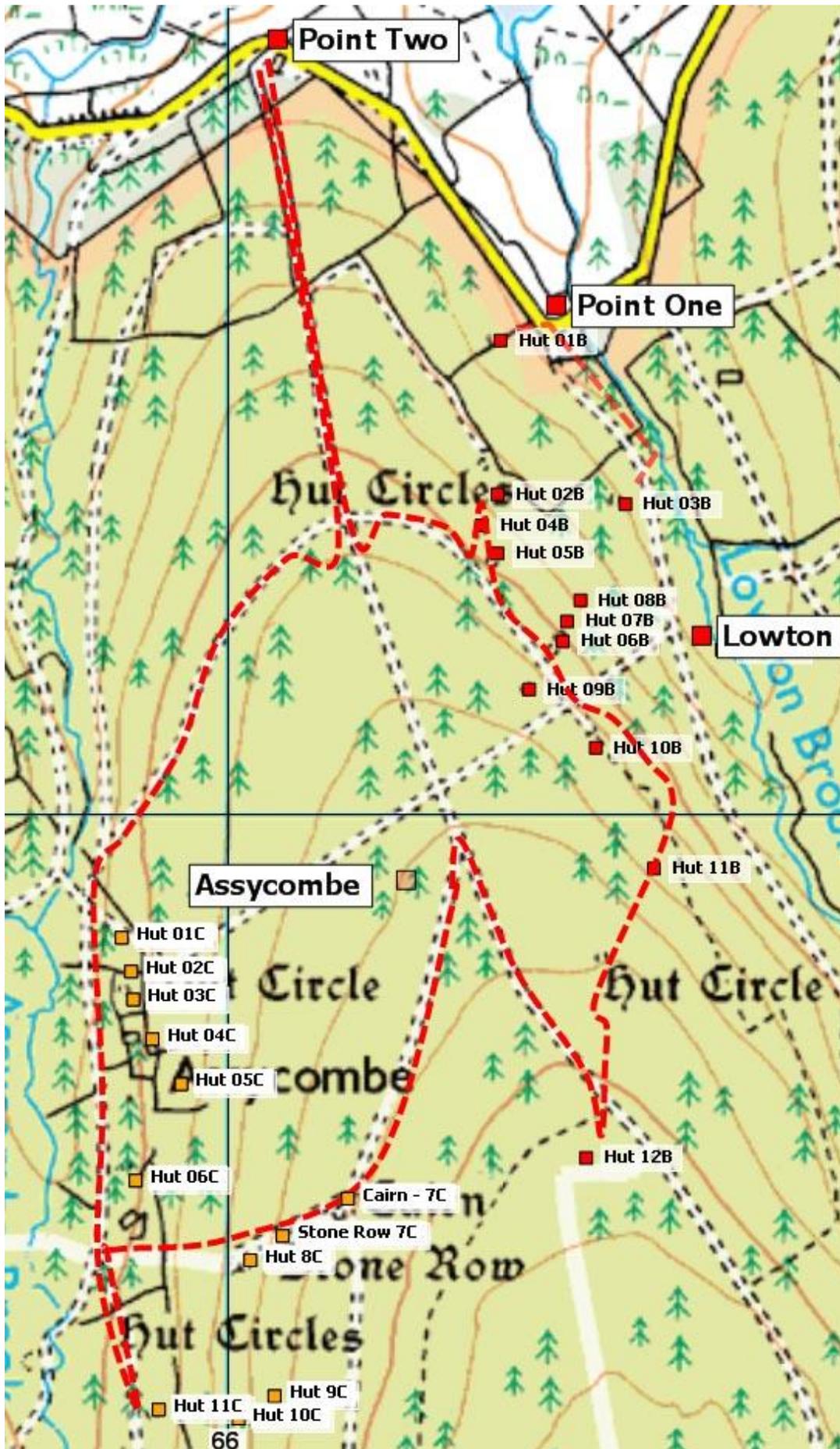
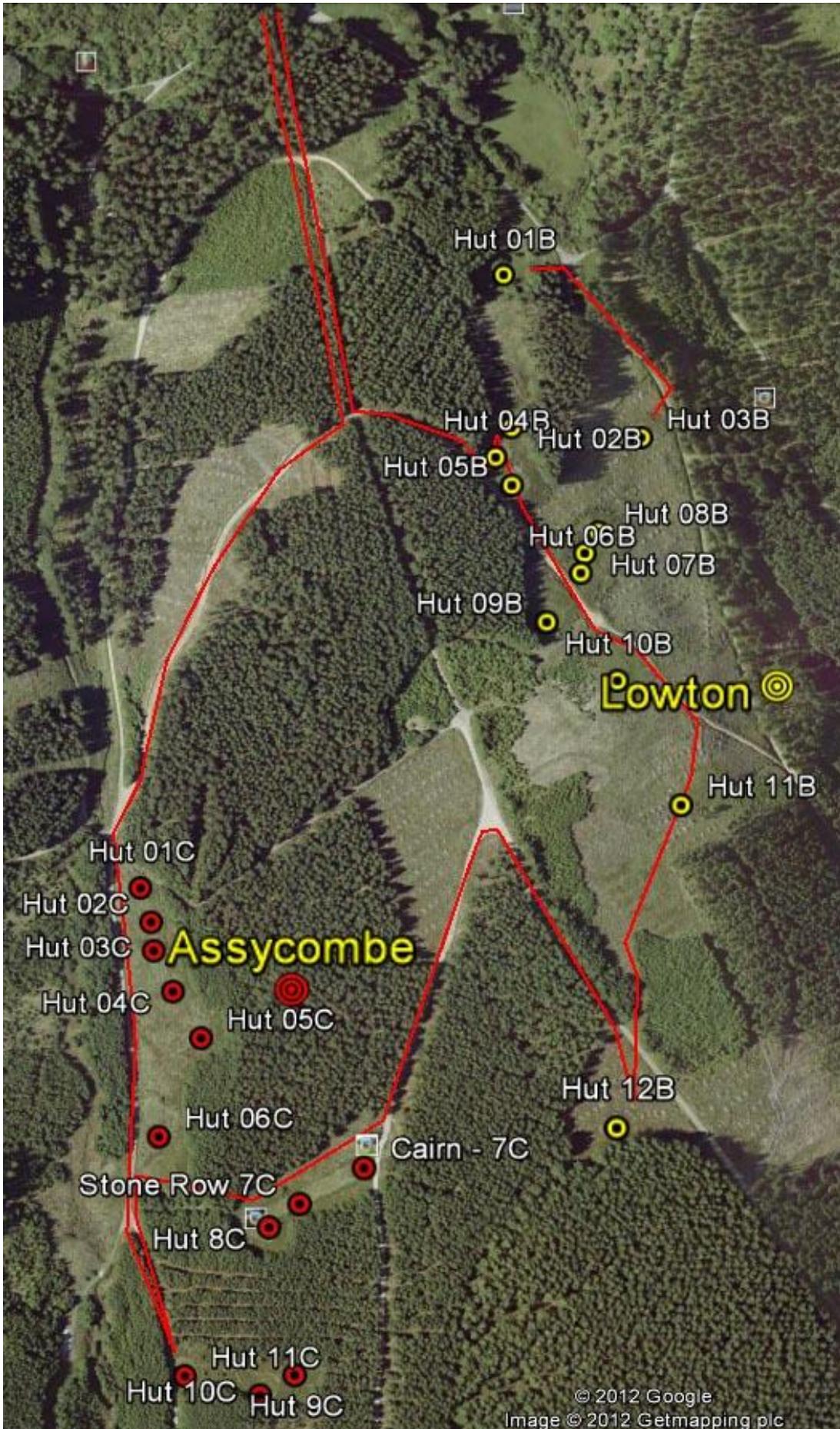


