Smarter Balanced QTI Implementation Guide

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1 Purpose

This document is designed to be complementary to the <u>IMS Best Practices and Implementation Guide</u> and used to assist test implementation teams when implementing Smarter Balanced (SB) QTI 3.0 content. It should also be used in conjunction with the <u>Smarter Balanced QTI 3.0 Certification Content Package</u> as references to specific items and examples are available within the Certification Content Package.

Disclaimer

This document and the resources linked here-in are intended to be used with the understanding that they represent a subset of the necessary resources Members and Service Providers should utilize within the planning, implementation, delivery, and reporting of Smarter Balanced Assessments. It is an active, dynamically changing document that will be updated as new information or resources become available. This document should not be considered as comprehensive or exhaustive of the information necessary for successful implementation and does not replace the IMS Best Practices and Implementation Guide.

Relationship to SmarterApp Assessment Item Format

Content delivered in QTI 3.0 should be considered new.

Documenting the difference between QTI 3.0 and content developed in the <u>SmarterApp</u> <u>Assessment Item Format (SAAIF)</u> is captured within the <u>SAAIF to QTI Item Mapping</u> document.

2 Smarter Balanced Item Types

This section provides a list of the item types and their abbreviation or initials for reference. These are the items that are certified QTI 3.0 by IMS, unless noted otherwise, and delivered by Smarter Balanced. See Item Type Interaction Detail Section for more details.

Smarter Balanced Items Types:

- Multiple Choice (MC)
- Multiple Select (MS)
- Evidence-Based Selected Response (EBSR)
- Hot Text Question Selectable (HTQS)*
- Equation (EQ)
- Match Interaction (MI)
- Short Answer (SA)
- Table Interaction (TI)
- Written Extended Response (WER)
- Grid Interaction (GI)

Stimulus (Stim) are not included in the Item Types list, but can be considered items within the QTI context. These are addressed in the <u>Shared Stimulus Section</u>.

* Hot Text Question - Orderable (HTQO) items are no longer supported.

For reference: **SAAIF** item types

3 Item Type Interaction Details

3.1 Multiple Choice (MC)

3.1.1 MC Layout Overview

For multiple choice items, single cardinality, there is a prompt area followed by a set of three to four options accompanied by radio buttons. Options are displayed vertically. Option letter (e.g. A, B, C, D) is rendered within the radio button. Radio button is larger to increase accessibility. The candidate's task is to select one choice. Expected rendering and behaviors of Choice Interactions are driven by the cardinality attribute of the associated response declaration; i.e., single or multiple, and further supported by the interaction's class attribute.

Example Item QTI specific link will be provided at a later date.

SAAIF Version: http://sampleitems.smarterbalanced.org/Item/200-33715

3.1.2 MC User Interaction

The items used to provide visual representations of interactions may or may not coincide with the Code Sample in later sections.

Mouse Interaction

Interaction Description	Visual Example (if available)	
When a user hovers over an answer option, the entire answer option is	33715 ≡	
outlined in blue and the radio button is highlighted in gray to show the mouse focus.	Based on the presentation, which statement best describes the early bicycles?	
	A Few people owned these bicycles. Im	
	Only adults could ride these bicycles.	
Once an answer is selected, the radio button is filled.	People did not travel long distances on the bicycles.	

Keyboard Interaction

Interaction Description	Visual Example (if available or applicable)
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On tab key press, a blue reticle highlights the 33715 selection, upon subsequent tab key presses navigation Based on the presentation, which statement proceeds top-down best describes the early bicycles? through the document object model (DOM) until A Few people owned these bicycles. the option list is encountered. (B) Only adults could ride these bicycles. (c) They were easier to ride than modern bicycles. People did not travel long distances on the bicycles. 33715 \equiv Based on the presentation, which statement best describes the early bicycles? A Few people owned these bicycles. (B) Only adults could ride these bicycles. (c) They were easier to ride than modern bicycles. (D) People did not travel long distances on the bicycles. On subsequent tab Based on the presentation, which statement presses, navigation **best** describes the early bicycles? proceeds through the option list, highlighting (A) Few people owned these bicycles. each option. Options are selected upon space-bar B Only adults could ride these bicycles. press. (c) They were easier to ride than modern bicycles. On tab key press, option remains selected, and People did not travel long distances on the bicycles. option list is exited.

A Few people owned these bicycles.
B) Only adults could ride these bicycles.
They were easier to ride than modern bicycles.
D People did not travel long distances on the bicycles.

Additional notes: Response option(s) must support down-arrow navigation for screen readers. Additionally, up/down-arrow navigation between response options must not auto-select an option. Response option(s) can be selected/de-selected with the spacebar and/or (optionally) the enter key.

3.1.3 MC Attributes

Interaction Attributes

MC items use the Choice Interaction attribute; these are mapped to **qti-choice-interaction** (**single cardinality**). The Choice Interaction attribute presents a collection of choices to the candidate in the form of radio buttons. The Choice Interaction is made up of Choices, which use the **qti-simple-choice** element to present an ordered list of choices to the candidate.

Name	Usage	Value	Default
class	Optional	"sbac"	
response-identifier	Required	"RESPONSE"	
min-choices	Optional	Non-negative integer greater than zero	1
max-choices	Optional	Non-negative integer greater than zero	1

Smarter Balanced does not utilize the "orientation" or "shuffle" attributes of the Choice Interaction. Consequently, delivery platforms should interpret the absence of these attributes as having their default QTI 3 values; i.e., orientation="vertical" and shuffle="false".

Choice Attribute

Name	Usage	Value	Default
identifier	Required	A valid QTI Identifier: e.g. "ChoiceB"	N/A

Smarter Balanced **does not** utilize any of the following Choice attributes:

