
Site no.: Q1

Site name: Loch an Duin Breach

Grid reference: [NN 72414 80417]

Locality: Loch an Duin and adjacent An Dun, Gaick Forest

GCR Status: N/A

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Type: Landform assemblage

Description: The glen occupied by Loch an Duin is a major glacial breach through the main east-west watershed of the Grampian Highlands, whereas the slopes of the mountain to the west, An Dun, have been affected by many Rock Slope Failures

Justification: The Loch an Duin Breach is a good example of a glacial breach and it, together with related features, are important in the study of long-term landscape evolution of the Grampian Highlands. An Dun and surrounding hills boast excellent examples of rock slope failures and tension cracks.

[References](#)