



# Performance Series® Express

## Short-form, computer-adaptive diagnostic assessment

Performance Series *Express* provides a shorter, 25-question version of Scantron's popular Performance Series computer-adaptive diagnostic assessment. Scantron's Performance Series *Express* assessment delivers subject-level diagnostic results suitable for multiple measures that you can use to reduce testing time and avoid test overload.

### Two Tests—One Platform

Scantron knows that testing time and resources are limited. You need an express form backed by the same capabilities as a full-form assessment, but with fewer questions for faster results.

Performance Series *Express* is your solution.

For more than a decade, Scantron has been rigorously developing and frequently refreshing the Performance Series item pools. Using these same item pools, Performance Series *Express* provides flexibility with an eye on the clock.

- View *Express* results using the same reports available for the standard test.
- Assess the same core subjects.
- Use either test form for:
  - › Individualized assessment for instructional direction
  - › Program placement
  - › Growth measurement
  - › Predictive measurement (requires a Scantron research study)

Because *Express* is shorter, you can administer it more frequently to address diagnostic screening and monitoring needs.

Comparing Standard and Express Form Tests		
	Standard	Express
Computer-adaptive test	X	X
Individualized assessment for informing instruction	X	X
Item selection	Guided by student response pattern	
Item pool usage	Shared	
Number of questions	52-68	25
Testing time	Average 45-60 minutes	Average 15-30 minutes
Standard error of measure (SEM) <sup>1</sup>	Average 0.30 logits (approx .91 alpha coefficient)	Average 0.42 logits (approx .80 alpha coefficient)
Reporting (all: student, class, district)	Shared	
Subjects		
Reading	X	X
Reading Foundations	X	X
Language Arts	X	X
Mathematics	X	X
Matemáticas en Español	X	
Algebra	X	X
Geometry	X	X
Life Science	X	X

<sup>1</sup> Performance Series (standard) is a longer test with more precision. Performance Series *Express* is a shorter test with less precision, but with more administrative ease of use. Be sure to discuss your needs carefully with your Scantron Representative or Client Program Manager before deciding.



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TO IMPACT STUDENT  
ACHIEVEMENT TODAY!**

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