Interaction Code Sample

```
<ati-assessment-item
 xsi:schemaLocation="http://www.imsglobal.org/xsd/imsgtiasi_v3p0
https://purl.imsqlobal.org/spec/qti/v3p0/schema/xsd/imsqti asiv3p0 v1p0.xsd
http://www.w3.org/1998/Math/MathML
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/mathml/v3p0/schema/xsd/mathml3.xsd
http://www.w3.org/2001/10/synthesis
https://purl.imsqlobal.org/spec/ssml/v1p1/schema/xsd/ssmlv1p1-core.xsd
http://www.w3.org/2001/XInclude
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/w3/2001/schema/xsd/XInclude.xsd "
 xmlns="http://www.imsglobal.org/xsd/imsqtiasi_v3p0"
 xmlns:m3="http://www.w3.org/1998/Math/MathML"
 xmlns:ssml11="http://www.w3.org/2001/10/synthesis"
 xmlns:xi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XInclude"
 xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance" identifier="choice-mc"
title="choice-single-cardinality" xml:lang="en" time-dependent="false">
 <qti-response-declaration identifier="RESPONSE" cardinality="single"
base-type="identifier">
  <ati-correct-response>
   <qti-value>ChoiceA</qti-value>
  </qti-correct-response>
 </qti-response-declaration>
 <qti-outcome-declaration identifier="SCORE" cardinality="single" base-type="float"
normal-maximum="1.0" normal-minimum="0.0">
  <ati-default-value>
    <qti-value>0</qti-value>
  </qti-default-value>
 </qti-outcome-declaration>
 <qti-item-body class="sbac">
  <div class="qti-layout-row">
    <div class="qti-layout-col8 qti-layout-offset2">
      <qti-choice-interaction class="sbac" response-identifier="RESPONSE"
max-choices="1" min-choices="1">
      <qti-prompt>
       Multiple Choice interaction, single cardinality (radio buttons), with SBAC rendering
and behaviors.
      </qti-prompt>
      <qti-simple-choice identifier="ChoiceA">
       You must stay with your luggage at all times.
      </gti-simple-choice>
      <ati-simple-choice identifier="ChoiceB">
       Do not let someone else look after your luggage.
      </gti-simple-choice>
      <qti-simple-choice identifier="ChoiceC">
       Remember your luggage when you leave.
      </qti-simple-choice>
     </gti-choice-interaction>
    </div>
  </div>
```

</qti-item-body>
</qti-assessment-item>

3.2 Multiple Select (MS)

3.2.1 MS Layout Overview

Multiple select or Multi-select (MS) items include a prompt area followed by 4-7 answer options. Response options appear vertically. Once an option is selected, a check mark appears in the box. Users may select one or multiple options depending on the question set up.

Example Item: QTI specific link will be provided at a later date.

SAAIF Version: http://sampleitems.smarterbalanced.org/Item/200-33717

3.2.2 MS User Interaction

Mouse Interaction

Interaction Description	Visual Example (if available or applicable)		
Upon hover-over of the selection-box option(s), the mouse cursor changes to a hand with a pointer-finger and the option is highlighted in blue and shades the	33717 ≡		
	What are the most likely purposes of the presentation? Pick two choices.		
checkbox gray.	to tell the history of the bicycle		
	to encourage people to buy bicycles		
Upon selection, the box converts to a checkmark displayed on a contrasted background.	What are the most likely purposes of the presentation? Pick two choices.		
background:	▼ to tell the history of the bicycle		
	to encourage people to buy bicycles		
	to teach people how to ride a bicycle		
	to explain how bicycles became popular		
	to show the differences between past and present bicycles		

Keyboard Interaction

Interaction Description	Visual Example (if available or applicable	le)
On tab key press, a blue reticle highlights the selection, upon subsequent tab key presses navigation proceeds top-down, left-right through the stimulus, then to the top of the response section until the option list is encountered. Shift+Tab allows a user to proceed upwards.	The First Bicycles Listen to the presentation. Then answer the questions.	What are the most two choices. to tell the histo to encourage p to teach people to explain how 33717 What are the most two choices. to tell the histo to encourage p to teach people to explain how
Options are selected by pressing the space-bar. Upon selection, the box converts to a checkmark displayed on a contrasted background.	33717 What are the most likely purposes of the presentation? ✓ to tell the history of the bicycle ☐ to encourage people to buy bicycles	Pick two choices.

3.2.3 MS Attributes

Interaction Attribute

MS items use the Choice Interaction attribute; these are mapped to **qti-choice-interaction** (**multiple cardinality**). The Choice Interaction attribute presents a collection of choices to the candidate in the form of checkboxes. The Choice Interaction is made up of Choices, which use the **qti-simple-choice** element to present an ordered list of choices to the candidate.

Name	Usage	Value	Default
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class	Optional	"sbac"	
response-identifier	Required	"RESPONSE"	
min-choices	Optional	Non-negative integer	
max-choices	Optional	Non-negative integer less than max number of options	

Smarter Balanced does not utilize the "orientation" or "shuffle" attributes of the Choice Interaction. Consequently, delivery platforms should interpret the absence of these attributes as having their default QTI 3 values; i.e., orientation="vertical" and shuffle="false".

Choice Attribute

Name	Usage	Value	Default
identifier	Required	"choice-ms"	

Smarter Balanced **does not** utilize any of the following Choice attributes:

Interaction Code Sample

```
<ati-assessment-item
 xsi:schemaLocation="http://www.imsglobal.org/xsd/imsgtiasi_v3p0
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/qti/v3p0/schema/xsd/imsqti_asiv3p0_v1p0.xsd
http://www.w3.org/1998/Math/MathML
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/mathml/v3p0/schema/xsd/mathml3.xsd
http://www.w3.org/2001/10/synthesis
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/ssml/v1p1/schema/xsd/ssmlv1p1-core.xsd
http://www.w3.org/2001/XInclude
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/w3/2001/schema/xsd/XInclude.xsd "
 xmlns="http://www.imsglobal.org/xsd/imsgtiasi v3p0"
 xmlns:m3="http://www.w3.org/1998/Math/MathML"
 xmlns:ssml11="http://www.w3.org/2001/10/synthesis"
 xmlns:xi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XInclude"
 xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance" identifier="choice-ms"
title="choice-multiple-cardinality" xml:lang="en" time-dependent="false">
 <qti-response-declaration identifier="RESPONSE" cardinality="multiple"</pre>
base-type="identifier">
  <qti-correct-response>
    <qti-value>O</qti-value>
   <qti-value>H</qti-value>
  </ati-correct-response>
 </qti-response-declaration>
 <qti-outcome-declaration identifier="SCORE" cardinality="single" base-type="float"
normal-maximum="1.0" normal-minimum="0.0">
  <qti-default-value>
    <qti-value>0</qti-value>
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[&]quot;template-identifier", "show-hide", and "fixed".

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</ati-default-value>
 </qti-outcome-declaration>
 <qti-item-body class="sbac">
  <div class="qti-layout-row">
    <div class="qti-layout-col8 qti-layout-offset2">
       <qti-choice-interaction class="sbac" response-identifier="RESPONSE"</pre>
max-choices="2" min-choices="1">
      <ati-prompt>
       Multiple Choice interaction, multiple cardinality (checkboxes), with SBAC
rendering and behaviors.
      </qti-prompt>
      <qti-simple-choice identifier="H">Hydrogen</qti-simple-choice>
      <gti-simple-choice identifier="He">Helium</gti-simple-choice>
      <gti-simple-choice identifier="C">Carbon</gti-simple-choice>
      <qti-simple-choice identifier="0">Oxygen</qti-simple-choice>
      <gti-simple-choice identifier="N">Nitrogen</gti-simple-choice>
      <gti-simple-choice identifier="Cl">Chlorine</gti-simple-choice>
     </gti-choice-interaction>
    </div>
  </div>
 </qti-item-body>
</gti-assessment-item>
```

3.3 Evidence Based Selected Response (EBSR)

3.3.1 EBSR Layout Overview

EBSR items combine two sets of stems and response options into a single item.

