

Exhibit 1.5: PIRLS 2016 Number of Field Test Items by Reading Purpose and Item Format

Reading Purpose	Number of Passages/ Tasks	Number of Multiple- Choice Items	Number of Constructed Response Items	Total Number of Items	Total Number of Score Points	Percentage of Score Points
			PIRLS			
Literary	6	45	56	101	130	49%
Informational	6	44	58	102	135	51%
Total	12	89	114	203	265	
			PIRLS Literacy			
Literary	5	41	46	87	104	51%
Informational	5	44	42	86	99	49%
Total	10	85	88	173	203	
			ePIRLS			
Informational	6	44	71	115	153	100%
Total	6	44	71	115	153	

Note that four passages and their corresponding items are common to both the PIRLS and PIRLS Literacy assessments.

