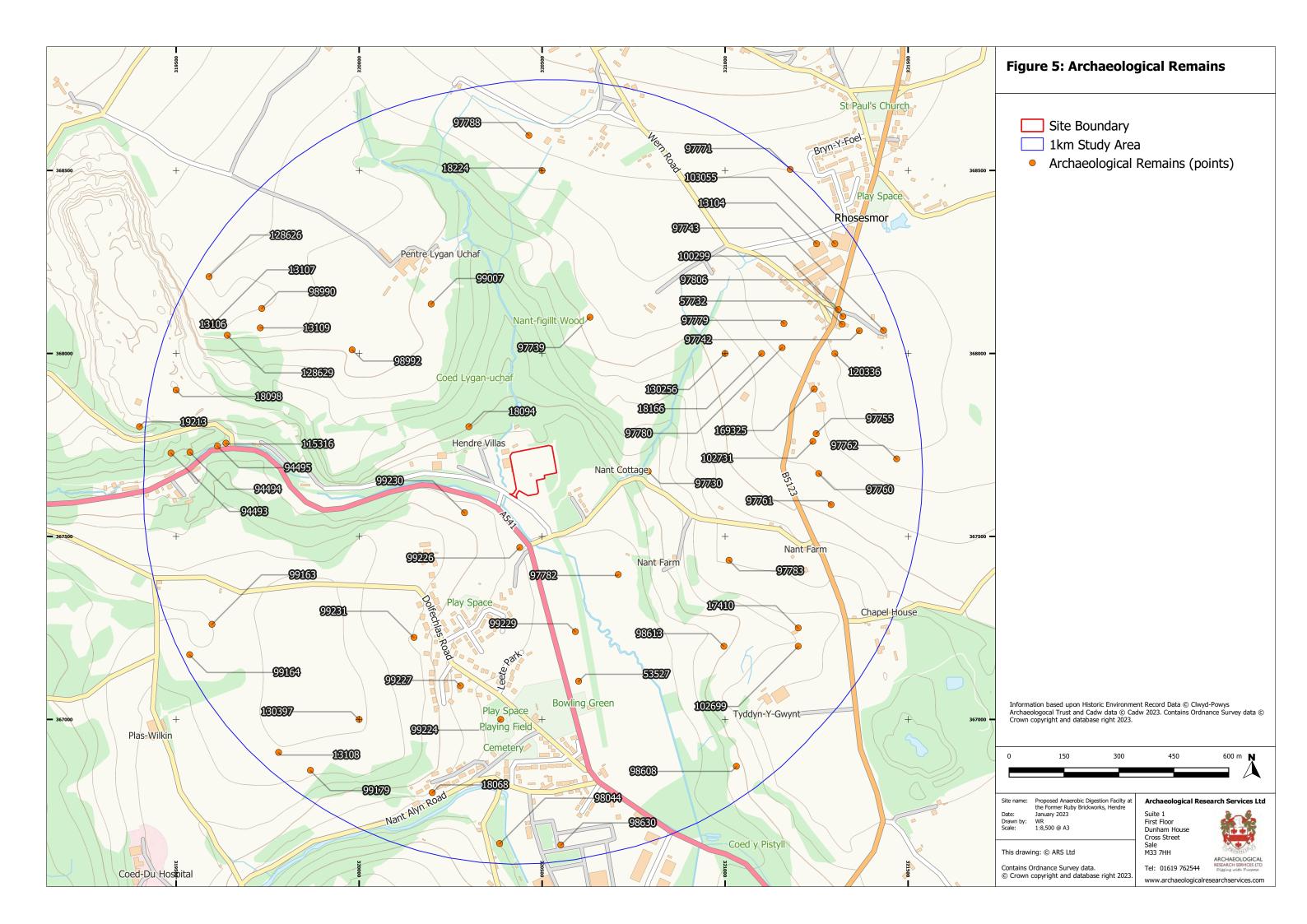


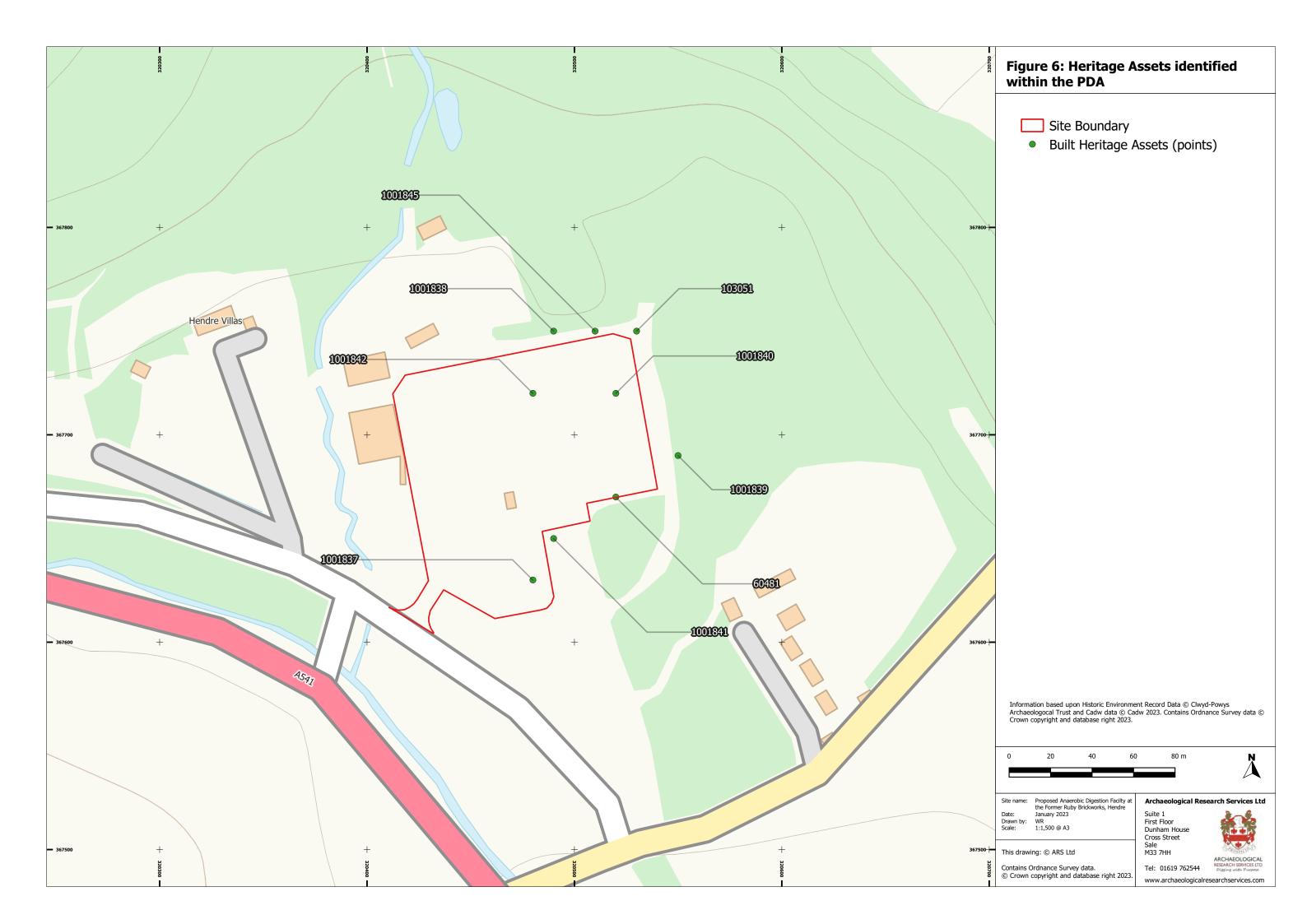


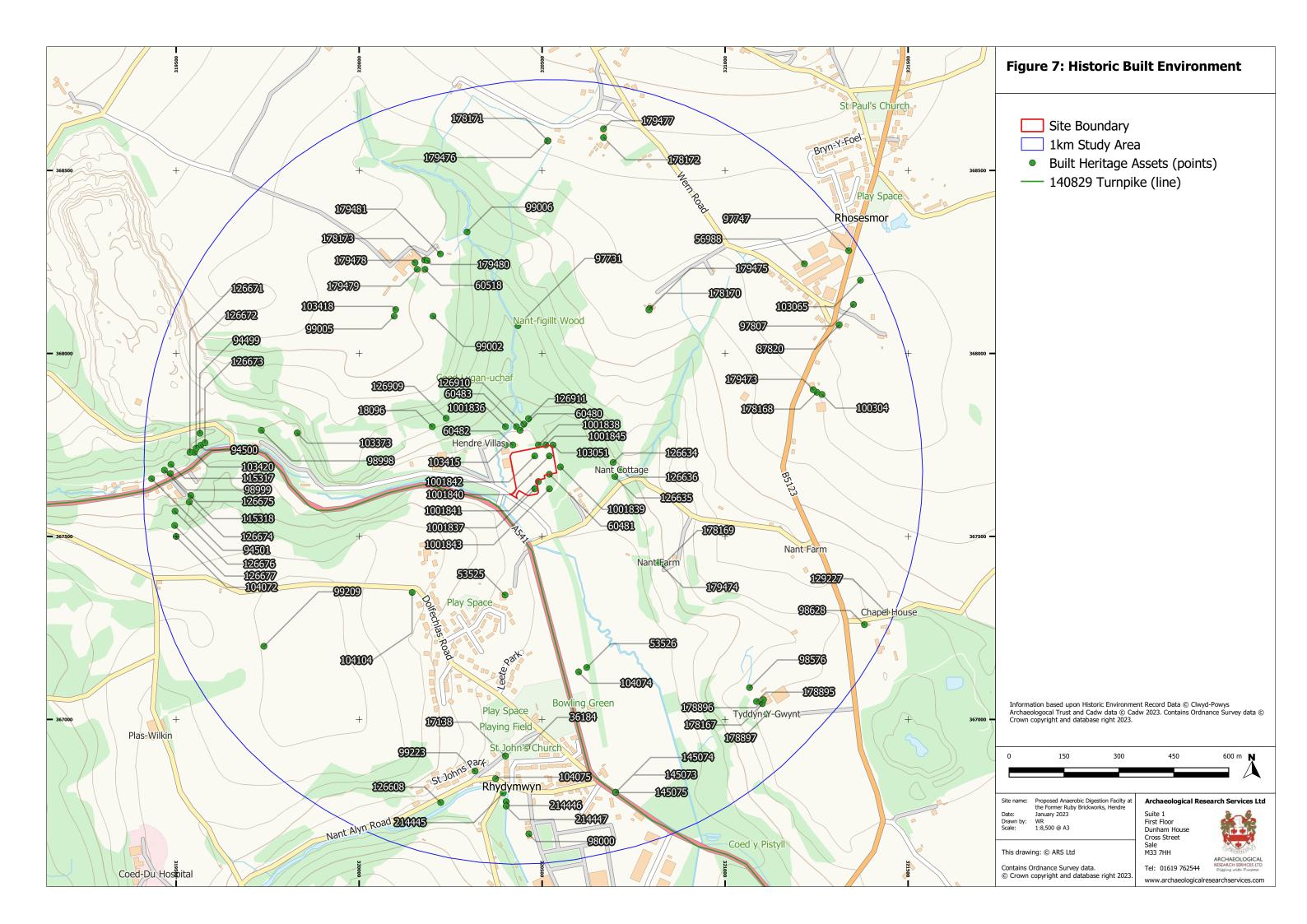


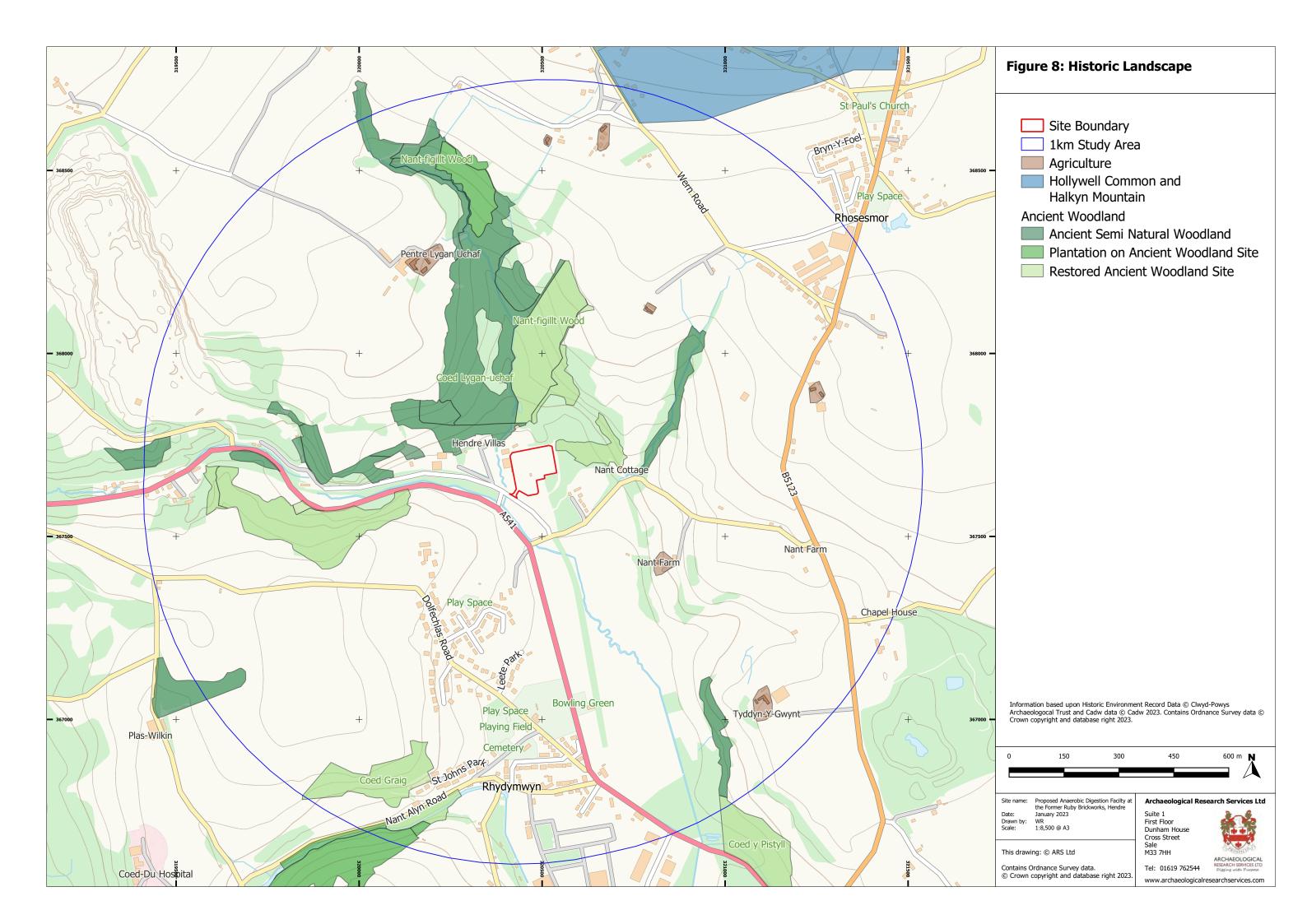


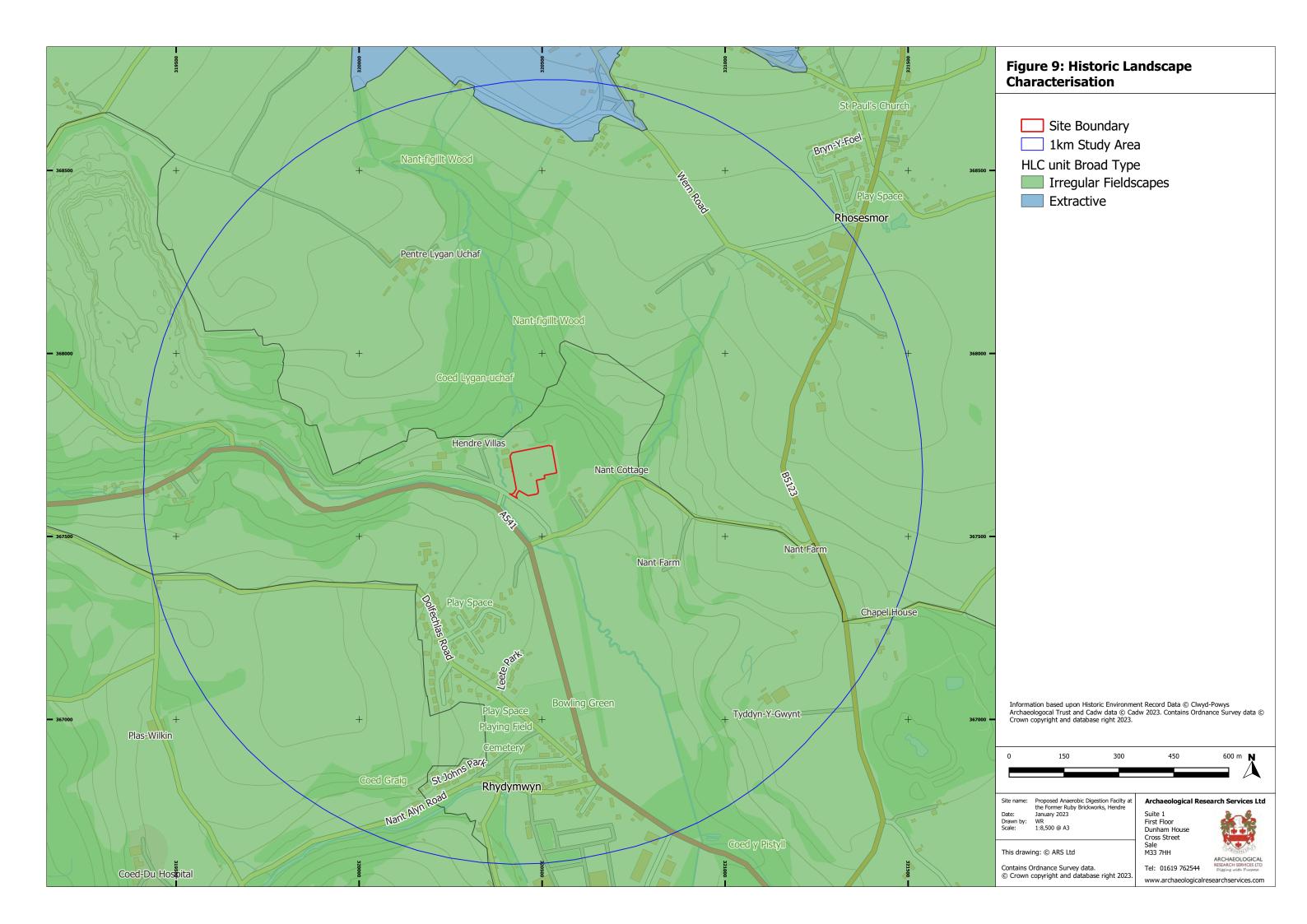


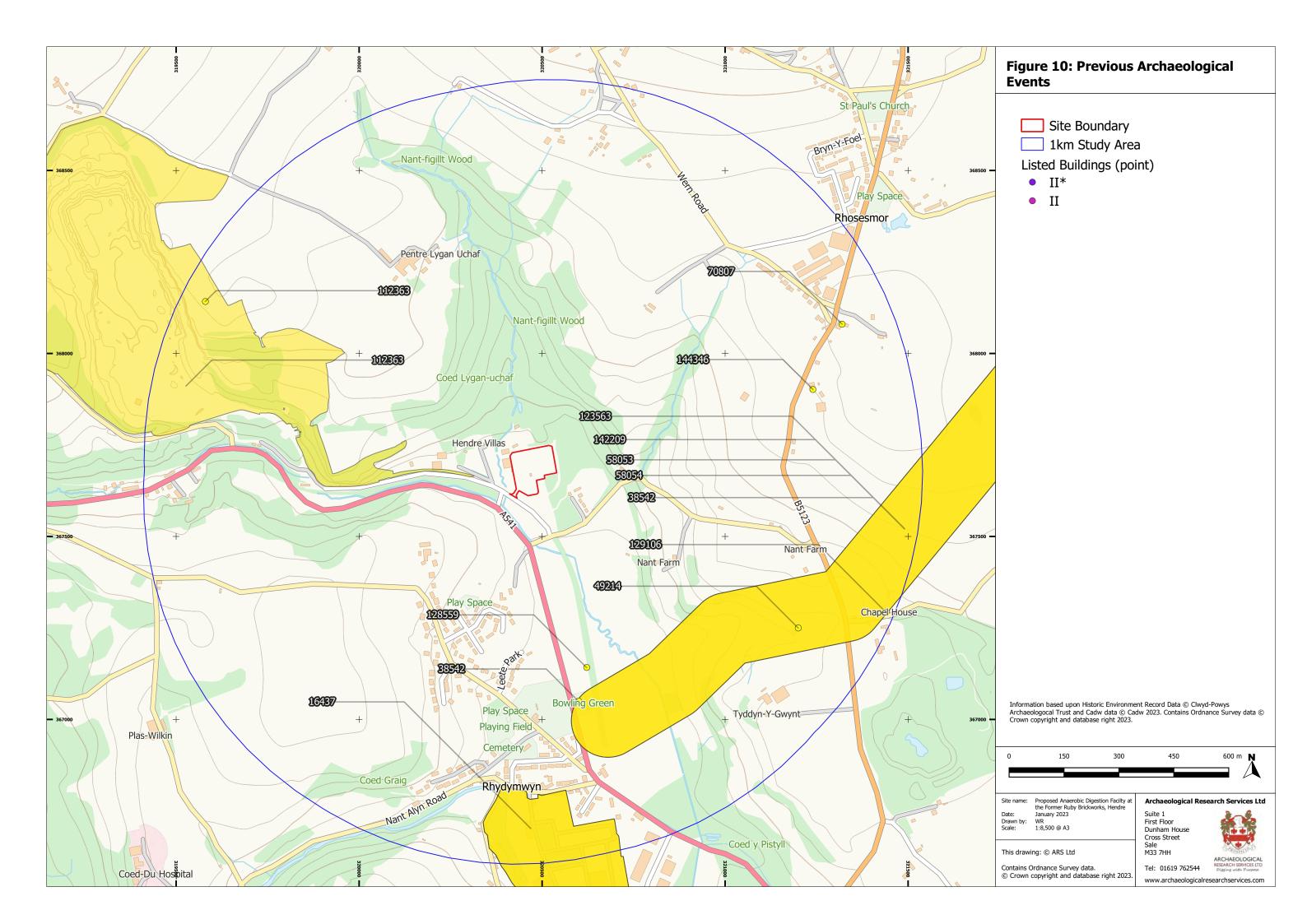


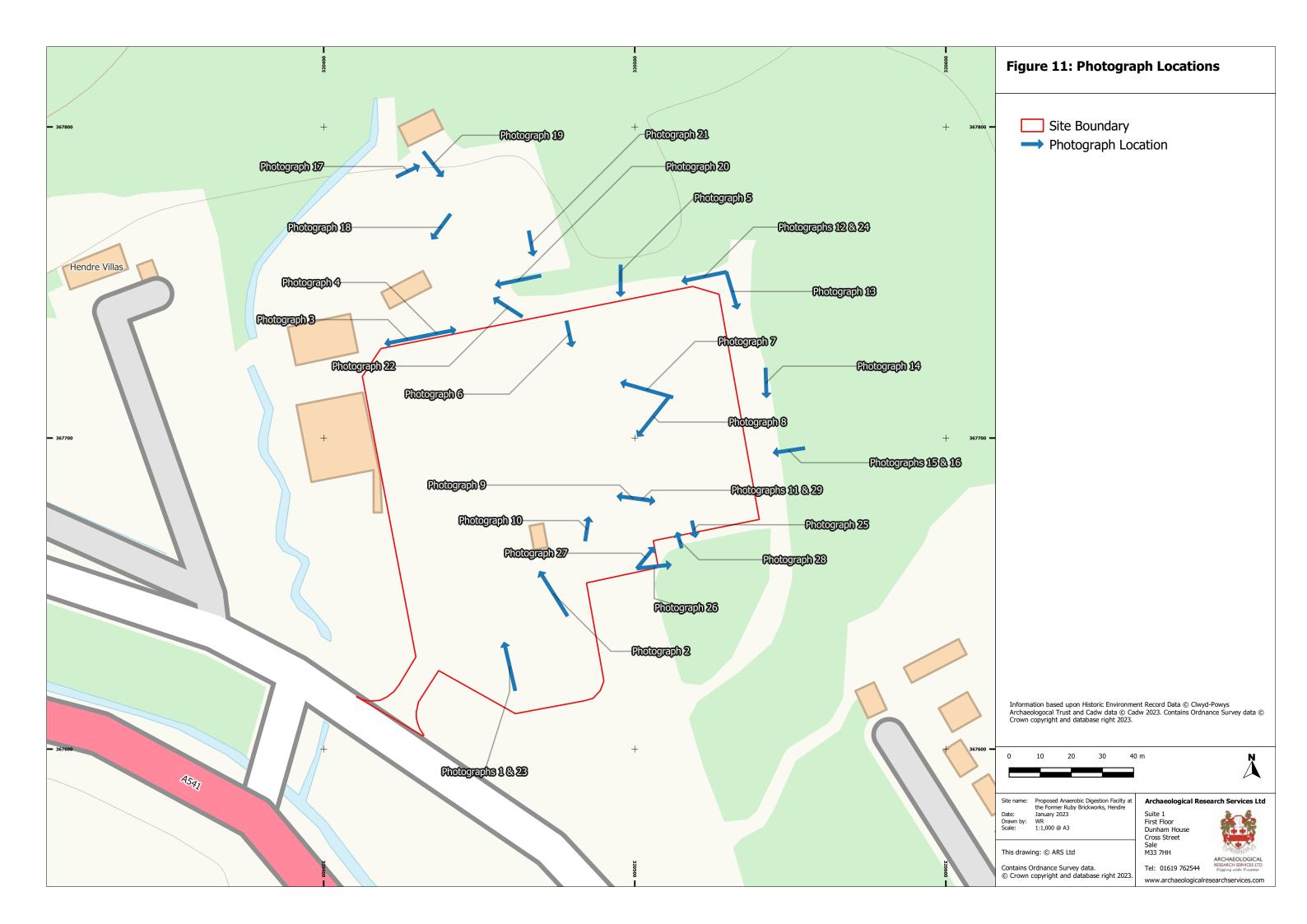


















Photograph 1: View of PDA looking north, towards North Hendre Lead Mine.



Photograph 2: View View of PDA looking northwest.





Photograph 3: View west of northern boundary between the PDA and Ore Shed.



Photograph 4: View east of northern boundary of PDA.





Photograph 5: View south towards the PDA from the northern boundary.



Photograph 6: View south towards the late-20<sup>th</sup> century derelict building.





Photograph 7: View northwest towards the late-20th century derelict building.



Photograph 8: View southwest towards the late-20th century derelict building.





