

East Midlands and Eastern England - Tabulations

In the 1st columns of Tables EE1 and EE2, the letters denote the following;

DE ≡ Derbys, NT ≡ Notts;

LN ≡ Lincs, RU ≡ Rutland, LE ≡ Leics;

NR ≡ Northants, BE ≡ Beds, BU ≡ Bucks, CA ≡ Cambs;

NF ≡ Norfolk, SF ≡ Suffolk, ES ≡ Essex:

The red typescript means that a bridge has not been visited.

In all Tables any entry of '?' alone means unknown, but added after another symbol or number it implies a high level of doubt. 'c' before any number means that it is an approximation.

Table NE1: Locations and Dimensions

KEY: Column Headings reading from the left

No. ≡ Unique identifying number for every bridge, made up from a 1-letter or 2-letter county identifier and a number based on alphabetical ordering of bridge names in the county.

Bridge ≡ Name of the bridge, if possible the most generally accepted one.

OS Location ≡ Standard 8-symbol position

River ≡ Name of the river crossed by the bridge, unless it is un-named.

Catchment, if the named river does not flow directly to the sea, the river which does carry its contents to the sea; exceptions are made for major rivers which flow into others, like the River Ure.

Arch No., shown as 'River Arches + Flood Arches', or 'Arches Now (Original Number)' where appropriate.

Arch Shape, symbols; G ≡ Gothic, or Pointed, (shaded, **xxxx**) S-C ≡ Semi-circular, 4-C ≡ 4-centred or Tudor,

Se ≡ Segmental, R ≡ Rectangular including Square.

Arch Span ≡ the span of the largest original arch, prior to extension or rebuilding.

OW ≡ Bridge Width, the width of the original bridge, as built, prior to widening operations, normally measured between parapets, or rails.

Date, refers to the oldest surviving part of the bridge, and 'Arch Span' & 'OW' will normally relate to it.

The appropriate columns are shaded according to whether they have arches spanning more than 7.5m, **xxxx**; widths less than 2.2m, (effectively footbridges of all types including packhorse and clapper bridges), **xxxx**

