
Site Report

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Site No: W417

Site Name: Iscoyd Brook

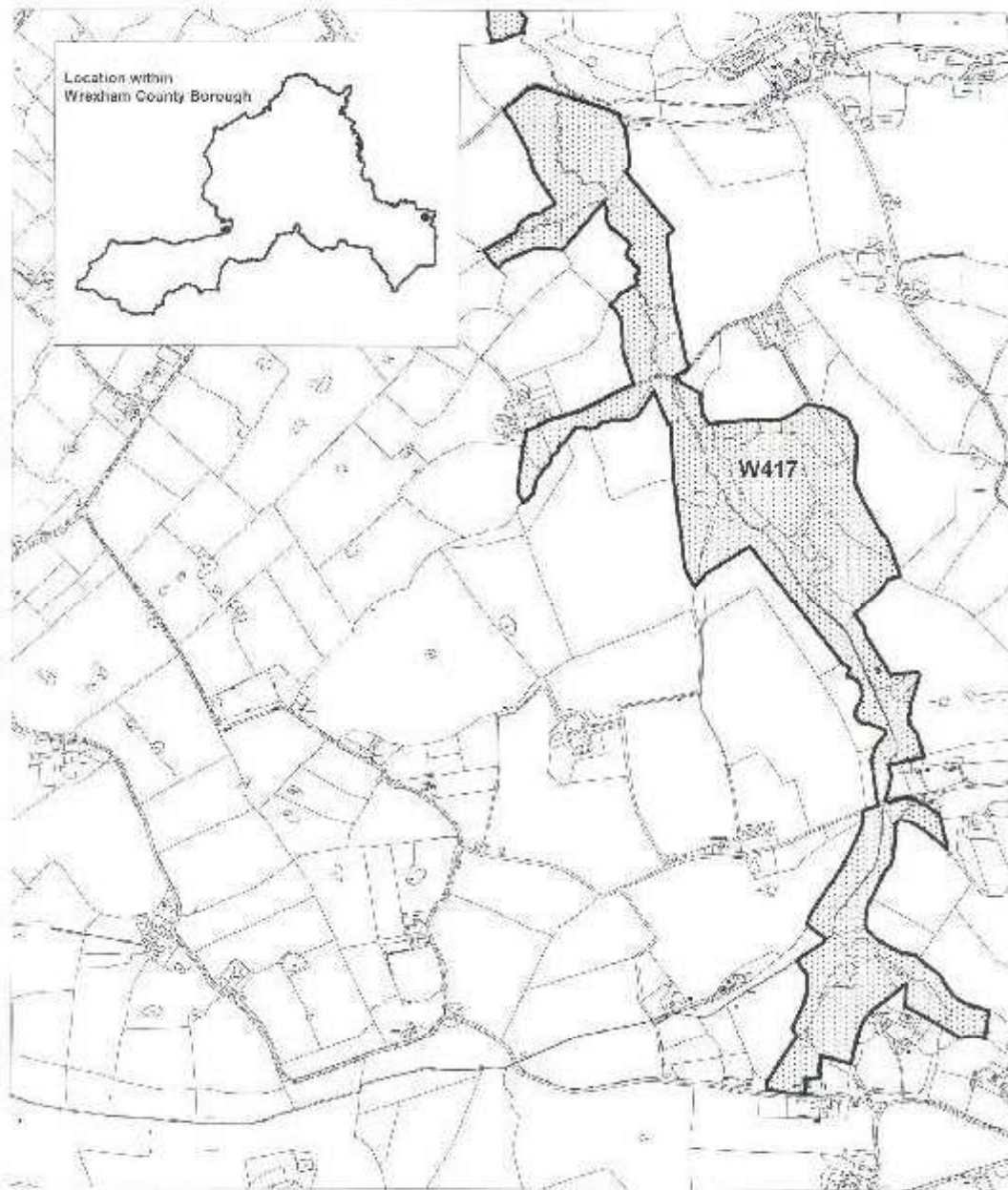
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Site Area: 32.35

Site Description: A long series of diverse semi-natural habitats along the Iscoyd Brook, a tributary of the Wych Brook. The majority of the site is semi-improved grassland and marshes. The dry slopes are dominated by grasses such as sweet vernal grass, yorkshire fog, crested dog'stail and rough meadow-grass. Other species found in these swards include tormentil, betony, devil's-bit scabious and spring sedge. The marshes are dominated by lesser pind sedge, rushes, marsh horsetail and meadowsweet. Also present here are ragged robin, marsh marigold, common spotted orchid and bog pimpernell. There are three woods within this site. They have all suffered disturbance from planting of various mixes. Canopy species include beech, pedunculate oak, sycamore and conifers. The ground flora is well developed in some areas with some cover by ancient woodland species, e.g. bluebell, wild garlic, wood sorrel and wood anemone.

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