

Trinidad and Tobago Chemistry Olympiad

Committee Report
2021 / 2022 Trinidad and Tobago Chemistry Olympiad
Level A and Level B

As with the 2020/2021 edition, the 3rd iteration of the Trinidad and Tobago Chemistry Olympiad (TTChO) is also taking place in the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic. The online assessment platform, Schoology, continues to be employed with great success and effect.

We are cognizant of the fact that teachers and students alike will be experiencing online fatigue (both with classes and assessments), and we salute those schools and students who continue to engage with the TTChO. We know it has not been an easy task.

We take this opportunity to acknowledge the first ever team to represent Trinidad and Tobago at the 2021 International Chemistry Olympiad - Alayna Ragbar, Vineeta Bujhawan, Jaasiel Edwards, and Aiden Ramgoolam. Despite a truncated training period, and having to balance preparation with that for CAPE exams, our team performed admirably, and we are most proud!

The performance trends, distribution of marks, and highest scores in the online setting of 2021/22 are comparable to that of 2020/21.

The 3rd edition of the TTChO saw 41 students in Level A from 9 schools; and 42 students in Level B from 8 schools:

Level A	Total Number of Students
Form 2	1
Form 3	5
Form 4	22
Form 5	13

Level B	Total Number of Students
Lower 6	33
Upper 6	9

In Level A, Couva East Secondary School had the most number of participants (11 students); and in Level B, Naparima Girls' High School had 15 students participating.

Couva East Secondary School has the 2nd placed student in Level A overall, and 1st and 3rd places in Level B overall.

Many of the top students last year repeated their outstanding performance in the 2nd edition of the TTChO:

- (i) Antonio Madoo of Couva East Secondary School, placed 2nd in Form 5 in 2019/2020, joint 2nd in Lower 6 in 2020/2021, and is the top Senior Chemist for 2021/2022.
- (ii) Fazeel Ali of Presentation College Chaguanas, currently in **Lower 6**, was joint 1st in Round 2 Level A in 2020/21, and placed 2nd overall in Level B this year.

Conclusion:

Due to overlap of the CAPE 2022 examination with the preparation and examination period for the 2022 IChO, Trinidad and Tobago will not be sending a team this year. With a return to normalcy seemingly imminent, we envision that we will be sending a team to participate in the 2023 IChO in Switzerland.

Once again, congratulations to all participants, as we look forward to the 2022/2023 TTChO!

Overall Results Level A

Form 2:

Anastasia	Abbay	32	Couva East Secondary School	1st
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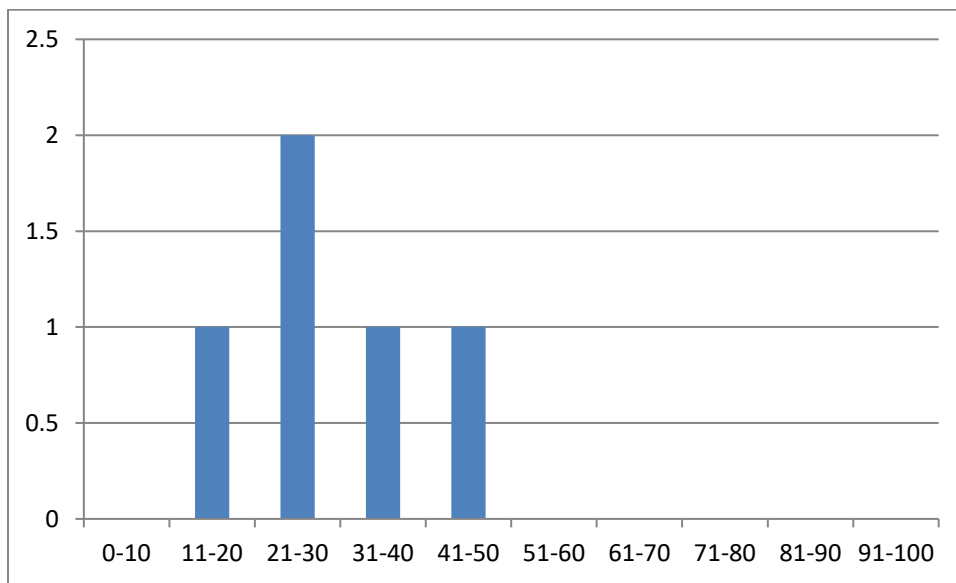
Form 3:

