

GPS Log Instruction Sheet

To begin:

1. Write the date and location at the top of the GPS Log Sheet. This makes sure all the pages from the same day stay together.

2. Make sure the GPS number is written on the cover page. The GPS number is written on the side of the GPS.

During the survey:

Whenever a waypoint is taken with the GPS, or a photo is taken, it needs to be recorded on the GPS Log Sheet.

1. Record the waypoint number: The GPS assigns each waypoint a unique number. Get this number from the GPS person and write it down.

2. Record what occurred at the waypoint: Examples include: snowshoe hare tracks, bobcat resting spot, car, where you left the developed trail, etc. When recording tracks or sign, tell the species of animal, as well as whether it was tracks or another type of sign that you saw.

NOTE: Make sure to record every waypoint that was taken. Even if what occurred at the waypoint was 'practicing using the GPS' or 'didn't mean to take that waypoint'.

3. Record the number of pictures that were taken at that waypoint.

NOTE: If pictures were taken at a place other than a waypoint, record the number of pictures, and in the comments write something like "not associated with a waypoint".