



CITIZEN SCIENCE BEACH LITTER AUDIT



BEACH NAME: DATE:

BEACH TRANSECT (TICK): WIDEST NARROWEST MID SECTION

START LANDMARK TRANSECT DIRECTION (COMPASS READING)

DISTANCE FROM START LANDMARK (TOP OF BEACH) TO LAST HIGH TIDE LINE

START TIME: FINISH TIME:

SURVEY BY: EMAIL/PHONE

MATERIAL TYPE	Q 1	Q2	Q3	TOTAL
PLASTICS				
BAGS				
- bait				
- ice				
- retail store				
- shopping (grey/white)				
- zip lock				
BOTTLES				
- softdrink				
- fruit juice / milk				
- water				
- bottle caps				
CIGARETTES				
- butts				
- cellophane wrap				
- cigarette lighters				
DRINK CARTONS				
- fruit juice / milk				
FASTENERS				
- cable ties				
- rope / twine				
- strapping (scrap)				
- tile spacers				
FISHING				
- fishing line				
- fishing lures				
FOOD PACKAGING				
- cling wrap / film				
- confectionery wraps				
- cups / cup lids				
- food jars / lids				
- lollipop sticks				
- 6 pack can-holders				
- sauce sachets				
- smoothie cups / lids				
- soy sauce fish / caps				
- take-away tubs / lids				
TOTALS				

MATERIAL TYPE	Q 1	Q2	Q3	TOTAL
PLASTIC PIECES				
- hard pieces <5mm				
- hard pieces 5mm +				
- soft pieces <5mm				
- soft pieces 5mm +				
- nurdles				
- synthetic turf				
POLYSTYRENE				
- beads				
- cups				
- food boxes / trays				
- pieces 5mm +				
- packaging				
USER ITEMS				
- dental floss				
- forks, knives, spoons				
- pens / markers				
- straws				
- syringes				
GLASS				
- broken pieces				
- bottles (beer)				
- bottles (beer stubbie)				
- bottles (soft drink)				
- bottles (wine)				
- jars				
METAL				
- aluminium foil				
- bottle tops				
- cans (aerosol)				
- cans (beer)				
- cans (soft drink)				
- cans (spirits)				
- fish hooks				
RUBBER/ELASTIC				
- balloons /ties				
- hair ties				
- rubber bands				
TOTALS				

NOTES FOR EACH QUADRAT - Record any plastic items not listed on datasheet

1. TOP OF BEACH	2. MID BEACH	3. HIGH TIDE	OTHER NOTES

