



Marine Metre² Survey Information

ROCKY SHORE

DATE				SCHOOL / GROUP			
LOCATION				SURVEYOR NAMES			
START TIME							
SHORE LEVEL	LOW	MID	HIGH				
EXPOSURE	VERY EXPOSED	EXPOSED	SHELTERED				

SUBSTRATE		PERCENTAGE COVER %
Reef	stable rock cover	
Boulder	head size	
Cobble	fist size	
Gravel	marble size	
Sand	like the beach	
Sediment	fine grain size	
Mud	gooey	
Total	this should add to 100%	100 %

KEY FEATURES OF THIS SITE

e.g. rocky headland with surf beach 3 km to south; freshwater creek 50 m to the north; upper shore modified with harbour wall etc..

EVIDENCE OF HUMAN INFLUENCES

e.g. rubbish, people collecting seafood, tyre tracks on sand, dogs present, people in the water



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PHOTO

Take a photo of your m² area and put the top of this sheet in the corner for identification later.

SEAWEEDS Common or scientific name	PERCENTAGE COVER %	TOTAL PERCENTAGE COVER %
<i>E.g. Portobello seaweed</i>	1 + 20 + 2	23 %

ANIMALS Common or scientific name	SPECIES TALLY Count	TOTAL COUNT
<i>E.g. Portobello Chiton</i>		8

If you find a species you cannot identify, write a description of it and where it was found in the species list. Make sure you take a photo of it and send all the information to us at marinemetresquared@gmail.com.

Remember to share your survey in the Marine Metre² database at www.mm2.net.nz