

WOODHEAD FARM

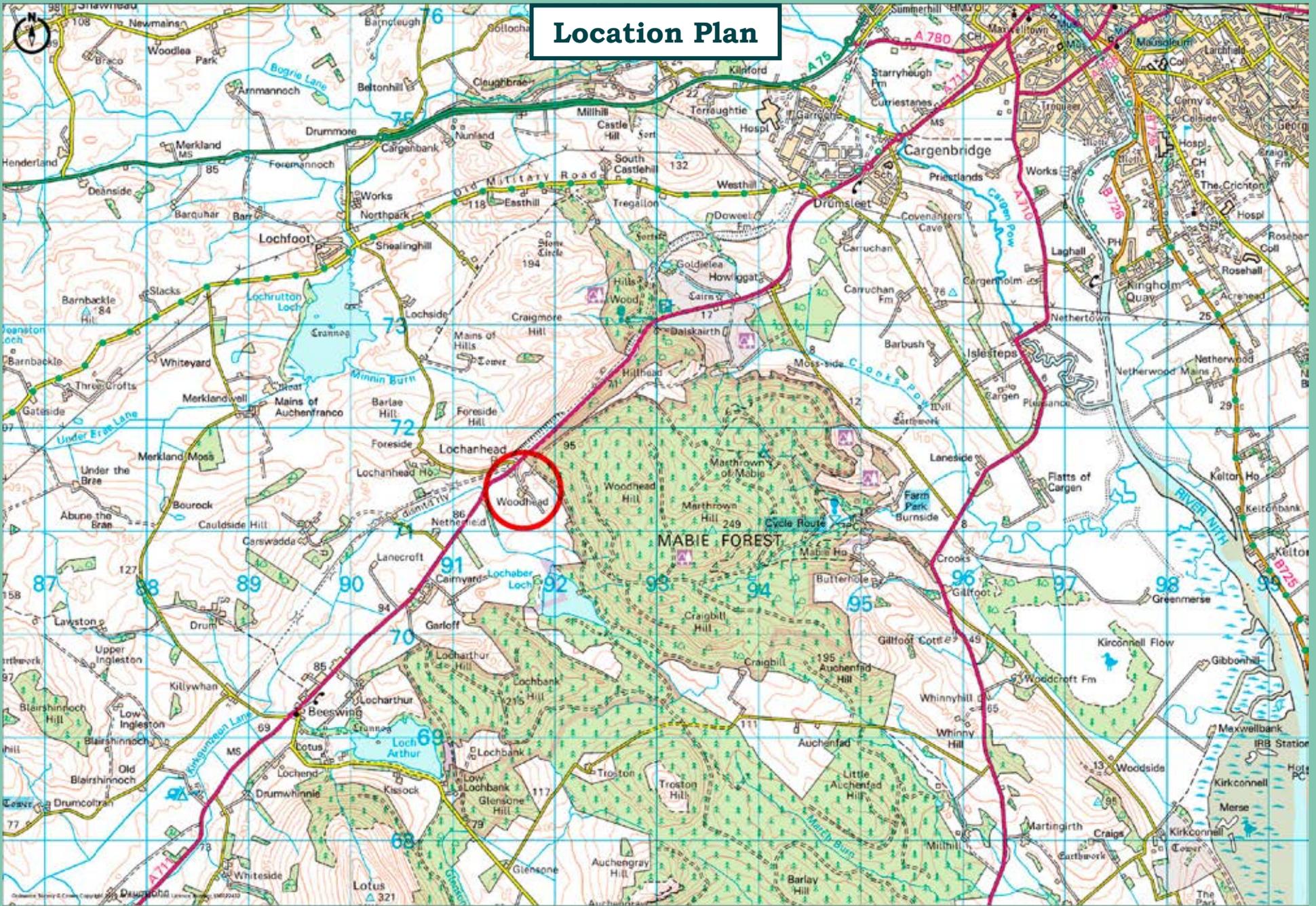
Lochanhead, Dumfries, DG2 8JA



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LAND / ESTATE AGENTS
VALUERS & RURAL CONSULTANTS

Location Plan



WOODHEAD FARM

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Dumfries 3.5 miles, Carlisle 36 miles, Glasgow 80 miles

A HIGHLY PRODUCTIVE DAIRY FARM WITH EXCEPTIONAL SECOND DWELLING CONVENIENTLY LOCATED WITHIN A STUNNING AREA OF DUMFRIES & GALLOWAY

- FIVE BEDROOM FARMHOUSE
- WESTWOOD HOUSE (ARCHITECT DESIGNED)
- 14/14 HERRINGBONE PARLOUR (INTERNALS RECENTLY RENEWED)
- MODERN AND TRADITIONAL STEADING (CUBICLES FOR 150)
- RECENTLY ESTABLISHED EQUESTRIAN LIVERY ENTERPRISE
- RING FENCED FARM
- PRODUCTIVE ARABLE AND GRASSLAND
- BASIC PAYMENT (89.68 REGION 1)
- FARMHOUSE EPC RATING – F26
- WESTWOOD HOUSE EPC RATING – F39

