

## VC7

**Acer campestre** (Field Maple); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Acer platanoides** (Norway Maple); Bishopstone and Hinton Parva, RAi.

**Agrostis stolonifera** (Creeping Bent); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Alcea rosea** (Hollyhock); Bradford-on-Avon, HCr and DG.

**Alisma lanceolatum** (Narrow-leaved Water-plantain); South of Bewley Crescent, Lacock on River Avon; in Wiltshire & Berkshire Canal near Tacklemore Wood where locally common, DG.

**Alliaria petiolata** (Garlic Mustard); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Alnus cordata** (Italian Alder); Ashton Keynes CWP, a sapling, RAi and MBu.

**Alnus incana** (Grey Alder); Ashton Keynes CWP, RAi and MBu; Pike Corner, heavily planted but regenerating, MBu and DG.

**Alopecurus myosuroides** (Black-grass); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Althaea officinalis** (Marsh-mallow); Great Cumberwell landfill site, over 15 clumps within a 50m radius, DG. **1<sup>st</sup> Wiltshire record.**

**Amaranthus hybridus** (Green Amaranth); Great Cumberwell landfill site. Only the second record for VC7, DG; determined by F.Verloove.

**Amaranthus hypochondriacus** (Princes'-feather); Great Cumberwell landfill site, DG. **1<sup>st</sup> Wiltshire record.**

**Anemanthele lessoniana** (New Zealand Wind-grass); Bradford-on-Avon, one clump in road verge, HCr & DG. **1<sup>st</sup> Wiltshire record.** Bittlesea Farm near Bradenstoke, two plants in kerb and pavement. 2<sup>nd</sup> VC7 record, DG.

**Anemone x hybrida** (Japanese Anemone); Malmesbury, on wall beside the River Avon, WBS.

**Anisantha diandra** (Great Brome); Great Chalfield, two areas, one of which had a large population in an arable field. DG. Inwood, growing with *Bromus secalinus* (Rye Brome) at edge of arable field. DG.

**Anisantha sterilis** (Barren Brome); Meysey Hampton, RAi

**Anthemis arvensis** (Corn Chamomile) [GB:EN Eng:EN]; Freeth Farm, Compton Bassett, many plants at edge of arable crop. MBu & DG. **1<sup>st</sup> VC7 record.** Before the Wiltshire Flora the original record was 1955 when found at Calne Sandpits with only nine others recorded up to 1969. It has only been documented within 200 GB 1km squares since 2010.

**Antirrhinum majus** (Snapdragon); Winsley DG.

**Arctium minus** (Lesser Burdock); Meysey Hampton, RAi

**Arum italicum ssp. italicum** (Italian Lords-and-Ladies); Monkton Farleigh, in hedge, DG.

**Arum maculatum** (Lords-and-Ladies); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Asplenium adiantum-nigrum** (Black Spleenwort); Greatfield, garden wall. MBu.

**Asplenium ceterach** (Rustyback); Sopworth, in walls of churchyard, DG.

**Asplenium scolopendrium** (Hart's-tongue); Highworth, RAi.

**Aster novae-angliae** (Hairy Michaelmas-daisy). Ashley Wood dumped at industrial area. DG. **1<sup>st</sup> Wiltshire record.**

**Aster novi-belgi** (Confused Michaelmas-daisy); Stock Wood, DG.

**Aster x salignus** (Michaelmas-daisy); Dance Common, Cricklade, dense patches. RAi.

**Aster x versicolor** (Late Michaelmas-daisy); Tockenham Wick, a single plant in road verge. DG and MBu.

**Atriplex prostrata** (Spear-leaved Orache); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Aubrieta deltoidea** (Aubrieta); Winsley. DG.

**Avena fatua** (Wild-oat); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Avena sterilis** (Winter Wild-oat); Chittoe Heath; occasional throughout fringes of maize crop. DG & MBu. Only the second recent Wiltshire record.

**Barbarea intermedia** (Medium-flowered Winter-cress); Great Cumberwell landfill site, DG.

**Berberis vulgaris** (Barberry); High Clear Down, in hedge by track below WWT Nature Reserve; Kingsdown Lane, Blunsdon where probably planted, both RAi.

**Bolboschoenus maritimus** (Sea Club-rush); Castle Eaton; continuous stands but possibly introduced into large pond in arable area, RAi.

**Borago officinalis** (Borage); Berwick Bassett, MBu; Easton Grey, DG.

**Brachypodium rupestre** (Tor-grass); Broad Blunsdon; Castle Eaton; Marston Meysey and Sevenhampton churchyard, all RAi.

**Brachypodium sylvaticum** (False-brome); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Brassica nigra** (Black Mustard); Easton Grey, DG.

**Briza maxima** (Greater Quaking-grass); Bradford-on-Avon, outside gardens, an annual occurrence for many years. HCr & DG.

**Bromopsis ramosa** (Hairy Brome); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Bromus commutatus** (Meadow Brome); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Bromus racemosus** (Smooth Brome); Monkton Farleigh west, DG; Sevenhampton, RAi.

**Bromus secalinus** (Rye Brome); Clyffe Pypard Wood, in adjacent arable field, MBu. Draycott Park, 20 plants in arable field; Rodbourne Bottom, two arable sites both DG.

**Brunnera macrophylla** (Great Forget-me-not); Easton Grey, adjacent to gardens, DG. A single plant growing in mortar of a brick wall near Seagry Wood (north), DG & MBu.

**Calystegia pulchra** (Hairy Bindweed); Many more records of this recent 'discovery'. Found growing quite frequently in a hedge along the A3102 near Chittoe Heath, MBu & DG. Also, four sites at Cricklade, variously along old rail track, cycle way and South Meadow Lane, all RAi. In Swindon it was found scrambling over bramble patches at Quarry Wildlife Garden LNR, RAi.

**Calystegia sepium** (Hedge Bindweed); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Campanula persicifolia** (Peach-leaved Bellflower); Monkton Farleigh growing with other non-native species and an assumed garden throw-out. HCr & DG. Seend Cleeve, growing at the roadside beside gardens, DG.

**Campanula portenschlagiana** (Adria Bellflower); Highworth, RAi; Hullavington, DG; Widham, Purton, MBu.

**Cannabis sativa** (Hemp); Great Cumberwell landfill site. A single plant representing only the third County record, DG.

**Cardamine flexuosa** (Wavy Bitter-cress); Broad Blunsdon, RAi.

**Carduus crispus** (Wetted Thistle); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Carduus tenuiflorus** (Slender Thistle); Bishopstone Chalk East; hundreds on south facing slope within rabbit disturbed ground, RAi. Also recorded at Kingsdown as relic of game crop and near Upper South Wraxhall, DG. These records represent four of only six recent records for this species.

**Carduus x stangii** (C. crispus x nutans); Woodborough Hill, several plants by adjacent farm buildings, WBS. **1<sup>st</sup> VC7 record.** Nightingale Wood, Swindon, edge of car park, RAi, AA and SFi. **2<sup>nd</sup> VC7 record.** Both these records are post Wiltshire Flora. There is only one other VC7 pre-flora record; from Shire Hill in 1947.

**Carex pallescens** (Pale Sedge); Alderton Grove, 50 plants up against hedgerow, DG. Inwood, a large population growing on the north side of a ride. DG.

**Carex pilulifera** (Pill Sedge); Draycot Park, north; many clumps in acid grassland. DG.

**Carex spicata** (Spiked Sedge); Cricklade; Meysey Hampton, in a rough herb-free meadow, both RAi.

**Carex x pseudoaxillaris** (C. otrubae x remota); south of Lacock around the edge of large pond. DG; determined by M.Porter, BSBI Referee.

**Carum carvi** (Caraway); [NS GB:EN Eng:CR] Chittoe Heath; 8 large plants in a market garden as an apparent spontaneous weed. Only the 5<sup>th</sup> recent VC7 record and 8<sup>th</sup> overall; the first in 1957. DG & MBu.

**Cerastium tomentosum** (Snow-in-summer); Juggler's Lane, Yatesbury probably from dumped garden waste, MBu. West of Monkton Farleigh, DG.

**Ceratophyllum demersum** (Rigid Hornwort); Cricklade, RAi.

**Chaerophyllum temulum** (Rough Chervil); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Chenopodium ficifolium** (Fig-leaved Goosefoot); Stock Wood, DG.

