



**Orchard Farm, South Perrott,  
Beaminster, Dorset, DT8 3HU**

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## Description

**For Sale by Auction on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> August 2025 at 12 midday at The Royal Bath and West Showground and via Livestream.**

Orchard Farm is an attractively located ring-fenced agricultural property, which is situated within the Dorset Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty. The property comprises a bungalow (subject to AOC), range of outbuildings, together with pastureland; in total, extending to approximately 7.97 acres. Previously operated as a small holding, to which it is extremely well-suited. The land comprises a slightly acidic loam and clay type soil, enclosed by a mixture of hedgerows, stock-proof fencing and ditches. The adaptability of the property is complemented by farm buildings, which do require maintenance and repair in part, but offer potential for either agricultural use or alternative use e.g. equestrian, holiday lets etc. subject to the necessary planning consents.

## Planning

The dwelling is subject to an Agricultural Occupancy Condition (AOC) which restricts occupancy to individuals employed/last employed within agriculture, along with their dependents. A Certificate of Lawful Use or Development was granted by West Dorset District Council on 15<sup>th</sup> March 1999 in relation to the occupation of the dwelling by a non-agricultural worker. A copy of the consent is available on request. Interested parties are advised to make their own investigations and to satisfy themselves with regard to any planning related enquires.

## Location

Situated on the rural outskirts of the village of South Perrott, with far-reaching views, not only over its own land, but also the adjoining countryside. South Perrott is a traditional unspoilt village surrounded by beautiful Dorset countryside. The village has a thriving community spirit and is easily accessible to many larger settlements including Yeovil, Crewkerne, Bridport and Dorchester, all of which are within commuting distance. The scholastic facilities are plentiful, with Perrott Hill Prep School, Parrett and Axe C of E Primary School, Maiden Beech Academy and Beaminster School within the locality.

Major communications are within easy reach; the A303 is within a short drive, providing access throughout the south-west. Mainline railway stations are situated at Yeovil and Crewkerne. Exeter Airport is within a 55 minute drive, operating regular flights to many countries.

## Dwelling

A well-proportioned woolaway bungalow with cavity wall extensions, which is approached from the highway via a sweeping driveway. The dwelling requires a programme of modernisation and improvement throughout and once completed, would provide a comfortable family home. Alternatively, there may be an opportunity to replace or further extend the dwelling, subject to obtaining the relevant planning consents. With reference to the floor plan enclosed, provides three bedrooms and ample living areas. The dwelling is principally surrounded by gardens laid to lawn and interspersed with trees, numerous outbuildings and pastureland.

## Buildings

1. Garage (30.31m<sup>2</sup>) – Concrete block/timber clad elevations under box profile clad roof. 2no. roller shutter doors (electric)
2. Store (27.93) – timber clad with box profile clad roof.
3. Stable (33.76) – timber clad.
3. Oil Tank
4. Workshop (108.7m<sup>2</sup>) – Concrete block/timber clad elevations. Asbestos/corrugated iron clad roof.
5. Covered Yard (292.69m<sup>2</sup>) – Timber/steel portal frame. Concrete block/timber clad elevations. Corrugated iron clad roof.
6. Fodder Barn (163.56m<sup>2</sup>) – Timber frame with corrugated iron clad roof. Open elevations.

