

LOCAL WILDLIFE SITES.  
UTTLESFORD DISTRICT

Ufd115. Horseley Wood/Cabbage Wood/Pig's Parlour



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**TL 543330**

Little information currently exists for this complex of ancient woods. The canopy of Cabbage Wood comprises tall coppice and standards of Ash (*Fraxinus excelsior*) and Sycamore (*Acer pseudoplatanus*), with scattered standards of Pedunculate Oak (*Quercus robur*) and some planted Pine (*Pinus* sp.). The understorey is co-dominated by Hazel (*Corylus avellana*) and Hawthorn (*Crataegus monogyna*). The ground flora appears to be only moderately diverse, with much Dog's Mercury (*Mercurialis perennis*), Cow Parsley (*Anthriscus sylvestris*), Pendulous Sedge (*Carex pendula*), Tufted Hair-grass (*Deschampsia cespitosa*) and Red Campion (*Silene dioica*).

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