NDSU | Chemistry & Biochemistry

Graduate Comprehensive Exam Report

Student's Name: _____ Date: _____/_____/20____

Thesis Advisor: _____ Semester in Progress: _____

Degree Program: □ Chemistry □ Biochemistry

Academic Status

Plan of Study:	□ Approved	□ Proceed	□ Revise	□ Complete
GPA:	□ Satisfactory	□ Needs improvement	□ Unsatisfactory	

Performance in Areas of Program Outcomes

Scoring Table	Excellent (4)	Good (3)	Fair (2)	Poor (1)	Inadequate (0)
Composite score based on evidence of continued growth in the areas of the didactic outcomes	□	□	□	□	□
Ability to identify, locate and critically read the chemical literature	□	□	□	□	□
Independence in identifying relevant avenues of chemical and biochemical research and applying scientific methods of inquiry to the experimental design and strategy	□	□	□	□	□
Ability to effectively communicate scientific ideas and results to professional audiences through seminars, conference presentations and peer-reviewed publications, and to lay audiences through outreach activities	□	□	□	□	□
Ability to critique the validity of scientific results and conclusions practices	□	□	□	□	□
Knowledge and understanding of laboratory hazards and safe laboratory work practices	□	□	□	□	□
Knowledge and understanding of sound data management and archiving practices	□	□	□	□	□
Totals (*n*×score)					
Grand total					

Overall score (0.0 – 4.0): Grand Total/7 = _____

Exam Evaluation & Program Recommendation

Seminar grade: _____   Written proposal score: _____   Oral exam score:_____

□ Pass   □ Provisional pass   □ Fail

□ Continue on current degree path   □ Transfer to MS track   □ Terminate

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Narrative Summary
(Provide a detailed description of the student's strengths and weaknesses along with a critical assessment of their progress toward achieving the program outcomes. Use continuing page, as necessary.)

Narrative Summary, cont.   (Provide a detailed description of the student's strengths and weaknesses along with a critical assessment of their progress toward achieving the program outcomes.)