## Land

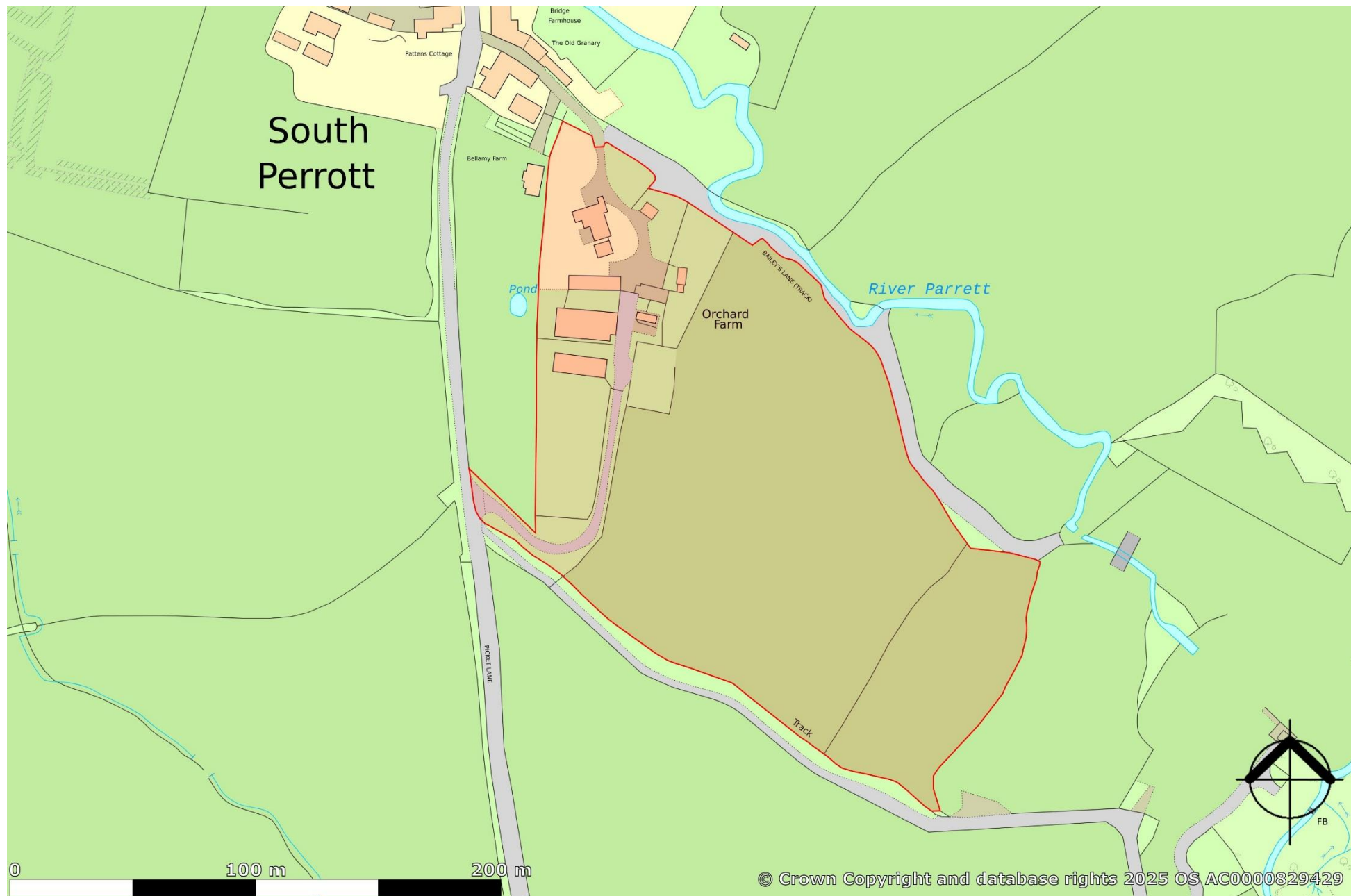
Level to gently undulating in topography and enclosed by natural hedges and stock-proof fencing, which provide useful sized enclosures. Currently laid to pasture, with potential for an arable rotation.



**GROUND FLOOR**  
APPROX. 120.8 SQ. METRES (1299.8 SQ. FEET)





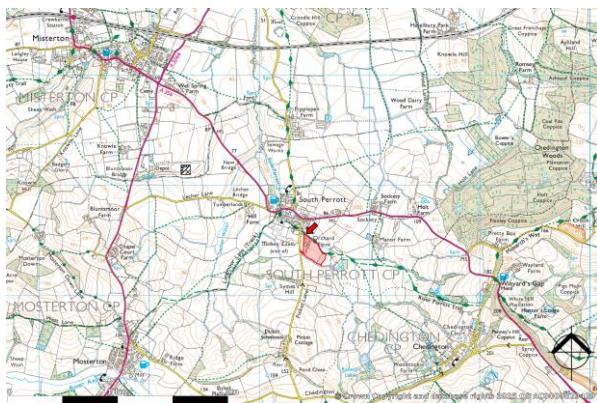








Score	Energy rating	Current	Potential
92+	A		93 A
81-91	B		
69-80	C		
55-68	D		
39-54	E	42 E	
21-38	F		
1-20	G		



### Fixture and Fittings

A number of fixture and fittings which are currently on site will not be included within the sale and will be removed prior to completion. A fixture and fittings schedule will be included within the auction legal pack.

