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Lombardy poplar	Populus niga
Spotted knapweed	Centaurea maculosa
White and vellow sweet clovers	Coronilla varia/Vicia cracca

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