

Feature codes used with Significant Habitats and Species Mapping.

species at risk:	Species protected by the Nova Scotia Endangered Species Act. See http://www.gov.ns.ca/natr/wildlife/endngrd/specieslist.htm Species protected by the Species at Risk Act or species listed by the Committee on the Status of Endangered Wildlife in Canada. See http://www.speciesatrisk.gc.ca/default_e.cfm
of concern:	Other species of conservation concern. Usually these have been assigned a provincial status of Red or Yellow. See http://www.gov.ns.ca/natr/wildlife/genstatus/
deer wintering:	A site important for wintering deer.
freshwater:	Habitat for freshwater organisms other than the species mentioned above.
moose wintering:	Only used in Cape Breton, because the mainland moose are a species at risk.
migratory bird:	Habitat for migratory birds other than the species mentioned above
ecological site:	Usually a site listed in “Atlas of Nova Scotia’s Nature Reserves and Sites of Ecological Significance”.
rare plant:	Usually a plant with indeterminate status, that is, one whose status is still under review.
other habitat:	Any other significant wildlife habitat.