This relatively small SAC of 249ha is selected for the habitat [7130] Blanket bogs (* if active bog) that covers about 170ha, or 68% of the site. It’s a good example of an upland blanket bog which resembles raised bog by virtue of its domed profile. The surface is largely intact and ecologically valuable for its topography including hummocks, hollows and systems of large pools and concentric tear pools. It supports a wide range of plant species, and a well-developed bryophyte and lichen flora.