

**Observation Datasheet**

**Volunteer and Site Information**

Observer Name:  
Site Name:  
State:  
Chapter:  
*(If applicable)*

**Visit Information**

Date:  
Start Time:  
End Time:  
*Begin monitoring at least 30 minutes after sunset. End time should be **exactly three minutes** after start time!*

**Weather Conditions**

*(Write in temperature during observation and make one selection per weather category)*

Air Temperature (Indicate °C or °F):

Wind Speed using Beaufort Wind Scale:

0       1       2       3  
 4       5

Precipitation during visit:

None       Fog/Mist       Light Rain/Drizzle       Medium Rain  
 Hard Rain       Hail       Snow

Precipitation in the past 48 hours:

No Precipitation       Some Precipitation       Much Precipitation

The temperature during the past 48 hours has primarily been:

Above Freezing       Below Freezing

**Beaufort Wind Scale**

- 0 Calm:** smoke rises vertically.
  - 1 Light Air:** rising smoke drifts; weather vane inactive.
  - 2 Light Breeze:** leaves rustle; can feel wind on face.
  - 3 Gentle Breeze:** leaves and twigs in constant motion; small flags extend.
- Too windy for monitoring:*
- 4 Moderate Breeze:** moves small branches; raises dust and loose paper.
  - 5 Fresh Breeze:** small trees in leaf begin to sway.

**Frog & Toad Observations**

Species Name

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Calling Intensity

0    1    2    3

0    1    2    3

0    1    2    3

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0    1    2    3

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**Calling Intensity Index**

- 0** No frogs or toads heard calling.
- 1** Individuals could be counted; there was space between calls.
- 2** Calls of individuals could be distinguished, some overlapping of calls.
- 3** Full chorus, calls were constant, continuous and overlapping.

**Additional Notes:**

Submit your Datasheet electronically to the DOEE FrogWatch Chapter Coordinator.

Email [doee.arec@dc.gov](mailto:doee.arec@dc.gov) to submit data or request assistance.

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