**Chenopodium murale** (Nettle-leaved Goosefoot); [GB:VU Eng:EN] Great Cumberwell landfill site, DG; determined by Dr J.Akeroyd, BSBI Referee. This represents only the sixth record for VC7, the first found within SU27 in 1949 by J.D.Grose.

**Chenopodium polyspermum** (Many-seeded Goosefoot); Many records; Cricklade, in an abandoned arable field; Eysey, by the River Thames; Water Eaton; Broad Blunsdon, Hannington Wick, Marston Hampton and Marston Meysey, all RAi.

**Cicerbita macrophylla** (Common Blue-sow Thistle); Holy Trinity churchyard, Bradford-on-Avon, DG. Marston Meysey, a roadside patch RAi.

**Cirsium arvense** (Creeping Thistle); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Cirsium vulgare** (Spear Thistle); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Conyza canadensis** (Canadian Fleabane); Kingshill Farm, Cricklade, RAi.

**Conyza sumatrensis** (Guernsey Fleabane); Bradford-on-Avon, 3 or 4 plants in a school car park, HCr & DG. Broad Blunsdon, 1 plant in gravel beside roadway, RAi. Royal Wootton Bassett, 1 plant at wall-pavement angle in accumulated dirt, MBu.

**Cornus sanguinea** (Dogwood); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Cornus sericea** (Red-osier Dogwood); Marston Meysey, RAi.

**Cotoneaster horizontalis** (Wall Cotoneaster); Luckington north, several on wall tops DG.

**Crataegus monogyna** (Hawthorn); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Crataegus x media** (C. monogyna x laevigata); Heddington area, JBr.

**Cytisus scoparius** (Broom); Alderton Grove, two 10k square sites with 2 and 4 plants, DG.

**Dactylis glomerata** (Cock's-foot); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Danthonia decumbens** (Heath-grass); Broughton Gifford, DG.

**Echinochloa crus-galli** (Cockspur); Draycot Park, DG; Cricklade, in an abandoned arable field, RAi. Great Wood, Tockenham, in wheel ruts made by forestry vehicles, DG & MBu.

**Echium vulgare** (Viper's-bugloss); Stock Wood, a single plant, DG.

**Epilobium obscurum** (Short-fruited Willowherb); Several records, Highworth, RAi; Seagry Wood north, DG & MBu; Hullavington; Littleton Drew; Luckington north and south; Widley's Copse and Winsley all DG.

**Epilobium parviflorum** (Hoary Willowherb); Several records, two 10k squares Hannington, three at Cricklade, two Hannington, two Highworth and one Marston Meysey, all RAi.

**Epilobium tetragonum** (Square-stalked Willowherb); Several records, two 10k squares at Hannington, four at Highworth and singles at Hannington Wick, Cricklade and Marston Meysey, all RAi.

**Equisetum palustre** (Marsh Horsetail); Broad Blunsdon, RAi.

**Erigeron karvinskianus** (Mexican Fleabane); Wood Street, Old Town, Swindon on an old limestone wall; Highworth, also on top of a stone wall, both RAi. Malmesbury, WBS; Winsley, DG.

**Erophila verna** (Common Whitlowgrass); Berwick Bassett, MBu; Winsley, DG.

**Erysimum cheiranthoides** (Treacle-mustard) [Eng:NT]; four records of this scarce archaeophyte. Cricklade, several plants in an abandoned arable field; Dunfield, a single at edge of wheat field, both RAi. Freeth Farm, Compton Bassett, a single plant at edge of arable field, MBu & DG.

**Euphorbia lathyrus** (Caper Spurge); Highworth, one on track to allotments, RAi.

**Euphorbia oblongata** (Balkan Spurge); Seend Cleeve, on roadside next to gardens, DG.

**Euphorbia stricta** (Upright Spurge); Durlitt Farm, Bromham, a single garden escape on roadside, DG.

**Fagopyrum esculentum** (Buckwheat); Chapel Plaister, seeded as part of pheasant crop; Great Cumberwell landfill site, a single plant; both DG.

**Festuca rubra** (Red Fescue); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Fumaria muralis ssp. boroei** (Common Ramping-fumitory); Great Cumberwell landfill site, one large plant, DG.

**Fumaria officinalis ssp. wirtgenii** (Common Fumitory); Aldbourne, edge of oilseed rape field, RAi.

**Fumaria vaillantii** (Few-flowered Fumitory) [GB:VU Eng:EN]; Holy Trinity Church, Bradford-on-Avon, a single plant on newly imported soil, DG. **1<sup>st</sup> VC7 record.**

**Galinsoga quadriradiata** (Shaggy Soldier); Freeth Farm, Compton Bassett, a single plant on trackway, MBu & DG.

**Galium aparine** (Cleavers); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Gaudinia fragilis** (French Oat-grass); Gastard, DG.

**Geranium pusillum** (Small-flowered Cranesbill); Highworth and Rowborough Farm, South Marston, both RAi.

**Geranium robertianum** (Herb-Robert); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Geranium rotundifolium** (Round-leaved Cranesbill); Ditteridge Village, 5 plants, DG. Rixon Gate, CWP lake 82, SPi.

**Geranium x oxonianum** (Druce's Cranesbill); Broad Blunsdon, a garden escape, RAi. North Luckington, a single plant well away from habitation; Seend Cleeve, at the roadside near gardens, both DG.

**Geum urbanum** (Wood Avens); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Glechoma hederacea** (Ground-ivy); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Glyceria declinata** (Small Sweet-grass); Ramsbury, PM.

**Glyceria notata** (Plicate Sweet-grass); Sevenhampton, in a spring near church, RAi.

**Hedera helix** (Common Ivy); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Helleborus foetidus** (Stinking Hellebore); Holy Trinity churchyard, Bradford-on-Avon, DG.

**Helleborus niger** (Christmas-rose); Burton, on dumped soil in woodland, DG. **1<sup>st</sup> Wiltshire record.**

**Heracleum sphondylium** (Hogweed); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Hieracium argillaceum** (Southern Hawkweed); Holy Trinity churchyard, Bradford-on-Avon, DG.

**Holcus lanatus** (Yorkshire-fog); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Hyacinthoides hispanica** (Spanish Bluebell); several records, two sites Bradford-on-Avon; Ashley Wood; Broughton Gifford; Bath; Monkton Farleigh; Norrington Common and Rudloe Manor, all DG. Juggler's Lane, Yatesbury, MBu.

**Hyoscyamus niger** (Henbane) [GB:VU Eng:VU]; Bromham, to south, plants at edge of footpath/arable field. DG.

**Hypericum androsaemum** (Tutsan); Ashton Keynes, CWP, a single plant, RAi & MBu.

**Hypericum maculatum** (Imperforate St.John's-wort); Inglesham, RAi.

**Hypericum maculatum ssp. obtusiusculum** (Imperforate St.John's-wort); Alderton Grove, large number of patches in marshland. DG. **1<sup>st</sup> VC7 record.**

**Inula helenium** (Elecampane); Sherston, a large clump on verge at road bend. A local claimed that the clump has existed 60 years, AL.

**Ipomoea purpurea** (Morning-glory); Great Cumberwell landfill site, a single plant, DG. **1<sup>st</sup> Wiltshire record.**

**Iris foetidissima** (Stinking Iris); Bishopstone, RAi.

**Juncus bufonis** (Toad Rush); Hannington Wick in a dry loop of the Thames, Inglesham, two sites, all RAi.

**Lactuca virosa** (Great Lettuce); Gastard, three plants growing together in hedgerow, DG. A350 Melksham, one small plant in pavement crack, SPi.

**Lamiastrum galeobdolon ssp. argentatum** (Garden Yellow-archangel); Several records, Ashley Wood; Box village; Bradford-on-Avon and Inwood; all DG. Broad Blunsdon and Marston Meysey, both RAi.

**Lamium album** (White Dead-nettle); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Lathraea squamaria** (Toothwort); Lackham, growing below lime; PXW.

**Lathyrus latifolius** (Broad-leaved Everlasting-pea); Chittoe Heath, covering a large area of grass verge next to a derelict market garden. DG & MBu.

