








Fecal Scoring Chart

SCORE	SPECIMEN EXAMPLE	CHARACTERISTICS
1		<ul style="list-style-type: none">· Very hard and dry· Often expelled as individual pellets· Requires much effort to expel from body· Leaves no residue on ground when picked up
2		<ul style="list-style-type: none">· Firm, but not hard, pliable· Segmented in appearance· Little or no residue on ground when picked up
3		<ul style="list-style-type: none">· Log shaped, moist surface· Little or no visible segmentation· Leaves residue on ground, but holds form when picked up
4		<ul style="list-style-type: none">· Very moist and soggy· Log shaped· Leaves residue on ground and loses form when picked up
5		<ul style="list-style-type: none">· Very moist but has a distinct shape· Present in piles rather than logs· Leaves residue on ground and loses form when picked up
6		<ul style="list-style-type: none">· Has texture, but no defined shape· Present as piles or spots· Leaves residue on ground when picked up
7		<ul style="list-style-type: none">· Watery· No texture· Present in flat puddles