Assycombe and Lowton Villages

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Many might think that only two are worth seeing. Hut 1B and the Stone Row 7C. Look at the pictures on the website and decide for yourself.

If you want the short route and just see the best two sites, stop at point one and look at hut circle 1B. Then go on to Point Two. Take the fairly straight route up through the forest for half a mile until you come to a fork. Take the right fork and you will soon come to the stone row. Job done.

The full route is more complicated. Arriving at the forest, drive past the entrance to the car park and stop on the first sharp right hand bend at SX66292 83440

A quick look around will reveal the first - and best - hut circle. Go 100 metres up the hill to look at it and then return to car. Walk 200 yards SSE up the lane to hut 02B.

Return to car and drive 400 yards NW to the large shed and park. On the other side of the shed join the track to the woods. Follow this south up the hill for 440 yards and take what should be the second turn on the left.

Follow the track around for about 220 yards until the trees clear. Then leave the track heading north for about 20 yards to see huts 2, 4, and 5.

Return to the track and continue south East for about 100 yards to see huts 6, 7, and 8 on the left. Ten yards more and hut 9B is on the right. A further 50 yards brings you to hut 10B and 60 yards more brings you to a rough fork on the right. Follow this up the hill 20 yards south to see hut 11B. From hut 11B walk about 250 yards SW to a clearing. Going through takes you back on to a track and just opposite is Hut 12B.

Now take the track NW for about 250 yards and turn sharp left at the junction. Follow this SSW for about 340 yards to see the stone row. You are now in Assycombe.

From the eastern end of the row there is a track through the trees for about 140 yards. Emerging from the trees there is a forked road on the left. Take the left fork for 140 yards and on the left are huts 9, 10, and 11.

Return northwards back towards and past the junction for 350 yards to see huts 1C to 6C.

Follow this track for about 1000 yards northwards and downhill to get back to the starting point.