Photograph 9: View northwest towards the late-20th century derelict building.



Photograph 10: View north towards the late-20th century derelict building and madeground.





Photograph 11: View southeast from the PDA towards Brick Kiln and Stack.



Photograph 12: View west along the northern boundary of the PDA.





Photograph 13: View south along the eastern boundary of the PDA.



Photograph 14: View south along the eastern boundary of the PDA





Photograph 15: View west of possible brick structure/foundations just beyond eastern boundary of the PDA (1x1m scale).



Photograph 16:
View View west of possible brick structure/foundations just beyond eastern boundary of the PDA (1x1m scale).





Photograph 17: View northeast towards Taylor's Shaft Engine House and Boiler Stack.



Photograph 18: View southwest towards Ore Shed.





Photograph 19: View south towards the PDA from North Hendre Lead Mine group.



Photograph 20:
View west across the soil bund and tree line between the PDA and North Hendre Lead
Mine group.



Photograph 21: View south towards the PDA from North Hendre Lead Mine group





Photograph 22: View north from northern boundary of the PDA towards North Hendre Lead Mine group.



Photograph 23: View north from west section of the PDA towards North Hendre Lead Mine group.





Photograph 24: View west along the soil bunds on northern boundary of the PDA.



Photograph 25: View south towards Brick Kiln and Stack, outside of the PDA.





Photograph 26: View east of Brick Kiln and Stack, outside the PDA.



Photograph 27:
View northeast of the soil bund and tree line along the southern boundary between the PDA and Brick Kiln and Stack.





Photograph 28: View north from the Brick Kiln and Stack towards the PDA.

