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When identifying a parcel it is important to specify the number of the plan on which it falls.

Enclosures or features (e.g. trees, ponds, etc.) are shown on the plan and are numbered.

Limit of areas within which individual parcels are not shown

To convert hectares to acres multiply by 2.471 056

To convert acres to hectares multiply by 0.404 686

NATIONAL GRID REFERENCE

Grid lines form part of the National Grid and are 100 metre intervals. To give unique reference the position of a point to within 10 metres proceed as follows:

EXAMPLE from sheet TQ 6529

Take the two figures preceding the sheet number.....TQ

Take the east edge of the grid square in which the point lies.....297

Take the figures opposite this line on the 100 metre mesh.....058

Estimate tens of metres from the grid to the point (distance).....8

Take the resulting four-figure number in the Easting.....0588

Take the south edge of the grid square in which the point lies.....058

Take the figures opposite this line on the 100 metre mesh.....297

Estimate tens of metres from the grid line to the point (distance).....2

Take the resulting four-figure number in the Northing.....2972

Take the last two metres from the Northing.....058822

Followed by the Easting and then by the Northing.....TQ 058822.16

Further information for an introduction to the Procedure for Ordinance Survey Maps and Plans

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