IN ALL ABOUT 237.51 ACRES (96.12 HA)

FOR SALE PRIVATELY AS A WHOLE

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INTRODUCTION

Woodhead Farm is situated off the A711 some 3½ miles west of Dumfries. Woodhead Farm is an exceptional dairy farm, benefitting from not only a traditional farmhouse but an architect designed four-bedroom secondary dwelling, along with modern and traditional farm steading incorporating a 14/14 Herringbone parlour, range of young stock buildings and a fairly recently established equestrian livery which utilises the traditional courtyard. The property benefits from both mains and private water supplies.

The land is in a ring fence with about 225 acres of agricultural land. The agricultural land is down to grass or forage crops for grazing and conservation (silage or hay), with the land also being capable of growing a wide range of cereal and other forage crops.

The farm is conveniently located not far from the regional centre of Dumfries, which provides all essential services within the busy market town. The town boasts all essential and professional services, along with three retail parks, an ice rink, and a University Campus. Dumfries offers a wide choice of both primary and secondary schooling with the Crichton University Campus offering a wide variety of further education choices.

Communications to the area are good with the property lying in close proximity to the main A75 Euro Route, which provides quick access from the south via the M6 & M74. Cairnryan, the ferry link with Northern Ireland is a little over an hour's drive via the A75. The international airports of Glasgow & Edinburgh are within a one and a half hour drive. There are mainline railway stations at both Dumfries and Lockerbie.

This area of Southwest Scotland enjoys one of the most varied and picturesque landscapes within Scotland, ranging from the moorland of the Southern Upland Hills to the bays and sandy beaches of the distinctive coastline. This is a rural county where agriculture and tourism thrive to form the backbone of the local economy. The area has been relatively unscathed by modern industry.

The region is well-known for the quality and variety of both field sports and leisure activities with the outdoor and sporting enthusiast extremely well-catered for as there exists the ability to take both shooting and fishing locally. Given the diverse landscape along with the proximity to the coast and local lochs, the area offers unique walks, sailing, cycling and for the golfer there is an abundance of good local courses with the region boasting no fewer than twenty-nine courses.

DIRECTIONS

As indicated on the location plan, which forms part of these particulars.

METHOD OF SALE

The property is offered for sale by private treaty as a whole.

GUIDE PRICE

Offers for Woodhead are sought in excess of: **£2,000,000**

VIEWING

By appointment with the sole selling agents:

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PARTICULARS OF SALE

WOODHEAD FARMHOUSE

This traditional farmhouse occupies an elevated site within its own garden grounds adjacent to the farmyard. The property is of traditional construction and a floor plan is included within these particulars for ease of reference.

The property offers five bedroomed family accommodation over two floors, very briefly comprising:

GROUND FLOOR

- **Entrance Porch**
- **Central Hallway**
With stairs off to first floor.
- **Living Room**
With bay window and multi-fuel stove.



- **Dining Room**
With bay window.



- **Rear Hallway**
With built-in cupboards.
- **Utility Room**
- **Kitchen**
Fully fitted with oil fired Rayburn, built-in oven and hob
- **Shower Room**
- **Office**
- **Former Walk-in Larder**

FIRST FLOOR

- **Double Bedroom 1**
- **Double Bedroom 2**



- **Central Hallway**
- **Double Bedroom 3**
- **Double Bedroom 4**
- **Double Bedroom 5 / Dressing Room**



- **Family Bathroom**
- **Stairs to Two Attic Rooms**

SERVICES

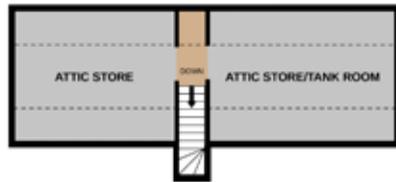
- Oil fired central heating system
- Mains electricity
- Private drainage
- The telephone line is installed subject to the normal BT regulations.

OUTSIDE

The farmhouse enjoys its own dedicated garden grounds to the front, benefitting from open views.

2ND FLOOR

WOODHEAD FARMHOUSE



1ST FLOOR



GROUND FLOOR



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WESTWOOD HOUSE

Westwood House occupies a commanding position with stunning views and is located within its own generous garden grounds away from the working farm. This architect designed property was granted planning permission subject to an occupancy restriction, whereby the occupants should be employed within agriculture, forestry or horticulture or be the dependants thereof. The accommodation very briefly comprises:



GROUND FLOOR

- **Rear Entrance Hallway**
Door off to integral garage, which houses the boiler and utility room.
- **Cloakroom**
With WC & WHB.
- **Kitchen/Dining Room**
With fully fitted floor and wall units incorporating oven, hob and cooker hood
Floored with parquet flooring.



