

Walkover Survey Form

BAU:	Property:	
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Surveyor:	Survey Date:	Target Species:
	14/07/23	Merlin
Start & End Time: 11.30- 16.00		
Weather Conditions: Mostly clear with some scattered showers. Good visibility		
Main Habitats Surveyed: Conifer high forest, open heathland, recent clear-felled conifer plantation.		

Species Name	Species Code	Count	Breeding Evidence	Notes / Location:
Wren	WR	5+	S	Multiple signing males
Meadow Pipit	MP	4+	F	
Chaffinch	CH	1+	S	
Grey Wagtail	GL	1	H	Observed by stream
Magpie	MG	1	F	
Swallow	SL	2	F	
Siskin	SK	1	S	
Goldcrest	GC	1+	S	
Hooded Crow	HC	2	F	Flying over and heard
Raven	RN	1	F	
Woodpigeon	WP	1	F	Flying over and heard
Other records of interest (plants, mammals, inverts, etc.) N/A				

Summary of Main Findings: General species observed only.
Recommended Next Steps: HU's are part of the Merlin breeding VP & drone surveys.

Survey Limitations:

This walkover survey was conducted during a Merlin habitat assessment associated with specific harvest units [REDACTED] for 2023 breeding survey pilots. Therefore, full walkover survey methods were not used (VP ect).