**Lathyrus nissolia** (Grass Vetchling); Hannington, two sites totalling 13 plants in grassy tracks; Rowborough Farm, South Marston, a few plants trackside near mainline railway and near Nightingale Wood, Swindon, on a wide verge north side of A420, scattered individuals between SU21248735 and SU21408737; all RAI. Also, Monkton Farleigh, DG.

**Lemna gibba** (Fat Duckweed); Broad Blunsdon, in a small pond but also on wet footpath; Cricklade, in the Thames and on banks, a pond (canal cut-off by A419), railway path and South Meadow Lane; the Thames at Hannington Wick; all RAI.

**Lemna minuta** (Least Duckweed); Hinton Parva, pond. RAI.

**Leontodon hispidus** (Rough Hawkbit); Sevenhampton churchyard, RAI.

**Lepidium campestre** (Field Pepperwort) [Eng:NT]; Great Cumberwell landfill site, 3 plants, DG.

**Lepidium didymum** (Lesser Swine-cress); Freeth Farm, Compton Bassett, DG & MBu.

**Leucanthemum x superbum** (Shasta Daisy); Berwick Bassett, several 0.5m clumps on soil mounded tree belt. MBu.

**Leycesteria formosa** (Himalayan Honeysuckle); Winsley, a single plant growing out of a wall, DG.

**Linaria x dominii** (L. Purpurea x repens); Cricklade rail path, colonised on sleeper ballast; both parent species nearby. RAI.

**Linum usitatissimum** (Flax); Chittoe Heath, frequent in suitable habitats, DG & MBu. Easton Grey; Kingsdown; Park Wood, Monkton Farleigh, all DG.

**Lolium multiflorum** (Italian Rye-grass); west of Monkton Farleigh, DG.

**Lonicera pileata** (Box-leaved Honeysuckle); Murhill Lane, Winsley, 3 plants with 2 growing out of wall. Surprisingly only the third VC record. DG & HC.

**Lunaria annua** (Honesty); Winsley, DG.

**Lysimachia punctata** (Dotted Loosestrife); Castle Eaton, possibly introduced on banks of large pond in arable area and a 1m patch on the bank of the River Thames, both RAI.

**Malus pumila** (Apple); Meysey Hampton, RAI.

**Malva moschata** (Musk-mallow); Cricklade and Marston Meysey, RAI.

**Malva neglecta** (Dwarf Mallow); Rowborough Farm, South Marston, within farmyard, RAI.

**Malva trimestris** (Royal Mallow); Great Cumberwell landfill site, a single plant, DG.

**1<sup>st</sup> Wiltshire record.**

**Meconopsis cambrica** (Welsh Poppy); Hullavington, DG.

**Medicago arabica** (Spotted Medick); Hullavington, Kingston St Michael and Winsley, all DG.

**Melica uniflora** (Wood Melick); Straight Soley, within small triangular wood north of Briary Wood, RAI.

**Melilotus altissimus** (Tall Melilot); Cricklade, RAI

**Melissa officinalis** (Balm); Easton Grey and Seend Cleeve, DG; Juggler's Lane, Yatesbury, 0.5m square, MBu.

**Mentha arvensis** (Corn Mint); Water Eaton, along the Thames, RAI.

**Mentha spicata** (Spear Mint); Cricklade, along old rail path and South Meadow Lane, RAI.

**Mentha suaveolens** (Round-leaved Mint); Draycot Park, DG.

**Mentha x verticillata** (Whorled Mint); Draycot Park and east of Sopworth, DG. Freeth Farm, Compton Bassett, DG & MBu.

**Muscari armeniacum** (Garden Grape-hyacinth); Bradford-on-Avon, HCr & DG. Ashley Wood; Durlott Farm, Bromham; Winsley and south of Luckington, all DG.

**Myosotis arvensis** (Field Forget-me-not); Meysey Hampton, RAI.

**Myosotis discolor** (Changing Forget-me-not); Lay Wood, Devizes, MBu.

**Myosotis ramosissima** (Early Forget-me-not); Marston Meysey; Stanton Fitzwarren, both RAI.

**Myosotis sylvatica** (Wood Forget-me-not); Easton Grey, DG.

**Nasturtium microphyllum** (Narrow-fruited Water-cress); near Nightingale Wood, Swindon, RAI.

**Nepeta cataria** (Cat-mint) [GB:VU Eng:VU]; Freeth Farm, Compton Bassett, single plant adjacent to farm buildings, DG & MBu.

**Nicandra physalodes** (Apple-of Peru); Great Cumberwell landfill site, a single plant, HCr & DG. **1<sup>st</sup> VC7 record.**

**Nigella damascena** (Love-in-a-mist); Burton, DG.

**Oenothera biennis** (Common Evening-primrose); Royal Wootton Bassett, MBu.

**Oenothera glazioviana** (Large-flowered Evening-primrose); south of Bromham, DG.

**Onopordum acanthium** (Cotton Thistle); Durllett Farm, Bromham, 9 plants at edge of arable field, DG.

**Orobanche minor** (Common Broomrape); Stock Wood, DG.

**Oxalis corniculata** (Procumbent Yellow-sorrel); Berwick Bassett, MBu; Easton Grey, DG.

**Oxalis exilis** (Least Yellow-sorrel); Bradford-on-Avon, Holy Trinity churchyard; Draycot Park both DG. Freeth Farm, Compton Bassett, MBu & DG.

**Papaver dubium** (Long-headed Poppy); Freeth Farm, Compton Bassett, MBu & DG.

**Parietaria judaica** (Pellitory-of-the-wall); Highworth, RAi.

**Pentaglottis sempervirens** (Green Alkanet); Highworth, RAi.

**Persicaria amphibia** (Amphibious Bistort); Avebury, MBu.

**Petasites fragrans** (Winter Heliotrope); Bishopstone, RAi.

**Petroselinum segetum** (Corn Parsley); Winsley, 50 plants growing over a 100m stretch of lane verge from ST79896020 to ST79996020. HCr & DG.

**Phalaris paradoxa var. praemorsa** (Awned Canary-grass); Freeth Farm, Compton Bassett, abundant on the edge of three arable fields centred on SU02217296. DG & MBu.

**Phleum pratense** (Timothy); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Phragmites australis** (Common Reed); east of Sopworth; Widley's Copse, both DG.

**Phuopsis stylosa** (Causican Crosswort); Bradford Leigh, growing at base of hedge, DG. **1<sup>st</sup> VC7 record.**

**Physalis peruviana** (Cape-gooseberry); Wootton Meadows, Royal Wootton Bassett, a single plant on waste ground adjacent new house builds, MBu. **1<sup>st</sup> Wiltshire record.**

**Picris hieracioides ssp. villarsii** (Hawkweed Ox-tongue); Great Cumberwell landfill site, HCr and DG. **1<sup>st</sup> Wiltshire record.**

**Pilosella aurantiaca** (Fox-and-cubs); Broad Blunsdon and Hinton Parva, RAi; Malmesbury, WBS; Upper Minety, RAi & SPi.

**Plantago lanceolata** (Ribwort Plantain); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Plantago major** (Greater Plantain); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Plantago media** (Hoary Plantain); Sopworth, walls of churchyard, DG.

**Poa compressa** (Flattened Meadow-grass); The Street, Crudwell, numerous plants on top of long roadside wall, SPi. Woodshaw, Royal Wootton Bassett, common in cracks between slabs of swale, MBu.

**Poa humilis** (Spreading Meadow-grass); The Abbey, Bradenstoke, on wall; Draycot Park, population on bridge over motorway, both DG.

**Polygonatum multiflorum** (Solomon's-seal); two sites at Easton Grey, DG.

**Polygonum aviculare** (Knotgrass); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Polypodium interjectum** (Intermediate Polypody); Alderton; Easton Grey; Littleton Drew and North Luckington all DG. Malmesbury, WBS.

**Polypodium x mantoniae** (P. interjectum x vulgare); Pewsey Wharf; a patch beside gardens above the canal, RAi & Kennet U3A. **1<sup>st</sup> VC7 record.**

Strangely this is not actually a new 10k record having been recorded nearby at Jones' Mill by Jack Oliver in 1994; however that was across the water in VC8. These two records constitute the only ones in Wiltshire.

**Polypodium vulgare** (Polypody); Highworth, many plants rooted under stone slabs of low lean-to church roof, RAi.

**Polypogon viridis** (Water Bent) New Road, Royal Wootton Bassett, in accumulated soil at

edge of pavement where turning traffic sweeps dirt around, MBu. Manor Garden Centre, Swindon where it was frequent in cracks and edges and their most common weed, RAi.

