Logs
Instructions & Metadata

Some rules for data entry

1. Please use the same **Site** & **Strata** names you have in previous uploads
2. Please use the same **Latitude**/**Longitude** if you've sampled the site-strata before
3. If >1 of the same strata type in a site, describe in **Notes**: *e.g.* "armored-north"
4. Please leave cell blank if measurement was missed (*do not put a "0"*)

1. The 1st 6 columns describe WHERE (site characteristics) & WHEN (time, date) you sampled:

	Site	Latitude	Longitude	Strata	Date	Replicate
format	*text*	*number: decimal degrees*		*text*: e.g., **natural**, **armored**, **pre-restoration**, **post-restoration**	*mm/dd/yyyy*	*number: integer*
description	use the same site name for multiple strata in the same place	use the same coordinates used previously if resampling the same strata at the same site		**natural**: never been armored & used as reference; **armored**: armored shoreline with no plans for removal; **pre-restoration**: armored shoreline with plans for restoration; **post-restoration**: restored treatment (e.g. armor removed); or other designation	sample date in number format	use consecutive numbers (preferred); *or* distance on transect
required?	required			recommended	required	

2. The next 13 columns are the main log summary measurements taken:

	Width _log_line	Total _log_count	Large_log_gt _2m_count	Small_log _lt_2m_count	Log_1x1 _count	Log_1x3 _count	Log_1x8 _count	Log_2x1 _count	Log_2x3 _count	Log_2x8 _count	Log_5x1 _count	Log_5x3 _count	Log_5x8 _count
format	*number in meters*	*number: integer*											
description	width of log line	total number of logs	total number of logs > 2m in length	total number of logs < 2m in length	number logs 1-2m long & 0.1-0.3m dia.	number logs 1-2m long & 0.1-0.3m dia.	number logs 1-2m long & >0.8m dia.	number logs 2-5m long & 0.1-0.3m dia.	number logs 2-5m long & 0.1-0.3m dia.	number logs 2-5m long & >0.8m dia.	number logs >5m long & 0.1-0.3m dia.	number logs >5m long & 0.1-0.3m dia.	number logs >5m long & >0.8m dia.
required?	recommended				optional								

3. The last 8 columns describe characteristics of the logs:

	Contacting _sediment_count	Human_use_count	Type_human_use	Marine_growth _count	Type_marine	Terrestrial_growth_ count	Terrestrial_type	notes
format	*number: integer*	*number: integer*	*text*	*number: integer*	*text*	*number: integer*	*text*	*text*
description	*number of logs contacting sediment*	*number logs with human use*	*type human use (e.g. cut, nail)*	*number logs with marine growth*	*type marine growth (e.g. mussels, algae)*	*number logs with terrestrial growth*	*type terrestrial growth (e.g. grass)*	*notes on data*
required?	optional							