

<i>Essential Standard: Inquiry #2: Identify and describe the importance of independent variables, dependent variables, control of constants, and control groups.</i>	
Course: ___ Science	Grade Level: 6-8
<u>Score 4.0</u> More Complex Learning Goal	In addition to score 3.0 performance, the student demonstrates in-depth inferences and applications that go beyond what was taught.
	<u>Score 3.5</u> In addition to score 3.0 performance, the student demonstrates in-depth inferences and applications with partial success.
<u>Score 3.0</u> TARGET! “Challenging but Attainable”	<p>The student demonstrates an understanding of identifying and describing the importance of IV, DV, and constants by...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • identify and describe the importance of IV/DV, constants, and control group from a lab, and control of constants in a performance event or scenario. • describe why it’s important to have constants <p>The student exhibits no major errors or omissions.</p>
	<u>Score 2.5</u> The student exhibits no major errors or omissions regarding the score 2.0 elements and partial knowledge of the score 3.0 elements.
<u>Score 2.0</u> Simpler Learning Goal	<p>The student exhibits no major errors or omissions regarding the simpler details and processes, such as...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • identify and describe the importance of IV/DV and constants from a lab, performance event or scenario. • describe why it’s important to have constants <p>However, the student exhibits major errors or omissions with score 3.0 elements.</p>
	<u>Score 1.5</u> The student demonstrates partial knowledge of the score 2.0 elements but major errors or omissions regarding the score 3.0 elements.
<u>Score 1.0</u>	With help, the student demonstrates partial understanding of some of the score 2.0 elements and some of the score 3.0 elements.
	<u>Score 0.5</u> With help, the student demonstrates partial understanding of some of the score 2.0 elements but not the score 3.0 elements.