No.	BRIDGE	OS Location	River	Catchment	Arch No.	Arch Form	Arch Span	O W	BUILD DATE
DE1	Ashford Mill Bridge	SK 199 695	R. Wye	R. Derwent	3	Se	?	<2m	17 th C
DE2	Ashford Sheepwash Bridge	SK 194 696	R. Wye	R. Derwent	3	Se	<4m	<2m	17 th C
DE3	Ashover Clapper Bridge	SK 350 626	R. Amber	R. Derwent	7	R	?	0.75m	17/18 th C
DE4	Bakewell Bridge	SK 219 687	R. Wye	R. Derwent	5	G	c6m	c4.2m	14 th C
DE5	Bakewell Holme Bridge	SK 215 690	R. Wye	R. Derwent	7	Se	c3.5m	1.2m	1664
DE6	Baslow Bridge	SK 251 724	R. Derwent	R. Trent	3	Se	9.4m	3.8m	16 th C
DE7	Beeley One-Arch Bridge	SK 261 684	R. Derwent	R. Trent	1	Se	20.7m	3.6m	1760
DE8	Besthill Bridge	SJ 997 938	R. Etherow	R. Mersey	1	Se	20.5m	3.3m	1683
DE9	Cromford Bridge	SK 300 572	R. Derwent	R. Trent	3	4-C	>8m	3.6m	c1500
DE10	Darley Bridge	SK 271 621	R. Derwent	R. Trent	5 +2?	G/Se	c6m	c4.3m	15 th C
DE11	Dorothy Vernon's Bridge	SK 235 663	R. Wye	R. Derwent	2	Se	?	0.9m	17 th C
DE12	Dove Bridge	SK 106 345	R. Dove	R. Trent	6	G/S-C	c7.5m	3.3m	14 th C
DE13	Duffield Bridge	SK 350 430	R. Derwent	R. Trent	3	G/4-C	c12.5m	3.9m	16 th & 17 th C
DE14	Edale PH Bridge	SK 088 862	R. Noe	R. Derwent	1	Se	5.4m?	0.7m	17 th C
DE15	Egginton Monks Bridge	SK 268 270	R. Dove	R. Trent	4	Se	9.5m	3.2m	14 th C
DE16	Froggatt Bridge	SK 244 761	R. Derwent	R. Trent	2	Se/G	c6m	2.7m	17 th C
DE17	Grindleford Bridge	SK 245 778	R. Derwent	R. Trent	3	S-C	c6.7m	c3.1m	17 th C
DE18	Haddon Hall Bridge	SK 234 663	R. Wye	R. Derwent	3	Se	?	>3m	1663
DE19	Matlock Bridge	SK 298 602	R. Derwent	R. Trent	4	G	c8.2m	4m	15 th C
DE20	Mayfield Hanging Bridge	SK 158 458	R. Dove	R. Trent	5	G	?	3m	14 th C
DE21	Melbourne New Bridge	SK 397 260	Ramsley B.	R. Trent	2	G	c4.8m	2.2m?	15 th C
DE22	Milldale Viator's Bridge	SK 139 547	R. Dove	R. Trent	2	4-C	5.5m	1.2m	16 th C
DE23	New Mills Bridge	SK 002 859	R. Sett	R. Mersey	2	Se	?	c1.8m	15 th C
DE24	Rowsley Bridge	SK 257 659	R. Derwent	R. Trent	5	G	6.9m	4.8m	15 th C
DE25	St. Mary's Bridge, Derby	SK 353 368	R. Derwent	R. Trent	?	Se	?	?	14 th C
DE26	Swarkeston Bridge	SK 370 278	R. Trent		?	G & Se	5.6m	?	13 th C
DE27	Youlgreave Bridges	SK 209 640	R. Bradford	R. Derwent	1	Se	3m	>1.1m	18 th C
NT1	Eel Pie Bridge	SK 713 742	R. Maun	R. Trent	2	G	3m	3.6m	c1500
NT2	Old Trent Bridge	SK 582 381	R. Trent		15	G & S-C	7.5m	c2m?	1364
NT2M	Nottingham Castle Bridges	SK 569 396	Dry		2	G	?	>3m	13 th C & 16 th C
LN1	Crowland Trinity Bridge	TF 239 102	Dry		3	½G	3m	1.8m	14 th C
LN2	Deeping Gate Bridge	TF 151 095	R. Welland		3	Se	5.5m	<4m	17 th C
LN3	Lincoln High Bridge	SK 975 712	R. Witham		1	G?	6.7m	9.9m	1160
LN4	Scredington PH Bridge	TF 097 409	North B.	R. Witham	2	4-C	2.7m	c1.4m	c1500
LN5	Uffington Bridge	TF 066 069	R. Welland		3	Se	c7m	3.9m	17 th C
LN6	Utterby PH Bridge	TF 306 932	Un-named	Louth Canal	1	Se	2.7m	1.5m	14 th C
LN7	West Rasen PH Bridge	TF 063 893	R. Rase	R. Ancholme	3	Se	3.5m	1.4m	1310
LN1M	Thornton Abbey Bridge	TA 115 190	Dry		?	?	?	?	14 th C?
RU1	Braunston Bridge	SK 833 065	R. Gwash	R. Welland	2	Se	?	1.3m	17 th C?
RU2	Collyweston Bridge	SK 991 036	R. Welland		6	G & Se	c4.5m	4.5m	15 th C & 1620
RU3	Duddington Bridge	SK 986 009	R. Welland		4	G	c5m	3.7m	14 th C
RU4	Empingham Church Bridge	SK 951 083	R. Gwash	R. Welland	3	S-C	c5m	3.9m	1684
RU5	Ketton Bridge	SK 983 043	R. Chater	R. Welland	3	G	c5m	<3m	16 th C
RU6	Ryhall Bridge	TF 037 110	R. Gwash	R. Welland	3	S-C	c4m	3.9m	17 th C
RU7	Turtle Bridge	SP 928 985	R. Welland		3+3	Se	c2.7m	?	16 th C?
RU8	Wakerley Bridge	SP 956 998	R. Welland		5	G	>3m	3m	14 th C
LE1	Anstey PH Bridge	SK 552 084	Rothley B.	R. Soar	5	S-C	?	1.5m	c1500
LE2	Asfordby Bridge	SK 711 178	R. Wreake	R. Soar	3	Se	?	2.1m	17 th / 18 th C
LE3	Aylestone PH Bridge	SK 568 009	R. Soar	R. Trent	11	G & Se	c6m	>1.4m	15 th C
LE4	Belgrave Bridge	SK 591 074	R. Soar	R. Trent	7	Se	?	2.4m	15 th C
LE5	Bottesford Bridge	SK 807 390	R. Devon	R. Trent	2	Se	c2.5m	1.2m	c1600
LE6	Cotes Bridge & Causeway	SK 554 206	R. Soar	R. Trent	1 + 6	G	?	?	15 th & 18 th C
LE7	Enderby PH Bridge	SP 552 985	Stagnant		2	G	4.8m	1.8m	15 th C