The layout provides a stimulus on the left side. On the right side, a vertical display of response options.

First set of response options are multiple choice where only one answer can be selected.

Second set of response options can include either multiple choice, where only one answer can be selected, or a multi-select set where more than one answer can be selected.

For multiple choice, letter options are rendered within the radio buttons.

Example Link: QTI specific link will be provided at a later date.

SAAIF Version: http://sampleitems.smarterbalanced.org/Item/200-27965

3.3.2 EBSR User Interaction

EBSR item interactions are identical to MC and MS items, however EBSR items can have MC, MS, or both interaction types within a single EBSR item. Please refer to <u>Multiple Choice User Interaction</u> and <u>Multi-Select User Interaction</u> sections for more information.

Mouse Interaction

Interaction Description	Visual Example (if available or applicable)
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On mouse hover, the option is highlighted in a blue rectangle. Upon option selection, radio button inner color is darkened, radio button and answer option is highlighted.

Please refer to <u>Multiple</u> <u>Choice User Interaction</u> and <u>Multi-Select User Interaction</u> sections for more information.

Part A

Why did people see the Hoover Dam as a "source of hope"?

- A It tamed the Colorado River.
- (B) It led to the creation of a town.
- (C) It provided jobs for many people.
- D It generated electricity for three different states.

Part A

Why did people see the Hoover Dam as a "source of hope"?

- (A) It tamed the Colorado River.
- (B) It led to the creation of a town.
- It provided jobs for many people.
- (D) It generated electricity for three different states.

On option loose-focus, selected radio button retains darker inner color and highlight. Option with focus has the same visual cues as above.

Please refer to Multiple Choice User Interaction and Multi-Select User Interaction sections for more information.

Part A

Why did people see the Hoover Dam as a "source of hope"?

- A It tamed the Colorado River.
- B It led to the creation of a town.
- **G** It provided jobs for many people.
- D It generated electricity for three different states.

Keyboard Interaction

Interaction Description

Visual Example (if available or applicable)

On tab key press, a blue reticle highlights the selection, upon subsequent tab key presses navigation proceeds top-down, left-right through the stimulus, then to the top of the response section until the option list is encountered.

Shift+Tab allows a user to proceed upwards.

Please refer to <u>Multiple</u>
<u>Choice User Interaction</u>
and <u>Multi-Select User</u>
<u>Interaction</u> sections for more information.

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The following question has two parts. First, answer part A. Then, answer part B.

Part A

Why did people see the Hoover Dam as a "source of hope"?

- (A) It tamed the Colorado River.
- (B) It led to the creation of a town.
- © It provided jobs for many people.
- (D) It generated electricity for three different states.

Part A

Why did people see the Hoover Dam as a "source of hope"?

- (A) It tamed the Colorado River.
- (B) It led to the creation of a town.
- © It provided jobs for many people.
- D It generated electricity for three different states.

For EBSR containing multiple choice (shown): On subsequent tab presses, navigation proceeds through the option list, highlighting each option. Options are selected upon space-bar press.

For EBSR containing multiple select:
Options are selected by pressing the space-bar.
Upon selection, the box converts to a checkmark displayed on a contrasted background.

A mix of these interactions will occur if an item contains both interaction types.

Please refer to Multiple Choice User Interaction and Multi-Select User Interaction sections for more information.

Part A

Why did people see the Hoover Dam as a "source of hope"?

- (A) It tamed the Colorado River.
- (B) It led to the creation of a town.
- © It provided jobs for many people.
- (D) It generated electricity for three different states.

Part B

Which detail from the presentation **best** supports your answer in part A?

(A) On October 9, 1936, the dam began to generate electricity for people in three different states.

Part A

Why did people see the Hoover Dam as a "source of hope"?

- (A) It tamed the Colorado River.
- (B) It led to the creation of a town.
- C It provided jobs for many people.
- D It generated electricity for three different states.

Part B

Which detail from the presentation **best** supports your answer in part A?

A On October 9, 1936, the dam began to generate electricity for people in three different states. On tab key press, option remains selected, and user is taken to the next set of options, or if no further option lists exist navigation exists the option selection.

Please refer to <u>Multiple</u>
<u>Choice User Interaction</u>
and <u>Multi-Select User</u>
<u>Interaction</u> sections for more information.

Part A

Why did people see the Hoover Dam as a "source of hope"?

- It tamed the Colorado River.
- (B) It led to the creation of a town.
- **G** It provided jobs for many people.
- (D) It generated electricity for three different states.

Part B

Which detail from the presentation **best** supports your answer in part A?

- On October 9, 1936, the dam began to generate electricity for people in three different states.
- (B) Many dams were built to control flooding, but the Hoover Dam used water to produce electricity.

3.3.3 EBSR Attributes

Interaction Attribute

SB utilizes the following tags when authoring items for the following QTI 3.x interactions. Note that SB EBSR items are "composite" items - meaning that they contain two different types of interactions within a single item - containing MC and MS interactions.

- qti-choice-interaction (single cardinality)
- qti-choice-interaction (multiple cardinality)

Please see sections for Multiple Choice and Multi-Select items for details.

Choice Attribute

Please see sections for Multiple Choice and Multi-Select items for details.

