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## Amphibian-Spotter Data Sheet

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County: \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Evening phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City/St/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Total volunteer time (# people X # hours): \_\_\_\_\_

Sighting Number	Date	Location (distance & direction from nearest town or Lat-Long)	Habitat Type <sup>1</sup>	Species Name	# Seen	Calls <sup>2</sup> (C.I. Value)	Notes (especially note malformations)

<sup>1</sup> Please describe as upland forest, bottomland forest, grassland, savannah, brushland, agricultural, residential, or as one of the wetland types on page 36.

<sup>2</sup> Call Index values of frog and toad calls:  
 1 = individuals can be counted and there is some space between calls;  
 2 = calls of individuals distinguishable but there is some overlapping of calls;  
 3 = full chorus—calls are constant, continuous, and overlapping.



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County: San Jacinto Daytime phone: 123-456-7890  
 Name: Ima Prince Evening phone: 123-098-7654  
 Address: 201 Hopalong Way Fax: 123-456-7899  
 City/St/Zip: Coldspring TX 78542 E-mail: toadlove@aol.com  
 Total volunteer time (# people X # hours): 2.5 hr.

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1	2/15/2000	roadside park, 4 mi. NE of Shepherd	man-made ponds	spring peeper		3	heard from the roadside
2	3/10/2000	Sam Houston Nat'l Forest, 6 mi. W of Coldspring	bottomland forest	tiger salamander	1		6 in. long - found under log
3	4/5/2000	Coldspring Elementary School	residential	Gulf Coast toad	3		under streetlight in evening
4	6/11/2000	Trinity River oxbow, 4 mi. W of SH 59	swamp	amphiuma	1		seined up with fish; 12 in. long

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