



MIKE Elephant Carcass Report



Site Name: _____

Patrol ID: _____ Name of recorder: _____ Found by _____

Date found: _____ Day: _____ Month: _____ Year: _____

GPS WP ID: _____ GPS coordinate: X/E _____ Y/N _____

Coordinate System: Decimal Degrees UTM (Zone: _____ (e.g. 36M), Hemisphere (N/S) _____)

Name of location: _____

Type and Cause of Death: (tick one heading *and* one cause in the same box)

<input type="checkbox"/> Natural	<input type="checkbox"/> Illegal	<input type="checkbox"/> Management	<input type="checkbox"/> Other - unintended human related deaths	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Cause: <input type="checkbox"/> Old age <input type="checkbox"/> Disease/Wounds <input type="checkbox"/> Drought <input type="checkbox"/> Starvation & thirst <input type="checkbox"/> Predation <input type="checkbox"/> Accident (natural) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (add details below)	Cause: <input type="checkbox"/> Gunshot <input type="checkbox"/> Poison Arrow <input type="checkbox"/> Snare/Trap <input type="checkbox"/> Spear <input type="checkbox"/> Poisoning <input type="checkbox"/> Electrocution <input type="checkbox"/> Explosive <input type="checkbox"/> Other (add details below)	Cause: <input type="checkbox"/> Problem Animal <input type="checkbox"/> Management Cull <input type="checkbox"/> Self Defence <input type="checkbox"/> Sport Hunting <input type="checkbox"/> Veterinary-related <input type="checkbox"/> Rogue elephant <input type="checkbox"/> Other (add details below)	Cause: <input type="checkbox"/> Train/Vehicle collision <input type="checkbox"/> Falling in a human-made trench <input type="checkbox"/> Electrocution (unintentional) <input type="checkbox"/> Drowning in water well <input type="checkbox"/> Death of calf due to mother being poached	Cause: <input type="checkbox"/> Bones only <input type="checkbox"/> No evidence <input type="checkbox"/> Other causes

Signs (evidence) of cause of death (please give details): _____

Was a post-mortem conducted? Yes No (If yes, please give details in Additional Notes below)

Is there evidence that the killing was associated with a human-elephant conflict incident? (If yes, please give details in Additional Notes below) Yes No

Carcass details:

How was the carcass first detected?

Method	Tick	Method	Tick	Method	Tick
Aerial patrol		Researchers		Operator (tour/safari/hunting)	
Ground patrol		Local information/intelligence		Other (give details)	
Aerial animal survey		Local community		Management Report	
Ground animal survey		Tourist		Intelligence operations	

Decay stage (Carcass Age) <input type="checkbox"/> Fresh <input type="checkbox"/> Recent <input type="checkbox"/> Old <input type="checkbox"/> Very Old <input type="checkbox"/> Undetermined	Elephant Age <input type="checkbox"/> Calf or infant <input type="checkbox"/> Juvenile <input type="checkbox"/> Subadult <input type="checkbox"/> Adult <input type="checkbox"/> Undetermined	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Undetermined <input type="checkbox"/> Makhna (Male naturally without tusks, Asia only)	Trophy (ivory) status <input type="checkbox"/> Found in/ around carcass <input type="checkbox"/> Removed illegally <input type="checkbox"/> Naturally absent <input type="checkbox"/> Not found/ uncertain cause	Status of other parts <input type="checkbox"/> All other body parts intact <input type="checkbox"/> Skin removed <input type="checkbox"/> Meat removed <input type="checkbox"/> Tail removed <input type="checkbox"/> Meat removed <input type="checkbox"/> Other parts removed (add details below)
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Additional Notes:

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Tusk details:

Measurement	Left Tusk	Right Tusk
Circumference (cm)		
Length (cm) tip to base		
Weight (kg)		
Local ref. no. / Store Code		
Unique code (country-of-origin two-letter ISO code, the last two digits of the year / the serial number for the year / and the weight in kilograms (e.g. KE 00/127/14)		

Lower Jaw – Teeth measurement:

Measurement	Front tooth	Second Tooth (if present)	Third Tooth (if present)
Length (cm)			
Width (cm)			