



4-H Photo Monitoring Data Sheet

A record is part of your 4-H project. Keep your record neat, clean, and up-to-date. It's best to use a pencil. Write clearly. If you need help, ask your parents or leaders. If you need more space, add notebook paper to your record.

Date _____ Crew members _____

Location _____ Plot no. _____ Elevation _____

Season _____ Temperature _____ Annual precipitation _____

Monitoring is an effective way to find out if your project is meeting its goals and objectives. Monitoring can show how well, or how poorly, a management system is working. It can help you identify management changes you might need to make.

Taking photographs is one of the most basic monitoring techniques. Photographs cannot tell the whole story about a project, but you can gather much information from photographs taken at the same point over a number of years.

Record of best photos

f. stop	Focal length (mm)	Camera speed	Time of day	Compass heading	Distance from witness post	Exposure number	Subject description

Place photo here

Comments (weather conditions, grazing (before/after), wildlife activity, and general thoughts)

Comparison to prior years (for example, indications of trend, management changes, seeding programs, fencing)

Note: You can add extra photo pages to this record by copying this page.

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