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LE8	King William's PH Bridge	SK 556 090	Rothley B.	R. Soar	2	S-C	c2.5m	1.9m	1696
LE9	Medbourne PH Bridge	SP 799 931	Medbourne B.	R. Welland	4	Se	c4m	1.8m	13 th C
LE10	Rearsby PH Bridge	SK 651 145	Un-named	R. Soar	7	S-C	c2m	1.6m	16 th C
LE11	Sandham PH Bridge	SK 565 109	Rothley B.	R. Soar	2	S-C	?	1.7m	17 th C
NR1	Blatherwycke Bridge	SP 972 957	Willow B.	R. Nene	3	S-C	?	?	18 th C?
NR2	Braybrooke Bridge	SP 765 845	R. Jordan	R. Welland	3	G	?	?	c1500
NR3	Charwelton PH Bridge	SP 535 561	R. Cherwell	R. Thames	2	G	2.1m	1.4m	14 th C
NR4	Ditchford Bridge	SP 930 683	R. Nene		6 + 6	S-C	<4m	4.8m	1330
NR5	Everdon Bridge	SP 600 574	Fawsley W.	R. Nene	2	G	2.5m	<3.5m	15 th C
NR6	Geddington Bridge	SP 894 829	R. Ise	R. Nene	4 + 1	G	c3.5m	2.8m	c1250
NR7	Irthingborough Bridge	SP 957 706	R. Nene		10 + 9	G	3m	3m	14 th C
NR8	Oundle South Bridge	TL 045 889	R. Nene		5	Se	?	c4m	18 th C
NR9	Thrapston Bridge	SP 991 786	R. Nene		9 + 15?	2-C	?	c3m	14 th C
NR10	Titchmarsh Bridge	TL 023 813	Thorpe B.	R. Nene	1	S-C	?	?	14 th C?
NR11	Wansford Bridge	TL 075 991	R. Nene		2 + 10	Se	c7m	4.2m	16 th C
BE1	Arlesey Bridge	TL 190 378	R. Hiz	R. Gt. Ouse	2	G	2.6m	3.7m	15 th C
BE2	Blunham Bridge	TL 156 519	R. Ivel	R. Gt. Ouse	5	S-C	3.3m	3.15m	17 th C
BE3	Bromham Bridge	TL 011 507	R. Gt. Ouse		4	S-C	c7m	3.4m	15 th C?
BE4	Great Barford Bridge	TL 135 516	R. Gt. Ouse		17	G, S-C	c5m	3.7m	15 th C
BE5	Harrold Bridge	SP 956 565	R. Gt. Ouse		6 + 29	G, S-C	?	<4m	12&15 th C
BE6	Sutton PH Bridge	TL 221 474	Un-named	R. Gt. Ouse	2	G	3m	1.8m	13 th C
BE7	Turvey Bridge	SP 938 524	R. Gt. Ouse		11	G, Se	<6m	4.25m	14/15 th C
BE8	Tymhill Bridge	SP 999 503	Un-named	R. Gt. Ouse	1	Se	2.7m	2.3m	15 th C
BU1	Leckhampstead Bridge	SP 738 355	R. Gt. Ouse		4	G	?	?	18 th C?
BU2	Thornborough Bridge	SP 729 332	Claydon B.	R. Gt. Ouse	6	G	3m	3.3m	14 th C
CA1	Alconbury Bridge	TL 186 758	Alconbury B.	R. Gt. Ouse	4	G	?	3m	15 th C
CA2	Clare College Bridge	TL 446 584	R. Cam	R. Gt. Ouse	3	Se	6.3m	4.2m	1640
CA3	Hamerton Bridge	TL 136 798	Alconbury B.	R. Gt. Ouse	3	R	?	?	16 th C
CA4	Huntingdon Bridge	TL 243 715	R. Gt. Ouse		6	G	9.9m	5.1m	14 th C
CA5	Huntingdon Nuns Bridge	TL 226 712	Alconbury B.	R. Gt. Ouse	3 + 3	G & Se	?	3.3m	15 th C
CA6	Lolham Bridges	TF 111 082	R. Welland		13	Se, S-C	4.8m	c4m	17 th C
CA7	Spaldwick Bridge	TL 127 730	Ellington B.	R. Gt. Ouse	3	G	?	3.3m	15 th C
CA8	St. Ives Bridge	TL 313 711	R. Gt. Ouse		6	G	9m	3.9m	1426
CA9	Wistow Bridge	TL 280 812	Bury B.	R. Nene	3	S-C	3.2m	?	16 th C
CA1M	Somersham Park Bridge	TL 360 776	Dry		1	Se	?	?	14/15 th C
NF1	Cringleford Bridge	TG 200 060	R. Yare		2	4-C	6.6m	3.3m	1520
NF2	Eastgate Bridge	TF 624 204	R. Gaywood	R. Gt. Ouse	3	Se	?	?	16 th C
NF3	Mayton Bridge	TG 250 216	un-named	R. Bure	2	G	3.8m	3.3m	1500?
NF4	Melford Bridge	TL 879 830	R. Thet	R. Gt. Ouse	2 + 1	Se	c2.6m	3.6m	17 th C
NF5	Newton Flotman Bridge	TM 212 980	R. Tas	R. Yare	4 + 1	2-C	4.8m	2.4m	15 th C
NF6	Norwich Bishop Bridge	TG 240 090	R. Wensum	R. Yare	3	Se	7.5m	4.5m	1340
NF7	Potter Heigham Bridge	TG 420 185	R. Thurne	R. Bure	3	G/S-C	6.3m	3.6m	1380
NF8	Purfleet Bridge	TF 616 200	Purfleet	R. Gt. Ouse	1	Se	?	?	17 th C?
NF9	Rushford Bridge	TL 925 812	R. Little Ouse	R. Gt. Ouse	1	G	3.6m	4m	16 th & 19 th C?
NF10	Walsingham PH Bridge	TF 936 368	R. Stiffkey		4	S-C	c1.9m	1.8m	17 th C?
NF11	West Dereham Abbey Bridge	TF 663 008	un-named		1	Se	?	?	1697
NF12	Wiveton Bridge	TG 044 427	R. Glaven		1	Se	9.6m	>3.5m	14 th C
NF2M	Blickling Hall Bridge	TG 176 285	Dry		2	Se	c2.5m	2.75m	17 th C
NF3M	Castle Rising Bridge	TF 667 247	Dry		1	Se	c2.9m	3.7m	14 th C
NF5M	New Buckenham Castle Br.	TM 084 904	Wet Moat		1	4-C	?	c3m	c1500
SF1	Ash Street Bridge	TM 010 464	R. Brett	R. Stour	3	G	c3m	3.3m	16 th & 18 th C?
SF2	Bury St. Edmunds Abbot's Bridge	TL 858 644	R. Lark	R. Gt. Ouse	3	G	1.5m	?	13 th C
SF3	Cavenham PH Bridge	TL 766 696	un-named	R. Lark	1	Se	3m	1.5m	15 th C

