

PERMANENT PLOT RECONNAISSANCE (RECCE) PLOT SHEET

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PLOT IDENTIFIER: _____ DAY/MONTH/YEAR: _____
 SURVEY: _____ AERIAL PHOTO: _____
 REGION: _____ TOPO. MAP NO. & NAME: _____
 CATCHMENT: _____ GPS REFERENCE: GPS Make & Model: _____
 SUB-CATCHMENT: _____ Easting: _____
 MEASURED BY: _____ Northing: _____
 RECORDED BY: _____ Single / Averaged; 2D / 3D; ± ____ m; Datum: NZGD49 / NZGD2000

PLOT LAYOUT	Bearing	Tape length	MESOSCALE TOPOGRAPHIC INDEX (°, record +/-)	SURFACE CHARACTERISTICS:				
A-D				Bedrock %				
D-M				Broken rock %				
M-P				Size of broken rock <30cm / >30cm				
P-A			N	Alluvial, Colluvial, Moraine, Volcanic				
ALTITUDE (m)			NE	GROUND COVER %:				
PHYSIOGRAPHY	Ridge, Face, Gully, Terrace		E	Vegetation				
ASPECT (0-359°)			SE	Non-vascular				
SLOPE (°)	Convex, Concave, Linear		S	Litter				
PARENT MATERIAL Mapped / Observed			SW	Bare Ground				
			W	Rock				
DRAINAGE	Good, Moderate, Poor		NW	AVERAGE TOP HEIGHT (m)				
CULTURAL	None, Burnt, Logged, Cleared, Mined, Grazed, Tracked			CANOPY COVER (%)				
APPROACH			LOCATION DIAGRAM					
NOTES (including cultural)			BROWSE:					
FAUNA (e.g., mammal, bird, reptile, invertebrate)			Species	Severity	Herbivore	Species	Severity	Herbivore
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