

Bald Eagle Nest Monitoring Data Sheet

RETURN BY AUGUST 15th TO: Missouri Department of Conservation, Resource Science Division
ATTENTION: Eagle Watch, 2901 W. Truman Blvd., Jefferson City, MO 65109 or eaglewatch@mdc.mo.gov

Nest Name or ID: _____ Observer: _____

Survey Period 1		Survey Goal: Is the territory active?			
Date:		Start Time:		Minutes Spent Observing Nest:	
Activity at Nest?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	Number of Adults Seen?	<input type="checkbox"/> 0 <input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2		
Describe activity (check all that apply):					
<input type="checkbox"/> Courtship		<input type="checkbox"/> Repairing/building nest			
<input type="checkbox"/> Flying in vicinity of nest		<input type="checkbox"/> Incubation			
<input type="checkbox"/> Perch/roost near nest		<input type="checkbox"/> Feeding young			
<input type="checkbox"/> Other:		<input type="checkbox"/> Empty nest			
County: _____					
Latitude (N): _____ Longitude (W): _____ OR Township _____ Range _____ Section _____					
Directions:					

Survey Period 2		Survey Goal: Number of young in the nest?			
Date:		Start Time:		Minutes Spent Observing Nest:	
Activity at Nest?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	Number of Adults Seen?	<input type="checkbox"/> 0 <input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2		
Describe activity (check all that apply):					
<input type="checkbox"/> Flying in vicinity of nest		<input type="checkbox"/> Feeding young			
<input type="checkbox"/> Perch/roost near nest		<input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
<input type="checkbox"/> Empty nest					
Comments:					
Number of Young Seen? (check ONLY ONE):					
<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown if young are present					
<input type="checkbox"/> Adult behavior suggests presence of young but none seen					
<input type="checkbox"/> Young seen (indicate number below)					
<input type="checkbox"/> 0 <input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3					
Are you certain that the number of young seen are all the young present? <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N					
Did you see any fledglings? <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N					
If yes, how many? <input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3					
Comments:					

Survey Period 3		Survey Goal: Number of Fledglings Produced?				
Date:		Start Time:		Minutes Spent Observing Nest:		
Activity at Nest?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y	<input type="checkbox"/> N	Number of Adults Seen?	<input type="checkbox"/> 0	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
Describe activity (check all that apply):						
<input type="checkbox"/> Flying in vicinity of nest		<input type="checkbox"/> Feeding young				
<input type="checkbox"/> Perch/roost near nest		<input type="checkbox"/> Other:				
Comments:						
Number of Fledglings Seen? (check ONLY ONE):						
<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown if fledglings are present						
<input type="checkbox"/> No fledglings produced by this nest-unsuccessful nest						
<input type="checkbox"/> Fledglings seen (check number seen below)						
<input type="checkbox"/> 0		<input type="checkbox"/> 1		<input type="checkbox"/> 2		<input type="checkbox"/> 3
Are you certain that the number of fledglings seen are all the fledglings present?					<input type="checkbox"/> Y	<input type="checkbox"/> N
Comments:						

Overall comments or concerns:

Photos attached: Y N If yes, how many photos? _____

Please review your datasheet to make sure all fields are filled in completely. If you have a question about what to enter in a particular field, please contact the coordinator at eaglewatch@mdc.mo.gov

Form modified and courtesy of Iowa Department of Natural Resources