Habitat Matters

Site Feature Categories

The following site Features have been designed to ensure that online digital project replicates the physical site.

Broad Habitat Category	Habitat Sub-category	Entry-level Habitat Category
Connectivity	Wildlife tunnels	Under 0.5m2
		Under 1m2
		Over 1m2
		Over 2.5m2
		Amphibian tunnel
	Barrier fencing	Preventative/ directive fencing
		Temporary construction fencing
	Avoidance structures	Wildlife kerbs
	Fish ladders	Stream (weirs, locks, boulder walls)
		River
		Dams
	Canopy bridges	Small mammal
	Overpasses, bridges or green bridges	Small mammal bridge
		Large mammal bridge
	Wildlife corridor	Hedgerows (unspecified)
		Tree lined streets/ walkways for road
		Ground vegetation/ SuDS
		Fencing inserts
Refuges	Manmade structure - mounted	Bird boxes (open fronted)
		Bird boxes (Small hole)
		Bat boxes
	Manmade structure - integrated	Bird boxes (open fronted)
		Bird boxes (Small hole)
		Swift boxes (eves of property)
		Bat boxes
	Manmade structure	Insect/ bug hotels (manufactured)
		Insect/ bug hotels (pallets/ construction materials etc.)
		Damp sheltered refuge (hibernacula)
		Small mammals
		Snakes/ retiles
		Rubble covered with tree cuttings and leaves
		Badger setts
	Natural structure	Piled logs 1m3
		Piled logs <5m3
		Piled logs >5m3
		Rock piles (Purpose built urban)
		Tree fall
		Tree nooks and holes
		Badger sett
		Small mammals (undefined)
		Snakes and Retile
	Organic waste	Compost pile
		Decomposing leaf piles

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Urban boundaries	Hedgerows	Native hedgerow with trees
		Native hedgerow
		Hedge ornamental (non native)
		Other hedgerows
		Hedgerows (unspecified)
	Non-vegetated	Gabion Baskets
Mitigation	Escape ladders	Gully ladders
	Bird feeders	Ground feeders
		Elevated feeder/ Bird table
		Nectar feeder
		Wire mesh feeder
		Tube feeder
	Insect feeders	Nectar feeder
		Butterfly feeder
	Bird baths	Ground mounted
		Elevated
		Wall mounted/ Hanging
	Non-vegetated	Gabion Baskets (with biodiversity measures)
Monitoring	Cameras	Camera trap - Birds
		Camera trap - motion sensors (security camera)
	Traps	Malaise trapping
		Light trapping
		Pan trapping
		Pitfall trapping
	Sound	Acoustic monitoring