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SF4	Moulton Bridge	TL 698 642	R. Kennet	R. Lark	1	Se	?	1.1m	15 th C
SF5	Moulton PH Bridge	TL 698 645	R. Kennet	R. Lark	4	G	2.5m	1.5m	14 th C
SF6	Toppesfield Bridge	TM 026 421	R. Brett	R. Stour	3	G	>3m	3.3m	14 th C
SF2M	Earl Soham Lodge Br.	TM 232 635	Wet Moat		2	Se	c3.8m	c4m	16 th C
SF3M	Fasbourn Hall Bridge	TL 997 566	Wet Moat		2	S-C	c2m	3m	17 th C
SF4M	Framlingham Castle Br.	TM 287 637	Dry		1	Se	?	c4m	16 th C
SF8M	Westhorpe Hall Bridge	TM 051 691	Wet Moat		3	4-C	c3.2m	c3m	16 th C
ES1	Buttsbury Bridge	TQ 665 991	R. Wid	R. Chelmer	2	4-C	c4m	2.8m	c1600
ES2	Coggeshall Long Bridge	TL 849 224	R. Blackwater		3	Se	c3m	c3.5m	13 th C
ES3	Waltham Abbey Stony Bridge	TL 381 007	Cornmill S.	R. Thames	1	Se	5.5m	5.1m	14 th C
ES1M	Hedingham Castle Br.	TL 788 359	Dry		4	4-C	3.8m	4.5m	c1496
ES3M	Pleshey Castle Bridge	TL 665 144	Dry		1	2-C	5.6m	c3m	c1400
ES5M	Tolleshunt D'Arcy Hall Br.	TL 928 116	Wet Moat		4	S-C	c2m	2.6m	1585

Table EE2: Bridge Characteristics

KEY: Column Headings reading from the left

No. & Bridge as in Table S1

Fabric, the building material, A ≡ ashlar, CR ≡ Coursed Rubble, R ≡ Random Rubble, B ≡ Brick, W ≡ Wood; if two types are present in significant proportions, it is shown A/CR.

Profile, as seen from upstream or downstream, where possible referring to the original bridge, F ≡ Flat, P ≡ Rising to a central Peak, H ≡ Humped, C ≡ Gently curved.