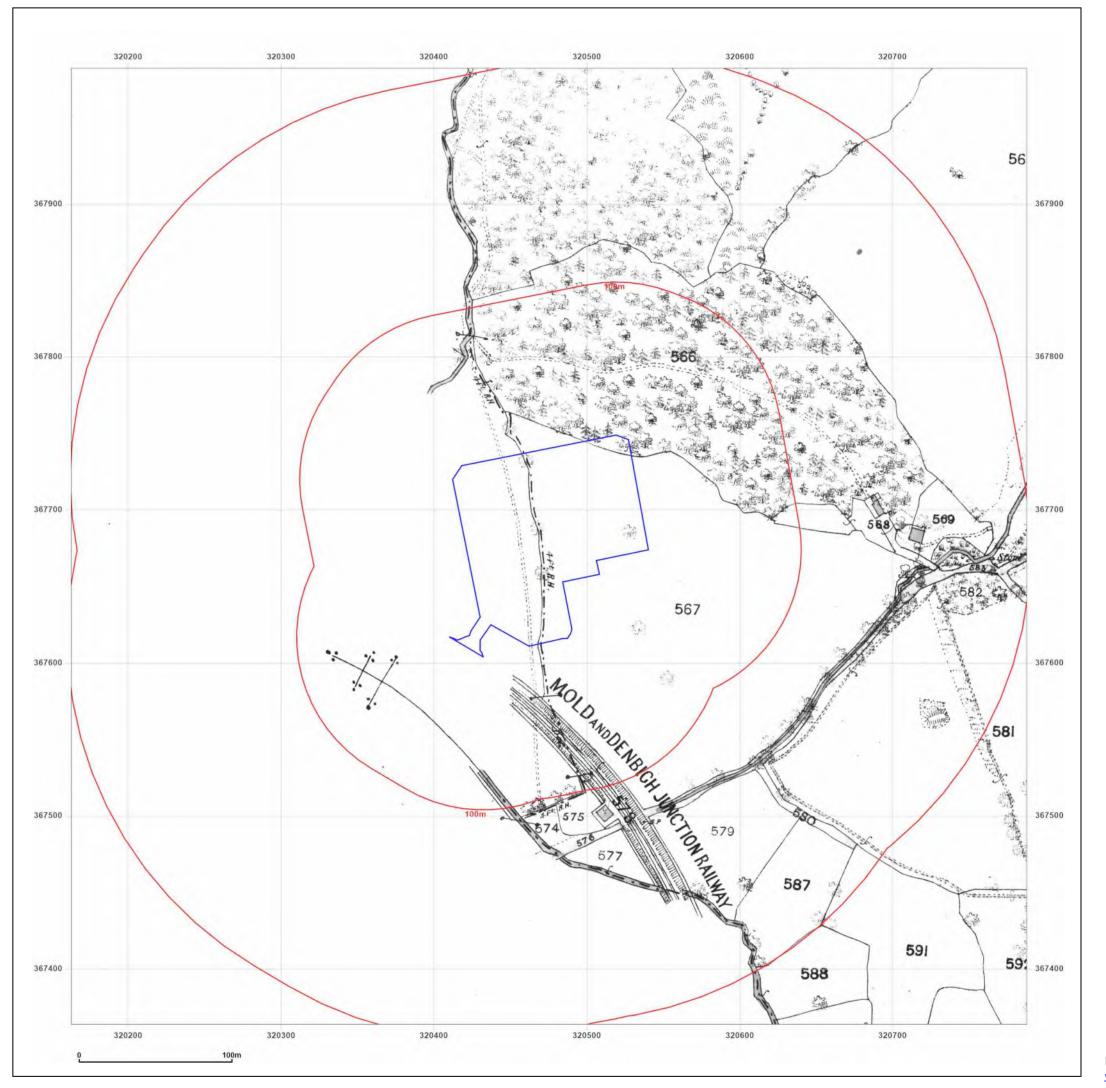


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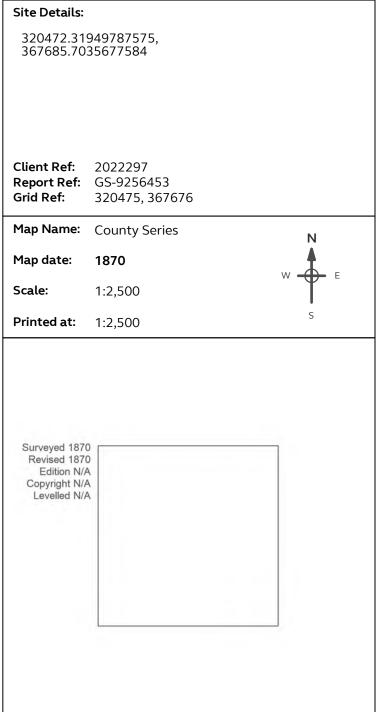