### Designations

Situated within the Dorset AONB. Not situated within a Nitrate Vulnerable Zone (NVZ) or SSSI. The Property is not Listed.

### Uplift / overage clause

None.

### Other Schemes

The land is not subject to any environmental or countryside stewardship schemes.

### Footpaths and Rights of Way

Not subject to any public footpaths, but subject to a permissive footpath abutting the northern boundary. Further details of any other rights of way (if applicable) will be contained within the auction legal pack.

### Services

We understand mains water (2no. separate meters), electricity and drainage are connected. Potential purchasers are advised to make their own enquiries into the adequacy and availability of any services.

### Solicitors

Porter Dodson, Yeovil  
Telephone: 01935 846 754  
Gemma Lindegaard acting

### Registering to bid and Administration fee

Cooper and Tanner require all bidders who wish to bid at our Auction to register beforehand, whether you are intending on bidding in the room, by proxy or online. As part of the registration process, you will be asked to provide card details in order that the Buyer's Administration Fee of £1395 inc VAT can be paid if you are successful. A week before the auction a hold will be placed on your account for this sum, which will then be released if you are unsuccessful. This fee will only be taken if you are the successful buyer. The fee is retained by Cooper and Tanner and does not form part of your deposit or completion settlement. Please also be aware that the Buyer's Administration fee is payable per lot purchased and applicable to all pre-auction sales. If you are successful in purchasing more than one lot, we will contact you following the auction to take subsequent payments for additional lots bought. All checks required by current anti-money laundering legislation must be satisfactorily completed, as part of the registration process before prior approval to bid will be granted; this will include providing proof of funds.

### Fees

Potential buyers should be aware that there may be additional fees payable to the Vendor's solicitor on completion of the sale, details of which will be contained within the auction pack for each lot. At the launch of the property onto the market this information is not always available and so interested parties must refer to the auction pack and satisfy their enquiries.

### Deposit

Successful bidders will be required to pay to the Cooper and Tanner Client Account the deposit of 10% of the purchase price within 24 hours of the auction. The account details will be provided to the successful bidder on conclusion of the auction. Once funds are cleared, they will be transferred on to the account of the solicitor acting for the seller. Please ensure that funds are in an account suitable to be able to make an Electronic Transfer from.

### Completion

Completion has been set for the 11<sup>th</sup> September 2025 or earlier by mutual consent.

### Viewing

To book on to one of the scheduled viewing dates, please contact Cooper and Tanner, Glastonbury – 01458 834 288 (Option 2)

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### Video Tour

A video tour of the land can be viewed via the following link:  
<https://youtu.be/vDVPmA4b0B4>

**Local Council:** Dorset Council – Telephone: 01305 221 000

**Council Tax Band:** D

**Heating:** Oil.

**Tenure:** Freehold with vacant possession.

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### Train Links

- Yeovil
- Crewkerne



### Nearest Schools

- Perrott Hill Prep School
- Parrett and Axe C of E Primary School
- Maiden Beech Academy
- Beaminster School

## Auction Notes

### Conditions of Sale

Unless otherwise stated, each Lot is sold subject to the Common Auction Conditions (4<sup>th</sup> ed.). We recommend all interested parties inspect the Common Auction Conditions prior to bidding.

### Sale details

The details of each lot have been prepared based on information given by the vendor and their solicitor. There may be occasions where the person acting on behalf of the Vendor does not know the property in detail. Therefore, potential purchasers must satisfy their own enquiries and should refer to the legal documents available.

