

Scottish Fields Database, Extended in 2024

Disclaimer

Pilots use at their discretion. No guarantees any of these are landable and no responsibility taken for their use. Some selected from aerial photos and maps, not visited. Where orientation is shown, field may be sloped and only landable in certain wind conditions.

Source of Data

There are 3 sources:

1. The scottish landouts available at the SGC website, *Scot_Fields_04_20v1.cup*. Names are A01, B01, C01 format.
 - A - could be an airfield
 - B - landable, some risk of damage
 - C - Challenging, landable if you're current and with favourable conditions but glider damage likely
 - Z - in the original data base were not visited, apparently all the others were at some point
2. Jack Stevens landouts folder - Steve Kenyon-Roberts has checked against map and satellite images and put a brief summary of his notes into the file, supplemented by his observations. Point names all start with J. Jack either flew over or visited on the ground all of these and there are photos in the black folder in the Aboyne clubhouse.
3. Steve KR's land-outs. Locations identified by Steve. Steve says, "Checked on map and satellite images. Some checked either from the air or on foot, most haven't been, although I've been to more than is indicated in the notes. I give lengths and orientation where I can in the file. If it says for example 360 as the orientation, you would have to land from the south due to slope or terrain. Don't try that in a howling southerly! classified as A, B or C in the same way as the Scottish land-out file but as most haven't been visited these should be treated with caution. However, I took a punt at classifying as obviously landable through difficult using A,B, C, but using for example A101, B101, C101 as the name to differentiate them."

These sources are combined into the file *Scot_Fields_2024.cup*.