

# Dean Forest Railway Telecoms



Telecoms is a small group that can usually only muster a maximum of three persons for lineside work at any one time. Often the number is down to two and often the nature of the work requires the staff to be deployed at more than one point at the same time. Generally we work under "red zone" conditions. These rules have been written with these limitations in mind.

All lineside telecom items will be given a listing as follows :

**Type 1 :** item placed in a safe location and no special precautions will be necessary. Should any minor hazards exist, they will be listed below. Suitable for singleton working.

**Type 2 :** item placed in a location that is safe with care. Most locations are type 2. Some hazards may exist and will be listed below. Any particular precautions will also be listed. At least two people must be employed on work at type 2 locations.

**Type 3 :** item placed in a position that is not safe without special precautions that will be listed below.

## Item Description :

**Parkend DP1L**

**Phone Cabinet**

**Location : Whitecroft Access  
Gates to Lineside**

**Safety Category : Type 1 safe**



**Distance from rail : 12m**

**Distance from rail by Technician : 11m**

**Train visibility : South 200m, North 50m**

**Hazards : Rough ground on approach. Beware the possibility of wasps nest in cabinet.**

**Keys required : key 221 (note that the normal technicians lock is not fitted to this cabinet)**

**Nearest Phone : in cabinet          Nearest Signal Post Phone : none**

**Nearest Road Access Point : From Whitecroft Crossing**

**Nearest Refuge : DP is in a place of safety.**

**Approach : from Whitecroft Crossing**

**Special Precautions Required : A singleton technician can work at this DP.**

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