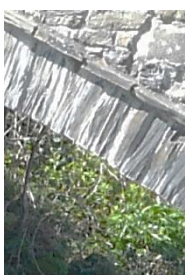
Refuges, total number, referring if possible to the original bridge; NA entered for single-arch bridges

Arch Rings with nomenclature **W/X/Y/Z** where **W** ≡ number of arch rings, **X** is an indicator for chamfering ≡ C, or not ≡ U, **Y** describes the arrangement of the arch rings with categories F ≡ Flush, R ≡ Recessed, H ≡ Hood Mould, above, 2O ≡ Arch Rings in two orders, etc., and **Z** indicates the finish on the individual voussoirs in the arch rings with R ≡ Rough, unshaped, S ≡ Shaped, D ≡ Dressed, finely machined. 3 examples are given below.

3/C/2O/D



1/U/H/S



1/U/F/R



Soffits and Ribs Features, number of ribs, and whether they are chamfered ≡ C (as above, left), or not ≡ U

Pier Width, subjective estimate, B ≡ Broad, U ≡ Unexceptional, S ≡ Slender, C ≡ Pierced Causeway, & NA for a bridge with 1 arch

Parapet Features, entries only if non-standard, R ≡ Railings, C ≡ Corbelled Out, S ≡ Splayed Out at ends, Low, None.

W <-- >, entries indicate whether the bridge has been widened, No, Yes (but how unknown), U ≡ Upstream Face, D ≡ Downstream Face, B ≡ Both Faces

Date as in Table EE1

Shading in the relevant columns means chamfered arch rings, xxxx, hood moulds, xxxx, and ribs, xxxx. In cases where chamfering and hood moulds are present, I have added ** to the former

No.	Bridge	Fabric	Profile	No. of Refuges	Arch Ring Features	Soffits & Ribs Features	Pier Width	Parapet Features	<--> W	Build Date
DE1	Ashford Mill and Lees Bridges	R	C	4	?	2U	B		D	17 th C
DE2	Ashford Sheepwash Bridge	CR	C	4	1/U/H/S	0	B		U	17 th C
DE3	Ashover Clapper Bridge	A	F	NA	NA	0	B	None	No	17/18 th C
DE4	Bakewell Bridge	CR/A	C	8	2/U/2O/D	(5 + 4)U	B		U	14 th C
DE5	Bakewell Holme Bridge	A	C	12	1/U/R/D	0	U	Low	No	1664
DE6	Baslow Bridge	A	C	4	2/U/2O/D	6U	U/S		No	16 th C
DE7	Beeley One-Arch Bridge	A	P	NA	3/U/3O+H/D	5U	NA		No	18 th C
DE8	Besthill Bridge	CR	F	NA	3/U/3O/D	0	NA		No	1683
DE9	Cromford Bridge	CR/A	F	0	2/C/2O/D	0	B		U	c1500
DE10	Darley Bridge	A	C	0	2/U/2O/D	4U	B		U	15 th C
DE11	Dorothy Vernon's Bridge	R	F	0	1/U/F/S	0	U	Low	No	17 th C
DE12	Dove Bridge	CR	F	10	1/C/H/D**	4? (1)	B		U	14 th C
DE13	Duffield Bridge	A	C	0	2/C/2O/D	0	U		U	16 th & 17 th C
DE14	Edale PH Bridge	R	F	NA	1/U/H/D	0	NA		U	17 th C
DE15	Egginton Monks Bridge	CR	F	3	1/C/F/D	3C	B		U	14 th C
DE16	Froggatt Bridge	A	P	2	1/U/F/D	0	B		No	17 th C
DE17	Grindleford Bridge	A	F	0	2/U/2O/D	0	U		B	17 th C
DE18	Haddon Hall Bridge	CR	F	4	2/U/2O/D	0	U		No	1663
DE19	Matlock Bridge	CR	F	0 + 3	1/C/H/D**	0	U		U	15 th C
DE20	Mayfield Hanging Bridge	CR	F	0	2/C/2O/D	0	B		B	14 th C
DE21	Melbourne New Bridge	CR	F	0	1/C/F/D	0	U		U	15 th C
DE22	Milldale Viator's Bridge	CR	F	0	1/U/F/D	0	B	Low	No	16 th C
DE23	New Mills Bridge	R	F	0	?	2C	C	S	B	15 th C
DE24	Rowsley Bridge	A	C	0	2/C/2O/D	4C?	B	S	U	15 th C
DE25	St. Mary's Bridge, Derby	R	?	?	1/U/F/S	?	?		?	14 th C
DE26	Swarkeston Bridge	CR	F	0	2/C/2O/D	5C+3U	C	Low	B	13 th C
DE27	Youlgreave Bridges	R	H	NA	1/U/F/S	0	NA	Low	No	18 th C
NT1	Eel Pie Bridge	CR	F	0	1/C/F/D	0	B	R	B	c1500
NT2	Old Trent Bridge	CR	F	?	2/C/H/D**	0	?		U	1364
NT2M	Nottingham Castle Bridges	R	F	0	2/C/2O/D	4C	C		No	13 th C & 16 th C
LN1	Crowland Trinity Bridge	CR/A	P	NA	2/C/H/D**	3C	NA	Low	No	14 th C
LN2	Deeping Gate Bridge	A	F	4	2/C/H/D**	0	U		No	17 th C
LN3	Lincoln High Bridge	?	F	NA	?/C/?/D	C	NA		B	1160
LN4	Scredington PH Bridge	CR/A	F	0	1/U/F/S	0	U	None	B	c1500
LN5	Uffington Bridge	CR/A	C	0?	2/U/2O/D	0	B		No	17 th C
LN6	Utterby PH Bridge	A	H	NA	1/C/NA/D	3C	NA	None	No	14 th C
LN7	West Rasen PH Bridge	CR	C	0	2/C/2O/D	3C	S	Low	No	1310
LN1M	Thornton Abbey Bridge	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	14 th C?
RU1	Braunston Bridge	CR/B	F	2	2/U/F/S	0	U	R	No	17 th C?
RU2	Collyweston Bridge	CR	C	0	2/U/2O/D	0	U		No	15 th C & 1620
RU3	Duddington Bridge	CR/A	C	0	1/C/F/D	0	U		D	14 th C
RU4	Empingham Church Bridge	A	F	2	2/U/H/D	0	B		D	1684
RU5	Ketton Bridge	CR/A	C	0	?	0	U		D	16 th C
RU6	Ryhall Bridge	CR	F	0	2/U/2O/D	0	U	R	No	17 th C
RU7	Turtle Bridge	A/B	F	2	2/U/F/D	0	U		D	16 th C?
RU8	Wakerley Bridge	CR/A	F	0	1/C/H/D**	0	B		U	14 th C

