

NRDA Sample Collection Form - TISSUE/WRACK

Lead Sampler's Name/Phone								Sampler Team Code			
Lead Sampler's Affiliation								Resource Group			
NRDA Contact/Phone								Resource Group Leader			
Incident Name								Habitat (e.g., sand beach)			
General Location Description								Sample date (mm/dd/yyyy)			
Location Code	Matrix	Sample Number (two digits)	Sample Time	Species (NA for Wrack)	Tissue Type (NA for Wrack)	Number in sample (NA for Wrack)	Sample QA/QC Type	Latitude	Longitude	Sample Notes	
<i>Division/ Segment or Grid, "/" between each item</i>	<i>(T)issue or Wrack (R)</i>	<i>Sample # and A, B, or C for portion of composite</i>	<i>(24-hr clock, local time)</i>	<i>Species collected</i>	<i>Whole or tissue type</i>	<i>Number of organisms in sample</i>	<i>Normal sample or Field QA/QC type</i>	<i>Latitude in DD XX.XXXX</i>	<i>Longitude in DD -YY'Y.YYYY</i>	<i>Description of sample, including size (weight, length), equipment, photos numbers, etc.</i>	
Survey Notes - (weather, wildlife, field team composition, sampling design changes, photos, etc.)											
Relinquished by:						Received by:					
Date	Time	Signature - Field Sampler	Print Name- Field Sampler	Date	Time	Signature - Sample Runner/ Command Post	Print Name - Sample Runner/ Command Post				

Matrix	Sample methods and descriptions		Sample Area Sketch
Sediment or Soil	Sampling Method	Depth units	
(S)ediment	(GR)ab	(c)m	
Soil (L)	(CO)re	(m)	
Blan(K) Water		(i)nches (f)eet	
Oil, Tarball or Water	Sampling Method	Oil/Tarball Position	
(O)il	(GR)ab	(FLOAT)ing	
Tarball (B)	(SC)rape	(SUB)merged	
(W)ater	(OT)her	(STRAND)ed	
Blan(K) Water		(COV)ering NA	
	Species (NA for Wrack)	Tissue Type (NA for Wrack)	
(T)issue	<enter species>	(WH)ole body	
Wrack (R)		Whole body w/o shell (WNS)	
Blan(K) Water		Fillet with skin (FS)	
		Fillet without skin (FWOS)	
		(MU)scle	
		(LI)ver	
		(EGG)	
		Leaves (LEV)	
		Leaves and stems (LVS) NA	
Sample Identifier system			
Complete sample IDs are comprised of the following information:			
LocationCode: Either Division/Segment or Grid			
Date: 1 character year (2010 = A, 2011 = B, etc.) and 4 digit month and day (mmdd)			
Sample: 1 character matrix code, 2 digit sampler team, and 2 digit sample number			
Examples:			
If Div/Seg = BN/02; Date = 5/2/2010, Matrix=Tissue; Team# = 01; & Samp#=02			
Then Sample ID = BN/02-A0502-T0102			
If Grid = 78; Date = 11/30/2010, Matrix=Sediment; Team# = 08; & Samp#=12			
Then Sample ID = 78-A1130-S0812			
IF Div/Seg = LA/42; Date = 1/30/2011, Matrix=Wrack; Team# = 04; & Samp#=57			
Then Sample ID = LA/42-B0130-R0457			