**FIXING SEEDLING PLOT CORNERS:**

Supplies:

* PVC pipes
* Transect tape
* Compass

1. See diagram below for the dimensions of the seedling plots. Hollow circles represent the stakes to be placed at the diagonal corners of each seedling plot. One PVC pipe stake of each seedling plot should be placed 2 meters from the central grid stake.

1 m

1.44

**Plot Stake**

**N**

1 m

1 m

1 m

1 m

1 m

2 m

2 m

2 m

1. If a stake is missing, use the dimensions shown in the diagram to replace it. If possible, verify your placement using seedling tags from the previous year.
2. Seedling plots will have been moved if they fell within an area where there is a woody stem with DBH > 10 cm or if > 40% of ground cover is water. If a plot was moved and both PVC pipes were lost, use seedling map (found in the data sheets of the seedling binder) to estimate the original location of the stakes. If all tags were lost as well, select a new location and make a note with the direction and distance of the nearest stake to the central grid stake.