- **Graperly / Sun Room**
With tiled floor, doors off to garden grounds.



- **Lounge**
With LPG gas fire set in feature fireplace, stepping down into office / hobby area, double doors to family room / music room and door to front hallway .



- **Dining Room / Family Room**
With doors off to large conservatory and to side garden..
- **Conservatory**
Of UPVC construction with doors to garden grounds.
- **Front Entrance Hallway**
Stairs of to first floor.

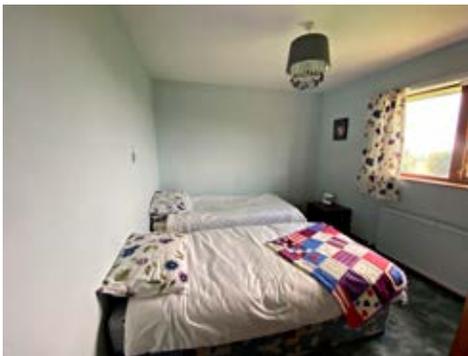


FIRST FLOOR

- **Upper Hallway**
With built-in cupboards.
- **Master Suite (En-Suite)**
With balcony, built-in wardrobes, en-suite off.
- **En-Suite**
With jacuzzi bath, underfloor heating, WC, WHB & bidet.



- **Family Bathroom**
With large free-standing shower, WC & WHB.
- **Double Bedroom 2**
With built-in wardrobes.
- **Single Bedroom 3**
- **Double Bedroom 4**
With Built-in wardrobes.



SERVICES

- Biomass central heating system
- Mains electricity
- Private drainage
- The telephone line is installed subject to the normal BT regulations.

WOOD HOUSE

1ST FLOOR



GROUND FLOOR



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WOODHEAD FARM STEADING

The steading buildings are a mixture of modern and traditional construction and house the dairy herd and young stock, with the traditional buildings being adapted to a 15 stable livery. The steading in more detail, briefly comprises:

- **Traditional Hay Shed**
- **Slatted Shed**
High level houses up to 80 cattle.
- **Collinson Feed Bin**
- **Silage Clamp 1**
With concrete walls and effluent tank.
- **Two Molasses Tanks**
- **Livestock Shed**
Of steel portal construction with calving box and calf housing, hot water boiler.
- **Dairy Complex**
With 14/14 Herringbone milking parlour recently refurbished with new ATL internals and samplers, in-parlour feeders, dairy house with 8,000 litre Fulwood tank, separate ice builder, two stage plate cooler, two stage dump line.
- **Cubicle Sheds**
With slatted tank, central feed passage and 150 cubicles c/w automatic scrapers..
- **Recently Constructed Outside Feed Area**
With slatted tank.
- **Two Slurry Stores**
1,000,000 litre capacity.
- **Traditional Courtyard Steading**
Recently adapted to house 15 stables, tack room, feed store and horse shower.
- **Equestrian Arena**
20m x 40m, drainage laid in and sub-base laid and only requires surfacing.
- **Static Caravan**
With services.





THE LAND

Woodhead Farm extends in total to about 237.51 acres (96.12 Ha), including the areas occupied by the farmhouse, Westwood House, steading, yards, access roads, loch, etc. The holding features 14 specific field enclosures, which are currently all down to grass for grazing and conservation (silage).

The land is classified as predominantly yield class 4¹ of the Macaulay Institute for Soil Research (Land Capability Study), as produced by the James Hutton Institute. The farm is self-sufficient in home grown forage and capable of any type of livestock production or cropping.

The farm also benefits from part of Lochaber Loch and as such enhances its sporting potential.



BASIC PAYMENT ENTITLEMENTS – IACS / SAF

The whole of the agricultural land has been allocated payment region 1. We are advised that the vendors are active farmers (as currently defined under EU Regulation 1307/2013 and the Scottish Statutory Instrument 2014/58). We are further informed that the sellers completed an IACS/SAF submission 2021 (a copy of which can be made available for inspection from the sole selling agents during normal office hours).

Woodhead Farm benefits from 89.68 units of region 1 entitlements with an illustrative unit value of €160.66 (Euros). The sellers will use their best endeavours to complete the necessary documentation to transfer any and all established Basic Payment Entitlements.

For the avoidance of doubt any such payments already applied for prior to the completion date, will be retained by the sellers, i.e. the 2021 Basic Payment and 2021 greening payment.

The purchaser upon occupation of the subjects of sale will be required and be responsible to comply with the statutory management requirements and good agricultural and environmental conditions, as laid down within the cross-compliance documentation 2021, this obligation expires on 31st December 2021.



