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In terms of equipment and methods, this involves specifying the equipment and methods for collecting data in the field. At this level, it is not a question of specifying the methods used for composting. Also, the photos do not have their place there; we are not yet at the results phase.

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