Author's note: SPi mentioned that this plant had been recorded at a garden centre in Trowbridge; I had seen it at a centre in Devizes. As these two are linked with Manor Garden I sent RAi along and guess what... ?

**Polystichum aculeatum** (Hard Shield-fern); Inwood and Park Wood, Monkton Farleigh, DG.

**Potamogeton berchtoldii** (Small Pondweed); Freeth Farm, Compton Bassett, DG & MBu.

**Potamogeton nodosus** (Loddon Pondweed) [NR GB:VU Eng:VU]; south of Lacock; a single small population the 'size of a coffee table' on the west bank of the River Avon, DG.

**Potamogeton pectinatus** (Fennel Pondweed); Castle Eaton, in a rectangular pond in an arable area. Meysey Hampton, within a large pond margin, both RAi.

**Potentilla erecta** (Tormentil); Hinton Parva, RAi.

**Potentilla x mixta** (P.anglica x reptans); Alderton Grove where abundant, DG. Freeth Farm, Compton Bassett, DG & MBu.

**Prunus spinosa** (Blackthorn); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Pseudofumaria alba** (Pale Corydalis); Highworth, 8 plants on face of stone wall by Brewery Street Car Park, RAi.  
**1<sup>st</sup> Wiltshire record.**

**Pulmonaria officinalis** (Lungwort); Seend Cleeve, Sells Green and Westbrook, DG.

**Pyracantha coccinea** (Firethorn); Juggler's Lane, Yatesbury; bird-sown individual with no other plants near. MBu. **1<sup>st</sup> VC7 record.**

**Pyrus communis** (Pear); Durlott Farm, Bromham; Seend Cleeve, both DG.

**Quercus petraea** (Sessile Oak); Castle Eaton, RAi.

**Quercus robur** (Pedunculate Oak); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Quercus x rosacea** (Q.petraea x robur); Bittlesea Farm, a large standard tree at Horse Lays Wood, DG.

**Ranunculus penicillatus** (Stream Water-crowfoot); Castle Eaton, RAi.

**Ranunculus penicillatus ssp. pseudofluitans** Along the Avon throughout ST8887, DG.

**Ranunculus repens** (Creeping Buttercup); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Raphanus raphanistrum** (Radish); Easton Grey, DG.

**Reseda alba** (White Mignonette); Great Cumberwell landfill site, a single plant, DG.  
**1<sup>st</sup> VC7 record.**

**Rosa canina** (Dog-rose); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Rosa micrantha** (Small-flowered Sweet-briar); Bishopstone, within a roadside hedge, RAi.

**Rosa rugosa** (Japanese Rose); Westbrook, a garden throw-out in clearing at edge of quarry, DG.

**Rosa sherardii** (Sherard's Downy-rose); Bittlesea Farm, a single bush in a hedge; Seend Cleeve, at the roadside near gardens both DG.

**Rosa spinosissima** (Burnet Rose); Winsley, originally planted in churchyard but spreading by rhizome and seed, HCr & DG.  
**1<sup>st</sup> VC7 record.**

**Rosa stylosa** (Short-styled Field-rose); Staverton, a single bush, DG.

**Rosa tomentosa** (Harsh Downy-rose); Freeth Farm, Compton Bassett, DG & MBu.

**Rosa caesius** (Dewberry); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Rubus fruticosus agg.** (Bramble); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Rubus laciniatus** (Cut-leaved Bramble); Berwick Bassett where several plants self-sown into hedge; garden plants nearby, MBu.

**Rumex obtusifolius** (Broad-leaved Dock); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Rumex sanguineus** (Wood Dock); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Sagina filicaulis** (Slender Pearlwort); Berwick Bassett, MBu.

**Sagittaria sagittifolia** (Arrowhead); Hannington Wick, RAi.

**Salix cinerea ssp. cinerea** (Grey Willow); Lacock south, DG.

**Salix x fragilis** (Hybrid Crack-willow); 28 records received from Broad Blunsdon; Castle Eaton, Cricklade, Dunfield, Eysey and Hannington, Hannington Wick; Highworth; Inglesham; Marston Meysey; Meysey Hampton and Water Eaton, All RAi.

**Salix x smithiana** (*S.viminalis* x *S.caprea*); Lacock, in bushes by lake, DG.

**Sambucus nigra** (Elder); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Saponaria officinalis** (Soapwort); Norrington Common, DG.

**Scandix pecten-veneris** (Shepherd's-needle); East of Hebden Farm, Alderton, by a pond, 30-40 flowering DG.

**Schedonorus giganteus** (Giant Fescue); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Schoenoplectus tabernaemontani** (Grey Club-rush); Kingshill Farm, Cricklade, within pond, RAi.

**Scrophularia auriculata** (Water Figwort); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Scutellaria galericulata** (Skullcap); Cricklade, within a pond, a leftover from an A419 truncated canal, RAi.

**Sedum dasyphyllum** (Thick-leaved Stonecrop); Sopworth, churchyard walls, DG.

**Sedum rupestre** (Reflexed Stonecrop); Berwick Bassett, stone wall, MBu.

**Sedum spurium** (Caucasian Stonecrop); Kingshill Farm, Cricklade, a small patch at gateway just south of entrance to recycling centre by A419, RAi.

**Senecio aquaticus** (Marsh Ragwort); three records from Cricklade, RAi.

**Senecio cineraria** (Silver Ragwort); Great Cumberwell landfill site, DG.  
**1<sup>st</sup> Wiltshire record.**

**Senecio jacobaea** (Common Ragwort); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Senecio squalidus** (Oxford Ragwort); Cricklade, RAi.

**Sherardia arvensis** (Field Madder); Urban Highworth, RAi; Malmesbury, WBS.

**Silene armeria** (Sweet-William Catchfly); Great Cumberwell landfill site, 2 plants, DG.  
**1<sup>st</sup> Wiltshire record.**

**Silene chalcidonica** (Maltese-cross); Great Cumberwell landfill site, a single plant, HCr & DG. **1<sup>st</sup> Wiltshire record.**

**Silene coronaria** (Rose Campion); Bradford-on-Avon, HCr & DG.

**Sisymbrium erysimoides** (French Rocket); Urban Malmesbury, around 6 plants in pavement-wall angle, WBS.  
**1<sup>st</sup> Wiltshire record.**

**Sisymbrium officinale** (Hedge Mustard); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Sisyrinchium striatum** (Pale Yellow-eyed Grass); Bradford-on-Avon, a single plant on a wide verge is only the second record for VC7, HCr & DG.

**Solanum rostratum** (Buffalo-bur); Great Cumberwell landfill site, a single plant, HCr & DG. **1<sup>st</sup> VC7 record.**

**Soleirolia soleirolii** (Mind-your-own-business); Malmesbury, two sites, WBS. Easton Grey, DG.

**Sonchus asper** (Prickly Sow-thistle); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Sparganium emersum** (Unbranched Bur-reed); Hullavington, DG.

**Stachys sylvatica** (Hedge Woundwort); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Stellaria alsine** (Bog Stitchwort); Park Wood, Monkton Farleigh, DG.

**Stellaria media** (Common Chickweed); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Symphytum grandiflorum** (Creeping Comfrey); Ashley Wood; dumped near industrial area; east of Bradford-on-Avon, garden throw-out, both DG. Also, Ogbourne St. Andrew, a patch amongst nettles, RAi.

**Tamus communis** (Black Bryony); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Thlapsi arvense** (Field Penny-cress); Allington Down, a single plant, JBr.

**Torilis arvensis** (Spreading Hedge-parsley) [NS Eng:EN GB:EN]; Woodborough, a single plant at the edge of an arable field represents only the second recent record, WBS.



**Trifolium micranthum** (Slender Trefoil); Highworth, in churchyard mown grass, RAi.

**Trifolium repens** (White Clover); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Tulipa sylvestris** (Wild Tulip); Luckington, 2/300 plants, mostly single leaves with just 22 in flower adjacent to a limestone quarry DG. **1<sup>st</sup> VC7 record.** (Last record was in period 1950 to 1969).

