

Appendix 2. Sample fuel assessment field work form V3

Date Assessed:	Assessors:
Sampling Location:	Veg Type:

Plot Information												
Plot No.												
Zone:												
Easting (GDA94 MGA UTM):												
Northing (GDA94 MGA UTM):												

Canopy Height (Assess over a 20m radius)			
Ave Hgt to Top of Canopy:	m	m	m
Ave Hgt to Base of Canopy:	m	m	m

Bark fuel (Assess over a 20m radius.) (Note: NP is bark type not present.)															
Stringybark Fuel Hazard:	NP	M	H	VH	E	NP	M	H	VH	E	NP	M	H	VH	E
Ribbon Bark Fuel Hazard:	NP	M	H	VH		NP	M	H	VH		NP	M	H	VH	
Other Bark Fuel Hazard:	L	M	H			L	M	H			L	M	H		

Select the Bark Hazard rating from above that will be used to determine Overall Fuel Hazard. (Only use the Stringybark hazard rating if more than 10% of the trees are Stringybark **AND** it has the highest rating. Otherwise use the bark with next highest rating.)

Bark Fuel Hazard:	L	M	H	VH	E	L	M	H	VH	E	L	M	H	VH	E
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Elevated fuel layer (Assess over a 10m radius)															
Elevated % Cover:	%	%	%												
Elevated % Dead	%	%	%												
Elevated Fuel Ave Height (m)	m	m	m												
Elevated Fuel Hazard:	L	M	H	VH	E	L	M	H	VH	E	L	M	H	VH	E

Near-surface fuel layer (Assess over a 10m radius)															
Near-surface % Cover:	%	%	%												
Near-surface % Dead	%	%	%												
NS Average Height (cm):	cm	cm	cm												
NS Fuel Hazard:	L	M	H	VH	E	L	M	H	VH	E	L	M	H	VH	E

Surface fuel layer (Assess over a 10m radius)															
Surface Litter % Cover:	%	%	%												
Average Litter Depth (mm):	mm	mm	mm												
Surface Fuel Hazard	L	M	H	VH	E	L	M	H	VH	E	L	M	H	VH	E

Combined Surface and Near-surface Fine Fuel Hazard calculation (refer Section 7)															
Combined Hazard	L	M	H	VH	E	L	M	H	VH	E	L	M	H	VH	E

Overall Fuel Hazard calculation (refer Section 8)															
Overall Fuel Hazard	L	M	H	VH	E	L	M	H	VH	E	L	M	H	VH	E

Are the plots representative of the average fuels across the sampling location?	Yes	No
<p>If no, explain any significant difference between plots. For example, wet gully runs through the sampling area, no plots were located in this gully.</p> <hr style="border: 0; border-top: 1px solid black; margin-top: 10px;"/>		