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LE1	Anstey PH Bridge	R	C	8	1/U/F/R	0	U	Low	No	c1500
LE2	Asfordby Bridge	CR/B	F	0	1/U/F/S	0	U		D	17 th / 18 th C
LE3	Aylestone PH Bridge	R	F	3	1/U/F/R	0	B	Low	No	15 th C
LE4	Belgrave Bridge	R	F	0	?	0	B		B	15 th C
LE5	Bottesford Bridge	CR	H	0	2/C/20/D	3C	S	Low	D	c1600
LE6	Cotes Bridge & Causeway	R	F	0	1/U/F/S	0	U		U	15 th & 18 th C
LE7	Enderby PH Bridge	R	C	2	1/C/F/D	0	B	None	No	15 th C
LE8	King William's PH Bridge	R	H	1	1/U/F/R	0	U	Low	D	1696
LE9	Medbourne PH Bridge	CR	C	3	1/C/F/D	0	U	R	No	13 th C?
LE10	Rearsby PH Bridge	R	C	0	1/U/F/R	0	U	Low	No	16 th C
LE11	Sandham PH Bridge	R	F	2	1/U/F/R	0	U	Low	No	17 th C
NR1	Blatherwycke Bridge	CR	F	2	1/U/F/D	0	B		?	18 th C?
NR2	Braybrooke Bridge	CR	F	2	1/C/F/D	0	U		?	c1500
NR3	Charwelton PH Bridge	CR	F	1	1/C/F/D	0	B	Low	No	14 th C
NR4	Ditchford Bridge	CR	F	10	2/C/20/D	0	B		No	1330
NR5	Everdon Bridge	CR	P	1	1/U/F/D	3C	B		No	15 th C
NR6	Geddington Bridge	CR	F	3	1/U/F/D	0	B		No	c1250
NR7	Irthlingborough Bridge	CR	F	5 + 5?	2/C/20/D	3C	B		U	14 th C
NR8	Oundle South Bridge	A	F	0	1/U/F/D	0	B		No	18 th C
NR9	Thrapston Bridge	CR	F	5?	3/C/30/D	0	B		B	14 th C
NR10	Titchmarsh Bridge	?	F	NA	?	5?	NA		B	14 th C?
NR11	Wansford Bridge	A	C	12	3/U/30/D	0	U		No	16 th C
BE1	Arlesey Bridge	CR/B	C	2	1/U/F/B	0	B	?	D	15 th C
BE2	Blunham Bridge	CR/B	C	0	1/C/F/S	0	U/B		D	17 th C
BE3	Bromham Bridge	CR	F	5	1/U/F/S	0	C		D	15 th C?
BE4	Great Barford Bridge	CR/B	F	many	2/U/F/S	0	B		U	15 th C
BE5	Harrold Bridge	CR	F	1	3/C/30/D	0	C	No	No	12&15 th C
BE6	Sutton PH Bridge	CR	F	1	2/U/F/S	0	B	Low	No	13 th C
BE7	Turvey Bridge	R	F	5	2/C/20/S	0	B		D	14/15 th C
BE8	Tymsill Bridge	R	F	NA	?	0	NA	?	B	15 th C
BU1	Leckhampstead Bridge	B	C	0	2/U/F/D	0	U	R	?	18 th C?
BU2	Thornborough Bridge	CR	F	3 + 1	2/U/H/D	4C	B		No	14 th C
CA1	Alconbury Bridge	CR/A	C	0	2/C/20/S	0	U		No	15 th C
CA2	Clare College Bridge	A	F	0	1/U/F/D	0	U	Ba	No	1640
CA3	Hamerton Bridge	CR/W	F	0	NA	0	B	R	?	16 th C
CA4	Huntingdon Bridge	A	C	10	3/C/30/D	0	B		No	14 th C
CA5	Huntingdon Nuns Bridge	CR	F	0	2/C/20/D	0	U		U	15 th C
CA6	Lolham Bridges	CR	F	9	1/C/F/S	0	C		No	17 th C
CA7	Spaldwick Bridge	R	F	0	2/C/20/D	3C	U		U	15 th C
CA8	St. Ives Bridge	CR/A	C	0	2/C/20/D	5C	U		No	1426
CA9	Wistow Bridge	CR	C	0	1/U//F/S	0	U	R	B	16 th C
CA1M	Somersham Par Bridge	CR	F	NA	1/U/R/S	0	NA	R	No	14/15 th C
NF1	Cringleford Bridge	A	F	0	1/C/F/D	0	B		B	1520
NF2	Eastgate Bridge	R/B	?	0	3/C/30/D	5C	?		B	16 th C
NF3	Mayton Bridge	B	P	0	1/C/F/B	0	U		No	1500?
NF4	Melford Bridge	B/A	F	0	1/U/F/D	0	U		No	17 th C
NF5	Newton Flotman Bridge	A/B	F	0	1/C/F/D	4C	U		D	15 th C
NF6	Norwich Bishop Bridge	R	F	0	2/C/F/S	5C	U		No	1340
NF7	Potter Heigham Bridge	A	H	0	1/C/F/D	4C	B		No	1380
NF8	Purfleet Bridge	B	F	NA	2/U/F/B	0	NA		U	17 th C?
NF9	Rushford Bridge	R	F	NA	3/C/R/D	0	NA		U	16 th & 19 th C?
NF10	Walsingham PH Bridge	R/B	C	0	1/U/F/R	0	U	None	No	17 th C?
NF11	West Dereham Abbey Bridge	CR	F	NA	1/U/F/R	0	NA		?	1697