**Ulmus minor** (Small-leaved Elm [sensu Stace]); Alderton, a single roadside tree, DG.

**Ulmus procera** (English Elm); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Urtica dioica** (Common Nettle); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Verbena bonariensis** (Argentinian Vervain); Great Wood, Tockenham, growing in ruts made by forestry vehicles, MBu & DG.

**Veronica agrestis** (Green Field-speedwell); Poulton Down, Ogbourne St. Andrew; Sevenhampton and Wanborough, all RAi. Upper Minety, a small number of plants in flower and fruit, SPi & RAi.

**Veronica austriaca** (Large Speedwell); Great Cumberwell landfill site, a single plant represents only the second VC7 record, DG.

**Veronica catenata** (Pink Water-speedwell); Castle Eaton, Cricklade, Hannington, Highworth, Inglesham and Water Eaton, RAi.

**Veronica montana** (Wood Speedwell); Hannington, RAi.

**Veronica persica** (Common Field-speedwell); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Veronica polita** (Grey Field-speedwell); Blunsdon St. Andrew churchyard, RAi.

**Vicia faba** (Broad Bean); Great Bedwyn PRV A4, JBr & PD.

**Vicia tetrasperma** (Smooth Tare); Draycot Park north; Hannington; Highworth and Marston Meysey, all RAi.

**Vinca major** (Greater Periwinkle); Winsley, DG.

**Viola odorata** (Sweet Violet); Meysey Hampton, RAi.

**Viola reichenbachiana** (Early Dog-violet); Cricklade rail path; Highworth, gravel at bottom of churchyard wall, both RAi.

**Vulpia bromoides** (Squirreltail fescue); Nightingale Wood at a trackside, RAi.

**Zannichellia palustris** (Horned Pondweed); Berwick Bassett, farm pond, MBu.

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**Acanthus mollis** (Bear's-breech); Cheverell Wood, Great Cheverell, naturalised, SPi.

**Aconitum napellus** (Monk's-hood); Upper Chute, two sites of single plants, AA & SFi.

**Agrimonia procera** (Fragrant Agrimony); Tilshead, RAi, AA, SFi & PMW.

**Alcea rosea** (Hollyhock); variously naturalised outside gardens, Homington and Salisbury, both SFi; South Newton, DLe; Newton Tony, JRM; Worton, SPi.

**Alchemilla mollis** (Garden Lady's Mantle); variously self-sown or escapes; Bentley Wood, PMW; Coulston and Coulston Hill, SPi; Kingston Deverill, AA, SFi, IL & VW; Monkton Deverill and Upton Lovell, SFi; Tidcombe, AA & SFi; Tilshead, RAi, AA, SFi & PMW.

**Alisma plantago-aquatica** (Water-plantain); Knolls Down, pond at Fosbury Hillfort, RAi, MBu & SPi.

**Alopecurus aequalis** (Orange Foxtail); Wexcombe, in a dried pond, JBr. **1<sup>st</sup> VC8 record.** Only the 5<sup>th</sup> County record.

**Alopecurus geniculatus** (Marsh Foxtail); Collingbourne Kingston, SFi.

**Alyssum alyssoides** (Small Alison); Allington, escaped into village, AA & SFi. **1<sup>st</sup> Wiltshire record.**

**Amsinckia micrantha** (Common Fiddleneck); Codford, many plants beneath a dead sapling planted at the roadside, ARM.

**Anchusa officinalis** (Alkanet), Ludwell, SJJ.

**Anemathele lessoniana** (New Zealand Wind-grass); Limpley Stoke north, regenerating garden throw-out, HCr & DG. **1<sup>st</sup> VC8 record.**

**Anemone x hybrida** (Japanese Anemone); Brixton Deverill, naturalised in village, AA & SFi. **1<sup>st</sup> VC8 record.**

**Anisantha diandra** (Great Brome); Berwick Down and Winterbourne Stoke Down, SPi &

VSL; Mere Downs, SPi & JBE; Tunball Lane, Tidcombe, RAi, MBu & SPi.

**Aquilegia vulgaris** (Columbine); Chitterne two sites and Upton Lovell, all SFi; Monkton Deverill, AA & SFi; Kingston Deverill, AA, SFi, IL & VW. All garden escapes into villages.

**Arctium minus spp. minus** (Lesser Burdock); Codford St.Mary and Sherrington, SJJ; Seniors Farm, Semley, VW.

**Arenaria serpyllifolia** (Thyme-leaved Sandwort); Haydown Hill, Fosbury, RAi, MBu & SPi.

**Arum italicum** (Italian Lords-and-Ladies); Marden, small clump from dumped garden waste, MBu; Bulford, SFi; Bulford several dumped clumps, AA, SFi & PMW.

**Asplenium ceterach** (Rustyback); Coppit Dennis; two plants on railway bridge, VW.

**Aster novi-belgii** (Confused Michaelmas-daisy); Barford St.Martin, SFi; Tilshead, RAi, AA, SFi & PMW.

**Aster x salignus** (Common Michaelmas-daisy); Win Green, AA & SFi.

**Athyrium filix-femina** (Lady-fern); Haydown Hill, Fosbury, RAi, MBu & SPi.

**Aubrieta deltoidea** (Aubrieta); Allington, naturalised in village, AA & SFi.

**Aurina saxatilis** (Golden Alison); Devizes, growing in cracks in roadside wall, MBu.  
**1<sup>st</sup> Wiltshire record.**

**Betula celtiberica** (Iberian Birch); Furzley Common, WBS. **1<sup>st</sup> Wiltshire record.**

**Betula x aurata** (B.pendula x pubescens); Haydown Hill, Fosbury, RAi, MBu & SPi.

**Borago officinalis** (Borage); Chitterne, in sown patch with poppies, SFi.

**Brachypodium rupestre** (Tor-grass); Coulston Hill, Erlestoke, SPi.

**Brassica napus spp. oleifera** (Oil-seed Rape); Codford, volunteers in herbicided path through wheat field, SFi; Perham Down East, JRM.

**Bromus hordeaceus spp. hordeaceus** (Soft-brome); Abbot's Pond, East Knoyle; Rising Sun pub, Shaftesbury and Wallmead Farm all VW.

**Bromus racemosus** (Smooth Brome); Potterne and Southgrove Copse, JBr.

**Bromus secalinus** (Rye Brome) [NS GB:VU Eng:NT]; Berwick James, a few plants at interface of wheat and fodder maize, SPi & VSL; Green Lane, Devizes, in corner of wheat field and within set-aside crop, MBu. Despite its national status this is being recorded increasingly.

**Buddleja davidii** (Butterfly-bush); Shrewton, SFi.

**Calystegia pulchra** Lots more of this 'new' plant; Amesbury, three sites, SPi; **1<sup>st</sup> VC8 record.** Langford Lakes, two sites, SPi; Barford St.Martin, three sites, SFi; Salisbury, two sites, SFi; Burton near Mere and Mere Downs both RAi, JBE, MBu & SPi; Castle Hill, Salisbury, SFi; Countess Amesbury, SPi & MBu; Market Lavington, MBu; Normanton Down A303 and Wellhead Drove, Westbury both SPi.

**Campanula persicifolia** (Peach-leaved Bellflower); Upton Lovell, escaped onto bank in village, SFi.

**Campanula portenschlagiana** (Adria Bellflower); Burton, on drystone wall, RAi, JBE, MBu & SPi.

**Campanula poscharskyana** (Trailing Bellflower); Burton, on drystone wall, RAi, JBE, MBu & SPi; Easton two sites, SFi; Great Cheverall north, SPi; Market Lavington, MBu; Upton Lovell, SFi.

**Cardamine impatiens** (Narrow-leaved Bitter-cress); [NS GB:NT] SU1546 SPTA(E) Figheldean, JRM. **1<sup>st</sup> VC8 record.** Only the third County record; the last being by J.D.Grose in 1954!

**Carduus x stangii** (C. crispus x nutans); Corton; Sherrington, both SFi; Tidcombe, a patch of several plants, AA & SFi. These represent the 2<sup>nd</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> recent records of only five ever; the original at Win Green in 1946!

**Carex divulsa ssp. divulsa** (Grey Sedge); Burton, RAi, JBE, MBu & SPi; Charlton All Saints, two sites and Homington, two sites, all SFi.

