

**2007 BEAL BANK DALLAS  
REGIONAL SCIENCE & ENGINEERING FAIR  
JUDGING CRITERIA**

**SUGGESTIONS FOR JUDGING A SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING  
FAIR PROJECT**

A good project should involve the scientific method:

**Purpose + Hypothesis + Procedure + Results + Conclusion**

The criteria listed below is provided for your information and suggested use:

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| <b>I. CREATIVE ABILITY</b>  | <b>0-30 points</b> |
| Does the project show creative ability and originality?                                     |                    |
| <b>II. SCIENTIFIC THOUGHT/ENGINEERING GOALS</b>   | <b>0-30 points</b> |
| Is the problem stated clearly and does the project have a clear objective?                  |                    |
| <b>III. THOROUGHNESS</b>  | <b>0-15 points</b> |
| Does the project carry out its purpose to completion within the scope of its original aims? |                    |
| <b>IV. SKILL</b>  | <b>0-15 points</b> |
| Does the student have the skills required to do all of the work related to the project?     |                    |
| <b>V. CLARITY</b>   | <b>0-10 points</b> |
| How clearly is the student able to display and discuss the project?                         |                    |