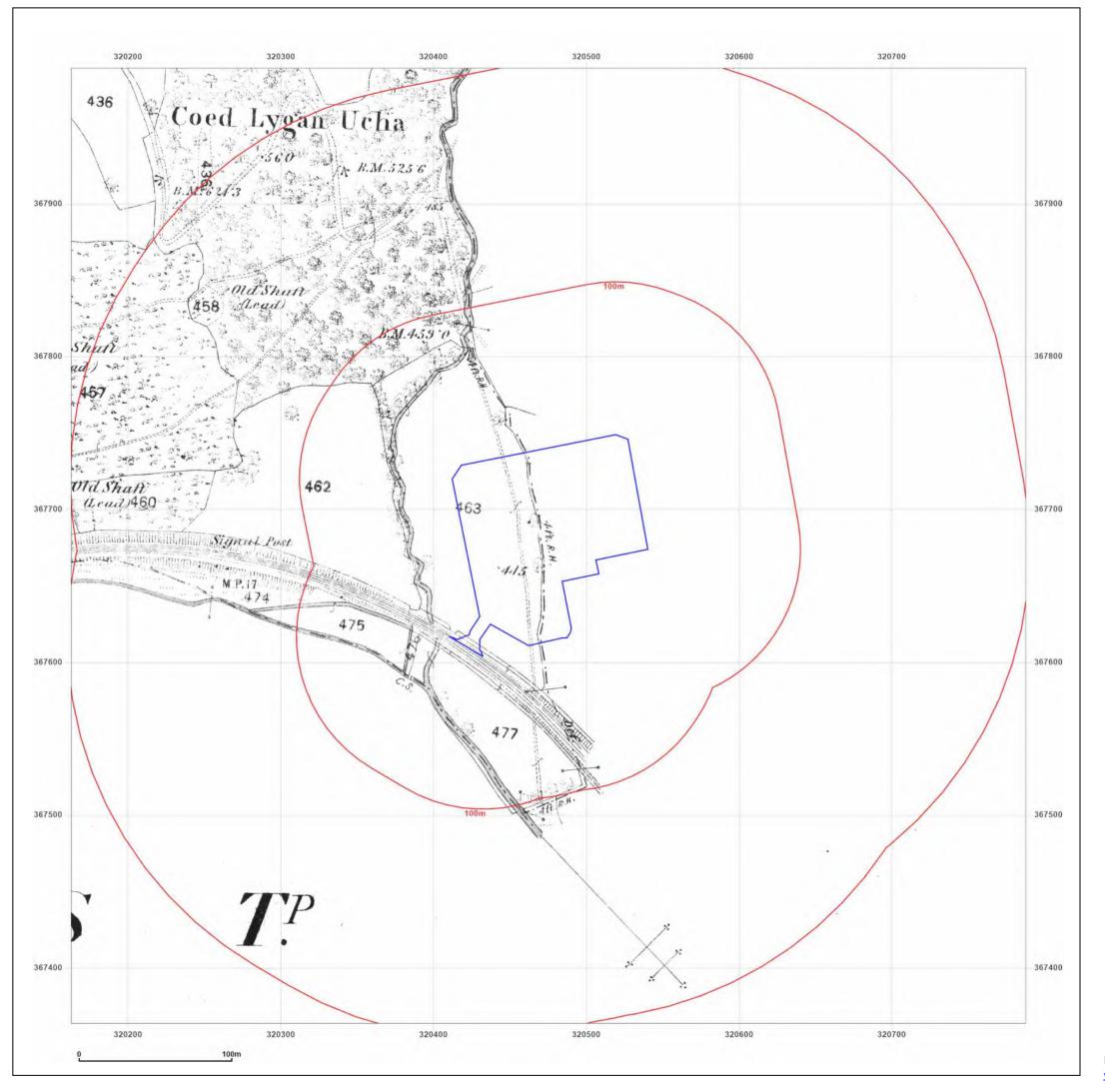




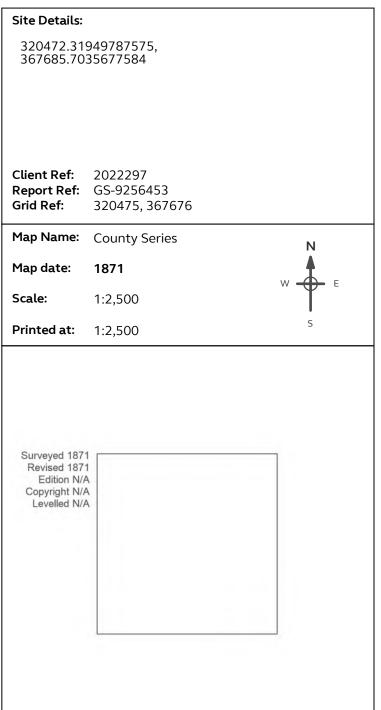
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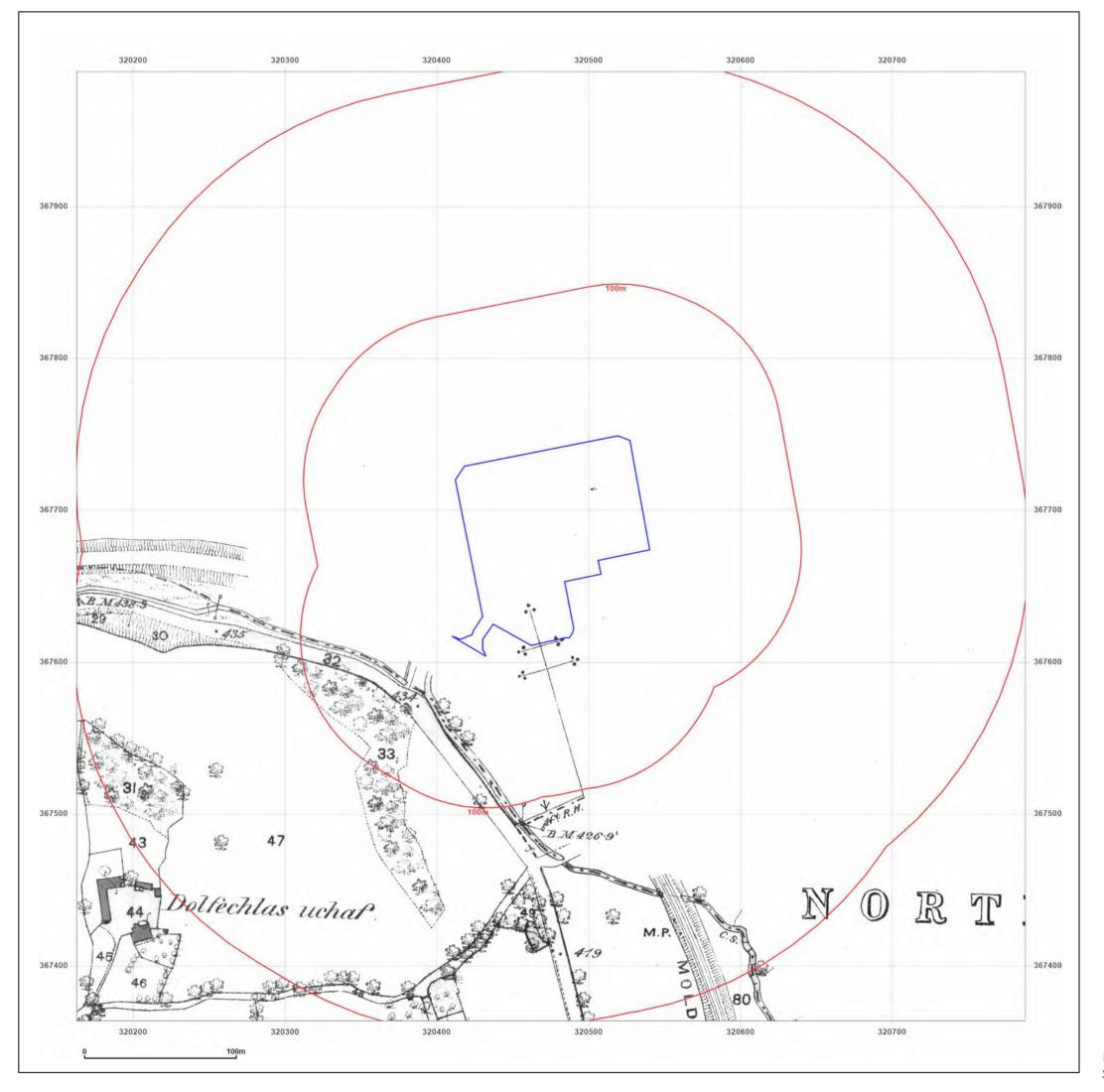




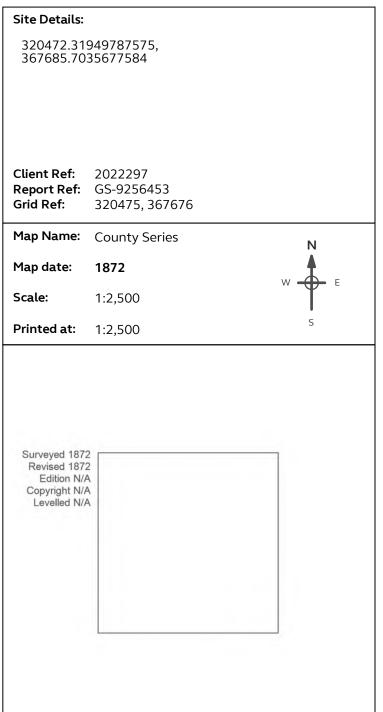
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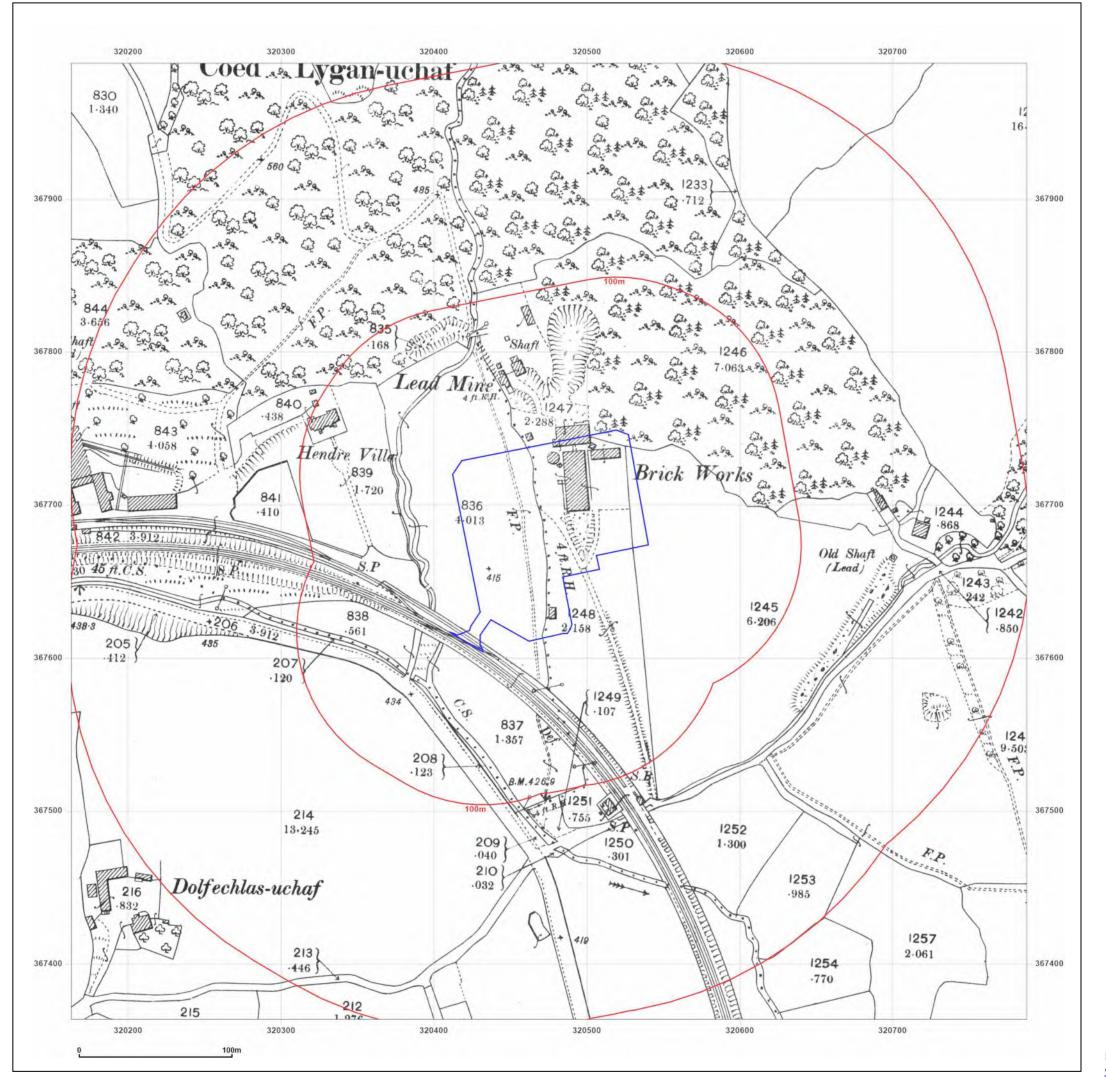