**Carex divulsa ssp. leersii** (Grey Sedge); Brunton and Upton Lovell, both SFi.

**Carex paniculata** (Greater Tussock-sedge); Sherrington, SFi.

**Carex pendula** (Pendulous sedge); Shrewton, SFi; Tilshead, RAi, AA, SFi & PMW.

**Carex pilulifera** (Pill Sedge); Coulston, on road verge; Marston, cut short but in numbers on greensand verge, both SPi.

**Catapodium marinum** (Sea Fern-grass); Netherhampton, at road side with *Plantago coronopus*, SFi.

**Centaurea debeauxii** (Chalk Knapweed); Coulston; Coulston Hill near Erlestoke, both SPi.

**Centaurea montana** (Perennial Cornflower); Charlton All Saints, Collingbourne Kingston and Shrewton, all dumped or escapes, SFi.

**Cerastium tomentosum** (Snow-in-summer); Amesbury and Netherhampton, doubtless escapes, both SFi.

**Ceratophyllum demersum** (Rigid Hornwort); Marston village pond, SPi; Worton Common, MBu.

**Chenopodium bonus-henricus** (Good King Henry); Seniors Farm, Semley, VW.

**Chenopodium ficifolium** (Fig-leaved Goosefoot); Urchfont, two sites, MBu.

**Chenopodium hybridum** (Maple-leaved Goosefoot); Normanton Down, SPi.

**Chrysosplenium oppositifolium** (Opposite-leaved Golden-saxafrage); Midford Brook, DG.

**Cicerbita macrophylla** (Common Blue Sow-thistle); Burbage, Suddene Farm, entrance to buildings, JBr & PD.

**Cichorium intybus** (Chicory); Allington, AA & SFi.

**Clematis tangutica** (Orange-peel Clematis); Great Cheverell, naturalised in Buddleja scrub on railway embankment, SPi.

**1<sup>st</sup> Wiltshire record.**

**Clinopodium ascendens** (Common Calamint); Upton Scudamore, DG.

**Conyza canadensis** (Canadian Fleabane); Ludwell, SJJ.

**Conyza floribunda** (Bilbao's Fleabane); Churchfields, Salisbury 2 sites; Langford Lakes Reserve; Salisbury 2 sites, all SFi.

**Cotoneaster horizontalis** (Wall Cotoneaster); Seend Cleeve, disused ironstone quarry, DG.

**Cotoneaster simonsii** (Himalayan Cotoneaster); Seend Cleeve, disused ironstone quarry, DG.

**Crepis biennis** (Rough Hawk's-beard); The Slay, Tidcombe, RAi, MBu & SPi.

**Crococsmia x crocosmiflora** (Montbretia); Seniors Farm, Semley; Stockton and Upton Lovell, all SFi.

**Crocus tommasinianus** (Early Crocus); north Limpley Stoke, regenerating garden throw-out, HCr & DG.

**Dactylorhiza x grandis** (*D. fuchsii* x *praetermissa*); A303 Countess Cutting, Amesbury, SPi.

**Daphne laureola** (Spurge-laurel); Codford, SFi.

**Daucus carota spp. carota** (Wild Carrot); Green Lane, Devizes; Urchfont, both MBu; Marston, SPi.

**Dittrichia graveolens** (Stinking Fleabane); Parkhouse Cross, MWR.

**Dryopteris affinis** (Scaly Male-fern); Beechingstoke, JBr; Cheverell Wood; Market Lavington, both MBu.

**Dryopteris borreii** (Borrer's Scaly Male-fern); Coulston and Coulston Hill, Earlstoke, SPi.

**Echinochloa crus-galli** (Cockspur); Brixton Deverill, AA & SFi; Collingbourne Kingston 3 sites and Everleigh, all SFi. All typically found at field margins.

**Eleocharis palustris** (Common Spike-rush); Wexcombe, in a dried-up pond, JBr.

**Elodea nuttallii** (Nuttall's Waterweed); Marston village pond, SPi.

**Elymus caninus** (Bearded Couch); Win Green, AA & SFi.

**Epilobium ciliatum** (American Willowherb); Knolls Down, Fosbury, RAi, MBu & SPi.

**Epilobium obscurum** (Short-fruited Willowherb); Amesbury and Wilsford Down, both SFi; Kingston Deverill, AA & SFi; Limpley Stoke north, HCr & DG.

**Epilobium roseum** (Pale Willowherb); Limpley Stoke, number of plants along damp footpath, DG.

**Epilobium tetragonum** (Square-stalked Willowherb); Haydown Hill, Fosbury, RAi, MBu & SPi.

**Equisetum arvense** (Field Horsetail); Berwick St.James, River Till, SPi.

**Eranthis hyemalis** (Winter Aconite); north Limpley Stoke, regenerating garden throw-out, HCr & DG.

**Erigeron karvinskianus** (Mexican Fleabane); Allington, AA & SFi; Kingston Deverill, AA, SFi, IL & VW; Upton Lovell, SFi.

**Erophila verna** (Common Whitlowgrass); north Limpley Stoke, HCr & DG.

**Euphorbia exigua** (Dwarf Spurge); Brixton Deverill, a single plant at field edge, SPi.

**Euphorbia oblongata** (Balkan Spurge); north Limpley Stoke, regenerating garden throw-out, HCr & DG. **1<sup>st</sup> VC8 record.** A species increasingly recorded in GB.

**Fallopia convolvulus var convolvulus** (Black Bindweed); Cheverell Wood; Foxley Corner, Urchfont; Green Lane, Devizes; Marden and Urchfont, all MBu.

**Fumaria officinalis spp. wirtgenii** (Common Fumitory); Conholt Bottom, Conholt. Many plants in field margin, RAi, MBu, & SPi.

**Galinsoga quadriradiata** (Shaggy Soldier); Cheverell Wood, numerous plants at edge of former arable field now ryegrass sown, MBu.

**Galium palustre ssp. palustre** (Common Marsh-bedstraw); Nursteed, Devizes, MBu.

**Galium uliginosum** (Fen Bedstraw); Berwick St.James, River Till, SPi.

**Galium verum** (Lady's Bedstraw); St.Mary's School, Shaftesbury, VW.

**Geranium macrorrhizum** (Rock Crane's-bill); Tilshead, garden escape, RAi, AA, SFi & PMW.

**Geranium nodosum** (Knotted Crane's-bill); Market Lavington, garden escape into local footway. MBu. **1<sup>st</sup> Wiltshire record.** A surprise to the recorder as it seeds freely in his own garden.

**Geranium rotundifolium** (Round-leaved Crane's-bill); Potterne, growing in soil-filled cattle grid. MBu.

**Geranium versicolor** (Pencilled Crane's-bill); Hippenscombe, garden throw-out established in road verge. RAi, MBu & SPi.

**Geranium x oxonianum** (Druce's Crane's-bill) Brixton Deverill, AA SFi; Brunton; Monkton Deverill and Stockton, all SFi; Plaitford Green south, PMW; Tilshead, RAi, AA, SFi & PMW. All presumed garden throw-outs or escapes.

**Glyceria maxima** (Reed Sweet-grass); Newton Tony centre, JRM.

**Gnaphalium uliginosum** (Marsh Cudweed); East Knoyle, RDu, PLe & DP.

**Groenlandia densa** (Opposite-leaved Pondweed) [GB:VU Eng:VU]; Westbury, a small colony in chalk stream where it emerges from road culvert, SPi.

**Gymnadenia conopsea** (Chalk Fragrant-orchid); Botley Down near Oxenwood, AA & SFi; Fosbury Hillfort, Knolls Down, RAi, MBu & SPi.

**Helleborus foetidus** (Stinking Hellebore); Kingston Deverill, escapes in village, AA, SFi, IL & VW.

**Helleborus niger** (Christmas-rose); Kingston Deverill, several escapes, AA, SFi, IL & VW. **1<sup>st</sup> VC8 record.**

**Helleborus viridis** (Green Hellebore); Tidcombe, near houses so probable escape, AA & SFi.

**Humulus lupulus** (Hop); Tilshead, RAi, AA SFi & PMW.

**Hyacinthoides hispanica** (Spanish Bluebell); Codford, SFi.

**Hyacinthoides x massartiana** (Hybrid Bluebell); Chitterne, SFi.

**Hypericum calycinum** (Rose-of-Sharon); Barford St. Martin, escaped into village, SFi; Limpley Stoke north, regenerating garden throw-out, HCr & DG.

