

APPENDIX 6.3
Details of Potential or Disused Otter Holts
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Note: No signs of active otter presence were identified on site. The mammal burrows identified below were considered as disused or potential otter holts.

N.B. GPS records from 2004 were found to be often inaccurate when checked against 2 new GPS devices used in this 2008 survey

Holt reference as shown on Figure 2	Location and habitat	Status and description
H1	in bank along stream, wet grassland. GPS: F83946 – 24106 and F83956 24101	disused, two entrances, 1 small spoil. 2 more entrances nearby. Probably not a holt. Rabbit sized burrows. Area burnt.
H2	alongside stream. Not found in 2008 or 2010	
H3	at top of bank along canalised stream. Blanket bog. GPS: F84862 – 23826 F84867 23829	disused, single entrance, no spoil, Molinia bedding within entrance 2 nd entrance nearby, also with old bedding.
H4	in bank along canalised stream. Blanket bog. GPS: F84855 - 23815	disused, 2 entrance, small spoil. Some old bedding.
H5A	in bank along canalised stream. Blanket bog. GPS: F84866 - 23797	disused, single entrance, some old bedding.
H5B	in bank along canalised stream. Blanket bog. GPS: F84869- 23794	disused, single entrance.
H5C	in bank along canalised stream. Blanket bog. GPS: F8487223790	disused, single entrance, some old bedding.
H6	near to stream GPS F83801 24226 burrows over c. 25m area	large burrow complex, burnt area. c. 7 entrances. Some large entrances, some small. Disused.
H7	near to stream. GPS F83878 24154	single entrance, disused, burnt area