

Ant Colony Observation Record

Track a colony from founding through to establishment, which is the period where most of them are lost.

Colony growth, brood, feeding and the founding stage that decides whether it survives.

FOUNDING AND ESTABLISHED COLONIES ARE DIFFERENT ANIMALS

No feeding schedules, temperatures or humidity figures are printed. They differ by genus and by stage, and a founding queen needs something very different from an established colony. Get your figures from a species source and record against them.

Species or genus		Colony ID		Founded or acquired		Setup	
Date	Workers, estimated	Brood seen	Queen seen	Fed	Water	Temperature	Behaviour and notes

Moved to a larger setup on

Hibernation, if used