

TIMSS 2011 Field Test Item Development

The TIMSS 2011 Item Writing Workshop was conducted as part of the second NRC meeting. The meeting was held in May 2009 in Washington, DC, USA. The numbers of participants and field test items developed at the workshop are provided below.

TIMSS 2011 Item Writing Workshop to Develop Field Test Items

| Attendees | |
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| Number of Countries and Benchmarking Entities | 40 |
| Number of Country Representatives | 88 |
| Approximate Number of Field Test Items Written at Item Writing Workshop | |
| Fourth Grade Mathematics | 160 |
| Eighth Grade Mathematics | 200 |
| Fourth Grade Science | 160 |
| Eighth Grade Science | 270 |