





APPENDIX A

Standard ICS Search Mission Symbols and Colors

Suggested for placement on base maps.


Color	Symbol	Description	Notes
Black		Sector/planning boundaries	
Black		Travel barriers	Cliffs, etc.
Black		Modifications/updates to map	
Black	[I] [II] (A) (B)	Branches Divisions	Consider naming divisions North, South, East, etc
Red	PLS 9 Jan 1820 !	Point Last Seen or Last known position	Consider adding direction of travel
Red	X	Hazard	Write description
Blue		Incident Command Post	
Blue	B	Incident Base	Often same as CP
Blue	S	Staging area	Often same as CP
Blue	• H-1	Helispot (location and #)	(LZ)

Blue	H	Helibase	
Blue	R	Repeater/mobile relay	Add task number if staffed
Blue	T	Telephone	
Blue	[First-Aid Station	
Blue	----- -	Theoretical Search Area	Planning Map
Blue	___90% -	Statistical Search Area	Planning Map

- Green: Field teams
Brown: Air-scent dog team
Yellow: Tracking/trailing dog
Purple: Horses/helicopters
Orange: Special resources (containment, trackers, 4WD, surveillance, etc)
Blue: Water teams (SCUBA, air-scent water dog, etc.)

*Since markers get lost, run out, or may not be available, the most important factor is to place a color key at the bottom of all maps.

Suggested for placement on overlays

Color	Symbol	Description	Notes
Black	! W/5 1800 9 Jan	Wind speed and direction	
Black	[I] [II] (A) (B)	Branches Divisions	Consider naming divisions North, South, East, etc
Red	#1 C	Clue with clue tracking #	may add time, date
Red	#2 A!	Air-scent dog alert (arrow points into local wind per standard wx standard)	may add time date
Resource specific	///////// ////////	First coverage of sector	density of lines reflects POD
Resource specific	\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\/ \\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	Second coverage of sector	density of lines reflects POD
Resource specific	///////// ////////	Third coverage of sector	density of lines reflects POD
Resource specific	=====	Fourth coverage of sector	density of lines reflects POD
Resource specific		Hasty Task (Task # links to task log and TAF.	hash mark indicates current position with time reported.