

Qualitative Dimensions of Text Complexity Chart

Band: 2nd – 3rd

Reviewer: _____






Name of Text: _____

Narrative/Poetry/Hybrid/Informational/other _____

Quantitative Measure: -----

Quantitative range for this band: -----

Link to Coh-Metrix profile for this piece

Category	Notes and comments on text, support for placement in this band	Where to place within the band?			
		NOT suited to band	Low to middle Band (2 nd)	Mid to upper end of Band (3 rd)	NOT suited to band
Structure: (both story structure or form of piece)					
Language Demands and Conventions (including vocabulary load and sentence structure)					
Knowledge Demands (life, content, cultural/literary)					
Levels of Meaning/ Purpose					
Overall placement:	Justification (what trumped– what factor weighed most heavily)				
	Instructional level:				
	Independent level:	