Name	Usage	Value	Default
identifier	Required* *May contain multiple, varying	A valid QTI Identifier: e.g. "ChoiceB"	N/A
	values	"choice-ms"	

Interaction Code Sample

```
<qti-assessment-item
xsi:schemaLocation="http://www.imsglobal.org/xsd/imsgtiasi v3p0
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/qti/v3p0/schema/xsd/imsqti_asiv3p0_v1p0.xsd
http://www.w3.org/1998/Math/MathML
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/mathml/v3p0/schema/xsd/mathml3.xsd
http://www.w3.org/2001/10/synthesis
https://purl.imsqlobal.org/spec/ssml/v1p1/schema/xsd/ssmlv1p1-core.xsd
http://www.w3.org/2001/XInclude
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/w3/2001/schema/xsd/XInclude.xsd "
xmlns="http://www.imsglobal.org/xsd/imsgtiasi v3p0"
xmlns:m3="http://www.w3.org/1998/Math/MathML"
xmlns:ssml11="http://www.w3.org/2001/10/synthesis"
xmlns:xi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XInclude"
xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance" identifier="sbac-200-27965"
title="27965" xml:lang="en" tool-name="TIMS QTI 3.0 Export" tool-version="5.10.2"
time-dependent="false">
<qti-response-declaration identifier="RESPONSE-PART-A" cardinality="single"</pre>
base-type="identifier">
<qti-correct-response>
<qti-value>C</qti-value>
</qti-correct-response>
</ati-response-declaration>
<qti-response-declaration identifier="RESPONSE-PART-B" cardinality="single"
base-type="identifier">
<qti-correct-response>
<qti-value>C</qti-value>
</qti-correct-response>
</gti-response-declaration>
<qti-outcome-declaration identifier="SCORE" cardinality="single" base-type="float"
normal-maximum="1.0" normal-minimum="0.0">
<qti-default-value>
<qti-value>0</qti-value>
</ati-default-value>
</gti-outcome-declaration>
<qti-assessment-stimulus-ref identifier="sbac-200-170720"
href="../sbac-200-170720/sbac-200-170720.xml" />
<gti-stylesheet href="sbac-qti-assessment.css" type="text/css" />
<qti-item-body class="sbac">
<div data-catalog-idref="item-27965-global" class="sbac-global-item-catalog-ref" />
<div class="gti-layout-row sbac-pane-scrolling">
<div class="gti-layout-col5 sbac-left-pane">
<h2 class="gti-visually-hidden semantic-marker"
data-gti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">Passage</h2>
<div data-stimulus-idref="sbac-200-170720" class="qti-shared-stimulus" /></div>
<div class="qti-layout-col7 sbac-right-pane">
<h2 class="qti-visually-hidden semantic-marker"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">Question</h2>
```

```
<div class="prompt">
The following question has two parts. First, answer part A. Then, answer part B.
</div>
<div class="item-part">
<h3 class="choicePart">Part A</h3>
<div class="prompt">
<br/>br />Why did people see the Hoover Dam as a <span class="qti-visually-hidden"</p>
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">"source</span><span
data-catalog-idref="item-27965-catalog-0" aria-hidden="true">"source</span> of <span
class="qti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">hope?"</span><span
data-catalog-idref="item-27965-catalog-1" aria-hidden="true">hope"?</span>
</div>
<qti-choice-interaction class="sbac" response-identifier="RESPONSE-PART-A"
max-choices="1" min-choices="1">
<qti-simple-choice identifier="A">
It tamed the Colorado River.
</qti-simple-choice>
<qti-simple-choice identifier="B">
It led to the creation of a town.
</gti-simple-choice>
<ati-simple-choice identifier="C">
It provided jobs for many people.
</ati-simple-choice>
<qti-simple-choice identifier="D">
It <span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-1"</p>
data-sbac-term="generated">generated</span> electricity for three different
states.
</qti-simple-choice>
</gti-choice-interaction>
</div>
<div class="item-part">
<h3 class="choicePart">Part B</h3>
<div class="prompt">
<br/>br />Which detail from the presentation <strong><span</p>
class="qti-visually-hidden" data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">best</span>
<span data-catalog-idref="item-27965-catalog-3"</pre>
aria-hidden="true">best</span></strong><strong></strong>supports your answer in
part <span class="qti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">A</span><span
data-catalog-idref="item-27965-catalog-2" aria-hidden="true">A</span>?
<qti-choice-interaction class="sbac" response-identifier="RESPONSE-PART-B"
max-choices="1" min-choices="1">
<qti-simple-choice identifier="A">
On October <span class="gti-visually-hidden"</p>
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">9,</span><span
data-catalog-idref="item-27965-catalog-4">9,</span><span class="qti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">1936,</span><span
data-catalog-idref="item-27965-catalog-5">1936,</span> the dam began to generate
electricity for people in three different states.
```

```
</ati-simple-choice>
<qti-simple-choice identifier="B">
Many dams were built to control flooding, but the Hoover Dam used water to
produce electricity. 
</qti-simple-choice>
<qti-simple-choice identifier="C">
Many Americans did not have jobs and the construction of the dam created work for
thousands of people.
</qti-simple-choice>
<qti-simple-choice identifier="D">
The federal government created an entire town called Boulder City to provide a place
to stay for workers and their families.
</qti-simple-choice>
</gti-choice-interaction>
</div>
</div>
</div>
</qti-item-body>
</gti-assessment-item>
```

3.4 Equation (EQ)

3.4.1 EQ Layout Overview

The Equation item type consists of a prompt followed by one or more entry boxes and an on-screen keypad that contains numbers, text variables, and necessary mathematical symbols.

Equation items are 769 pixels wide or use 100% of the available response area width (whichever is smaller). The default height is 254 pixels. The item indicates which of 11 pre-defined layouts should be used for the math input key panel. The answer space might include text to the left, right or both sides.

Within the CDATA, implementation partners should present the "entrybox" element before the keypad entry tool.

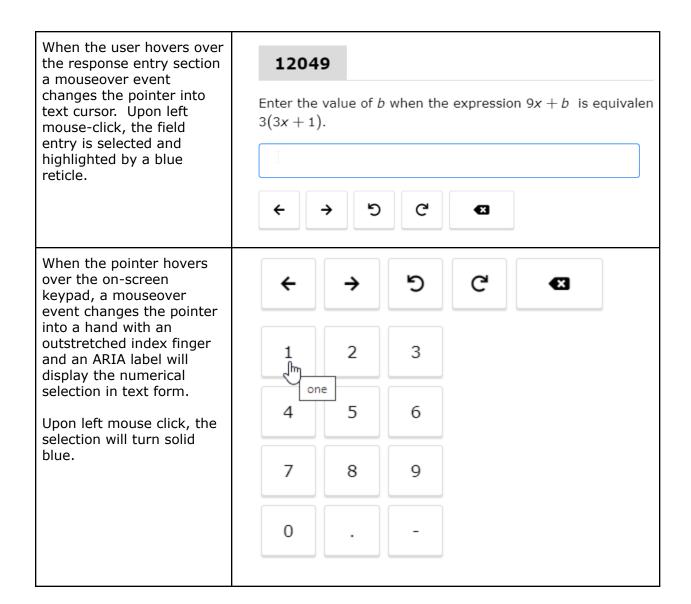
Example Link: QTI specific link will be provided at a later date.

