

IOWA HIGH SCHOOL MUSIC ASSOCIATION PERCUSSION ENSEMBLE ADJUDICATION FORM

Performance time _____ Date _____ Center No. _____

Event _____ Class _____ Number In Ensemble _____

School _____ Location of Festival _____

<u>Selections</u>	<u>Composer</u>	<u>Publisher</u>
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____

Place one of these numbers in each circle below, then total carefully.

- 5 - A superior performance-outstanding in nearly every detail
- 4 - An excellent performance-minor defects.
- 3 - A good performance-lacking finesse and/or interpretation.

- 2 - A fair performance-basic weaknesses.
- 1 - A poor performance -unsatisfactory

<u>Performance Factors</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u> (Make additional comments on back)
<input type="radio"/> Performance Technique: Mechanics of hand/arm motion, attacks, and releases, pedaling execution, roll quality, rudiment types/sticking patterns, dampening, posture, intonation, instrument height.	
<input type="radio"/> Rhythm/Note Accuracy: Attention to rhythm/note accuracy and rests, correct interpretation of meter, duration, accidentals, ensemble clarity and precision	
<input type="radio"/> Interpretation/Musicianship: Phrasing, emotional involvement/intensity, finesse, interpretation of style	
<input type="radio"/> Expression/Dynamics: Adherence to markings. Sufficient contrast between volume levels, attention to musical high points.	
<input type="radio"/> Tempo: Attention to metronome marking, control and maintenance of basic pulse and subdivisions.	
<input type="radio"/> Tone Quality/Articulation: Playing area, choice of sticks or mallets, correct method and consistency of tone reproduction or articulation.	
<input type="radio"/> Balance/Blend: Overall concept of balance and blend, ensemble set-up, awareness of ensemble	
<input type="radio"/> Other Performance Factors: Stage presentation, general conduct, poise, mannerisms, appropriate appearance, suitability of literature	

TOTAL POINTS

 DIVISIONAL RATING

RATING COMPUTATION TABLE

- 40-36 points = Division I (Superior)
- 35-30 points = Division II (Excellent)
- 29-22 points = Division III (Good)
- 21-12 points = Division IV (Fair)
- 11- 8 points = Division V (Poor)

_____ Adjudicator Signature