Name and Contact Information
Please complete contact information below to notify us of any changes.

Name :	
Street Address:	
City, State, Zip Code:	

Phone:		**Email:**	

Instructions:

Please be sure to complete the entire datasheet.

Each datasheet represents one person's frog call observations. If you have an assistant, he/she can assist with the environmental data (e.g. air temp, count cars, etc.) but not with what frogs are heard.

Visit stops in 1-10 order. If unforeseen circumstances require you to skip a stop, write that on the datasheet.

At the start and finish of each survey record the time, wind, and sky conditions (see codes to the right).

At each stop listen for 5 minutes, then record the amphibian calling index for each species heard. Report only the species you are confident that you heard. If a species varies in calling intensity over the listening period, report the highest calling index level you heard.

At each stop, also report the environmental data requested: start time, air temperature, noise conditions, moonlight, and number of cars that passed while listening.

There are two kinds of noise disturbance questions:
- Was noise a factor? This is asking if background noise impacted your ability to hear. If yes, check the box.
- "Did you take a time out?" If an unexpected noise disturbance happens (such as a train) that lasts a minute or more, you may interrupt the 5 minute listening period to ignore the sudden disturbance. Finish up the listening time after the disturbance has passed. Do not include this type of noise in the "was noise a factor" question.

Index and Code Definitions

Amphibian Calling Index

1	Individuals can be counted; there is space between calls
2	Calls of individuals can be distinguished but there is some overlapping of calls
3	Full chorus, calls are constant, continuous and overlapping

Sky codes

0	Few clouds
1	Partly cloudy (scattered) or variable sky)
2	Cloudy or overcast
4	Fog or smoke
5	Drizzle or light rain (not affecting hearing ability)
7	Snow
8	Showers (is affecting hearing ability) do not conduct survey

Wind Codes

0	Calm (<1mph) smoke rises vertically
1	Light Air (1-3 mph) smoke drifts, weather vane inactive
2	Light Breeze (4-7 mph) leaves rustle, can feel wind on face
3	Gentle Breeze (8-12 mph) leaves and twigs move around, small flag extends
4*	Moderate Breeze (13-18 mph) moves thin branches, raises loose papers * Do not conduct survey, unless in Great Plains states
5**	Fresh Breeze (19 mph or greater) small trees begin to sway **Do not conduct survey –ALL REGIONS

Insert sampling windows or mailing address here

Comments:

Please complete information below		Data collected at start and finish of survey													

Please complete information below		For wind & sky codes see page 1	Start						Finish						
Observer Name:															
Route Number:		**Time (military)**													
Route Name:		**Wind**	0	1	2	3	4	5	0	1	2	3	4	5
Survey Date (mm/dd/yyyy):		**Sky**	0	1	2	4	5	7	8	0	1	2	4	5	7	8
Window Number:		Days since last rainfall:														

Data collected at each stop	Stop Number									
	1	**2**	**3**	**4**	**5**	**6**	**7**	**8**	**9**	**10**
Start Time (military):										
Air Temperature:										
Select Scale: **°C** **°F**										
Was noise a factor? (check if yes)										
Did you take a timeout? (check if yes)										

Species List	**1**	**2**	**3**	**4**	**5**	**6**	**7**	**8**	**9**	**10**
Moon or moonlight visible? Y, N										
Check if snow cover (optional)										
Number of cars that passed:										

If you have any additional notes, please write them in the box provided on the front of this sheet. Thank you for your participation!