

#### Grades 9-12

3.5.9-12.BB Technology and Engineering: Integration of Knowledge, Technologies, and Practices

**Students who demonstrate understanding can** assess how similarities and differences among scientific, technological, engineering, and mathematical knowledge and skills contributed to the design of a product or system.

**Clarifying Statement:** Developing and improving products or systems require scientific, engineering, and technical expertise. Articulating how knowledge and skills from each contributed or will contribute to a product or system is a necessary component of innovation and design. One way this can be accomplished is by evaluating a completed engineering design task and identifying the elements from other academic disciplines that contributed to the completion of the task.

Assessment Boundary: N/A

## Science and Engineering Practices (SEP)

## **Engaging in Argument From Evidence**

Engaging in argument from evidence in 9–12 builds on K–8 experiences and progresses to using appropriate and sufficient evidence and scientific reasoning to defend and critique claims and explanations about the natural and designed world(s). Arguments may also come from current scientific or historical episodes in science.

 Evaluate the claims, evidence, and reasoning behind currently accepted explanations or solutions to determine the merits of arguments.

## **Disciplinary Core Ideas (DCI)**

# **Nature of Technology**

 Engineers use science, mathematics, and other disciplines to improve technology, while scientists use tools devised by engineers to advance knowledge in their disciplines. This interaction has deepened over the past century.

## **Technology and Engineering Practices (TEP)**

## **Making and Doing**

 Demonstrates the ability to regulate and improve making and doing skills.

## **Systems Thinking**

 Designs and troubleshoots technological systems in ways that consider the multiple components of the system.

Pennsylvania Context: N/A

Pennsylvania Career Ready Skills: Explain how you situate yourself in a diverse community.

**Connections to Other Standards Content and Practices** 

# Science, Technology & Engineering, and Environment Literacy & Sustainability (STEELS)



Standard Source	Possible Connections to Other Standard(s) or Practice(s)
PA Core Standards: Reading and Writing in Science and Technical Areas	CC.1.2.3.G: Use information gained from text features to demonstrate understanding of a text. CC.1.2.4.G: Interpret various presentations of information within a text or digital source and explain how the information contributes to an understanding of text in which it appears. CC.1.2.5.G: Draw on information from multiple print or digital sources, demonstrating the ability to locate an answer to a question quickly or to solve a problem efficiently. CC.1.4.3.V: Conduct short research projects that build knowledge about a topic. CC.1.4.4.V: Conduct short research projects that build knowledge through investigation of different aspects of a topic. CC.1.4.5.V: Conduct short research projects that use several sources to build knowledge through investigation of different aspects of a topic. CC.1.4.3.W: Recall information from experiences or gather information from print and digital sources; take brief notes on sources and sort evidence into provided categories. CC.1.4.4.W: Recall relevant information from experiences or gather relevant information from print and digital sources; take notes and categorize information, and provide a list of sources.
PA Core Standards: Reading and Writing in Science and Technical Areas (continued)	CC.1.4.5.W: Recall relevant information from experiences or gather relevant information from print and digital sources; summarize or paraphrase information in notes and finished work, and provide a list of sources.
PA Core Standards and Practices: Math	N/A
Integrated Standards for Science, Environment & Ecology, and Technology & Engineering Standards Grades K–12	N/A