**Hypericum hircinum** (Stinking Tutsan); Limpley Stoke north, regenerating garden throw-out, HCr & DG. A species increasingly being recorded in GB.

**Hypericum maculatum** (Imperforate St John's Wort); Mere, WBS.

**Impatiens parviflora** (Small Balsam); Ludwell, SJJ.

**Iris foetidissima** (Stinking Iris); Rolleston, Shrewton, AA & SFi; Shrewton, SFi; Tilshead, RAi, AA, SFi & PMW.

**Jasminum officinale** (Summer Jasmine); Tilshead, suckering out of garden onto trackside, RAi, Aa, SFi & PMW. **1<sup>st</sup> Wiltshire record.**

**Juncus articulatus** (Jointed Rush); Copehill Down, SG & SPi.

**Juncus bufonis** (Toad Rush); Hippenscombe; Fosbury Hillfort, Knolls Down; both RAi, MBu & SPi.

**Juncus tenuis** (Slender Rush); Hatts Farm, VW.

**Knautia arvensis** (Field Scabious); Rising Sun pub, Shaftesbury, VW.

**Lactuca serriola** (Prickly Lettuce); The Slay, Tidcombe, RAi, MBu & SPi.

**Lactuca virosa** (Great Lettuce); Hilperton Marsh, three plants in roadside hedge, DG.

**Lamiastrum galeobdolon ssp. argentatum** (Garden Yellow-archangel); Idmiston, escaped into village, SFi; Newton Tony centre; Perham Down east, both JRM.

**Lamium hybridum** (Cut-leaved Dead-nettle); Little Abbots, Wilcot, JBr.

**Lathyrus nissolia** (Grass Vetchling); St. Marys School, Shaftesbury, VW.

**Lavandula angustifolia** (Garden Lavender); Devizes, seedlings growing within road-side cobbles, MBu.

**Lemna gibba** (Fat Duckweed); 18 records received; Barford St Martin; Salisbury, both SFi; Great Cheverell; Marston; Hurst Farm, Worton Common, all SPi; Fosbury Hillfort, Knolls Down, RAi, MBu & SPi; Mere, WBS; Tidcombe; Upper Chute both AA & SFi; River Till, Winterbourne Stoke, SPi & VSL; Worton Common, MBu; flat forms at Coulston and Langford Lakes, both SPi.

**Lemna minuta** (Least Duckweed); Allington, Boscombe, Collingbourne Kingston and Everleigh; all SFi; Brixton Deverill, AA & SFi. Interestingly all above found in cattle troughs.

**Lemna turionifera** (Red Duckweed); Normanton Down, well coloured plants floating in unused trough between arable fields, SPi. Only the 3<sup>rd</sup> VC8 record ever; the 1<sup>st</sup> at Stourhead in 2013, also by SPi.

**Lepidium campestre** (Field Pepperwort) [Eng:NT]; Battlesbury Hill, Warminster, SPi.

**Lepidium coronopus** (Swine-cress); Chitterne; Codford, all SFi; Haydown Hill, Fosbury, RAi, MBu & SPi; Norton Down, Salisbury Plain, SPi.

**Lepidium didymum** (Lesser Swine-cress); Allington, AA & SFi.

**Lepidium draba** (Hoary Cress); Netherhampton, SFi.

**Leucojum aestivum** (Summer Snowflake); Chicklade, in a damp patch along trackway; probable throw-out as garden daffodils quite close and housing near, SJJ; Limpley Stoke north, regenerating garden throw-out, HCr & DG.

**Linaria purpurea** (Purple Toadflax); Coppit Dennis, VW.

**Linum usitatissimum** (Flax); Bulford, three sites all volunteers at edge of wheat fields, SFi; Kingston Deverill, road side and a field margin, both AA, SFi, IL & VW.

**Lobelia erinus** (Garden Lobelia); Salisbury, pavement, SFi.

**Lunaria annua** (Honesty); Coppit Dennis, VW; Limpley Stoke north, HCr & DG.

**Lycopus europaeus** (Gipsywort); River Till, Berwick St.James, SPi; Haydown Hill, Fosbury, RAi, MBu & SPi; Wexcombe, JBr.

**Lysimachia vulgaris** (Yellow-loosestrife); Senior's Farm, Semley, VW.

**Lythrum portula** (Water-purslane); Coulston, plentiful in damp grassland and road verge by stream, SPi.

**Malus pumila** (Apple); Brixton Deverill two sites, SFi and one site AA & SFi.

**Malva trimestris** (Royal Mallow); Dilton Marsh, one plant in lush Lolium multiflorum ley and still in flower on 11<sup>th</sup> November, DH.  
**1<sup>st</sup> VC8 record.**

**Matricaria discoidea ssp. discoidea** (Pineappleweed); Bulford, DIO's reseeded area, BCG.

**Meconopsis cambrica** (Welsh Poppy); Kingston Deverill, garden escape, AA, SFi, IL & VW; Winterslow, garden escape, AA & SFi.

**Melilotus officinalis** (Ribbed Melilot); Win Green, AA & SFi.

**Melissa officinalis** (Balm); Coppit Dennis, VW; Easton, garden escape, SFi.

**Mentha spicata** (Spear Mint); Homington, SFi.

**Mentha x villosa** (Apple-mint); Brunton, garden escape, SFi; Worton Common, MBu.

**Milium effusum** (Wood Millet); Winterbourne Stoke, AA & SFi.

**Myrrhis odorata** (Sweet Cicely); Tunball Lane, Tidcombe, garden escape, RAI, MBu & SPi.

**Neotinea ustulata** (Burnt Orchid) [NS GB:EN Eng:EN]; SPTA(C), three sites, all PSK.

**Nicandra physalodes** (Apple-of-Peru); Pewsey, single plant in semi-abandoned plot and assumed from bird seed, PD.

**Nonea lutea** (Yellow Nonea); Codford St.Mary; growing on pavement / grass verge near housing, SJJ. Only the 2<sup>nd</sup> VC8 record.

**Nymphaea alba** (White Water-lily); Upper Chute, Limmer Pond, AA & SFi.

**Oenothera biennis** (Common Evening-primrose); Figheldean, RAI, JRM & BCG.

**Ophrys apifera** (Bee Orchid); Fosbury Hillfort, Knolls Down, two sites, both RAI, MBu & SPi.

**Orobanche minor** (Common Broomrape); Battlesbury Hill, Warminster, SPi.

**Oxalis corniculata** (Procumbent Yellow-sorrel); Stockton, SFi.

**Oxalis exilis** (Least Yellow-sorrel); Devizes, MBu.

**Oxalis stricta** (Upright Yellow-sorrel); Great Cheverell, SPi.

**Papaver dubium** (Long-headed Poppy); SPTA: Copehill Down; SPTA: Cow Down, both SG & SPi; Winterbourne Stoke; Winterbourne Stoke Down, both SPi & VSI.

**Papaver hybridum** (Rough Poppy); Chitterne, three sites, all within field edges or headlands, all SFi.

**Papaver lecoqii** (Yellow-juiced Poppy); Easton, a single plant in headland, SFi.

**Papaver somniferum** (Opium Poppy); Kingston Deverill, AA, SFi, IL & VW.

**Parthenocissus inserta** (False Virginia-creeper); Netherhampton, rampant spread from garden into churchyard, SFi; Tilshead, RAI, AA, SFi & PMW.

**Parthenocissus quinquefolia** (Virginia-creeper); Shrewton, garden escape and rooted along path side, SFi; Perham Down east, JRM.

**Pentaglottis sempervirens** (Green Alkanet); Kingston Deverill, AA, SFi, IL & PMW; Maiden Bradley church, PLe; Mere, WBS.

**Persicaria bistorta** (Common Bistort); Long Hill Mere, RAI & PLe.

**Phacelia tanacetifolia** (Phacelia); Brunton; Collingbourne Kingston; 5 sites Chitterne, all SFi; Rolleston, Shrewton, AA & SFi. All variously sown or volunteers from previous sown crops.

**Pilosella aurantiaca** (Fox-and-cubs); Collingbourne Kingston, widely escaped in village, SFi; Upper Chute, garden escape, AA & SFi; Winterslow, in churchyard, AA & SFi.

**Plantago coronopus** (Buck's-horn Plantain); Nursteed, Devizes, at edge of road verge where winter salt affects soil, MBu.

