



ASSESSING PRIVATELY-CONSERVED AREAS FOR ALIGNMENT WITH PATHWAY TO CANADA TARGET 1

EVIDENCE AND SUPPORT WORKSHEET



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A guidance document to help land trusts determine if a privately-conserved parcel is a *Protected Area*, an *Other Effective Area-based Conservation Measure (OECM)*, or neither

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Project Information

Project / Conservation Area Name:	
Location / Legal Land Description:	
Size (hectares):	

Evidence and Support Worksheet – Protected Area (PA)

Criterion	Satisfies Criterion (Y or N)	Evidence and Support	Explanatory Notes
Clearly defined geographical space			
Recognized			
Dedicated			
Managed			
Through legal or other effective means			
To achieve			
Long-term			
Conservation			
Nature			
Associated ecosystem services and			
Cultural values.			

Evidence and Support Worksheet – OECM

Criterion	Satisfies Criterion (Y or N)	Evidence and Support	Explanatory Notes
A geographically defined area			
other than a Protected Area			
Governed			
Managed			
Positive outcomes for biodiversity			
Sustained long-term			
In situ conservation of biodiversity			
Biodiversity			
Ecosystem functions and services			
Cultural, spiritual, socio-economic, and other locally relevant values			