

Earth HoloGenome Initiative - Metadata Sheet B

Animal information

Sample information

Researcher: _____

Specimen ID	Own code of field researcher	Tube code	Type	Sample origin	Freshness	Time to freezing	Animal metadata Trapping method Handnet, Mistnet, Pitfall, Sherman, Shot, Other Trapped time Maximum time animal has been trapped before sampling Length Bats (forearm length), Birds (tarsus length), Mammals (length of hind foot/ greatest length of ear), Reptiles (snout-tail) Sex F=Female, M=Male, U=Unknown Development & Reproductive status L=Larva, J=Juvenile, A=Adult, P=Pregnant Sample metadata Type F=Faecal, A=Anal/cloacal swab, O=oral swab, S=Skin swab, B=Blood, T=Tissue Origin D=Directly from animal, G=From ground, T=From Trap, H=From isolation housing. Freshness Minutes or hours before the sample was stored in a preservative. E.g. 10m or 2h Time to freezing Time (hours or days) until the tube with the sample was stored minimum at -20 °C. E.g. 4h, 1d, 7d
Sampling event ID	Linked to sampling sheet	ABC45					
Species	Scientific name						
Trapping method							
Trapped time							
Length	cm						
Weight	grams						
Sex		Notes:					
Dev & Repro							
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Please, transfer this information to the electronic metadata sheet

More information: www.earthhologenome.org/sampling