

Collecting and utilising IAS observational data

13. Report IAS control measures performed in your municipality to the laji.fi service

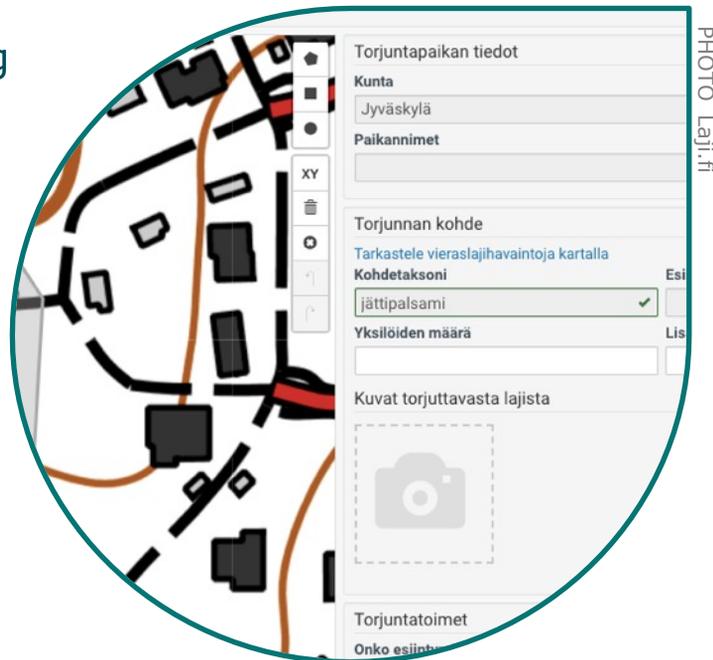


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Many municipalities collect data related to IAS observations and IAS control but such data is rarely reported forward.

Having access to IAS data collected by municipalities would benefit IAS research in Finland, in addition to control work done in other municipalities of the area.

Benefits of the action

Reported IAS data helps coordinate the IAS work between municipal departments or neighbouring municipalities and develop more cost-effective ways to manage the IAS situation.

Do this

Investigate:

1. Does your municipality automatically report IAS observations and data collected about IAS control work to the laji.fi database?
2. Has your municipality collected any data related to IAS observations that could be entered into the laji.fi database?

If needed, contact Finnish Biodiversity Info Facility and agree on transferring the data.

More information

[Linking IAS datasets to Finnish Biodiversity Info Facility](#) (website, in Finnish)

[IAS control measures reporting form](#) (Finnish biodiversity information facility, webform in Finnish)

