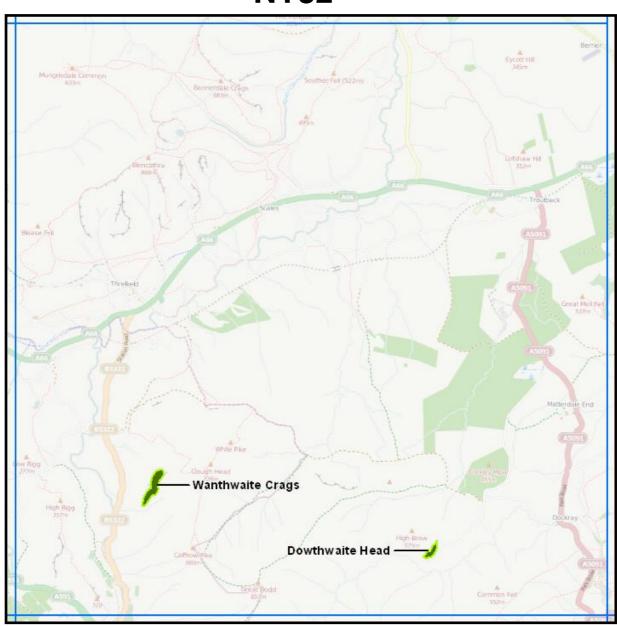
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# **Sites List:**

Jun-NY3222-01 Wanthwaite Crags Jun-NY3721-01 Dowthwaite Head



#### <u>Uplands for Juniper Project – Survey Form</u>

#### 1. Site details

Site Name: Dowthwaite Head	Equiv. L. Ward site (s): None
Site Ref. code: Jun-NY3721-01	Survey date: 18/10/2013
Recorder name (s): A. Watt and R.	Cent. grid ref: NY3704 2106
Ansell-Davies	-
Valley / area: Matterdale	Altitude: 430m – 520m
Aspect: 135 degrees	Ownership:

#### 2. Stand area:

a) Have you changed the boundaries of the stand on the survey map?

b) GPS number and track name / label? N / A

c) Area of sub stands and total area?

Sub stand	Α	В	С	D			Total
Area							2.51ha
Confidence	4	4	4	4			4

## 3. Plant numbers and Juniper sub-species? Ssp...J.c.comm .........

Sub stand	Α	В	С	D			Total
Count	500	80	10	20			610
Method	VP	VP	VP	VP			VP
Confidence	M	М	М	М			M

4.	<b>Dominant</b>	Vegetation	acid	grassland	

#### Other habitats / vegetation types present:

acid grassland wet grassland / rushes

<u>dry heath</u> wet heath / mire Limestone grassland <u>Bracken</u>

Scree Outcrop / cliff

Limestone scree Limestone outcrop / cliff

Woodland

# 5. Grazing / browsing (circle appropriate grazing animal)?

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Sheep	Cattle	Red Deer	Other
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#### Indicators of high grazing / browsing pressure?

Browsing on heathers and juniper extensive and easy to find at time of survey. Growth forms of heathers suggest long term high impacts.

#### 6. Other threats:

### 7. Juniper age:

Estimate Percentage						
seedling	young	mature	old	Ш	Dead	
present	present	40%	45%	present	Χ	
Comments: Seedlings beneath female bush all previously browsed.						

Are fruit bearing trees present?

Yes / no

**8. Fixed point photography**: Insert Grid reference and compass bearing fixed point photos.

Photo label / Number	Grid Ref.	Comp. bearing	Magnifi cation	Description of fixed point

**9. Comments (associated flora and fauna, survey / access difficulties?):** Rowan, gorse and hawthorn present and Alpine lady's mantle abundant. Lots of waxcaps including *Hygrocybe cinerea*. Ravens present.