

## Photo Information Form

1. Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_
  
2. Your Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_
  
3. Your School: \_\_\_\_\_
  
4. Photo File Name: \_\_\_\_\_
  
5. Date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ (MM / DD / YYYY)
  
6. Time: \_\_\_\_ : \_\_\_\_ (HH:MM) | 24 Hour Time
  
7. Where was your photo taken? (Decimal coordinates):  
Latitude: \_\_\_\_\_ | Longitude: \_\_\_\_\_
  
8. Was this a **protected area**? (Circle one)  
Yes                      No                      I don't know
  
9. Has there been a **recent fire**?  
Yes                      No                      I don't know
10. (If yes, write the year when the fire occurred): \_\_\_\_\_ (YYYY)
  
11. Is there a nearby **river, lake, or spring**?  
Yes                      No                      I don't know
  
12. What was the **average temperature** like this year, compared to previous years?  
Warmer                  Normal                  Colder                  I don't know
  
13. What was the **average precipitation** like this year, compared to previous years?  
Wetter                  Normal                  Drier                  I don't know

14. Is this a **managed forest**?

Yes

No

I don't know

15. What percentage of **deciduous trees** can you identify? :

Below 25%

25 - 50%

50 - 75%

Above 75%

16. What percentage of **coniferous trees** can you identify? :

Below 25%

25 - 50%

50 - 75%

Above 75%

17. Is there **tall grass** in the area?

Yes

No

I don't know

18. Are there **bushes** in the area?

Yes

No

I don't know

19. What percentage of **old trees** can you identify? (Circle one):

Below 25%

25 - 50%

50 - 75%

Above 75%

20. What percentage of **new trees** can you identify? (Circle one):

Below 25%

25 - 50%

50 - 75%

Above 75%

21. Are there large amounts of **lichens** on the tree trunks/ bark?

Yes

No

I don't know

22. Are there large amounts of **lichens** on the tree branches (hanging down like thin, stringy hair or filaments)

Yes

No

I don't know

23. Distance to nearest **major road**: \_\_\_\_\_ km

24. Distance to nearest **settlement**: \_\_\_\_\_ km

25. Estimate the amount of **standing deadwood** (standing and inclining dry trunks, high stumps)

- Absent
- Small amount (single standing dry trunks)
- Large amount (more than 20% of the standing trees)
- Very large amount (comparable or exceeding the amount of living trees)
- All trees are dead
- I don't know

26. Estimate the amount of the **deadwood on the forest floor**

- Virtually absent (only small branches)
- Small amount (single large branches or dead trunks)
- Large amount (dead trunks and branches make walking in the forest difficult)
- Wind-through (All tree or the majority of trees are fallen down)
- I don't know

27. Is there **Insect damage**?

Yes

No

I don't know

28. Are there any **alien plant species**?

Yes

No

I don't know

29. How is the forest's **health**?

Excellent

Fair

Poor

I don't know

30. Is there any **evidence of logging**? (visible artificial tree stumps, branches, and other remnants left after logging, tracks of skidding or storing the wood)

Yes

No

I don't know

31. Describe what you see:

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