The Field Observation is to give you practice in identifying the common invasives found in the Forest Preserves.

The goals are for you to:
1) Correctly identify the main invasive species at the site (indicate N/A if species is not present); and
2) Understand different management techniques that might be used under different circumstances (e.g. season) for each of the species.

*Use the Field Notes section to write helpful tips for identifying the invasives and/or their lookalikes.

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