

Strategic LCA	Description
Gwynedd LCA 4: Llanberis - Bethesda	Fringe of Snowdon Massif, includes extensive areas of former slate workings. Typified by small, nucleated quarrying communities. Water bodies, woodlands and wet marshy areas important features. Tourism becoming increasingly important.

Project Specific LCAs	LANDMAP Character Areas	LANDMAP Aspect Evaluation													SIGNIFICANCE OF LANDSCAPE EFFECTS		
		LH 42	LH 45	GL 12	GL 31	GL 33	VS 46	VS 48	VS 50	CL 33	CL 35	CL 37	CL 40	HL 40	Susceptibility to change	Value of receptor	Sensitivity
LCA 4.1: Waunfawr Upland	GWNDD_VS_011: Waen / Pentir						M	M	M						MEDIUM	HIGH	MEDIUM

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Gwynedd LCA 5: Caernarfon Coast and Plateau	A long broad fringe adjacent to the Menai Coast LCA, extending to the upland fringes of Moel Tryfan and Mynydd y Cillgwyn. Character of landscape influenced by glacial actions and resultant deposits and landforms. Mixture of settlement types – small villages to large towns. Caernarfon, important historic core, with modern settlement edges of varying quality. Range of coastal habitats and landscapes, which contribute to character of the area. Area provides an important setting to the Anglesey AONB to the north (beyond the Menai Straits) and Llŷn AONB to the south.

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		LH 42	LH 45	GL 12	GL 31	GL 33	VS 46	VS 48	VS 50	CL 33	CL 35	CL 37	CL 40	HL 40	Susceptibility to change	Value of receptor	Sensitivity	
LCA 5.2: Llanfaglan Lowland Farmland	GWNDD_VS_034: Morfa Dinlle						H	M	M						HIGH	MEDIUM	MEDIUM	
	GWNDD_CL_010: Bangor Mountain / Arfon Plateau									O	O	H	O					
	GWNDD_HL_462: Arfon Plateau													H				
	GWNDD_HL_721: Foryd													M				
	GWNDD_HL_450: Pen Y Graig													M				
LCA 5.3: Afon Gwyrfai Lowland Valley (West)	GWNDD_VS_031: Pont Faen						M	M	M						HIGH	MEDIUM	MEDIUM	
	GWNDD_CL_010: Bangor Mountain / Arfon Plateau									O	O	H	O					
	GWNDD_HL_462: Arfon Plateau													H				

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LCA 5.4: Llanwnda Rolling Lowland	GWNDD_VS_006: Bethel (Between Clynnog and Bangor)						M	M	M							HIGH	LOW	MEDIUM
	GWNDD_CL_010: Bangor Mountain / Arfon Plateau									O	O	H	O					
	GWNDD_CL_008: Principal Roads									M	H	H	H					
	GWNDD_CL_021: Ffestiniog / Welsh Highland Railway									O	O	M	O					
	GWNDD_HL_462: Arfon Plateau														H			
LCA 5.5: Caernarfon Historic Settlement	GWNDD_VS_016: Caernarfon						M	H	M							HIGH	OUTSTANDING	HIGH
	GWNDD_CL_018: Caernarfon (19th Century Town)									O	O	H	O					
	GWNDD_CL_020: Caernarfon (Walled Town)									O	O	H	O					
	GWNDD_HL_549: Caernarfon														O			

LCA 5.6: Caernarfon 19th Century Settlement	GWNDD_LH_627: Caernarfon Residential	M	L													HIGH	HIGH	HIGH
	GWNDD_GL_109: Talybont			no	O	H												
	GWNDD_VS_016: Caernarfon						M	H	M									
	GWNDD_CL_018: Caernarfon (19th Century Town)									O	O	H	O					
	GWNDD_CL_008: Principal Roads									M	H	H	H					
	GWNDD_CL_021: Ffestiniog / Welsh Highland Railway									O	O	M	O					
	GWNDD_HL_549: Caernarfon													O				
LCA 5.7: Bontnewydd Settlement	GWNDD_VS_021: Caernarfon						L	L	L							HIGH	LOW	MEDIUM
	GWNDD_CL_010: Bangor Mountain / Arfon Plateau									O	O	H	O					
	GWNDD_CL_008: Principal Roads									M	H	H	H					
	GWNDD_HL_132: Bontnewydd													M				

