

RTD Paired Passage Review Tool

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The RTD (Rigorous Test Development) project is an attempt to build a professionalized content development practice that focuses on individual item quality, particularly by leaning into the importance of validity throughout the content development process. It assumes that content development professionals develop professional judgment that can be raised, honed and calibrated by providing frameworks and clarifying expectations in ways that account for the constraints and demands of typical practice within test development, today. RTD is a conscious and deliberate attempt to respond to the disparity in status, training and shared knowledgebases between psychometrically oriented professionals and content development professionals.

Passage Pair Review Tool

UIN: _____ # of Passages: _____ Total Word Count: _____

Relationship Between Texts:

- Addresses similar content without linking
- Expresses countering point of view
- Expands on/explains, with explicit links
- Counters, with explicit links
- Supports, with explicit links

<u>Passage Pair</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>
Different formats	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Different perspectives	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Different tones	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Different structures	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Different purposes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Uses different evidence	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Uses different interpretation of the same facts	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Different scope	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Different purpose	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Different emphasis	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Different intended audience	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

