



# Pallas's cat conservation survey (herders)

Name (optional):.....Lat:..... Long:.....

Profession.....Age.....

How long have they live here?.....Sex.....

## PALLAS'S CATS AND THEIR PREY

- If they do not know what a Pallas's cat is go straight to **Q 14**

1. Look at the photos. Which cat is a Pallas's cat? Tick the box.

- A-
- B-
- C
- D
- Don't know





**2. Do you think there is more, less, or the same number of Pallas cats now as it was 10 years ago? Tick one box.**

- More
- Less
- The same
- Not sure

**3. How often do you see Pallas's cats? Tick one box.**

- Once per week
- Once per month
- Once per year
- Never
- Other

**4. How often do you see signs of Pallas's cats? Tick one box.**

- Once per week
- Once per month
- Once per year
- Never
- Other

**5. What do you think the threats are to Pallas's cats? Tick all that apply.**

- Hunting
- Lack of habitat
- Lack of prey
- Agriculture
- Overgrazing
- Mining
- Disease
- Dog's
- Poisoning
- Other wildlife
- Other
- There are no threats



6. Look at the photos. In what type of landscapes have you seen Pallas's cats? Tick all that apply.

- C- Grassland
- D- Forest
- C - Desert
- D - Rocky areas
- E - High mountains
- F - Snow cover

Other.....



7. Have you seen dead Pallas's cats during the last 5 years? Tick one box.

- YES
- NO
- Not sure

If YES where did you see it or them?

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**8. Do you know what it or they died from? (Note that more than one answer is possible if you have seen more than one dead Pallas's cat) Tick all that apply.**

YES

- Starvation
- Disease
- Killed by dog
- Poisoning
- Hunted for skin
- Caught in trap or snare set for other animal

NO

**9. Have you seen a skin from Pallas's cats? Tick all that apply.**

YES

- In town
- At market
- Other place

NO

Not sure

If you have seen skin, where have you seen it?

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**10. Are there any positives effects of Pallas's cats to you or your animals? Tick all that apply.**

Yes

- Kill rodents
- Keep other predator's away
- Tourism
- Source of skins
- Good for environment
- Other

No

Not sure



**11. Are there any negative effects of Pallas's cats to you or your animals? Tick all that apply.**

Yes

- Carry diseases
- Bad for environment
- Kill livestock
- Other

No

Not sure

**12. Do you see more, less, or the same number of rodents now compared to 10 yrs ago? Tick one box.**

More

Less

The same

Not sure

**13. Do you see more, less, or the same number of pikas now compared to 10 yrs ago? Tick one box.**

More

Less

The same

Not sure

**14. Do you have any problems with rodents? Tick all that apply.**

Yes

Competition for livestock

Carry diseases

Destroys grasslands

Other

No



**15. If you have had problems with rodents, what do you do to solve them? Tick all that apply.**

- Set traps
  - Put out poison
  - Other
  - Not applicable
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**16. Do you have any problems with pikas? Tick all that apply.**

Yes

- Competition for livestock
- Spreads diseases
- Destroys grasslands
- Other
- No

**17. If you have problems with picas how do you solve them? Tick all that apply.**

- Set traps
  - Shoot pikas
  - Put out poison
  - Other
  - Not applicable
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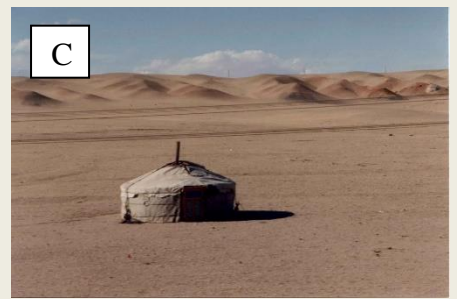
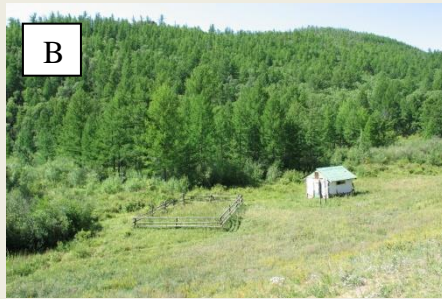


# Habitat

18. Look at the photos. What kind of habitats are in your area? Tick all that apply.

- A- Grassland
- B- Forest
- C - Desert
- D - Rocky areas
- E - High mountains
- F - Snow cover

Other.....



19. Have you seen any significant changes in any of the habitats during the last 20 years? Tick all that apply.

Yes

- Overgrazing from livestock
- More construction
- Less snow fall
- Drier
- More rainfall?
- More diseases
- Other  if other what do you see?

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No

Not sure



**Do you have any other info you'd like to add?**

**Thank you for participating!**