

**Site Name: Llananno Southeast**

**Grid Reference: SO 098742**

**RIGS Category:** Educational & Scientific

**Earth Science Category:** Silurian (Wenlock) Stratigraphy

**Geology 1:50,000:** BGS Sheet 180, Knighton (not yet mapped)

**RIGS Statement of Interest:**

The rocks at this site, part of the Nantglyn Flags Formation, appear to be rather monotonous and uninteresting, and are degrading quickly because of weathering. However, they provide information essential for demonstrating the presence of the major Llananno Monocline fold and determining the stratigraphic evolution of this area. This information needs to be integrated with observations made at the two other Llananno RIGS. This site is different from the other two as it comprises slightly younger Silurian strata, the rocks are generally finer grained, without sandstones, and they are situated in the SE limb of the Llananno Monocline. The condition of the site is not as good as the other two. These rocks have recently been studied by researchers at Cambridge University and are briefly described in a well-known field guide (location 4, Dimberline & Woodcock, 1993).

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