

PTS	<b>C1: Exists</b> (Do you make a statement or draw a conclusion?)	<b>C1: Sufficiency</b> (Does your claim answer the question?)	<b>E1: Source</b> (Where does your evidence come from?)	<b>E2: Relevance</b> (Does your evidence support your claim?)	<b>E3: Sufficiency</b> (Do you have enough evidence?)	<b>R1: Connecting</b> (Do you connect your claim to your evidence?)	<b>R2: Science Ideas</b> (Do you use science ideas to justify your evidence?)
<b>0</b>	No response	Response not appropriate.	No response, or response not appropriate.	No response, or response not appropriate.	Response provides no evidence (observations or measurements)	Response does not contain any connections between the evidence presented and the claim.	Response contains no science ideas or concepts
<b>1</b>	Response is not appropriate.	The claim answers some portions of the question.	Response only cites weak types of sources (e.g. appeals to authority (authority is not an expert), personal story).	Response provides evidence, but that evidence does not support the claim.	Response provides evidence, but evidence is neither appropriate nor accurate.	Response connects some, but not all evidence to the claim.	Response provides science ideas and/or concepts, but none that are relevant to the claim or correct.
<b>2</b>	Response contains a testable statement.	The claim answers most of the question.	Response contains some strong sources (e.g. empirical measurements and observations) as well as some less strong types of sources (e.g. prior experience)	Response provides some supporting and some non-supporting evidence in relation to the claim.	Response provides at least one piece of evidence (observations or measurements) but more evidence is needed to support the claim OR some evidence is inaccurate	Response connects most of the evidence to the claim.	Response contains one or more relevant science concepts/terms, but some are not correct explained.
<b>3</b>		The claim includes a testable statement that fully answers all portions of the question.	Response is limited to scientific evidence from the strongest types of sources (empirical measurements and observations, trusted authorities.)	Response is limited to that evidence which is relevant to the science in the claim and supports the relationship in the claim.	Response provides more than one piece of evidence (observations or measurements) to support the claim.	Response connects all of the evidence to the claim.	Response provides a relevant science concept that is correctly explained.
Max:	2	3	3	3	3	3	3
Total Possible Points: <b>20</b>							