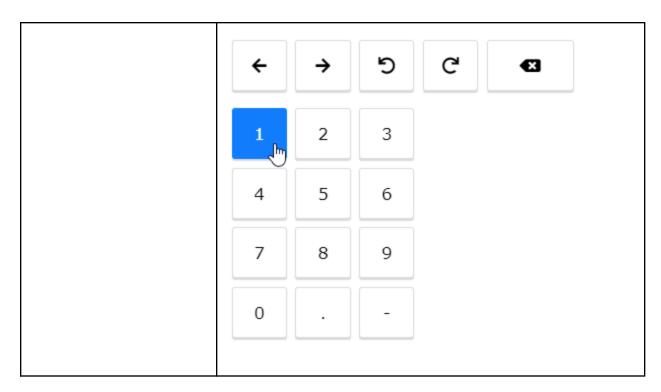
SAAIF Version: http://sampleitems.smarterbalanced.org/Item/200-12049

3.4.2 EQ User Interaction

Mouse Interaction

Interaction Description	Visual Example (if available or applicable)
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Keyboard Interaction

Interaction Description	Visual Example (if available or applicable)		
On tab key press, navigation proceeds top-down through the	Enter the value of b when the expression $9x + b$ is equivalent to $3(3x + 1)$.		
DOM until the answer entry box is selected. Keyboard numbers keys	3 I		
are then used to enter in response.	← → 5 C ← →		
Please note that advanced equation keyboard functions are included in items within the "custom-option" element surrounded by CDATA.	1 2 3		

3.4.3 EQ Attributes

Interaction Attribute

EQ items use the Custom Interaction attribute; these are mapped to **qti-custom-interaction**. The Custom Interaction attribute presents an entry field for responses.

Name	Usage	Value	Default
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class	Optional	"tei-sbee"	
response-identifier	Required	"RESPONSE"	

Choice Attribute

Given that this is a response entry item, there is no choice attribute.

Interaction Code Sample

```
<qti-assessment-item
xsi:schemaLocation="http://www.imsglobal.org/xsd/imsgtiasi_v3p0
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/qti/v3p0/schema/xsd/imsqti_asiv3p0_v1p0.xsd
http://www.w3.org/1998/Math/MathML
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/mathml/v3p0/schema/xsd/mathml3.xsd
http://www.w3.org/2001/10/synthesis
https://purl.imsqlobal.org/spec/ssml/v1p1/schema/xsd/ssmlv1p1-core.xsd
http://www.w3.org/2001/XInclude
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/w3/2001/schema/xsd/XInclude.xsd "
xmlns="http://www.imsglobal.org/xsd/imsgtiasi v3p0"
xmlns:m3="http://www.w3.org/1998/Math/MathML"
xmlns:ssml11="http://www.w3.org/2001/10/synthesis"
xmlns:xi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XInclude"
xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
identifier="sbac-200-183216" title="183216" xml:lang="en" tool-name="TIMS QTI 3.0
Export" tool-version="5.10.4" time-dependent="false">
<gti-response-declaration identifier="RESPONSE" cardinality="single" base-type="string"
<qti-outcome-declaration identifier="SCORE" cardinality="single" base-type="float"
normal-maximum="1.0" normal-minimum="0.0">
<qti-default-value>
<qti-value>0</qti-value>
</qti-default-value>
</qti-outcome-declaration>
<qti-outcome-declaration identifier="Responses" cardinality="ordered"
base-type="string" />
<qti-outcome-declaration identifier="Response1" cardinality="single" base-type="string"
<qti-stylesheet href="sbac-qti-assessment.css" type="text/css" />
<qti-item-body class="sbac">
<div data-catalog-idref="item-183216-global" class="sbac-global-item-catalog-ref" />
<div class="qti-layout-row">
<div class="gti-layout-col8 gti-layout-offset2">
<div class="prompt">
The line plot shows the distances, in miles, Rex <span</p>
data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-4" data-sbac-term="walked">walked</span> on
seven days.
<br />
<img aria-describedby="img-descript-0"
src="item 183216 v0 graphics1 png256.png" alt=""/>
```

```
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">The line plot is titled: Distances Rex
Walked (mi). Each X represents one day. The line plot has a range from 1 1/4 to 3 1/4,
increasing in increments of 2/4. The data points are: 1 3/4: X; 2: X; 2 1/2: X X X; 3: X; 3
1/4 X.
<br />
<span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-1" data-sbac-term="Enter">Enter</span>
the <span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-2" data-sbac-term="total">total</span>
distance, in miles, Rex <span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-4"
data-sbac-term="walked">walked</span> for <span
data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-3" data-sbac-term="all">all</span> seven <span
class="qti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">days.</span><span aria-hidden="true"
data-catalog-idref="item-183216-catalog-1">days.</span>
</div>
<qti-custom-interaction response-identifier="RESPONSE" class="tei-sbee">
<custom-option><![CDATA[<editorconfig>
 <tabConfig>
 <tab xmlns="http://www.w3.org/1999/xhtml" title="Basic">
<grid cols="3" title="Numbers">
 <item title="one" aria-label="one">1</item>
 <item title="two" aria-label="two">2</item>
 <item title="three" aria-label="three">3</item>
 <item title="four" aria-label="four">4</item>
 <item title="five" aria-label="five">5</item>
 <item title="six" aria-label="six">6</item>
 <item title="seven" aria-label="seven">7</item>
 <item title="eight" aria-label="eight">8</item>
 <item title="nine" aria-label="nine">9</item>
 <item title="zero" aria-label="zero">0</item>
 <item title="period" aria-label="period">.</item>
 <item title="fraction" aria-label="fraction" cmd="/" class="mje_button_fraction"/>
</grid>
 </tab>
 </tabConfig>
 <editorRow>
 <math xmlns="http://www.w3.org/1998/Math/MathML" title="">
 <mstyle>
<mo>##</mo>
 </mstyle>
 </editorRow>
</editorconfig>]]></custom-option>
</gti-custom-interaction>
</div>
</div>
</qti-item-body>
</gti-assessment-item>
```

3.5 Hot Text Question - Selectable (HTQ, HTQS)

3.5.1 HTQS Layout Overview

HTQS items provide a prompt that requests the action(s) of the student to answer the question. HTQS items can have a stimulus that provides additional content. The student will then select the answer that best answers the prompt.

Hot Text items consist of a prompt followed by a section of text containing interactive words or phrases that students can select.

Example Link: QTI specific link will be provided at a later date.

