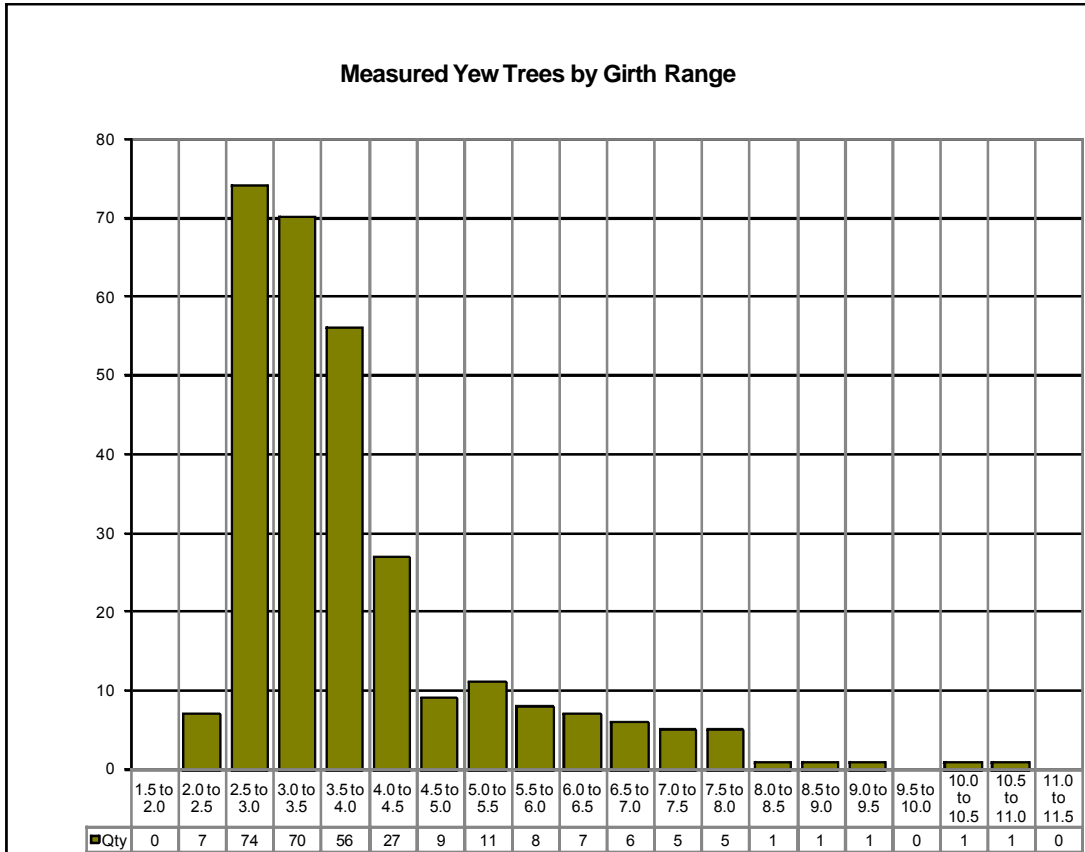


Hampshire Churchyard Yews

Summary

- A total of 403 churches were visited over a four year period 2009 – 2013.
- Yews were recorded in 241 of these churchyards.
- In total 1020 yew trees were noted.
- A total of 290 yews were measured.

With the knowledge currently available to us, the chart below suggests that a large number of yews were planted between 200 and 250 years ago, with only a small number coinciding with a Victorian restoration of the church.

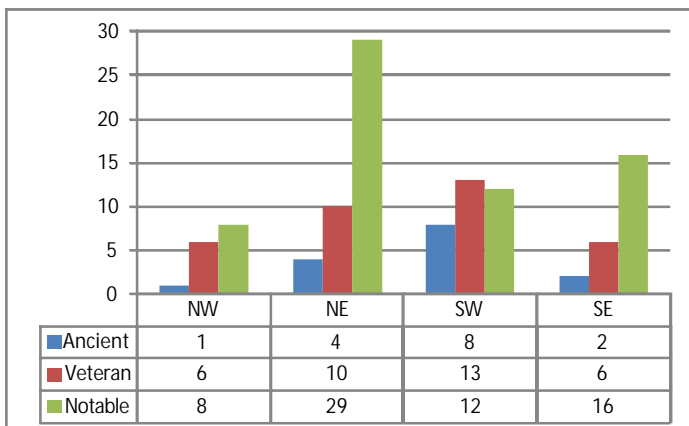


This table sets out the three main types of classification;

Ancient Veteran and Notable

In 100 years time this chart will look very different as some trees are reclassified. This will be most apparent with a large numbers of Young yews becoming classified as Notable.

		Totals	
Girth Mtrs	Classification	QTY	% Total
7.01	Ancient	15	1.5%
4.88	Veteran	35	3.4%
3.66	Notable	65	6.4%
	Young	175	17.2%
Total		290	28.4%
Observed		1020	
Not Measured		730	71.6%



Set out here are the classified yews as noted in the four regions.