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Regents Examination in Living Environment – August 2012

Chart for Converting Total Test Raw Scores to Final Examination Scores (Scale Scores)

Raw	Scale	Raw	Scale] [Raw	Scale
Score	Score	Score	Score		Score	Score
85	100	56	78		27	50
84	98	55	77		26	49
83	97	54	76		25	47
82	96	53	75		24	46
81	95	52	75		23	44
80	95	51	74		22	43
79	94	50	73		21	41
78	93	49	73		20	40
77	92	48	72		19	38
76	91	47	71		18	37
75	91	46	70		17	35
74	90	45	69		16	33
73	89	44	68		15	32
72	88	43	68		14	30
71	88	42	67		13	28
70	87	41	66		12	26
69	86	40	65		11	24
68	86	39	64		10	22
67	85	38	63		9	20
66	84	37	62		8	18
65	84	36	61		7	16
64	83	35	60		6	14
63	82	34	59		5	12
62	82	33	57		4	10
61	81	32	56		3	7
60	80	31	55		2	5
59	80	30	54		1	2
58	79	29	53		0	0
57	78	28	51]		

To determine the student's final examination score, find the student's total test raw score in the column labeled "Raw Score" and then locate the scale score that corresponds to that raw score. The scale score is the student's final examination score. Enter this score in the space labeled "Scale Score" on the student's answer sheet.

Schools are not permitted to rescore any of the open-ended questions on this exam after each question has been rated once, regardless of the final exam score. Schools are required to ensure that the raw scores have been added correctly and that the resulting scale score has been determined accurately.

Because scale scores corresponding to raw scores in the conversion chart change from one administration to another, it is crucial that for each administration the conversion chart provided for that administration be used to determine the student's final score. The chart above is usable only for this administration of the Regents Examination in Living Environment.