RECONNAISSANCE (RECCE) SHEET

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RECCE IDENTIFIER: _____   DAY/MONTH/YEAR: _____

SURVEY: _____   TOPO. MAP NO. & NAME: _____

REGION: _____   GPS REFERENCE: GPS Make & Model: _____

CATCHMENT: _____   Easting: _____

SUB-CATCHMENT: _____   Northing: _____

MEASURED BY: _____   GPS FIX: Single / Averaged; 2D / 3D Datum: NZGD49 / NZGD2000

RECORDED BY: _____   GPS ACCURACY 100%: Y / N ;   ± _____ m

PERMANENTLY MARKED: Y / N   GPS LOCATION: CORNER D / other: _____

SIZE OF RECCE		
ALTITUDE (m)		
PHYSIOGRAPHY Ridge, Face, Gully, Terrace		
ASPECT (1–359º)		
SLOPE (º)		
PARENT MATERIAL		
Mapped / Observed		
DRAINAGE: Good, Moderate, Poor		
CULTURAL None, Burnt, Logged, Cleared,		
Mined, Grazed, Tracked		
TREATMENT:		

APPROACH:

	MTI	TSI
N		
NE		
E		
SE		
S		
SW		
W		
NW		

MESOSCALE TOPOGRAPHIC & TERRAIN SHAPE INDEX (º, record +/–)

SURFACE CHARACTERISTICS:

Bedrock %	
Broken rock %	
Size of broken rock <30cm / >30cm	
Alluvial, Colluvial, Moraine, Volcanic	

GROUND COVER %:

Vegetation	
Non-vascular	
Litter	
Bare Ground	
Rock	
AVERAGE TOP HEIGHT (m)	
CANOPY COVER (%)	

VEGETATION DESCRIPTION & NOTES:

LOCATION DIAGRAM

BROWSE

Species	Severity	Herbivore	Species	Severity	Herbivore
	L M H			L M H	
	L M H			L M H	
	L M H			L M H	
	L M H			L M H	
	L M H			L M H	
	L M H			L M H	
	L M H			L M H	
	L M H			L M H	
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FAUNA (e.g. mammal, bird, reptile, invertebrate)

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Cover-classes: 1= <1%, 2=1–5%, 3=6–25%, 4=26–50%, 5=51–75%, 6=76–100%.
For a 20×20-m plot area: 1% = 2×2-m (i.e. 4 m^2); 5% = 4×5-m (i.e. 20 m^2).

	Tier 1	Tier 2	Tier 3	Tier 4	Tier 5	Tier 6
	>25 m	12–25 m	5–12 m	2–5 m	0.3–2 m	<0.3 m
Overall Cover						
Tier 7						
Epiphytes						