

Centre

Candidate

Total Mark 35

Assessment Objectives	Mark	Comments
AO1	5	Question/hypothesis offers some definition and is of clear interest to the candidate. There is some attempt to refine the question/hypothesis. Activity record log offers and PPF demonstrate some evidence of management of the process and project but these could have been developed further. The Activity Log doesn't cover a long period. Objectives have been offered – some rationale provided.
AO2	8	Some identification of resources listed in the PPF. Range of sources have been accessed and data collection techniques used, which, on the whole are appropriate. Some evidence of in-text ref used and a reference list offered at the end of the EPQ. The information used does has links/relevance to the question There is a range of data collection techniques used by the candidate and an interrogation of their findings (on plant growth).
AO3	16	The Investigation is structured into relevant sections and there is evidence of them being correctly linked. Investigation presented in a logical order and technical terms are appropriate and defined. There is generally good understanding of the topic. Some attempts at mathematical calculations carried out with interrogation. Methodology is evident and conclusions are drawn. The report, overall, is presented to an acceptable level/standard. Aims have been realised.
AO4	6	There is evidence of evaluation of the outcome and process offered. Candidate identified how the EPQ could be improved and identified areas of further/extended research

		<p>Reflections and evaluations found in several sections of the evidence</p> <p>Presentation reflects the candidate's EPQ journey. Evidence of the presentation is also included in completed Oral</p> <p>Presentation Record Sheet, which further helps support the mark awarded for this AO</p>
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