



## Open data access agreement (for the International Swan Census)

These terms and conditions relate to how the data you submit to WWT will be used and shared with the other GSMP Partners (JNCC and SNH), BirdWatch Ireland, the Irish Swan Study Group and external users.

These conditions only apply to the scientific data you provide and exclude any personal data. For further information about what comprises personal data, please see the [GSMP Privacy Policy](#) and [BirdWatch Ireland's Privacy Policy](#).

Agreeing to these conditions applies to any records you have or will submit, in whatever format they have been submitted (e.g. online, on paper or by email).

- You agree for WWT, the other GSMP partners, BirdWatch Ireland and the Irish Whooper Swan Study Group to use your records for any purpose, including conservation, education and research (excluding personal data).
- You agree that records you have submitted may be shared at the discretion of the respective organisations, including under the [Open Government Licence](#) (OGL) (excludes personal data) as follows:
  - For records submitted for sites in Britain, by WWT and the other GSMP Partners.
  - For records submitted for sites in the Republic of Ireland, by BirdWatch Ireland.
  - For records submitted for sites in Northern Ireland, by the Irish Whooper Swan Study Group and the other GSMP Partners

*Under the OGL users are free to copy, publish, distribute and transmit the Information; adapt the Information; exploit the Information commercially and non-commercially for example, by combining it with other Information, or by including it in their own product or application. Users must acknowledge the source of the Information.*

- You confirm that if you are or have been submitting records on behalf of someone else then they have also agreed that their records may be shared in the same manner.
- You accept that whilst every effort is made to ensure that records held by WWT are correct, WWT, the other GSMP Partners, BirdWatch Ireland and the Irish Whooper Swan Study Group cannot accept responsibility for any errors in the data provided.
- You accept that WWT, the other GSMP Partners, BirdWatch Ireland and the Irish Whooper Swan Study Group cannot be held responsible for any misuse or misinterpretation of these data.