Cierra	Jordan	45	Bishop Anstey High School	1st
Kaylee	Fabien-Williams	37	Bishop Anstey High School	2nd
Kaden	Khan	25	Presentation College Chaguanas	3rd

Mean for Form 3 SD for Form 3

29.67

10.89



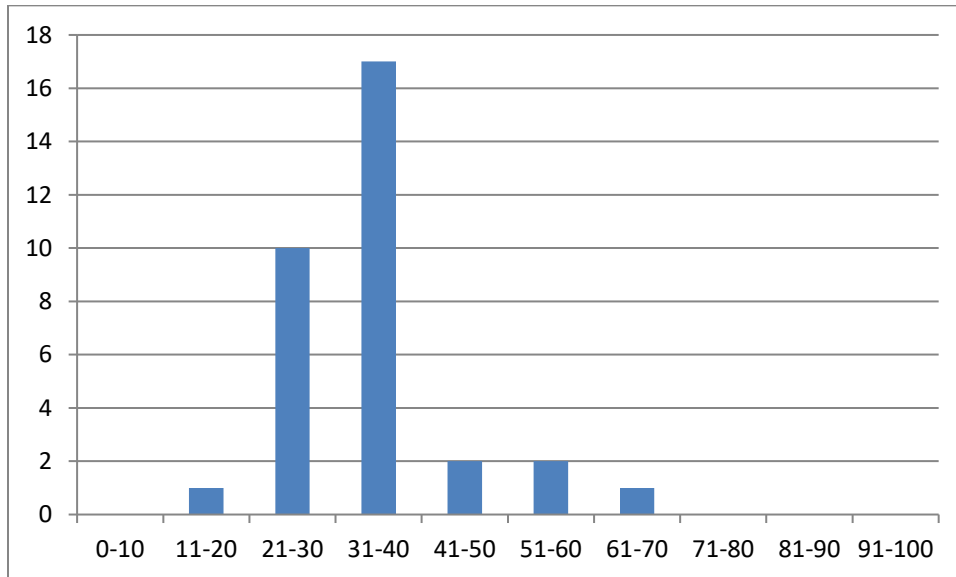
Form 4:

Kovid	Capildeo	70	Presentation College Chaguanas	1st
Elizabeth	Singh	68	Naparima Girls' High School	2nd
Mathieu	Beharry	65	Naparima College	3rd

Mean for Form 4 SD for Form 4

47.58

10.64



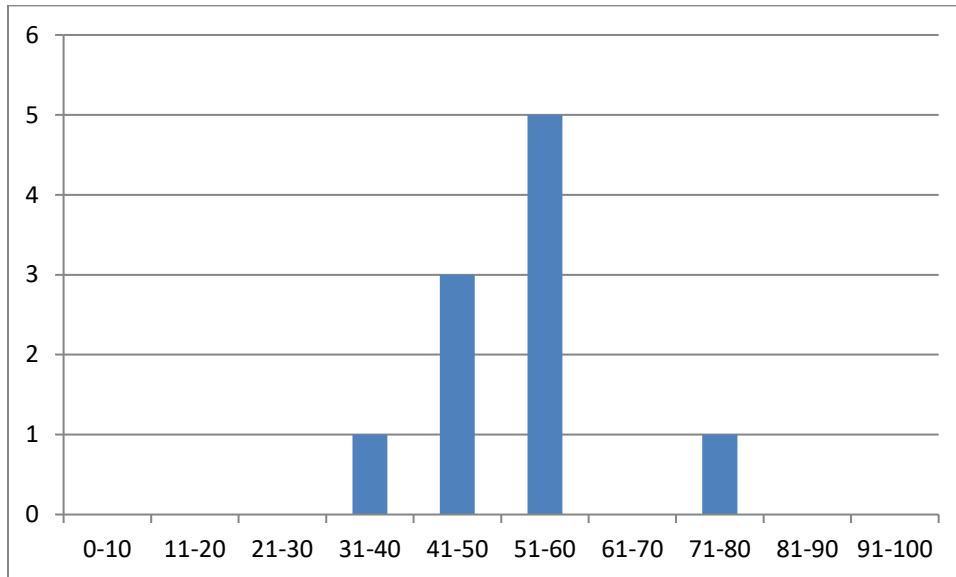
Form 5:

Wiraaj	Annamunthudo	88	Presentation College San Fernando	1st
Neha	Dookran	75	Couva East Secondary School	2nd
Troy	Rampersad	73	Naparima College	3rd

Mean for Form 5 SD for Form 5

64.49

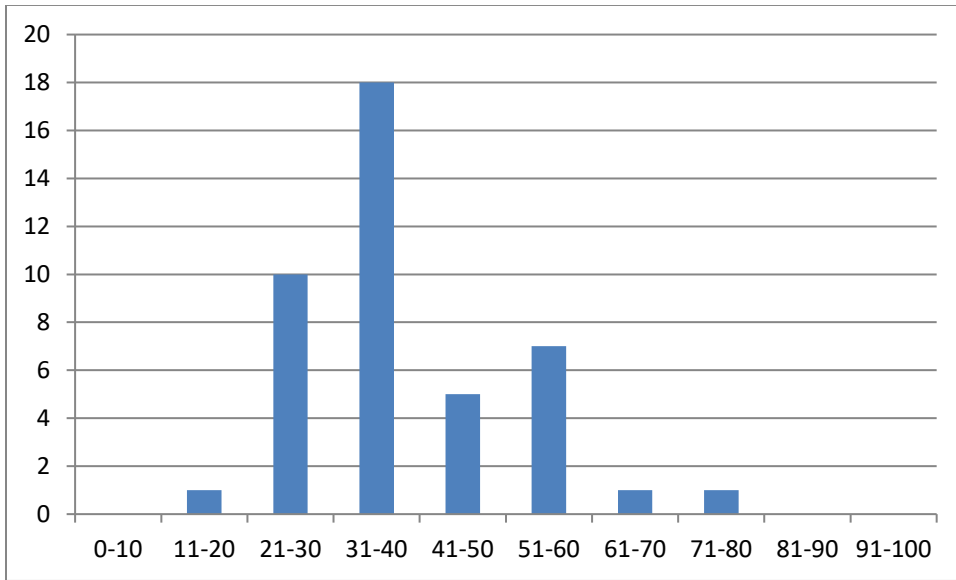
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Overall Level A Performance:

Wiraaj	Annamunthudo	88	Presentation College San Fernando	1st
Neha	Dookran	75	Couva East Secondary School	2nd
Troy	Rampersad	73	Naparima College	3rd