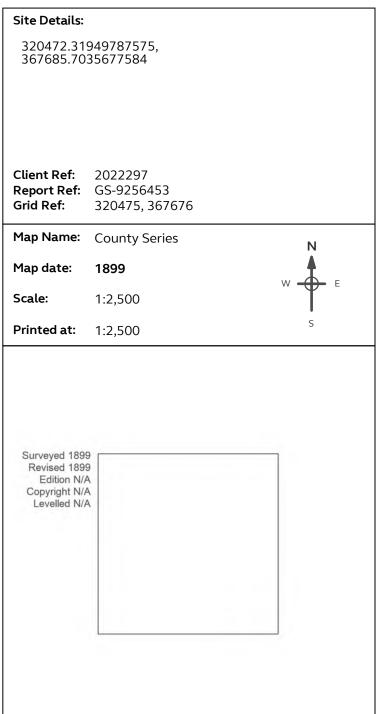
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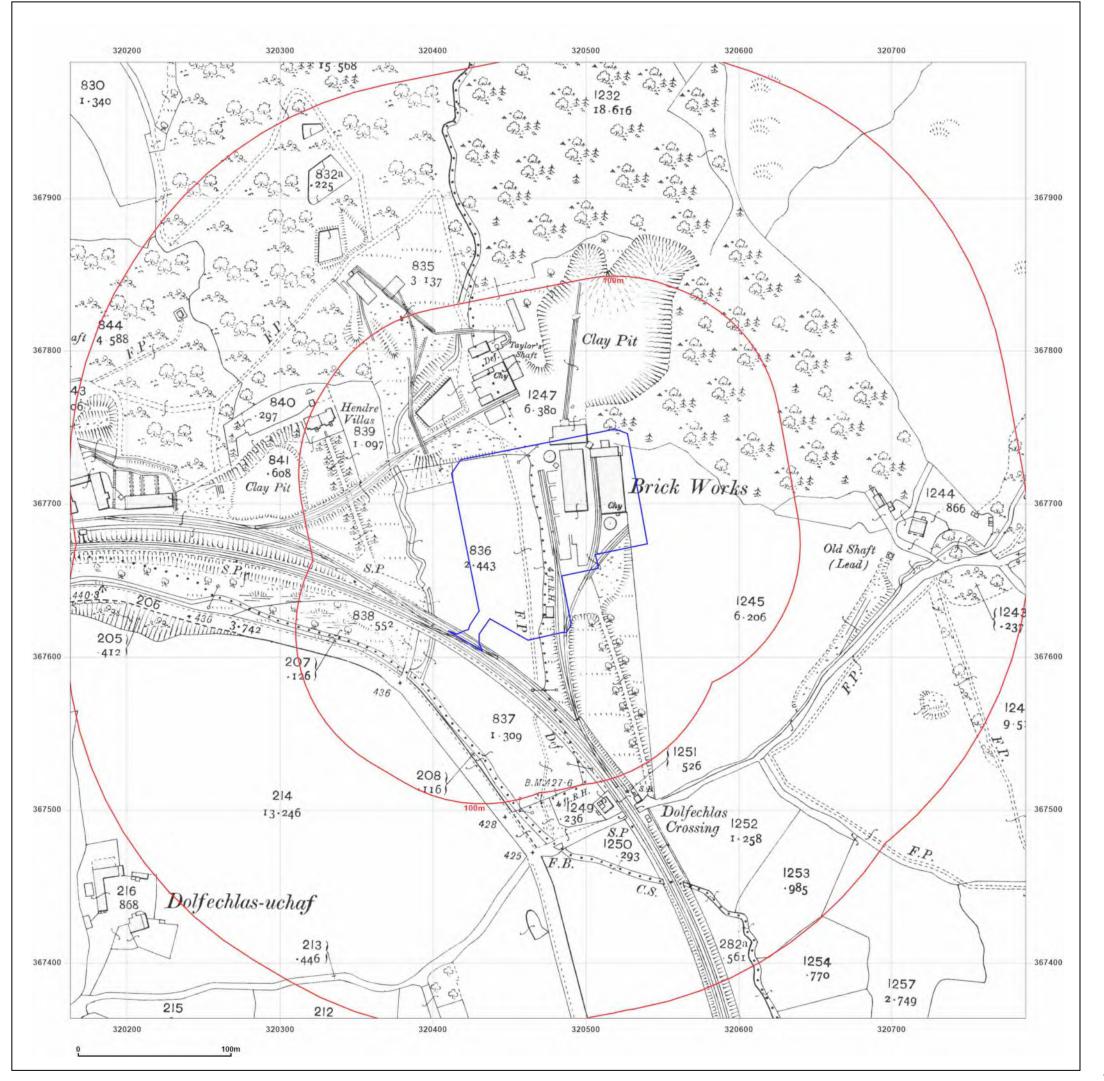




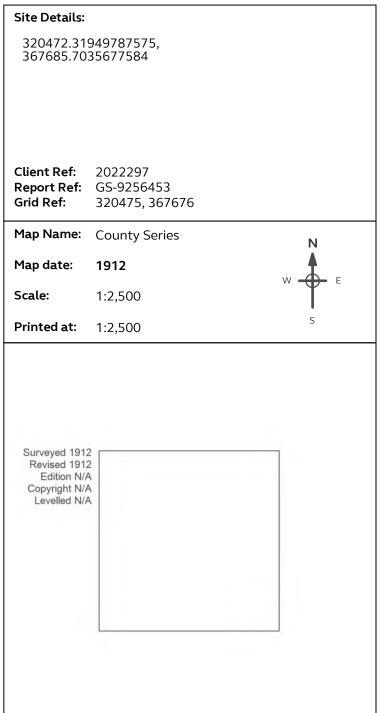
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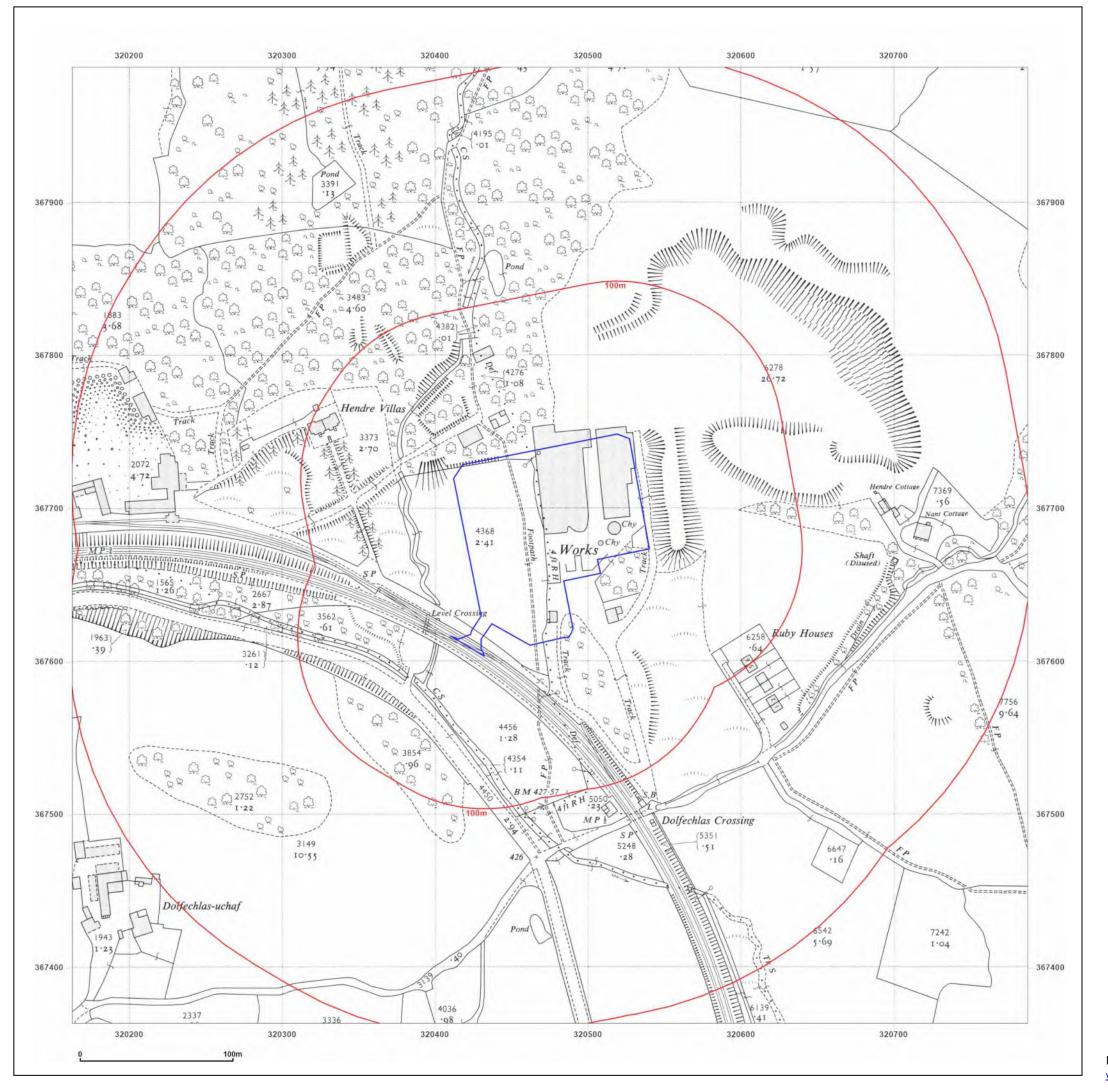




