

Part A: Scientific Thought 45%	
Choose a level where the projects falls	
Level 1 Replicate a known experiment, confirming previous findings Build a model or device to replicate existing technology Existing published material presented (study), no real analysis	
Level 2 Extend a known experiment with modest improvements to procedures, etc Improve an existing technology, Study includes modest data analysis	/45
Level 3 Devise and carry out an original experiment, identify many significant variables Innovative technology, extends existing technology. Study includes significant data analysis	Part A Mark
Level 4 Mark Range 36 to 45 An original experiment with most variables identified and controlled, complete data analysis Innovative application of technologies, Study reveals significant new information or original solution	
Part B: Scientific Originality 25% (Check the bibliography, Ask how much they did themselves)	
Level 1 Simple design with very limited original input or imagination It can be found on the internet, in books or magazines Mark Range 6 to 10	
Level 2 Mark Range 11 to 15 Simple design with some student imagination.	/25
Common topic, uses common resources and equipment Level 3 Imaginative project, creative use of available resources and equipment Well thought-out, above average design and use of resources Level 4 Mark Range 21 to 25	Part B Mark
Highly original and using a novel approach Resourceful use of available materials, use of equipment, and analysis	
Part C: Visual Display 10% Assign a mark to each point below and add together Layout logical and self-explanatory/4	/10
Readability / clarity +/3	/10
Exhibit attractive and well constructed +/3 =	Part C Mark
Part D: Oral Presentation 15% Assign a mark to each section below and add together	
Clear, logical, enthusiastic presentation/5 Information content / substance/5	/15
Responses to questions +/5 =	Part D Mark
Part E: Bibliography and Logs 5% Assign a mark to each section below and add together	→ /5
Bibliography and citations/3	
Project Log (hard copy or electronic) +/2 =	Part E Mark
TOTAL Mark Awarded to this project	/100