

GCSE

GEOGRAPHY

Paper 3 Geographical Applications

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This insert contains the key for the Ordnance Survey (OS) map extract in the Resources booklet.

Key for the 1:50 000 OS map extract

ROADS AND PATHS

Not necessarily rights of way

- Motorway (dual carriageway)
- Primary Route (A network of recommended through routes which complement the motorway system)
- Main road
- Road under construction
- Secondary road
- Narrow road with passing places
- Road generally more than 4m wide
- Road generally less than 4m wide
- Path / Other road, drive or track
- Gradient: steeper than 20% (1 in 5), 14% to 20% (1 in 7 to 1 in 5)
- Gates, Road tunnel
- Ferry (passenger), Ferry (vehicle)

TOURIST INFORMATION

- Camp site / caravan site
- Garden/aboretum
- Golf course or links
- Information centre (all year / seasonal)
- Nature reserve
- Parking, Park and ride (all year / seasonal)
- Picnic site
- Recreation / leisure / sports centre
- Selected places of tourist interest
- Phone, public / emergency
- Viewpoint
- Visitor centre
- Walks / Trails
- World Heritage site or area
- Youth hostel

RAILWAYS

- Track multiple or single
- Track under construction
- Siding
- Tunnel, cuttings
- Narrow gauge, tramway or light rail system
- Bridges, footbridge
- Level crossing
- Viaduct, embankment
- Station, (a) principal
- Light rail station

LAND FEATURES

- Electricity transmission line (pylons shown at standard spacing)
- Pipe line (arrow indicates direction of flow)
- Buildings
- Important building (selected)
- Bus or coach station
- Place of worship (with tower, with spire, minaret or dome)
- Glass structure
- Heliport
- Triangulation pillar
- Mast
- Wind pump, Wind turbine
- Windmill with or without sails
- Graticule intersection at 5' intervals
- Cutting, embankment
- Landfill site or slag/spoil heap
- Coniferous wood
- Non-coniferous wood
- Mixed wood
- Orchard
- Park or ornamental ground
- Solar farm (when not described)
- Access land (symbols indicate owner or agency - see below)
- Forestry and Land Scotland, Forestry England
- Natural Resources Wales
- National Trust; always open, limited access - observe local signs
- National Trust for Scotland; always open, limited access - observe local signs

WATER FEATURES

HEIGHTS

1 metre = 3.2808 feet

- Contours are at 10 metres vertical interval
- Heights are to the nearest metre above mean sea level

ROCK FEATURES

Where two heights are shown, the first is the height of the natural ground in the location of the triangulation pillar, and the second (in brackets) to a separate point which is the natural summit.

PUBLIC RIGHTS OF WAY

The symbols show the defined route so far as the scale of mapping will allow.

The representation on this map of any other road, track or path is no evidence of the existence of a right of way. Not shown on maps of Scotland

Danger Area
Firing and Test Ranges in the area. Danger! Observe warning notices.

OTHER PUBLIC ACCESS

- Other route with public access (not normally shown in urban areas). Alignments are based on the best information available. These routes are not shown on maps of Scotland.
- On-road cycle route
- Traffic-free cycle route
- National Cycle Network number
- Regional Cycle Network number
- National Trail, Scotland's Great Trails, European Long Distance Path and selected Recreational Routes

BOUNDARIES

ANTIQUITIES

ABBREVIATIONS

Br	Bridge	MS	Milestone
Cemy	Cemetery	Mus	Museum
CG	Cattle grid	P	Post office
CH	Clubhouse	PC	Public convenience (in rural areas)
Fm	Farm	PH	Public house
Hospl	Hospital	Sch	School
Ho	House	TH	Town Hall, Guildhall or equivalent
MP	Milepost	Univ	University

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