Puget Sound
Seabird Survey

Recording Form

Date:_____/_____/_____
(MM / DD / YYYY)

Survey Site Code:_____ Survey Site Name: _____

Start Time (e.g. 1500):_____ Finish Time (e.g. 1517): _____

Name (1): _____
(does distance measurement)

Name (2): _____

Name (3): _____

Name (4): _____

SPECIES	SURVEY *(w/in 300m)*			SEX RATIO			Horizon Obscured?	LARGE FLOCK?			***Optional Column*** *(in flight / beyond 300m / after survey)*	
	#	bearing	dist(mm)	M	F	?		min.	max.	best		notes
D.C. Cormorant	2						☒ YES				☐	
SUSC (or *"Surf Scoter"*)	43	125	25	20	15	8	☐ YES	35	50	43	☐	
Pigeon Guillemot							☐ YES				☒	*4, flying far offshore*
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SURVEY CONDITIONS:

please circle the appropriate conditions

WEATHER	CLEAR	PARTLY-CLOUDLY	OVERCAST	FOG	
PRECIPITATION	RAIN	SNOW	NONE		
SEA STATE	CALM	RIPPLED	CHOPPY	WAVY	ROUGH
TIDE MOVEMENT	RISING	FALLING	UNKNOWN		

VISIBILITY CONDITIONS:

how far away did you have VERY GOOD visibility of the birds?

< 100m 100m 250m 500m 1km

if visibility was poor, due to what conditions?

GLARE SEA CONDITIONS WEATHER OTHER: _____

HUMAN ACTIVITY:

indicate NUMBER of shoreline users in the following categories

_____ Walkers _____ Dogs

_____ Power Boats _____ Unpowered Boats

_____ Other: _____

RAPTOR ACTIVITY:

record the COUNT of each RAPTOR SPECIES observed during survey.

#	species	notes on how it affected the birds on the water

SURVEY EQUIPMENT:

circle equipment type and max magnification (e.g. "8x" or "20-60x")

BINOCULARS _____ *mag. power* SPOTTING SCOPE _____ *mag. power*

NOTES AND COMMENTS:

OILING RATES:

how many male Buffleheads were visibly oiled? *(please circle)*

N/A	NONE	_____ (count)

notes: _____

Bird Families included in the *Puget Sound Seabird Survey*

Geese/Swans

Dabbling Ducks

Diving Ducks

Loons

Grebes

Cormorants

Gulls / Terns

Alcids

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