

Aural Anuran Survey

Date _____ Time _____ Recorder _____
 Location _____
 Weather _____

Instructions: Conduct surveys at dusk, when wind velocity is less than 13 km/hr. Listen 5-10 minutes at each site and record a call index of 1, 2, or 3 (see below) for each species heard.

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* The call index is a rough measure of the abundance of calling males of a species, scored as follows.

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