

Botrychium lunaria, 1990-2023, at least 6 fig grid ref Best to Search: early June - late June

Yellow highlighting is for sites I favour visiting first

Site Name	Gridref	Date	Comment
Blackbushe	SU80345971	14-May-21	Searched all of the 8-figure grid references at Blackbushe without any joy, but did find a single plant near to one of them at SU80347 59715.
Yateley Common	SU80585934	18-Jun-17	One at SU80585 59341.
Yateley Common	SU80595933	18-Jun-17	10 plants at SU80592 59339.
Yateley Common	SU80595935	18-Jun-17	A large fruiting plant at SU80595 59359, one more at SU80597 59356 and two at SU80591 59355.
Yateley Common	SU80595936	18-Jun-17	Two groups of three plants each, c.1m apart, at SU80594 59362.
Yateley Common	SU80595937	18-Jun-17	17 plants at SU80595 59376, four at SU80594 59377 amongst <i>Pilosella officinalis</i> , most fruiting.
Blackbushe Airfield	SU80575939	17-Jun-16	17 plants at SU80577 59398.
Blackbushe Airfield	SU80585933	17-Jun-16	One plant at SU80583 59332.
Blackbushe Airfield	SU80585935	17-Jun-16	One plant at SU80585 59359.
Blackbushe Airfield	SU80595933	17-Jun-16	One plant at SU80590 59331 and one at SU80594 59330.
Blackbushe Airfield	SU80595934	17-Jun-16	One plant at SU80596 59346 and one at SU80590 59347.
Blackbushe Airfield	SU803597	07-Jun-13	Four plants in a very tight group at SU80352 59700 where refound a few days ago by Tony Mundell.
Blackbushe Airfield	SU805593	07-Jun-13	Three at SU80591 59368 plus eight within a small area at SU80590 59339 and three at SU80505 59316.
Blackbushe Airfield	SU806592	07-Jun-13	Six together and two nearby at SU80605 59288 near stand of Broom. Also five at SU80603 59283 near lone Broom bush.
Blackbushe Airfield	SU803597	04-Jun-13	Four plants in a tight group at SU80352 59700 plus three nearby at SU80354 59707, all confined to the shortest vegetation with abundant <i>Pilosella officinarum</i> .
Blackbushe Airfield	SU805593	04-Jun-13	Groups of 3 and 4 fruiting plants 1.5m apart at SU80599 59365 confined to the shortest vegetation with abundant <i>Pilosella officinarum</i> .
Blackbushe Airfield	SU806591	04-Jun-13	Two fruiting plants at SU80611 59172, confined to the shortest vegetation with abundant <i>Pilosella officinarum</i> .
Micheldever Spoil Heaps	SU519444	02-Jun-02	Single plant.
Blackbushe Airfield	SU809592	26-May-97	Eight fronds located, scattered c.SU809592. Much of the former grassland has become gorse thicket or mature heather. Much remaining grassland is too rank. [On 6 Jun 1998 and 28 May 2004 CRH searched briefly within SU8059, but none were refound]. [10 former sites at Blackbushe searched by Peter Scott unsuccessfully on 8 May 2012. This one inaccessible close to a working runway but closely mown].
Blackbushe Airfield	SU807595	15-Jun-94	Much scarcer now and difficult to locate. Gorse has increased and there is a policy of mowing parts of the grassland with the mowings not collected. Three ferns at c.SU807595. This was a brief visit to part of the site only. [On 6 Jun 1998 and 28 May 2004 CRH searched briefly within SU8059, but none were refound]. [10 former sites at Blackbushe searched by Peter Scott unsuccessfully on 8 May 2012. 'The vegetation here is now dense'].

I have omitted Farnborough Airfield records as access is difficult to arrange.