# 2004 International Specification for Control Descriptions

## Sample Control Description Sheet

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### Explained:

This is the "GREEN" Course with a length of 5.16 Km and 120 meters of climb.

Start at the trail-road intersection.

Eastern of several shallow pits (3x1 m). The flag is on the northern side of pit.

Trail Junction

Shallow depression (5x1m)
The flag is on the southeastern side of the depression.

170m from last flag to Finish

### E = Appearance

- Low
- Shallow
- Rose
- Sandy
- Deep
- Needle Left
- Overgrown
- Deciduous
- Open
- Ruined
- Rocky

### F = Combinations, Size

- Crossing
- Junction
- Height (meters)
- Size (meters)

### G = Location of Control Flag

- Northeast side *
- Southeast edge *
- West part *
- East corner (inside) *
- South corner (outside) *
- Southwest tip *
- Northwest end of *
- Northeast foot *
- Upper part
- Lower part
- Foot (no direction)
- On a bend
- Beneath
- On top of
- Between

### H = Other Information

- First aid
- Refreshment
- Radio control
- Manned control check

### D = Control Feature

- **Cliff, rock face**
- **Rock pillar**
- **Cave**
- **Boulder**
- **Boulder field**
- **Boulder cluster**
- **Stoney ground**
- **Bare rock**
- **Narrow passage**

### Special Features

- **Special Item**
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### Rocks and Boulders

- **Lake**
- **Pond**
- **Waterhole**
- **River, watercourse**
- **Minor water channel**
- **Narrow marsh**
- **Marsh**
- **Firm ground in marsh**
- **Well**
- **Spring**

### Water and Marsh

- **Field**
- **Semi-open land**
- **Forest corner**
- **Clearing**
- **Thicket**
- **Linear thicket**
- **Vegetation boundary**
- **Tree cluster**
- **Single tree**
- **Root stock, tree stump**

### Vegetation

- **Road**
- **Trail**
- **Ride**
- **Bridge**
- **Pylon-pole**
- **Tunnel**
- **Stone wall**
- **Fence**
- **Crossing point**
- **Building**

### Man-Made

- **Paved area**
- **Ruin**
- **Pipeline**
- **Tower**
- **Boundary stone, cairn**
- **Fodder rack**
- **Stairway**
- **Shooting platform**
- **Monument, statue**
- **Charcoal burning ground**

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