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Bannau Brycheiniog National Park
Landscape Character

Source: Brecon Beacons National Park
Landscape Character Assessment 2012

2. Y Mynydd Du
3. Fforest Fawr
4. Waterfall Country and Southern
Valleys
5. Western Usk Tributaries
6. Middle Usk Valleys
7. Central beacons
8. Talybont and Taff Reservoir Valleys
9. Mynyddoed Llangatwg and
Llangynidr
10. Clydach Gorge
11. Eastern Usk Valley
12. Skirrid and Sugar Loaf
13. The Black Mountains
14. Wye Valley Foothills
15. Bloreng Summit and Slopes

Heads of the Valleys Landscape Character

Source: Heads of the Valleys Smaller Scale
Wind Turbine Development, Landscape
Sensitivity and Capacity Study Final Report
2015

1. Forested upland and plateau at
Treherbert
2. Hillside landscape south and west
of Hirwaun
3. Afon Rhondda Fawr settled valley
4. Afon Rhondda Fach settled valley
5. Cwmaman upper valley slopes and
upland
6. Afon Cynon settled valley
landscape
7. South west facing aFon Cynon
valley side
8. Cynon Taff Ridge
9. Merthyr Tydfil west valley side
10. Merthyr Tydfil
11. Taff Valley southern reach
12. Merthyr Tydfil east valley side
13. Upland moorland between Taff
and Rhymney Valleys
14. Bedlinog Valley and farmed
upland landscape
15. Darran Valley and hillsides
16. Rhymney Valley from Rhymney to
Bargoed
17. Upland north of the Heads of the
Valleys corridor
18. Mynydd Bedwellte and associated
upland
20. Sirhowy Valley northern reach
from Tredegar to Pochin Houses
21. Southern Sirhowy valley
inoorporating hillsides above
22. Northern Manmoel Ridge

31. Waterfall Country and Southern
Valleys (BBNP LCA)

Bridgend Landscape Character

Source: Landscape Character Assessment
for Bridgend County Borough 2013

3. Llynfi & Garw Uplands and
Forestry
5. Garw Valley Floor and Lower
Slopes
6. Mynydd Llangeinwyr Uplands
7. Ogmore Valley Floor & Lower
Slopes
8. Ogmore Forest and Surrounding
Slopes
9. Hirwaun Common and
Surrounding Ridges

Neath Port Talbot Landscape Character

Source: Neath Port Talbot LANDMAP
Landscape Assessment Final Report 2004

11. Cwm Afan and Cwm Pelenna
14. Foel Fawr
15. Mynydd y Gelli
18. Mynydd Resolfen, Craig-y-Llyn &
Mynydd Ynyscorrwg
19. Neath Valley
21. Hirfynydd
22. Banwen Pyrddin
23. Head of Dulais Valley
24. Dulais Valley

Monmouthshire Landscape
Character

Source: Monmouthshire County
Council Draft Supplementary
Planning Guidance, 'Landscape',
2019

13. Western Hills
14. Llandegfedd Reservoir
15. Upper Usk Valley
16. Llanover Lowland
18. Raglan Hinterland
26. Northern Hills
27. Penyclawdd Watershed
30. Sugar Loaf Scarps
33. Ysgyrd Fach
34. Bloreng
41. Abergavenney

Caerphilly Landscape Character

Source: Caerphilly County Borough Smaller
Scale Wind Turbine Development 2015

1. Caerphilly west (Nelson and
Abertridwr)
2. Caerphilly basin and Lower
Rhymney Valley

3. South Caerphilly
4. North Caerphilly
5. Greater Blackwood
6. Myyddislwyn
7. Risca (Sirhowy and Ebbw Valleys)
8. Pen y fan and land west of
Newbridge
9. Mynydd maen
10. Greater Newbridge

Powys Landscape Character

Source: Local Landscape Character
Assessment for the Powys Local
Development Plan Area, Landscape
Character Assessment Report 2022

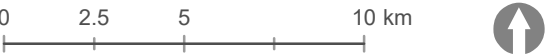
57. Mynydd Epynt/SENTA
58. Eastern Mynydd Epynt Hills
59. Southern Mynydd Epynt Valleys
60. Llanfilo/Bronllys Farmlands
61. Tawe Valley Slopes

Torfaen and Blaenau Gwent Landscape
Assessment

Source: Sensitivity and Capacity Study for
Renewable Energy Development Blaenau
Gwent CBC and Torfaen CBC 2021

1. Built Development
2. Trefil Quarry
3. Built Development
4. Trefil and Carno
5. Rhymney Hill and Mynydd
Bedwellte
6. Built Development
7. Tredegar Open Space
8. Built Development
9. Built Development
10. Rassau A465 Corridor
11. Sirhowy Valley
12. Built Development
13. Briery Hill and Cefn Manmoel
14. Built Development
15. Built Development
16. Ebbw Vale
17. Built Development
18. Mynydd Carn y Cefn
19. Built Development
20. Ebbw Valley Sides and East of
Carn y Cefn
21. Built Development
22. Built Development
23. Built Development
24. Built Development
25. Built Development
26. Cwm Celyn, Cwmtillery and Waun
Wen Valley side
27. Built Development
28. Built Development

29. Built Development
30. Built Development
31. Cwm Cyffin
32. Craig Swffryd
33. Swffryd Wood
34. Mynydd Coity Upland Ridge
35. Hills North of Blaenavon
36. Blaenavon
37. Mynydd Coity Eastern Valley
Sides
38. Cwm Du
39. Hilltop above Gelli Deg
40. Western Slopes of Mynydd
Henllys
41. Pantygasseg Valley & edge of
Pontnewynydd
42. Built Development
43. British Works West of Talywain
44. British Works on Mynydd Farteg
Fawr
45. Lower Slopes of Varteg Hill
46. Mynydd Twyn Glas, Mynydd
Henllys Ridge
47. Cwm Y Glyn and Cwm Lleucu,
Twyn Calch Hillsides
48. Cwmavon
49. Mynydd Maen, Mynydd Henllys
sides above Cwmbran
50. Mynydd y Garn Fawr, Mynydd
Garnclothdy
51. Upper Race
52. Henllys Vale, Castell y Bwch &
Hollybush
53. Lasgarn Farmland
54. Built Development
55. Pontypool Park and environs
56. A4042 Usk Road Corridor
57. Llnafihangel Pont y Mael east of
RAILWAY
59. Countryside east of Cwmbran
60. Inland Water



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Landscape Character Key

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