SAAIF Version: http://sampleitems.smarterbalanced.org/Item/200-182835

3.5.2 HTQS User Interaction

Mouse Interaction

Interaction Description	Visual Example (if available or applicable)
When a user hovers over selectable text, the cursor changes to a hand with an extended pointer finger as the text is highlighted in gray.	A student is writing a story for language arts about learning to ski. Read the draft of the story and complete the task that follows. The student wants to make sure that he has used the right words to make his meaning clear. Click on two of the underlined words that he should change. This weekend, I went skiing with my friend Jack and his family. I had never been there before, so I was really excited. The mountains looked so beautiful with their peaks covered in snow.
When the selectable text is selected, it is highlighted in blue.	This weekend, I went skiing with my friend Jack and his family. I had never been there before, so I was really excited. The mountains looked so beautiful with their peaks covered in snow. First, Jack's father gave me a ski lesson and I practiced for a while. Then, we rode to the ski slope on the thing that takes people to the mountain top. It was fun to slide on the ski s, but I forgot how to stop and crashed into Jack. We both fell down, but we weren't hurt. Jack's dad was laughing. He helped us up and taught me how to stop again.

Keyboard Interaction

Interaction Description

User can tab through options to select 182835 ≡ appropriate response. A blue box highlights the A student is writing a story for language arts about learning to ski. option being focused on. Read the draft of the story and complete the task that follows. The student wants to make sure that he has used the right words to make his meaning clear. Click on two of the underlined words that he should change. 182835 A student is writing a story for language arts about learning to ski. Read the draft of the story and complete the task that follows. The student wants to make sure that he has used the right words to make his meaning clear. Click on two of the underlined words that he should change. This weekend, I went skiing with my friend Jack and his family. I had never been there before, so I was really excited. The mountains looked so beautiful with their peaks covered in snow. The space-bar can be used This weekend, I went skiing with my friend Jack and his family. I to select/de-select options. had never been there before, so I was really excited. The mountains looked so beautiful with their peaks covered in snow.

3.5.3 HTQS Attributes

Interaction Attribute

HTQS items use the Hot Text Interaction attribute; these are mapped to **qti-hottext-interaction**. The Hot Text Interaction attribute presents choices to the candidate in the form of selectable underlined words.

Name	Usage	Value	Default
class	Optional	"qti-underline"	
response-identifier	Optional	"RESPONSE"	

Choice Attribute

Name	Usage	Value	Default
identifier	Required	Example: "a"	

Interaction Code Sample

```
<ati-assessment-item
xsi:schemaLocation="http://www.imsglobal.org/xsd/imsgtiasi_v3p0
https://purl.imsqlobal.org/spec/qti/v3p0/schema/xsd/imsqti asiv3p0 v1p0.xsd
http://www.w3.org/1998/Math/MathML
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/mathml/v3p0/schema/xsd/mathml3.xsd
http://www.w3.org/2001/10/synthesis
https://purl.imsqlobal.org/spec/ssml/v1p1/schema/xsd/ssmlv1p1-core.xsd
http://www.w3.org/2001/XInclude
https://purl.imsqlobal.org/spec/w3/2001/schema/xsd/XInclude.xsd "
xmlns="http://www.imsglobal.org/xsd/imsqtiasi_v3p0"
xmlns:m3="http://www.w3.org/1998/Math/MathML"
xmlns:ssml11="http://www.w3.org/2001/10/synthesis"
xmlns:xi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XInclude"
xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
identifier="sbac-200-182835" title="182835" xml:lang="en" tool-name="TIMS QTI 3.0"
Export" tool-version="5.10.4" time-dependent="false">
<qti-response-declaration identifier="RESPONSE" cardinality="multiple"</pre>
base-type="identifier">
<qti-correct-response>
<qti-value>a</qti-value>
<qti-value>c</qti-value>
</gti-correct-response>
</gti-response-declaration>
<qti-outcome-declaration identifier="SCORE" cardinality="single" base-type="float"</pre>
normal-maximum="1.0" normal-minimum="0.0">
<qti-default-value>
<qti-value>0</qti-value>
</gti-default-value>
</ati-outcome-declaration>
<qti-stylesheet href="sbac-qti-assessment.css" type="text/css" />
<qti-item-body class="sbac">
<div data-catalog-idref="item-182835-global" class="sbac-global-item-catalog-ref" />
<div class="qti-layout-row">
<div class="qti-layout-col12">
<div class="prompt">
A student is writing a story for language arts about learning to ski. <span</p>
class="qti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">Reed</span><span aria-hidden="true"
data-catalog-idref="item-182835-catalog-0">Read</span> the draft of the story and
complete the task that follows. 
<br/>The student wants to make sure that he has used the right words to make his
meaning clear. Click on <strong><span class="gti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">two,</span><span aria-hidden="true"
data-catalog-idref="item-182835-catalog-1">two</span></strong> of the underlined
words that he should change. 
<qti-hottext-interaction response-identifier="RESPONSE" max-choices="0">
<div>
```

```
<br />
This weekend, I went skiing with my friend Jack and his family. I had never been
<gti-hottext identifier="a"><span class="gti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">there</span><span
data-catalog-idref="item-182835-catalog-2" aria-hidden="true"
class="qti-underline">there</span></qti-hottext> before, so I was really <span
data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-1" data-sbac-term="excited">excited</span>. The
mountains looked so beautiful with their <qti-hottext identifier="b"><span
class="qti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">peaks</span><span
data-catalog-idref="item-182835-catalog-3" aria-hidden="true"
class="qti-underline">peaks</span></qti-hottext> covered in snow.
First, Jack's father gave me a ski lesson and I <span</p>
data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-2" data-sbac-term="practiced">practiced</span> for
a while. Then, we rode to the ski slope on the <qti-hottext identifier="c"><span
class="qti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">thing</span><span
data-catalog-idref="item-182835-catalog-4" aria-hidden="true"
class="qti-underline">thing</span></qti-hottext> that takes people to the mountain top.
It was fun to slide on the skis, but I forgot how to stop and <gti-hottext
identifier="d"><span class="qti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">crashed</span><span
data-catalog-idref="item-182835-catalog-5" aria-hidden="true"
class="qti-underline">crashed</span></qti-hottext> into Jack. We both fell down, but
we weren't hurt. Jack's dad was laughing. He helped us up and taught me how to stop
again.
</div>
</ati-hottext-interaction>
</div>
</div>
</qti-item-body>
</gti-assessment-item>
```

3.6 Match Interaction (MI)

3.6.1 MI Layout Overview

The Match Interaction (MI) item types include a prompt followed by a table with text or images. The first column and/or row of the table presents a set of statements and corresponding references for the statements' sources. The candidate selects a box to represent a value or values in the columns. The candidate selects the boxes where a match is valid.

Example Link: QTI specific link will be provided at a later date.

