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**The common dog violet, heath dog violet and marsh violet are all food plants of the pearl-bordered fritillary and/or the small pearl-bordered fritillary.**

By locating areas with these species, together with a habitat type these species favour, it will provide valuable information on where these fritillaries may be present. Please fill out a new form for each separate area searched.

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| **Your name** |  | **Survey date** | Click to enter date. |
| **Site name** |  | **Time spent searching (mins)** |  |

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| 1. **Grid reference for site(6 figures)**
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| 1. **Habitat type**
 | [ ]  Woodland glade/clearing | OR | [ ]  Grassland with bracken/patches of scrub |
| 1. **Sub-type**
 | [ ]  Natural glade[ ]  Coppiced [ ]  Recently felled | [ ]  Dry grassland[ ]  Wet grassland[ ]  Bracken[ ]  Scrub |
| Dominant tree species (if known)Click to type here or choose. | Dominant scrub species (if known)Click to type here or choose. |
| 1. **Bracken cover of site**
 | [ ]  <10% | [ ]  10-50% | [ ]  >50% |
| 1. **Slope**
 | [ ]  Flat | [ ]  Gentle slope | [ ]  Steep slope |
| 1. **Aspect (if known, see survey guidance)**
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| 1. **Size of area searched (if unsure, see survey guidance for tips)**
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| 1. **Violet species**
 | [ ]  Common dog violet | [ ]  Heath dog violet | [ ]  Marsh violet |
| 1. **Number of plants seen (approx.)**
 | [ ]  <5 [ ]  5-10 [ ]  10-50 [ ]  >50 | [ ]  <5 [ ]  5-10 [ ]  10-50 [ ]  >50 | [ ]  <5 [ ]  5-10 [ ]  10-50 [ ]  >50 |

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| 1. **Butterflies seen and number**
 | Small pearl-bordered |  | Pearl-bordered |  | Fritillary, not sure which |  |
| 1. **Any other butterfly species seen**
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| 1. **Notes - please add any comments that would give useful information on the site**
 | E.g. Did you search along a footpath? Is it a busy/sunny/managed area?  |