

iNaturalist

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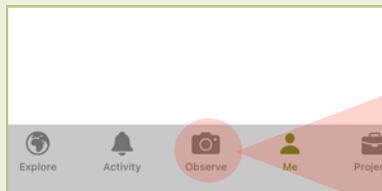
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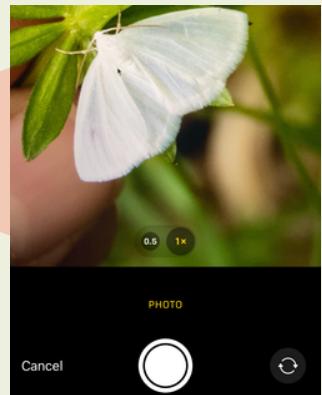
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3 Make an Observation.

Open the Camera.



Take a photo.



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Notes...

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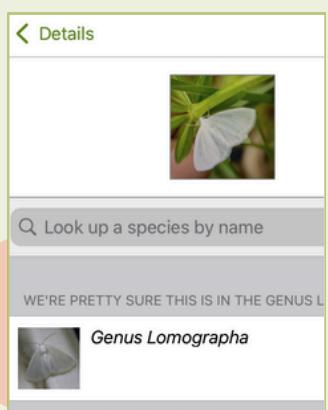
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