LCA 5.8: Caernarfon Modern Settlement	GWNDD_LH_627: Caernarfon Residential	M	L													HIGH	LOW	MEDIUM
	GWNDD_GL_109: Talybont			no	O	H												
	GWNDD_VS_016: Caernarfon						M	H	M									
	GWNDD_CL_018: Caernarfon (19th Century Town)									O	O	H	O					
	GWNDD_CL_008: Principal Roads									M	H	H	H					
	GWNDD_CL_021: Ffestiniog / Welsh Highland Railway									O	O	M	O					
	GWNDD_HL_549: Caernarfon													O				
LCA 5.9: Rhosgadfan / Rhostryfan Upland	GWNDD_VS_011: Waen / Pentir						M	M	M						MEDIUM	HIGH	MEDIUM	

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LCA 5.10: Afon Seiont Lowland Valley	GWNDD_LH_626: Coastal Seiont Mosaic	H	H																
	GWNDD_LH_627: Caernarfon Residential	M	L																
	GWNDD_GL_109: Talybont			no	O	H													
	GWNDD_VS_015: Afon Seiont						M	M	M										
	GWNDD_CL_018: Caernarfon (19th Century Town)									O	O	H	O						
	GWNDD_CL_010: Bangor Mountain / Arfon Plateau									O	O	H	O						
	GWNDD_CL_011: Arfon Plain									O	O	H	O						
	GWNDD_HL_549: Caernarfon																O		
	GWNDD_HL_124: Caernarfon Industrial Area																M		
	GWNDD_HL_850: Arfon Plateau (North)																H		
	GWNDD_HL_897: Glan Gwna Holiday Village																L		
	GWNDD_HL_175: Hen Felin (Glan Gwna)																H		
		HIGH																MEDIUM	MEDIUM

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LCA 5.12: Afon Gwyrfa Lowland Valley (East)	GWNDD_VS_020: Afon Gwyrfa						M	M	M							HIGH	LOW	MEDIUM
	GWNDD_CL_010: Bangor Mountain / Arfon Plateau									O	O	H	O					
	GWNDD_CL_021: Ffestiniog / Welsh Highland Railway									O	O	M	O					
	GWNDD_HL_462: Arfon Plateau														H			
LCA 5.14: Bethel Rolling Lowland	GWNDD_VS_006: Bethel (Between Clynnog and Bangor)						M	M	M							HIGH	MEDIUM	MEDIUM
	GWNDD_CL_011: Arfon Plain									O	O	H	O					
	GWNDD_CL_008: Principal Roads									M	H	H	H					
	GWNDD_HL_850: Arfon Plateau (North)														H			

Strategic LCA	Description
Gwynedd LCA 16: Menai Coast	Narrow coastal area running from DinasDinlle in the west to Bangor. Typified by a varied range of landscape types – woodland, educational, historic, nature conservation, commercial airfield. Varied landscape pattern reflecting land use. Overriding feature is visual and sensory influence of the sea – tides, wind, patterns of movement. Range of distinct boundary features. Excludes urban area of Caernarfon which is covered by the Conservation Area and World Heritage Site Designation. Area provides a setting to the Menai Straits as well as the Anglesey AONB, which lies on the opposite side of the water.

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LCA 7.5: Seiont Estuary Lowland Valley	GWNDD_VS_032: Caernarfon Estuary						M	H	H						HIGH	LOW	MEDIUM
	GWNDD_CL_019: Caernarfon Quays									O	O	H	O				
	GWNDD_HL_462: Arfon Plateau													H			