No.	Bridge	Fabric	Profile	No. of Refuges	Arch Ring Features	Soffits & Ribs Features	Pier Width	Parapet Features	<--> W	Build Date
NF12	Wiveton Bridge	CR/A	P	NA	2/C/2O/D	5C	NA		No	14 th C
NF2M	Blickling Hall Bridge	B/A	F	2	1/U/F/D	0	B	Low	No	17 th C
NF3M	Castle Rising Bridge	R/B	F	NA	2/C/2O/B	0	NA	1 Low	No	14 th C
NF5M	New Buckenham Castle Br.	A/B	F	NA	1/U/F/B	0	NA	None	No	c1500
SF1	Ash Street Bridge	A/B	F	0	2/C/F/B	2U	U		D	16 th & 18 th C
SF2	Bury St. Ed. Abbot's Bridge	R	F	0	2/C/F/D	2C	U	None	No	13 th C
SF3	Cavenham PH Bridge	R	H	NA	1/U/F/S	0	NA	Traces	No	15 th C
SF4	Moulton Bridge	R	P	NA	1/C/F/D	0	NA	Low	No	15 th C
SF5	Moulton PH Bridge	R/B	H	0	1/U/F/B	0	U	Low	No	14 th C
SF6	Toppesfield Bridge	R/B	F	0	3/U/2O/D	6C & U	B		U	14 th C
SF2M	Earl Soham Lodge Br.	B	F	0	2/U/2O/B	0	U		No	16 th C
SF3M	Fasbourne Hall Bridge	B	F	0	1/U/F/B	0	U	Low	No	17 th C
SF4M	Framlingham Castle Br.	R/B	F	NA	1/U/F/D	3U	NA		No	16 th C
SF8M	Westhorpe Hall Bridge	B	F	0	2/C/2O/B	0	B	None	No	16 th C
ES1	Buttsbury Bridge	B	C	0	1/U/F/B	0	U		No	c1600
ES2	Coggeshall Long Bridge	B	F	0	1/U/F/B	0	B		B	13 th C
ES3	Waltham Abbey Stony Bridge	R	C	NA	1/U/F/R	0	NA	Traces	No	14 th C
ES1M	Hedingham Castle Br.	B	F	0	2/C/2O/B	0	U		No	c1496
ES3M	Pleshey Castle Bridge	B	F	NA	1/U/F/B	0	NA		No	c1400
ES5M	Tolleshunt D'Arcy Hall Br.	B	F	0	1/C/F/B	0	B		No	1585

