

# Buy statutory biodiversity credits



Are you buying as an:

Individual – **complete section 1**

Organisation – **complete section 2**

We will need your information to give to our third-party supplier. They will use this information to carry out customer due diligence checks. These are to check you are who you say you are and assess any risk of money laundering.

## Section 1 - Your information

Give us your details if you're buying as an individual.

| **First name**

| **Middle name** (optional)

| **Last name**

| **Email address**

| **Mobile telephone number**  
(including area code)

| **Landline telephone number** (optional)  
(including area code)

| **Date of birth** DD/MM/YYYY

| **Address**

This must be your home address.

| **Building name or number**

| **Address line 1**

| **Address line 2**

| **Town or City**

| **County** (optional)

| **Post code**

| **What is your nationality?**

To help us with our customer due diligence checks, we need to know your nationality, or nationalities. You can choose up to four nationalities.

Both of your parents could have dual nationalities. For example, your father is French and Swiss, and your mother is German and Belgian.

## Section 2 - Organisation information

Give us details of the person completing the form so we can contact you if we need more information.

| **Your full name**

| **Your email address**

| **Your phone number**

| **Your role in organisation**

| **Organisation name**

This should be the registered organisation name on Companies House or the charity register.

| **Organisation type**

For example, LLP, PLC, trust, registered charity

| **Date of incorporation** DD/MM/YYYY

This must be the date on Companies House.  
(if you have one)

| **Organisation mobile number** (optional)

| **Organisation landline** (optional)

| **Organisation registration number**

For example, company's registration number or charity number

| **Organisation email address** (optional)

## Address

This must be the organisation's address as registered on Companies House or charity register.

**Building name or number**

**Address line 1**

**Address line 2**

**Town or City**

**County (optional)**

**Post code**

## Development project information

Use your statutory biodiversity metric calculation tool to complete this section.

**Project name (optional)**

**Planning reference**

**Local planning authority**

## How many credits

Using your statutory biodiversity metric calculation tool, tell us how many credits you'd like to buy. This will be shown on the 'Unit shortfall summary' tab. This must be an exact copy from your statutory biodiversity metric calculation tool. You must also send your statutory biodiversity metric calculation tool with your application form.

Before you buy, you can also check the price of each tier using the [statutory credits price list](#).

<b>Tier</b>	<b>Number of credits</b> (Only enter up to 2 decimal places)	<b>Tier</b>	<b>Number of credits</b> (Only enter up to 2 decimal places)
<b>A1</b>		<b>A5</b>	
<b>A2</b>		<b>H</b>	
<b>A3</b>		<b>W</b>	
<b>A4</b>			

## Payment

If you pass the customer due diligence checks, we will send you an email with a proforma invoice with how much you need to pay. The individual or organisation completing this form must make the payment.

If you're buying as an organisation, you can give us your purchase order number, if you have one for your internal accounting processes.

| **Purchase order number**

## Declaration

By signing this declaration, I confirm that:

- the information I have given is true to the best of my knowledge and belief
- I have read and understood the [terms and conditions](#)

| **Name**

| **Date** DD/MM/YYYY

| **Signature** (type your name)

## What happens next

Save this form and send it to [bngcredits@naturalengland.org.uk](mailto:bngcredits@naturalengland.org.uk). In your email attach your statutory biodiversity metric calculation tool.

A third-party supplier will carry out the customer due diligence checks. These are to check you are who you say you are and to carry out anti-money laundering checks. We aim to contact you within 4 weeks of receiving your order to tell you if you've passed the initial checks. If more checks are needed, we will let you know. This could take up to 8 weeks in total.

If you have passed, we will send you a proforma invoice with instructions on how to pay. If you do not pass the checks, we will cancel your credit order.

Give feedback on this application form by [completing a short survey](#).

### **Natural England's personal information charter**

Our [personal information charter](#) explains more about your rights over your personal data.

### **Using and sharing your data**

The Data Controller is Natural England. You can [find more information on how we process your personal information](#).

### **Your rights**

Find out about your individual rights under the [General Data Protection Regulation \(GDPR\), the Data Protection Act 2018](#).

### **Complaints**

You have the right to [make a complaint](#) to the Information Commissioner's Office at any time.