**Poa compressa** (Flattened Meadow-grass); SPTA Tilshead Down, small number of plants in ballast, edge of track, SG & SPi.

**Polypodium interjectum** (Intermediate Polypody); Scot's Poor and Silver Down, Tidcombe, SPi.

**Polypogon viridis** (Water Bent); Salisbury, 3 sites of which 2 near new house builds, all SFi.

**Populus alba** (White Poplar); Coppit Dennis; St.Mary's School, Shaftesbury; Summerleaze Oaks, all VW; Kingston Deverill, AA, SFi, IL & VW; Poulshot; Worton Common, both MBu.

**Potamogeton lucens** (Shining Pondweed); Sherrington, two sites, both SFi.

**Pseudofumaria lutea** (Yellow Corydalis); Mere Church, WBS.

**Pulmonaria officinalis** (Lungwort); Upton Lovell, SFi.

**Quercus ilex** (Holm Oak); Castle Hill, Salisbury, not obviously planted, SFi.

**Ranunculus peltatus** (Pond Water-crowfoot); Codford, growing in winterbourne, SFi.

**Rhus typhina** (Stag's-horn Sumach); Allington, AA & SFi; Kingston Deverill, AA, SFi, IL & VW; Brunton; Coombe Bissett; Homington 2 sites; Netherhampton 2 sites; Quidhampton 2 sites, all SFi. As is its nature, all records are for suckers from the original plant.

**Ribes sanguineum** (Flowering Currant); Monkton Deverill, escaped in village, SFi; Newton Tony centre, JRM.

**Rorippa palustris** (Marsh Yellow-cress); Midford Brook, DG.

**Rosa x irregularis** (*R. arvensis* x *canina*); Dean Hill SSSI, both parents close, SFi & PMW. **1<sup>st</sup> Wiltshire record.**

**Rosa micrantha** (Small-flowered Sweet-briar); Chitterne; near Parsonage Down, Winterbourne Stoke, both SFi.

**Rosa x toddiae** (*R. canina* x *micrantha*); Figsbury Ring, 3 sites, AA & SFi.

**Rosa rubiginosa** (Sweet-briar); Market Lavington, MBu.

**Rosa sherardii** (Sherard's Downy-rose); Collingbourne Kingston, woodland edge, SFi.

**Rosa spinosissima** (Burnet Rose); Brixton Deverill, 2 sites, both planted and suckering profusely, both SFi.

**Rubus tricolor** (Chinese Bramble); Limpley Stoke north, regenerating garden throw-out, HCr & DG.

**Sagina filicaulis** (Upright Pearlwort); Barford St. Martin, SFi; Tilshead Down, SG & SPI.

**Salix viminalis** (Osier); Collingbourne Kingston, SFi; Rollestone, Shrewton, AA & SFi; Wexcombe, JBr.

**Salix x calodendron** (Holme Willow); Amesbury; Sherrington; Upton Lovell all SFi; Brixton Deverill, AA & SFi.

**Salix x fragilis** (Hybrid Crack-willow); 11 records; Cheverell Wood; Five Lanes, Potterne; Potterne; Poulshot; Townsend, Poulshot and Worton Common, all MBu; Limpley Stoke north, HCr & DG; Rollestone, Shrewton and Winterbourne Stoke, both AA & SFi; Shrewton and Upton Lovell, both SFi.

**Salix x reichardtii** (*S. caprea* x *S. cinerea*); Langley Wood, Salisbury, AA, SFi & PMW.

**Sambucus ebulus** (Dwarf Elder); Seniors Farm, Semley, a single plant, VW.

**Sedum album** (White Stonecrop); Allington, escaped in village; Winterslow, widespread in churchyard, both AA & SFi.

**Sedum rupestre** (Reflexed Stonecrop); Potterne, Cemetery, present on several gravelled grave tops, MBu.

**Sedum spectabile** (Butterfly Stonecrop); Collingbourne Kingston, several plants naturalising at dump, SFi.

**Sedum spurium** (Causican-stonecrop); Easton; 2 sites Quidhampton, all escaped in

village, all SFi; Seend Cleeve, large area approx. 5m x 5m on disused ironstone quarry floor, DG.

**Senecio squalidus** (Oxford Ragwort); East Knoyle, RDu, PLe & DP.

**Setaria pumila** (Yellow Bristle-grass); Cheverell Wood, at edge of former arable field now sown with ryegrass, MBu; Codford, pavement weed, ARM.

**Solanum lycopersicum** (Tomato); Homington, several plants on dung heap, SFi.

**Solanum nigrum** (Black Nightshade); 21 records; Brunton. Collingbourne Kingston, Everleigh, Wexcombe, all SFi; Brunton, and Crow Down, both JBr & PD; Tidcombe, all AA & SFi; Upper Chute VW & PMW; Summerleaze Oaks, VW.

**Soleirolia soleirolii** (Mind-your-own-business); Burton, at foot of drystone wall, RAi, JBE, MBu & SPI; St Marys School, Shaftesbury, VW; Urchfont, MBu.

**Solidago gigantea** (Early Goldenrod); Norton Down, Salisbury Plain, SPI.

**Sorbus torminalis** (Wild Service-tree); SPTA near Netheravon, 4 sites with a total of 7 trees planted but with at least 6 more regenerating or younger plants of differing ages, all SFi.

**Stellaria alsine** (Bog Stitchwort); Fosbury Hillfort, Knolls Down, RAi, MBu & SPI; Midford Brook, DG.

**Symphytum grandiflorum** (Creeping Comfrey); Fives Lanes, Potterne, patch within road verge, MBu; Kingston Deverill, AA, SFi, IL & VW; Poulshot, MBu; Tilshead, RAi, AA, SFi & PMW.

**Symphytum x uplandicum** (Russian Comfrey); Brixton Deverill, AA & SFi; Chitterne 2 sites, SFi; Kingston Deverill, AA, SFi, IL & VW; Long Hill Mere, RAi & PLe; Mere, PLe; SPTA near Netheravon, SFi; SPTA(E) Figheledean, JRM; Tilshead, 2 sites, RAi, AA, SFi & PMW.

**Taraxacum pulchrifolium** (a dandelion); Downton, roadside verge, DLe; determined by A.J.Richards. **1<sup>st</sup> Wiltshire record.**

**Trachystemon orientalis** (Abraham-Issac-Jacob); Barford St Martin; Castle Hill, Salisbury; Chitterne; Idmiston; Upton Lovell, all escapes and naturalising, all SFi.

**Trifolium medium** (Zigzag Clover); Winsley, south bank of Kennet & Avon Canal, DG.

**Trifolium striatum** (Knotted Clover); Pewsey, a few plants on a verge, JBr & PD.

**Triticum durum** (Pasta Wheat); Tidcombe, 2 sites both volunteers growing in verges either side of bridleways, AA & SFi.

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**Valerianella carinata** (Keel-fruited Cornsalad); Chitterne, SFi.

**Verbascum nigrum** (Dark Mullein); Boscombe Down, SFi.

**Verbena bonariensis** (Argentinian Vervain); Castle Hill, Salisbury, near deserted barn, SFi; Upper Chute, escape, AA & SFi.

**Veronica beccabunga** (Brooklime); Haydown Hill, Fosbury, RAi, MBu & SPi.

**Veronica catenata** (Pink Water-speedwell); Codford, in winterbourne, SFi.

**Veronica polita** (Grey Field-speedwell); Amesbury, SPi; Wilsford Down, Winterbourne Stoke, SPi & VSI.

**Vicia tetrasperma** (Smooth Tare); Botley Down near Oxenwood, AA & SFi.

**Vinca difformis** (Intermediate Periwinkle); Seend Cleeve, well established on verge by track adjacent housing, SPi.

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**Vinca major** (Greater Periwinkle); Limpley Stoke north, HCr & DG.

**Vulpia bromoides** (Squirreltail Fescue); The Slay, Tidcombe, RAi, MBu & SPi.

**Vulpia myuros** (Rat's-tail Fescue); Berwick St James, weed in field margin; Winterbourne Stoke Down, arable weed; both SPi & VSI.

**X Schedolium loliaceum** (Meadow Fescue x Perennial Ryegrass); Parsonage Bank, Parsonage Down SSSI, SPi & VSI.

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