SAAIF Version: http://sampleitems.smarterbalanced.org/Item/200-182944

3.6.2 MI User Interaction

Mouse Interaction

Interaction Description	Visual Example (if available or applicable)			
Upon hover-over selection box option(s), mouse cursor changes to a hand with a pointer-finger and the selection box color changes to a gray-shaded color.		Source 1	Source 2	
	Claim 1 America created its postal service in part to protect the rights of its people.			
Upon selection, the box converts to a checkmark displayed on a contrasted background.		Source 1	Source 2	
	Claim 1 America created its postal service in part to protect the rights of its people.	≯ €		

Keyboard Interaction

Interaction Description	Visual Example (if available or applicable)
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On tab key press, navigation proceeds top-down through the DOM until the option table is encountered. A blue box highlights the option being focused on. Arrow navigation is not supported within the table.	A student is writing development of the for his report. Read Source 1: "The Cre Macannis, historia describes each claim.	United States the sources ar eation of the n	Postal Service and the directio	. He found pos ns that follow. Service" by Ha	sible sources
		Source 1	Source 2	Both sources	Neither source
	Claim 1 America created its postal service in part to protect the rights of its people.				
The space-bar can be used to select/de-select options.		Source 1	Source 2	Both sources	Neither source
	Claim 1 America created its postal service in part to protect the rights of its people.				

3.6.3 MI Attributes

Interaction Attribute

MI items use the Match Interaction attribute; these are mapped to "qti-match-tabular". The Match Interaction attribute presents choices to the candidate in the form of selectable underlined words.

Name	Usage	Value	Default
class	Optional	"qti-match-tabular" "sbac" (e.g.	

		"qti-match-tabular sbac")	
response-identifier	Optional	"RESPONSE"	
min-associations	Optional	Non-negative integer	1
max-associations	Optional	Non-negative integer	

Choice Attribute

Name	Usage	Value	Default
identifier	Optional	Coordinates associated with table location	
match-max	Optional	Non-negative integer	

Interaction Code Sample

```
<qti-assessment-item
xsi:schemaLocation="http://www.imsglobal.org/xsd/imsgtiasi v3p0
https://purl.imsqlobal.org/spec/qti/v3p0/schema/xsd/imsqti asiv3p0 v1p0.xsd
http://www.w3.org/1998/Math/MathML
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/mathml/v3p0/schema/xsd/mathml3.xsd
http://www.w3.org/2001/10/synthesis
https://purl.imsqlobal.org/spec/ssml/v1p1/schema/xsd/ssmlv1p1-core.xsd
http://www.w3.org/2001/XInclude
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/w3/2001/schema/xsd/XInclude.xsd "
xmlns="http://www.imsglobal.org/xsd/imsqtiasi_v3p0"
xmlns:m3="http://www.w3.org/1998/Math/MathML"
xmlns:ssml11="http://www.w3.org/2001/10/synthesis"
xmlns:xi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XInclude"
xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
identifier="sbac-200-182830" title="182830" xml:lang="en" tool-name="TIMS QTI 3.0"
Export" tool-version="5.10.4" time-dependent="false">
<qti-response-declaration identifier="RESPONSE" cardinality="multiple"
base-type="directedPair">
<qti-correct-response>
<qti-value>set-1-a set-2-a</qti-value>
<qti-value>set-1-b set-2-b</qti-value>
<qti-value>set-1-c set-2-a</qti-value>
<qti-value>set-1-d set-2-b</qti-value>
</qti-correct-response>
</gti-response-declaration>
<qti-outcome-declaration identifier="SCORE" cardinality="single" base-type="float"
normal-maximum="1.0" normal-minimum="0.0">
<qti-default-value>
<ati-value>0</ati-value>
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</ati-default-value>
</qti-outcome-declaration>
<qti-assessment-stimulus-ref identifier="sbac-200-193773"
href="../sbac-200-193773/sbac-200-193773.xml" />
<qti-stylesheet href="sbac-qti-assessment.css" type="text/css" />
<qti-item-body class="sbac">
<div data-catalog-idref="item-182830-global" class="sbac-global-item-catalog-ref" />
<div class="gti-layout-row sbac-pane-scrolling">
<div class="qti-layout-col5 sbac-left-pane">
<h2 class="gti-visually-hidden semantic-marker"
data-gti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">Passage</h2>
<div data-stimulus-idref="sbac-200-193773" class="qti-shared-stimulus" />
<div class="qti-lavout-col7 sbac-right-pane">
<h2 class="gti-visually-hidden semantic-marker"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">Question</h2>
<div class="prompt">
The presentation gives information about the balloons used in the Thanksqiving
parade in New York City as well as information about other parts of the parade. Complete
the chart by clicking in the boxes next to the information column that match whether the
information describes balloons or other parts of the <span class="gti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">parade.</span><span aria-hidden="true"
data-catalog-idref="item-182830-catalog-0">parade.</span>
</div>
<qti-match-interaction response-identifier="RESPONSE" max-associations="0"
min-associations="1" class="qti-match-tabular sbac">
<qti-simple-match-set>
<gti-simple-associable-choice identifier="set-1-a" match-max="0">
<strong><strong>Famous Characters</strong></strong>
</qti-simple-associable-choice>
<qti-simple-associable-choice identifier="set-1-b" match-max="0">
<strong><strong>Funny Clowns</strong>
</qti-simple-associable-choice>
<qti-simple-associable-choice identifier="set-1-c" match-max="0">
<strong><strong>Long and Tall</strong></strong>
</ati-simple-associable-choice>
<qti-simple-associable-choice identifier="set-1-d" match-max="0">
<strong><strong>Colorful Floats</strong></strong>
</qti-simple-associable-choice>
</gti-simple-match-set>
<qti-simple-match-set>
<qti-simple-associable-choice identifier="set-2-a" match-max="0">
<strong><strong>Balloons</strong></strong>
</gti-simple-associable-choice>
<qti-simple-associable-choice identifier="set-2-b" match-max="0">
<strong><strong>Parade</strong></strong>
</ati-simple-associable-choice>
</gti-simple-match-set>
</gti-match-interaction>
</div>
</div>
</gti-item-body>
```

</qti-assessment-item>

3.7 Short Answer (SA)

3.7.1 SA Layout Overview

The Short Answer (SA) items include a prompt followed by either a plain text or html editor. For Smarter Balanced assessments, the SA items that appear in the ELA/literacy assessments use a plain text editor; 5 lines of available text entry is provided before scrolling. The SA items that appear on the mathematics assessment use the html editor; 24 lines of text entry is available before scrolling is activated. One can configure the character limit for both iterations, Smarter Balanced does not have a recommended character limit in both ELA/literacy and mathematics.

