

CHECKLIST OF UMBELLIFERS - BEDS, OLD CAMBS, HUNTS, NORTHANTS AND PETERBOROUGH

Scientific name	Common Name	Beds	old Cambs	Hunts	Northants and P'boro
<i>Aegopodium podagraria</i>	Ground-elder	common	common	common	common
<i>Aethusa cynapium</i>	Fool's Parsley	common	common	common	common
<i>Ammi majus</i>	Bullwort	wool alien	rare casual	absent	rare casual
<i>Anethum graveolens</i>	Dill	rare casual	rare casual	absent	very rare casual
<i>Angelica sylvestris</i>	Wild Angelica	frequent	frequent	frequent	frequent
<i>Anthriscus caucalis</i>	Bur Parsley	uncommon	occasional	very rare	very rare
<i>Anthriscus sylvestris</i>	Cow Parsley	abundant	abundant	abundant	abundant
<i>Apium graveolens</i>	Wild Celery	very rare	rare	very rare	rare intro/escape
<i>Apium inundatum</i>	Lesser Marshwort	very rare	very rare	absent	very rare
<i>Apium nodiflorum</i>	Fool's Water-cress	common	common	common	common
<i>Berula erecta</i>	Lesser Water-parsnip	occasional	frequent	uncommon	frequent
<i>Bunium bulbocastanum</i>	Great Pignut	uncommon	very rare	absent	absent
<i>Bupleurum tenuissimum</i>	Slender Hare's-ear	absent	very rare	absent	absent
<i>Carum carvi</i>	Caraway	very rare casual	very rare intro/escape	absent	very rare intro/escape
<i>Chaerophyllum temulum</i>	Rough Chervil	common	common	common	common
<i>Conium maculatum</i>	Hemlock	common	common	common	common
<i>Conopodium majus</i>	Pignut	frequent	occasional	occasional	frequent
<i>Coriandrum sativum</i>	Coriander	rare intro/escape	occasional intro/escape	very rare escape	rare intro/escape
<i>Daucus carota</i> ssp. <i>carota</i>	Wild Carrot	common	common	common	common
<i>Eryngium campestre</i>	Field Eryngo	absent	very rare, prob. introduced	absent	absent
<i>Falcaria vulgaris</i>	Longleaf	very rare	very rare	absent	very rare
<i>Foeniculum vulgare</i>	Fennel	uncommon	occasional	escape	rare intro/escape
<i>Heracleum mantegazzianum</i>	Giant Hogweed	rare	occasional	occasional	occasional
<i>Heracleum sphondylium</i>	Hogweed	abundant	abundant	abundant	abundant
<i>Hydrocotyle vulgaris</i>	Marsh Pennywort	rare	occasional	uncommon	rare
<i>Hydrocotyle ranunculoides</i>	Floating Pennywort	absent	rare	unknown	very rare
<i>Myrrhis odorata</i>	Sweet Cicely	absent	rare intro/escape	very rare intro/escape	rare intro/escape
<i>Oenanthe aquatica</i>	Fine-leaved Water-dropwort	rare	occasional	occasional	rare
<i>Oenanthe crocata</i>	Hemlock Water-dropwort	rare	very rare	very rare	very rare
<i>Oenanthe fistulosa</i>	Tubular Water-dropwort	occasional	occasional	uncommon	uncommon
<i>Oenanthe fluviatilis</i>	River Water-dropwort	very rare	occasional	rare	uncommon
<i>Oenanthe lachenalii</i>	Parsley Water-dropwort	rare	rare	absent	absent
<i>Oenanthe pimpinelloides</i>	Corky-fruited Water-dropwort	absent	very rare, prob. introduced	absent	absent
<i>Oenanthe silaifolia</i>	Narrow-leaved Water-dropwort	absent	rare	rare	very rare
<i>Pastinaca sativa</i>	Wild Parsnip	frequent	common	common	frequent
<i>Petroselinum crispum</i>	Garden Parsley	very rare intro/escape	occasional intro/escape	absent	rare intro/escape
<i>Petroselinum segetum</i>	Corn Parsley	rare	occasional	very rare	very rare
<i>Peucedanum palustre</i>	Milk Parsley	absent	very rare	very rare introduction	absent

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<i>Pimpinella major</i>	Greater Burnet-saxifrage	frequent	occasional	frequent	frequent
<i>Pimpinella saxifraga</i>	Burnet-saxifrage	common	frequent	frequent	common
<i>Sanicula europaea</i>	Sanicle	uncommon	occasional	occasional	frequent
<i>Scandix pecten-veneris</i>	Shepherd's-needle	very rare	rare	very rare	rare
<i>Selinum carvifolia</i>	Cambridge Milk-parsley	absent	very rare	absent	absent
<i>Seseli libanotis</i>	Moon Carrot	very rare	very rare	absent	absent
<i>Silaum silaus</i>	Pepper-saxifrage	occasional	occasional	occasional	occasional
<i>Sison amomum</i>	Stone Parsley	frequent	frequent	frequent	occasional
<i>Sium latifolium</i>	Great Water-parsnip	rare	uncommon	very rare	rare
<i>Smyrniolus atratum</i>	<i>Alexanders</i>	<i>rare</i>	<i>uncommon</i>	<i>uncommon</i>	<i>rare</i>
<i>Torilis arvensis</i>	Spreading Hedge-parsley	rare	rare	very rare	very rare
<i>Torilis japonica</i>	Upright Hedge-parsley	common	common	common	common
<i>Torilis nodosa</i>	Knotted Hedge-parsley	uncommon	occasional	uncommon	uncommon

NOTES

The list omits hybrids, obscure aliens, subspecies, species absent from all four recording areas

Species in italics are not native to the country according to *New Flora of the British Isles* 2nd ed. (C.Stace, 1997, CUP)

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Abundance categories		Glossary
abundant	uncommon - less than 20-25 sites/tetrads	wool alien - introduced with wool shoddy to arable fields casual - non-persistent non-native plant, eg. from bird seed intro/escape - deliberate introduction or escape from cultivation
common	rare - less than 7-8 sites/tetrads	
frequent	very rare - less than 3-4 sites/tetrads	
occasional	absent - either not known from the county or not recorded since c.1950	

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