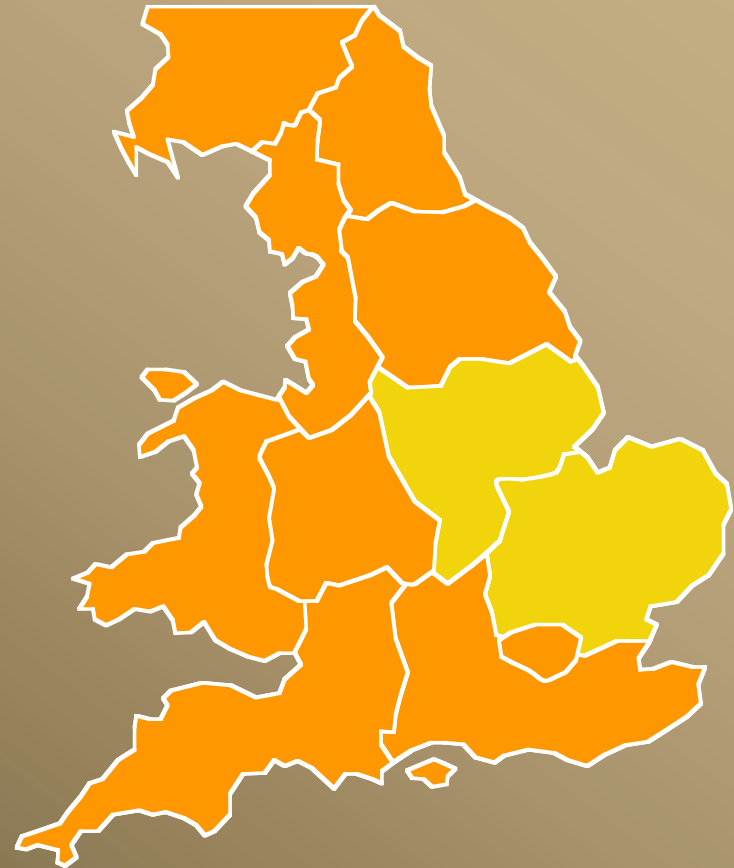




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Parks and Gardens at Risk



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Heritage at Risk

Published for the first time in 2009, including Parks and Gardens at risk, and subject to annual review

- 1,600 sites included on English Heritage's *Register of Parks and Gardens of Special Historic Interest*
- Of these, 6% are considered to be at risk
- 210 register sites in the East of England
- Of these 3.3% are considered to be at risk

HAR Score Sheet for Parks and Gardens

Registered Parks & Gardens at Risk

Site:		Score				Max Score 67
SECTION ONE – INFORMATION						
1. Name of Registered Park & Garden:						
2. Name and contact email of person responsible for site	Name :		Email		Telephone	
3. Is the registered site within a Conservation Area?	Yes: fully Score: 0	Partly: key views and vistas protected Score: 2	Partly: other elements protected Score: 4	No Score: 7		
SECTION TWO – CONDITION						
4. Is the integrity of the site damaged by development?	No Score: 0	Yes: outside registered area : impact excludes key views and vistas Score: 2	Yes: inside, away from key views and vistas Score: 4	Yes: outside registered area but including key views and vistas Score: 7	Yes: including key views and vistas Score: 10	
5. Is the integrity of the site damaged by neglect?	No: Score: 0	Yes: away from key views and vistas Score: 4	Yes: whole/core site Score: 7			
6. Are there structures on the Buildings at Risk register or would be included if the register extended to Grade II?	No: Score: 0	No: but minor or non-key structures are in a poor state Score: 3	Yes: but structures at risk are not key to the integrity of the registered area Score: 5	Yes: key structures Score: 8		
SECTION THREE – VULNERABILITY						
7. Is the site used as originally intended?	Yes: remains integral part of original plan Score: 0	No: but beneficial use is as a historic entity Score: 0	No: but historic integrity of benefit to beneficial use Score: 2	No Score: 5		
8. Is the site in multiple ownership?	No: single benign owner Score: 0	One owner predominates Score: 2	Multiple ownership Score: 7			
9. In the last three years, have there been any major, detrimental planning proposals that will impact on the integrity of the site or the registered area in another way? Note that these may be within or outside the registered boundary.	No: Score: 0	Yes: but withdrawn prior to formal application and no known threat of further development Score: 3	Yes: proposals remain but not yet submitted as an application Score: 8	Yes: planning applications submitted and turned down but with known threat of further proposals Score: 10	Yes: planning application in progress, not determined Score: 10	
SECTION FOUR – MANAGEMENT						
10. Is there a management plan for the site?	Yes Score: 0	No: but work in progress Score: 2	No: Score: 5			
SECTION FIVE – TRAJECTORY						
11. Is the site condition improving?	Improving Score: 0	Stable Score: 1	Unknown Score: 3	Deteriorating Score: 8		

Statutory Consultees

- English Heritage Planning and Development departments
- The Garden History Society
www.gardenhistorysociety.org
- The Georgian Group
www.georgiangroup.org.uk
- The Victorian Society
www.victorian-society.org.uk
- The Twentieth Century Society
www.C20Society.org.uk

Holkham Hall – not at risk!



Planning Context

- The Planning (Listed Buildings & Conservation Areas) Act, 1990
- Policy Planning Guidance Note 15; Planning and the Historic Environment

a registered park and garden is a “material consideration” in determining planning cases and officers are minded to “safeguard registered parks or gardens when themselves planning new developments or road schemes”, paying attention to their “special interest”.

Planning Applications



- Change of Use
- Operational Development



Multiple Ownership



Multiple ownership:
Garendon Park, Leics



Harlaxton Park, Lincs

External Development



- Industrial Development - Manor Lodge/Shireoaks Hall, Notts
- Renewables

The Cost of Upkeep



- Garden Objects
- Park Walls
- Pleasure Ground Temples

Investment and Diversification



Chatsworth, post Country Fair



Luton Hoo, Beds new golf course

English Heritage/HELM Landscape titles

- The Conservation of Farm Buildings
- Farming the Historic Landscape – An Introduction for Farm Advisors
- Farming the Historic Landscape – Caring for Archaeological Sites in Grassland
- Golf in Historic Landscapes

Early Beneficiaries



Easton Lodge, Essex



Bawdsey Manor, Suffolk

HLF bids and conservation planning

Early Beneficiaries



Elvaston, Derbyshire

English Heritage grant aid for
garden structures

Higher Level Stewardship



Restoration of parkland features for non beneficial use

Stewardship Options



Includes rare breeds and parkland planting

Training



HLF Skills Bursaries

Historic & Botanic
Garden Bursary
Scheme



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