# National Student Research Symposium Contest
Official Score Card - ORAL PAPERS
Students of Agronomy, Soils, and Environmental Sciences

## Name

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## Title of Paper

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## Total points possible = 100

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### 1. Title (1-5 points)
- a. Identifies the subject
- b. Indicates the purpose
- c. Uses high impact words

### 2. Introduction (1-10 points)
- a. Accurately reflects the content of paper
- b. Pertinent details are summarized
- c. Summary of what is already known about topic

### 3. Organization (1-25 points)
- a. Adequate rationale and background
- b. Presents clear objectives
- c. Clearly explains methods and materials
- d. Presents data clearly and concisely
- e. Discussion and conclusions emphasize significance of the research and results

### 4. Presentation (1-25 points)
- a. Smooth flowing delivery
- b. Enthusiasm for the topic
- c. Proper use of terminology
- d. Eye contact
- e. Appropriate pace and tone

### 5. Visual Aids (1-15 points)
- a. Appropriate & effective for presentation
- b. Easily read font size
- c. All materials on the visual aid were used effectively and were not distracting

### 6. Research Quality (1-10 points)
- a. Paper was pertinent, a challenge or a new idea.
- b. Appropriate experimental design
- c. Appropriate and accurate data analysis

### 7. Response to Questions (1-10 points)
- a. Sufficient Response to questions

## Total Points Awarded

(Minus Time Penalty*)

Net Points

Ranking of Oral Paper

Signature of Judge

*Subtract 2 points if under 9 min and subtract an additional 5 points for each 30 seconds of overtime

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