### Legal packs

These are available to download from the Land and Property Auction page of the Cooper and Tanner website. Alternatively, they can be obtained from the Vendors' solicitors. There may be a charge payable direct to the solicitor. We recommend that each potential purchaser take independent legal advice on the content of the packs. Potential purchasers are deemed to have made all the necessary enquiries and purchase with full knowledge of the content of the legal packs.

### Registration of Interest

Cooper and Tanner encourage potential purchasers to register their interest in specific lots. This will enable the Auction Department to inform you of any amendments made to that lot during the lead up to the auction day.

### Tenure and Possession

Unless stated otherwise, the tenure of each lot is freehold and vacant possession will be given upon completion.

### Registering to bid

All those intending to bid at the auction must first register online at [Cooperandtanner.co.uk](http://Cooperandtanner.co.uk). Please note that we will not be taking registrations in the room.

### Questions

The Vendor's solicitors may be available for questions prior to the start of the auction. However, there may be occasions when they are unable to attend. Therefore, it is advisable that any queries have been answered before the date of the auction. Members of the Cooper and Tanner staff will be on hand and will be able to answer questions concerning the procedure. They will not be able to answer any legal questions. No further questions will be permitted once the auction has started.

### Bidding in the room

When bidding for a lot, please make your bid clear to the auctioneer or their clerk. The auctioneer will call the bidding three times, giving you the opportunity to place a final bid.

### Bidding online

When bidding online, you will be able to follow the auction via our livestream system. It will be made clear both on the camera and on the website what the current bid is and what bid is being invited. We strongly recommend that you have a consistent Internet connection and Cooper and Tanner cannot be held responsible for any loss of connection. Please be aware that there may be a slight time delay in the video footage and we would suggest that you follow the figure on the screen.

### Bidding by Proxy

Via the auction platform, you will be able to enter a proxy bid, which the auctioneer will execute on your behalf. However, we strongly recommend that where possible you attend the auction in person. All proxy bids must be entered on the system 48 hours prior to the start of the auction. If you are providing a proxy bid then this must be completed no later than 48 hours before the auction. We cannot guarantee that bids received after this time will be accepted.

### Fall of the Hammer

On the fall of the hammer, the successful bidder is under a binding contract to purchase that property. The purchaser must then present himself or herself to the auctioneer's clerk, giving their name, address, solicitor's details and a form of identification. If you are bidding remotely or by proxy then a member of the Cooper and Tanner staff will complete the Memorandum of Sale on your behalf, as set out in the terms and conditions of the auction.

### Deposit

A deposit of 10% of the purchase price will be payable to the Cooper and Tanner Client Account within 24 hours of the end of the auction. Cash will not be acceptable, and Cooper and Tanner do not have the facilities to take payment by credit or debit card.

### Lotting

The vendors reserve the right to amalgamate, sub-divide or withdraw any or all of their property.

### Areas and sale plans

The area and the sale plan have been calculated and produced using Promap Mapping software (Ordnance Survey licensed) and referenced where possible to the HMLR Title plan; however, they may not correspond with other mapping systems. The boundaries are clearly marked on site and potential purchasers should inspect them and make such enquiries as they deem necessary.

### \*Definition

#### Definition of Guide Prices

The guide price is an indication of the Vendor's current minimum price expectation at auction and the guide price, or range of guide prices, is given to assist prospective purchasers. The guide price can be adjusted by the vendor at any time up to the day of the auction, in light of the interest shown during the marketing period and bidders will be notified of this change on our website and by the auctioneer prior to the lot being offered.

#### Definition of Reserve Price

The reserve price is the Vendor's minimum acceptable price at auction and the figure below which the auctioneer cannot sell. It is usual but not always the case that a provisional reserve is agreed between the Vendor and the auctioneer at the start of marketing and the Final Reserve Price will be agreed between the auctioneer and the Vendor prior to the auction sale. Whilst the reserve price is confidential, it will usually be set within the quoted guide range and in any event will not exceed the highest quoted guide price.

### Important Notice

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