# Gatehouse Farm Bastle A0008

Site Type	bastle/house
Site Name	Gatehouse Farm Bastle
Other Name(s)	
Ownership	Gatehouse Farm, Tarset, Hexham, NE48 1NG
Related Sites	N. & S. Gatehouse Bastles A0001, A0002, Bastle A0009

### LOCATION

National Grid Reference	NY 7885 8890	Km Square	NY 7888
TAG 2006 Atlas : Map	H3	Air Photo. No	Run COS/74133205

Modern Parish	Tarset
Historic Parish & Township	Bellingham Tarretburn

### **LISTINGS**

Scheduled Ancient Monument	Х	Listed	Х
National Monument Record	Х	English Heritage Pastscape	X
Historic Environment Record	7004	Tarset & Greenhaugh HVA	8
Grundy	TAR 10	Tarset & Greystead Books	MM- 93 LX-90

## **EVIDENCE**

**Extant Building** 

## DESCRIPTION

Gatehouse Farmhouse is an early 19th century house on a 16th century base. Built of dressed stone with Welsh slate roof. The house is a small two-storey, two-bay cottage, quite pretty with a 20th century porch and windows. Its interest, however, lies in the fact that it quite clearly rests on the foundations of a bastle house. The massive boulder plinth is quite clearly visible front and back. The attached single-storey stable also rests on such a plinth, visible only at the back. Whether the remains indicate two connected bastles or one bastle with contemporary outbuildings is impossible to say. [Grundy 1987]

# **IMAGES**

None

### **NOTES**

See also Ryder 1990

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### TARSET ARCHIVE GROUP SITE RECORD

# **REFERENCES**

1	Grundy, J. (1987). The Historic Buildings of the Northumberland	
	National Park.	
2	Ryder, P.F. (1990), Bastles and Towers in the Northumberland	
	National Park	



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