Mean for Level A SD for Level A
50.37 15.73

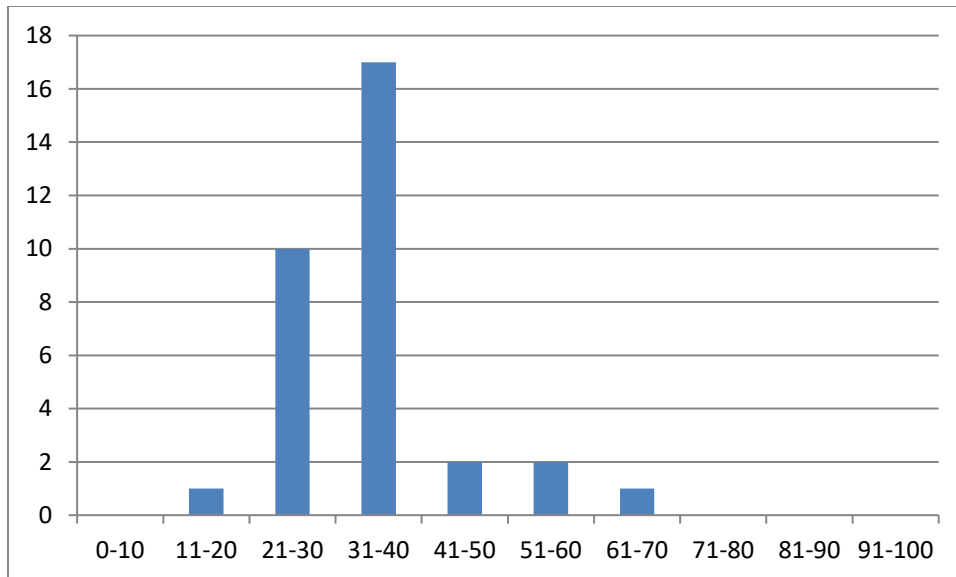


Overall Results Level B

Lower 6:

Fazeel	Ali	67	Presentation College Chaguanas	1st
Nikhil	Prabhakar	53	Naparima College	2nd
Saleem	Salick	53	Presentation College Chaguanas	2nd

Mean for Lower 6 SD for Lower 6
34.04 9.87



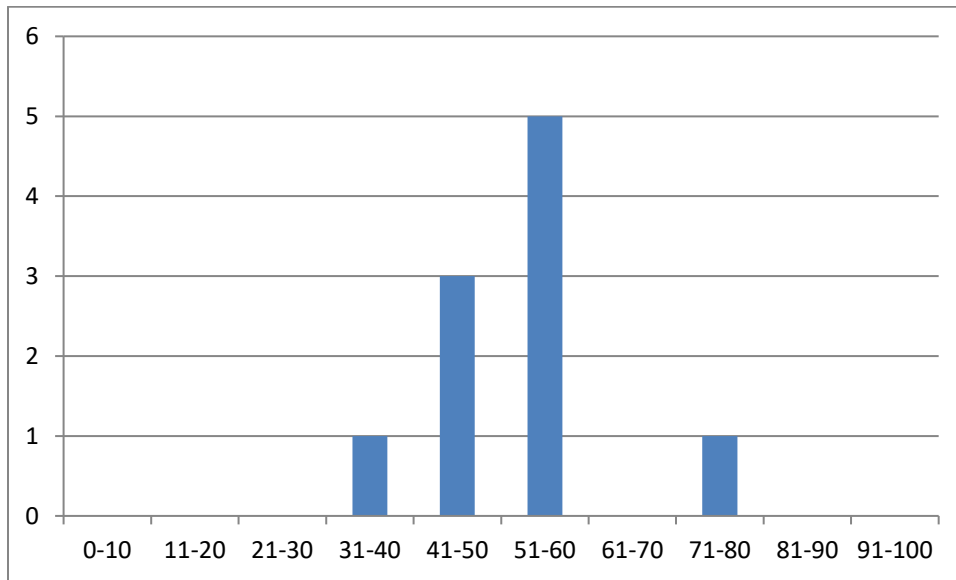
Upper 6:

Antonio	Madoo	75	Couva East Secondary School	1st
Zakareeya	Hosein	58	Couva East Secondary School	2nd
Anusha	Saha	53	Naparima Girls' High School	3rd
Liam	Plaza	53	Queen's Royal College	3rd

Mean for Upper 6 SD for Upper 6

52.00

11.83



Overall Level B Performance:

Antonio	Madoo	75	Couva East Secondary School	1st
Fazeel	Ali	67	Presentation College Chaguanas	2nd
Zakareeya	Hosein	58	Couva East Secondary School	3rd

Mean for Level B SD for Level B
38.22 12.77