As compared with previous listings, 6 bridges have been removed;

Kniveton Packhorse Bridge, Derbyshire recently delisted and I can find no evidence for its existence

Little Eaton Town Bridge, Derbyshire which is a 19th century bridge

Slippery Packhorse Bridge, Derbyshire has been moved and reassembled recently so hardly qualifies

Kates Bridge, Lincolnshire which has been replaced by a modern bridge

Bugbrooke Clapper Bridge, Replaced by a modern wooden bridge

Kentford Bridge, Suffolk which has collapsed

Table EE3: Status of Bridge Visits, & Dating Summary - East Midlands and East of England

COUNTIES	No. of BRIDGES	No. VISITED	PRE-1600	PRE-1500	PRE-1400	PRE-1300
Derbyshire & Nottinghamshire	30	29	18	15	8	1
Lincs, Rutland, & Leicesters	27	27	19	15	8	2
Northants, Bedfords, Bucks, & Cambs.	31	31	27	23	13	3
Norfolk, Suffolk, & Essex	31	31	25	16	10	2
Totals	119	118	89	69	39	8

Notes:

1. I have identified 119 old bridges in the East Midlands and East of England on the basis that they incorporate significant parts, such as one or more arches, which date from before 1700; I have visited 118 (99%) of them, as of August 2017. As can be seen from Table EE3, 30 of the bridges had their origins in the 17th century, 20 in the 16th century, 30 in the 15th century, 31 in the 14th century, and 8 earlier than that. The distribution of surviving old bridges with age differs markedly between this region and the North of England in one respect, namely the absence of a large bias towards the 17th century. Indeed the most noticeable effect here is the drop in the number of survivors from the 16th century, as compared with the periods before and after

2. 74 bridges, (63%) were built in large part of ashlar, coursed squared rubble, or a combination of the two, a similar proportion to that found in the North of England. As there, those built wholly of rubble were mostly small bridges. The major divergence from the fabric in common use further north is the appearance of old brick bridges, with 11 wholly constructed of that material, and 15 more incorporating substantial quantities. Such bridges are especially to be found in East Anglia, where brick and flint rubble are a well-used combination. As in other regions there is little sign of a link between fabric and build-date.

3. There are 46 bridges listed in Table EE1 which have one or more pointed (Gothic) arches, and all but 3 were built before the 17th century, so these exceptions are best regarded as pastiches. 40 of the bridges in question were built before 1500 and can fairly be called medieval. Switching the argument around it is reasonable to describe such an arch form as almost a sufficient condition for classing a bridge as medieval, especially if other features, to be considered later, are also present. Four-centred arches are not common in this region with only 5 listed, of which 4 are most likely early-Tudor, c1500, while the other was built a century later. It is perhaps true that their comparative scarcity is as much a function of a drop-off in bridge building in the late 16th century as anything else. Finally, although there are 18 bridges with semi-circular arch forms, and a few were built early enough to precede the general use of the Gothic shape, that is as true of the segmental arch form, and in this region as others, the two should be regarded as more or less interchangeable.

4. Table EE1 shows that there are 13 bridges with at least 1 arch spanning 7.5m or more, and of them, 9 were built prior to 1500. However this disguises the true picture, because 9 of the bridges are in Derbyshire and Nottingham, so in the whole of Eastern England, south and east of the River Trent there are only 4 such bridges, all medieval.

5. In Table EE2, I have highlighted two other features most often associated with antiquity in bridges, namely chamfered arch rings, and chamfered ribs. 50 bridges have chamfered arch rings and all but 3 were built prior to 1600, with 39 dating from before 1500. 26 bridges have chamfered ribs, and all but 4 of them were built prior to 1500. Perhaps surprisingly there are 4 bridges with chamfered ribs but without chamfered arch rings.

6. There are 9 bridges with hood moulds in the division, of which 5 combine them with chamfered arch rings. Given this, it is unsurprising that there is no bias towards the less old in the appearance of the feature.