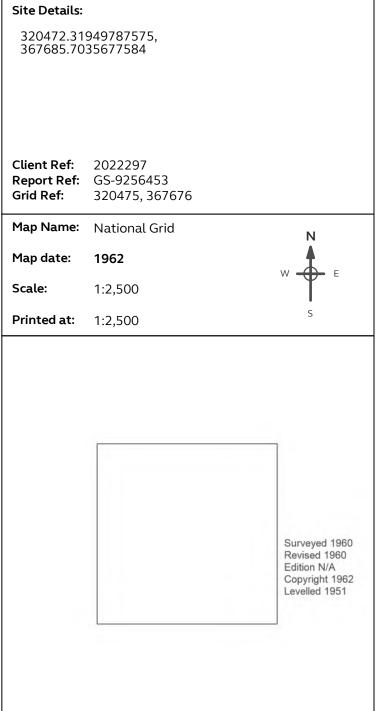
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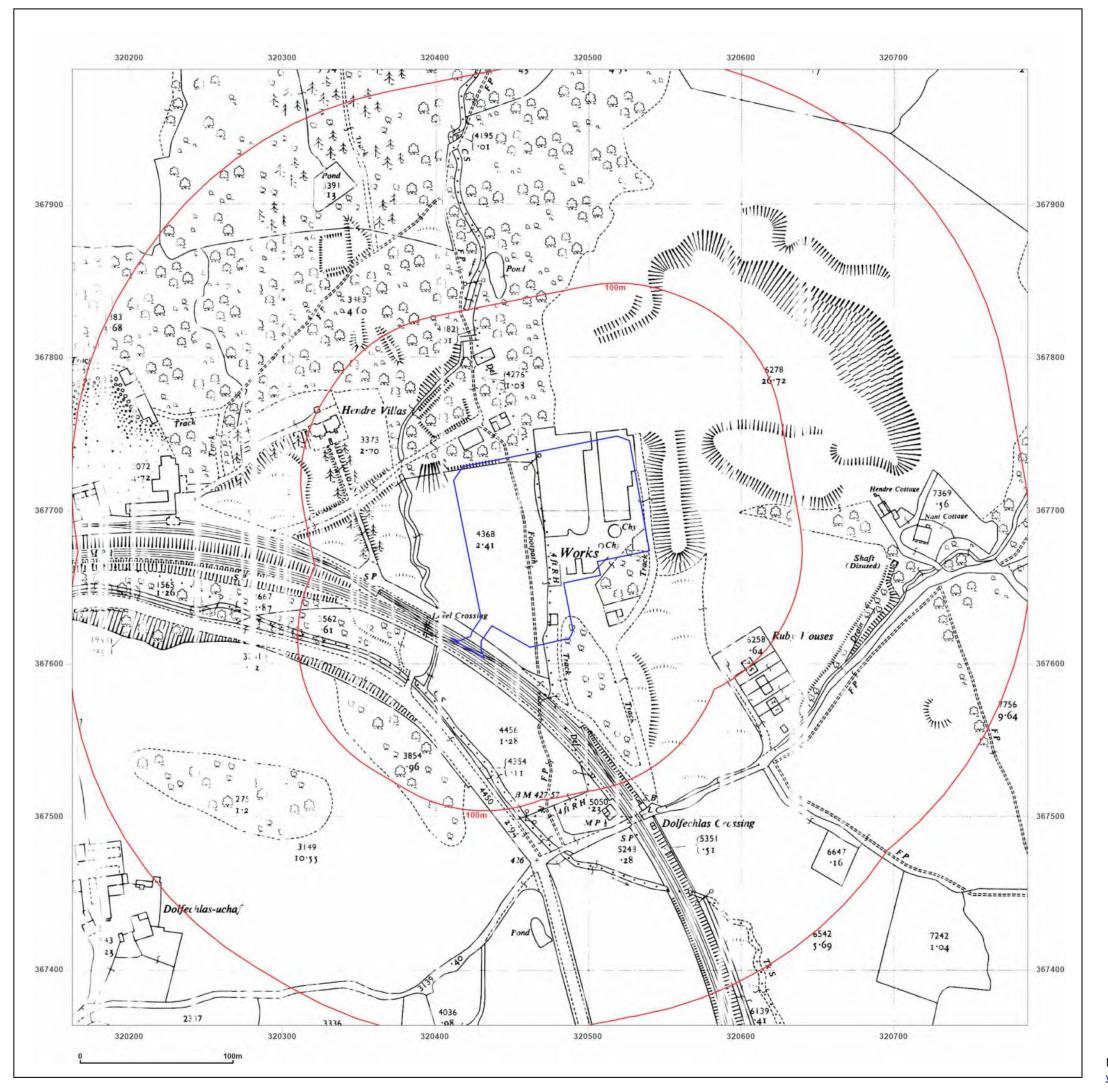




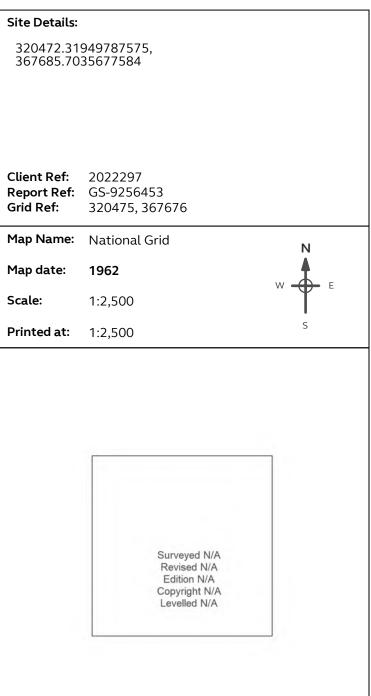
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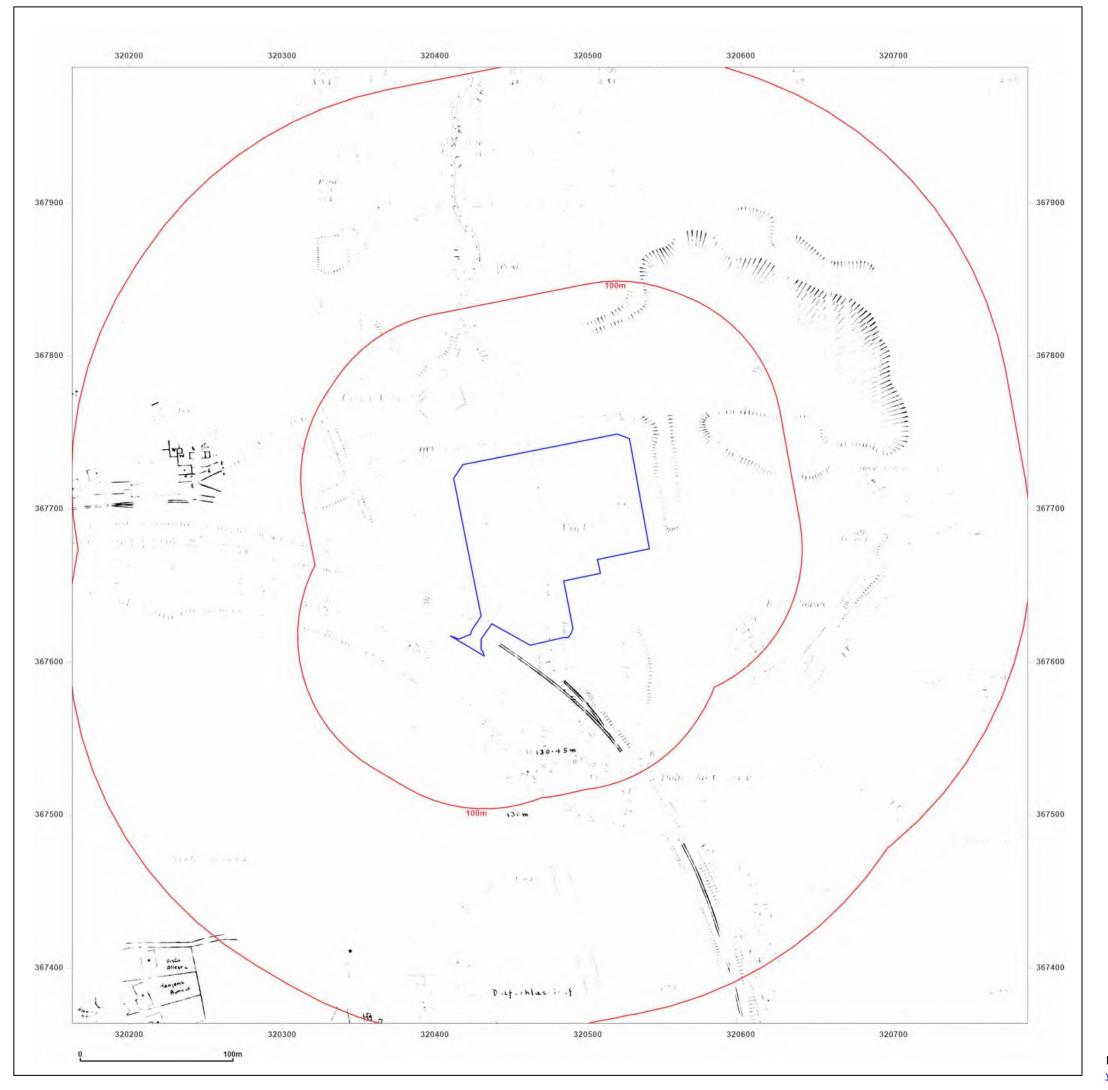