MATTERS OF TITLE

The subjects are sold under the conditions in the title and any existing burdens (rights of way, rights of access, servitudes etc whether public or private, and whether constituted in the title deeds or not). The purchaser(s) will be held to have satisfied themselves as to the nature of such burdens and are advised to contact the vendors' solicitor, **Turcan Connell**, for a definitive list of burdens subject to which the property is sold.

COUNCIL TAX

Woodhead Farmhouse: Band E

Westwood House: Band F

APPORTIONMENT

The Council Tax and any other outgoings shall be apportioned between the vendor and the purchaser at the date of entry.

INGOING

The purchaser shall, in addition to the purchase price, be bound to take over any remaining clamped or baled silage, straw, fuel, etc. Any valuation required will be carried out by Threave Rural Ltd. whose opinion will be final and binding to both vendor and purchaser.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Woodhead Farm is at present run as a highly productive dairy unit. The potential purchaser(s) may be afforded the opportunity to take over the dairy herd and other live and dead stock at valuation. Further details can be obtained from the vendor or sole selling agent.

WARRANTY CLAUSE

Whilst the heating system and the services are believed to be in good working order, no warranty is granted or to be implied and the purchaser(s) will be held to have satisfied themselves in that regard.

MINERAL & SPORTING RIGHTS

Insofar as these rights form part of the property's title they are included in this sale at no additional charge.

ENTRY & VACANT POSSESSION

At a date to be mutually agreed.

OFFERS (Closing Date)

Offers must be submitted in proper Scottish legal terms to **Threave Rural, The Rockcliffe Suite, The Old Exchange, Castle Douglas, DG7 1TJ**. A closing date for offers may be fixed and prospective purchaser(s) are advised to register their interest with the sole selling agents following inspection. The vendors do however reserve the right to sell the property without fixing a closing date or prior to the closing date. For those unfamiliar with the Scottish system the sole selling agents will be pleased to offer guidance and explain the procedure.

DEPOSIT

A 10% deposit of the purchase price will be payable to the vendor's solicitors at conclusion of the missives. This deposit will be Non-returnable in the event of the purchaser failing to complete the sale for any reason not attributable to the vendor or their agents. The balance of the purchase price is payable on the date of entry and interest at 5% above the Royal Bank of Scotland base rate will be charged on any balance of the payment from the date of entry until paid.



GENERALLY

Should there be any discrepancy between these particulars, the general remarks and information and the missives of sale, the latter shall prevail.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Threave Rural for themselves and for the Vendors of this property, whose agents they are, give notice that:

1. These particulars do not form, nor form any part of, any offer or contract. Any contract relating to the sale of the property shall only be capable of being entered into by the Sellers' Solicitors.
2. These particulars are intended to give a fair description of the property, but Threave Rural nor the vendors, accept any responsibility for any error they may contain, however caused. Any intending purchaser must, therefore, satisfy himself by inspection or otherwise as to their correctness.
3. No person in the employment of Threave Rural has any authority to make or give representation or warranty whatever in relation to this property nor is any such representation or warranty given whether by Threave Rural or the Vendors of this property.
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6. Any areas, measurements or distances are approximate. The text, photographs and plans are for guidance only and are not necessarily comprehensive. It should not be assumed that the property has all necessary planning, building regulation or other consents. The purchaser must satisfy themselves by inspection or otherwise.
7. These particulars have been prepared in good faith and accordance with the Property Misdescriptions Act 1991 to give a fair overall view of the property. If any points are particularly relevant to your interest in the property, please ask for further information/verification. Prospective purchaser should note, however, that descriptions of the property are subjective and are used in good faith as an opinion and not as a statement of fact. Please make further specific enquiries to ensure that our descriptions are likely to match your expectations of the property.

Particulars prepared September 2021

Field Number	Area (Ha)	Region or Description
1	5.38	1
2	17.92	1
3	2.13	1
4	7.91	1
5	2.23	1
6	3.27	1
7	13.86	1
8	0.99	1
9	11.80	1
10	0.21	1
11	3.19	1
12	7.71	1
13	10.50	1
14	4.69	1
A	1.11 ESTIMATE	ROADS YARDS & BUILDINGSS
B	0.12 ESTIMATE	WESTWOOD HOUSE
C	3.10 ESTIMATE	ROADS & SOLUM OF PART OF LOCH
Total: 96.12 Ha (237.51 Acres)		

Disclaimer

While the sole agents have made every effort to verify the extent of the land, no warranty is given that the advertised acreage of about **96.12 Ha (237.51 Acres)** is precise and the purchaser or his agents will be deemed to have satisfied themselves regarding the extent of the property, by inspection of the farm and examination of the titles.

BPS Entitlement on Eligible Land Claimed 2021

Region 1 – 89.68 units (Indicative Value 2021 **€160.66** (Euros))

Sale Plan

