

## Group Self-Assessment of Laboratory Activities

Group \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Activity \_\_\_\_\_

Use these descriptors to assess how effectively your group performed a specific activity. Choose one or several numbers from the list of criteria.

**1 = yes**

**2 = no**

**3 = we think so**

**4 = needs improvement**

**5 = satisfactory**

**6 = excellent**

<b>Things to consider</b>	
Did we develop a clear plan before we began?	
Did each group member have specific things to do?	
Were we able to work together as a team?	
Did we discuss the purpose for doing the activity?	
Was a hypothesis developed and recorded?	
How well did we predict what took place?	
Were instructions followed correctly?	
How well did we use equipment and materials?	
Did we observe all safety precautions?	
Were measurements made accurately?	
How well were data recorded?	
Did we clean up thoroughly after the activity?	
Were the data examined closely to search for meaning?	
Did we use accepted techniques for data analysis?	
Were the conclusions consistent with the data?	
Did we re-examine our initial hypothesis?	
Did we account for experimental error?	
Was relevant research used to support our work ?	
Other:	

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# Self-Assessment of Performance as a Group Member

\_\_\_\_\_  
Your name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Topic

\_\_\_\_\_  
Group Members

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Circle the following on working within the group. Additional written responses may be included.**

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|--|--------|-----------|-------|
| 1. I encouraged others.  | Seldom | Sometimes | Often |
| 2. I shared ideas and information.   | Seldom | Sometimes | Often |
| 3. I checked to make sure that others in the group knew what they were doing.                  | Seldom | Sometimes | Often |
| 4. I was willing to help others.   | Seldom | Sometimes | Often |
| 5. I accepted responsibility for completing the work properly and on time.                     | Seldom | Sometimes | Often |
| 6. I was willing to listen to others in the group.   | Seldom | Sometimes | Often |
| 7. I was willing to receive help from others in the group.                                     | Seldom | Sometimes | Often |
| 8. I offered encouragement and support to others in the group.                                 | Seldom | Sometimes | Often |
| 9. Others in the group shared ideas and information.   | Seldom | Sometimes | Often |
| 10. The group checked with the teacher to make sure we knew what we were supposed to be doing. | Seldom | Sometimes | Often |
| 11. All members of the group contributed equally to this project.                              | Seldom | Sometimes | Often |

**Answer the following questions about working in a group.**

12. How did you distribute the workload within your group?
13. What problems, if any, arose within your group?
14. What would you do differently next time?
15. How is working in a group different from working by yourself?