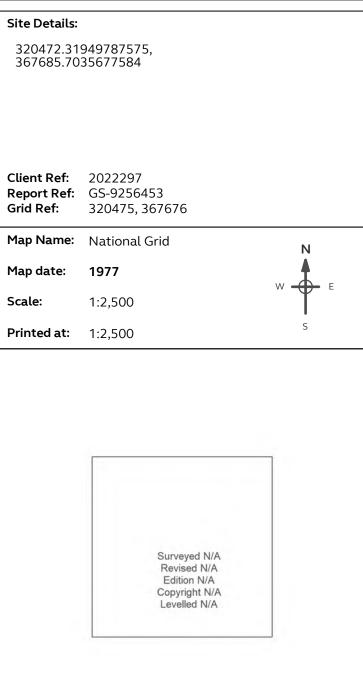
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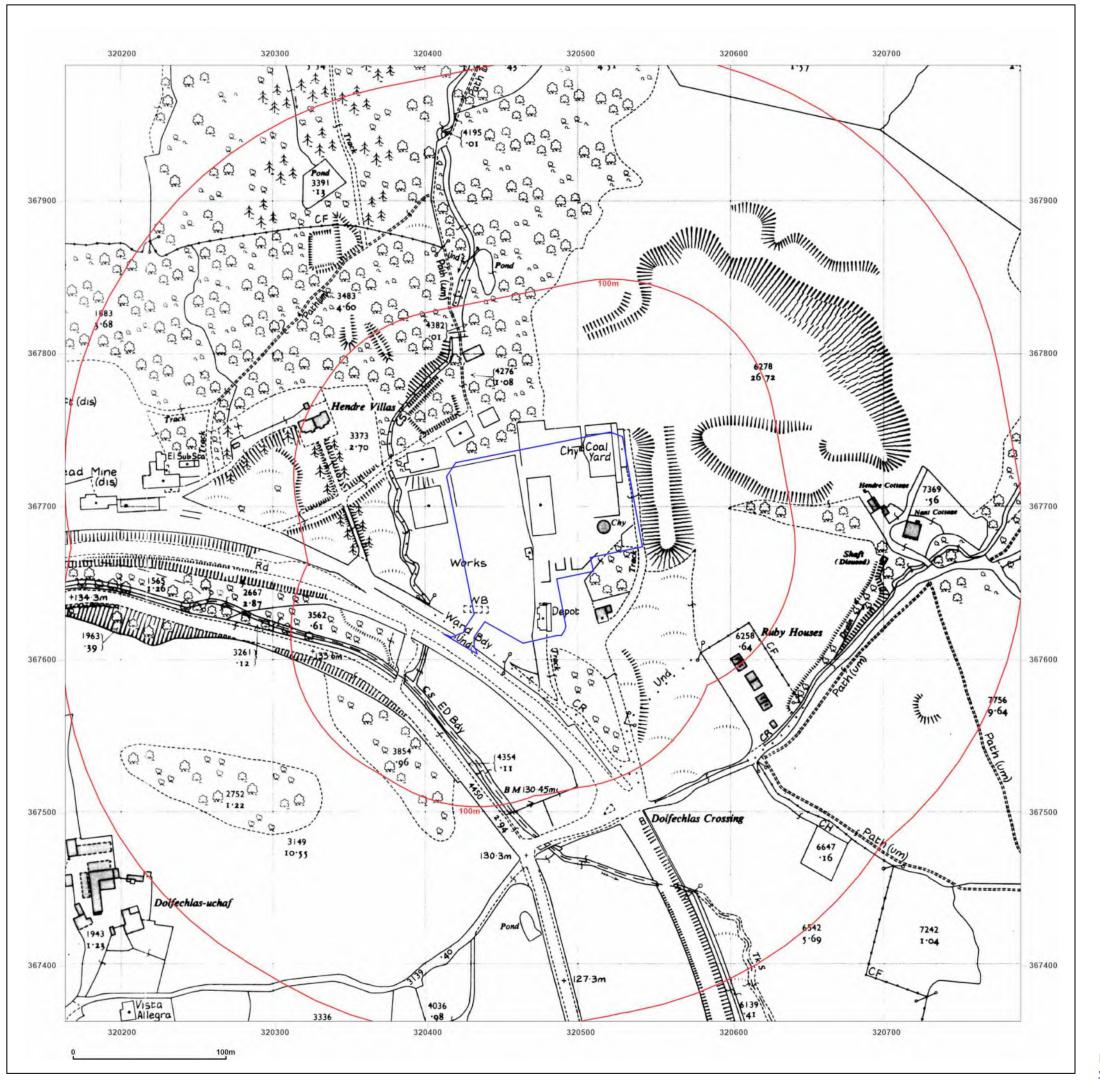




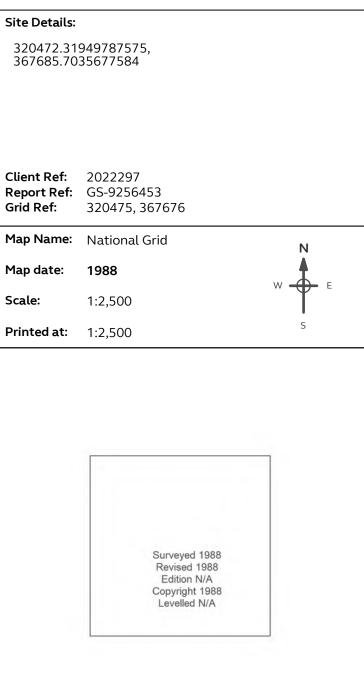
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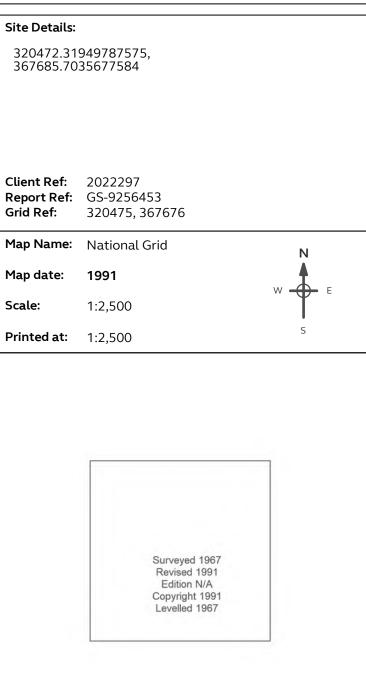
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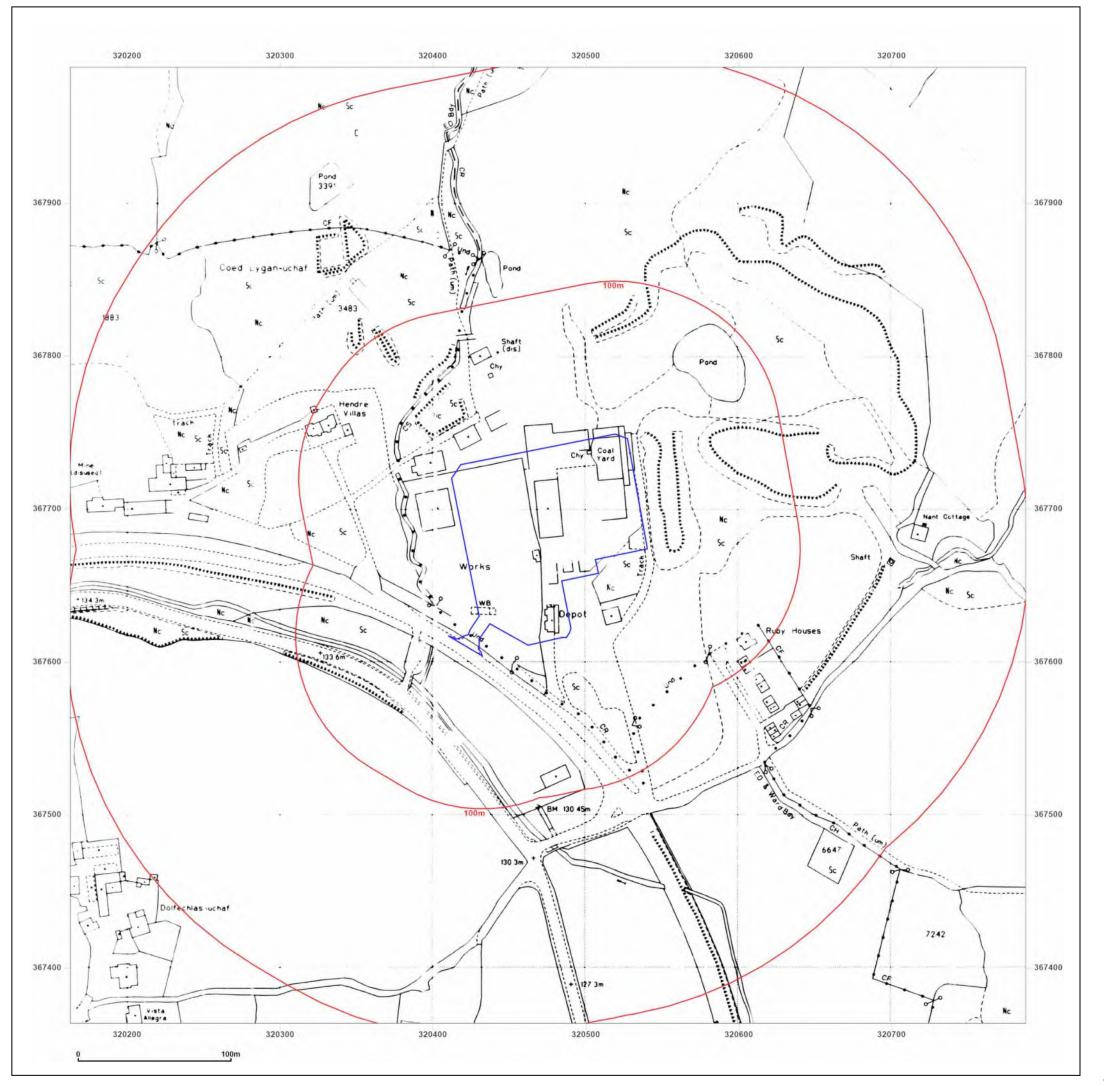




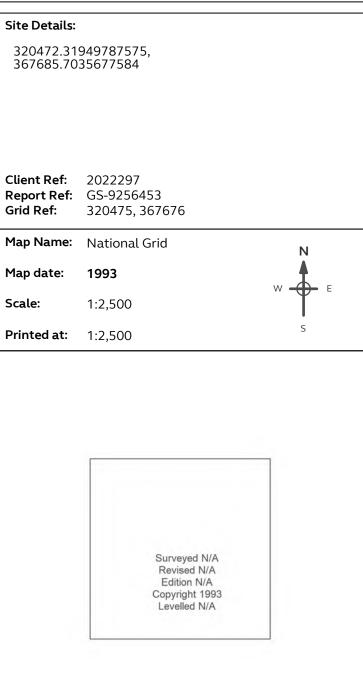
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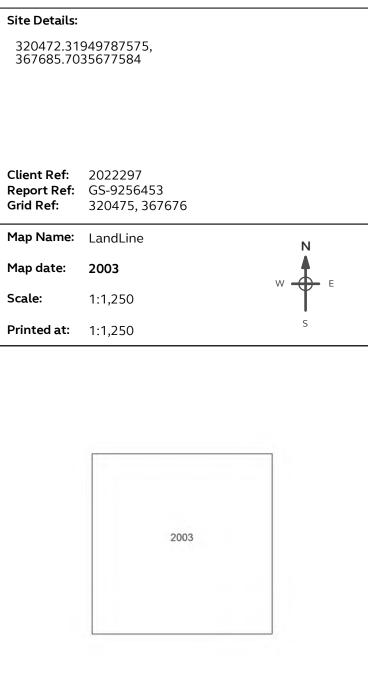
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