Example Link: QTI specific link will be provided at a later date.

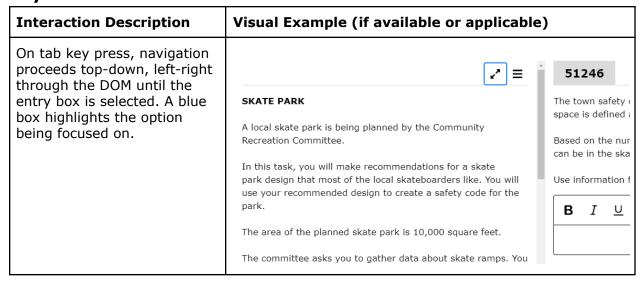
SAAIF Version: http://sampleitems.smarterbalanced.org/Item/200-51246

3.7.2 SA User Interaction

Mouse Interaction

Interaction Description	Visual Example (if available or applicable)		
Mouse is used to select answer box where answer is composed. The use must click to begin text entry.	Use information from previous questions to fully explain your answer.		

Keyboard Interaction



3.7.3 SA Attributes

Interaction Attribute

SA items use the Extended Text Interaction attribute; these are mapped to "qti-extended-text-interaction". The Extended Text Interaction attribute presents a response box intended for a typed response to the stimulus provided.

Name	Usage	Value	Default
class	Optional	"sbac" "qti-height-lines-6" (Plain) "qti-height-lines-95" (XHTML)	
format	Optional	"plain" or "xhtml"	
response-identifier	Optional	"RESPONSE"	

Choice Attribute

Not applicable.

Interaction Code Sample

```
<qti-assessment-item
 xsi:schemaLocation="http://www.imsglobal.org/xsd/imsgtiasi_v3p0
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/qti/v3p0/schema/xsd/imsqti_asiv3p0_v1p0.xsd
http://www.w3.org/1998/Math/MathML
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/mathml/v3p0/schema/xsd/mathml3.xsd
http://www.w3.org/2001/10/synthesis
https://purl.imsqlobal.org/spec/ssml/v1p1/schema/xsd/ssmlv1p1-core.xsd
http://www.w3.org/2001/XInclude
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/w3/2001/schema/xsd/XInclude.xsd "
 xmlns="http://www.imsglobal.org/xsd/imsgtiasi v3p0"
 xmlns:m3="http://www.w3.org/1998/Math/MathML"
 xmlns:ssml11="http://www.w3.org/2001/10/synthesis"
 xmlns:xi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XInclude"
 xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
 identifier="sbac-200-183173" title="183173" xml:lang="en" tool-name="TIMS QTI 3.0
Export"
 tool-version="5.10.4" time-dependent="false">
 <qti-response-declaration identifier="RESPONSE" cardinality="single"
base-type="string"/>
 <qti-outcome-declaration identifier="SCORE" cardinality="single" base-type="float"
 normal-maximum="2.0" normal-minimum="0.0" external-scored="human">
 <ati-default-value>
 <qti-value>0</qti-value>
 </qti-default-value>
 </qti-outcome-declaration>
```

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<qti-assessment-stimulus-ref identifier="sbac-200-193797"
 href="../sbac-200-193797/sbac-200-193797.xml"/>
 <gti-stylesheet href="sbac-qti-assessment.css" type="text/css"/>
 <qti-item-body class="sbac">
 <div data-catalog-idref="item-183173-global"</pre>
class="sbac-global-item-catalog-ref"/>
 <div class="qti-layout-row sbac-pane-scrolling">
 <div class="qti-layout-col5 sbac-left-pane">
 <h2 class="qti-visually-hidden semantic-marker"
 data-gti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">Passage</h2>
 <div data-stimulus-idref="sbac-200-193797" class="gti-shared-stimulus"/>
 </div>
 <div class="qti-layout-col7 sbac-right-pane">
 <h2 class="qti-visually-hidden semantic-marker"
 data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">Question</h2>
 <div class="prompt">
 What <span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-1" data-sbac-term="inference"</p>
 >inference</span> can be made about Jim's feelings toward Father Time?
 Support your answer with details from the text.
 </div>
 <qti-extended-text-interaction response-identifier="RESPONSE"</pre>
format="plain"
 class="qti-height-lines-6"/>
 </div>
 </div>
 </qti-item-body>
</qti-assessment-item>
```

3.8 Table Interaction (TI)

3.8.1 TI Layout Overview

For Table Interaction (TI) item types, students are provided with a prompt area followed by a table that includes one or more cells in which students may enter numbers or text. The student uses a keyboard to enter their answer into the answer table.

Example Link: QTI specific link will be provided at a later date.

SAAIF Version: http://sampleitems.smarterbalanced.org/Item/200-77981

3.8.2 TI User Interaction

Mouse Interaction

Interaction Description	Visual Example (if available or applicable)
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Mouse is used to select sections of the table where answer(s) are entered. Upon selection, the entrybox border will highlight blue to indicate that it is active.

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Max is estimating the amount of each ingredient needed to make 4 cakes.

Use the information listed in **Table 1** and **Table 2** to help you fill in the chart.

- Fill in the number of cups of flour and sugar, and the number of eggs needed to make 4 cakes.
- Then fill in the number of cups of flour and sugar, and the number of eggs that remain after making 4 cakes.

Ingredient	Amount Needed for 4 Cakes	Amount of Ingredient Remaining
Cups of Flour	-	
Cups of Sugar		

Keyboard Interaction

Interaction Description Visual Example (if available or applicable) On tab key press, navigation proceeds top-down, left-right through the DOM table MAKING CAKES until the entry box is selected. A blue box highlights the option being focused on. You, Max, and Tonya will plan the number of cakes Entrybox border will your class will make for a community celebration. highlight to indicate that it is active. Your task is to decide how many cakes can be made using the available ingredients. Amount Needed Amount of Ingredient for 4 Cakes **Ingredient Remaining** Cups of Flour Cups of Sugar

3.8.3 TI Attributes

Interaction Attribute

TI items use the Custom Interaction attribute; these are mapped to

"qti-custom-interaction". The Custom Interaction attribute presents a response table

intended for a typed response to the stimulus provided.

Name	Usage	Value	Default
class	Optional	"tei-sbti" data-table-sub-type ="TableInputExt" may be present to indicate textarea elements instead of input elements	
identifier	Optional	"RESPONSE"	

Choice Attribute

Not applicable.

Interaction Code Sample

```
<ati-assessment-item
xsi:schemaLocation="http://www.imsglobal.org/xsd/imsgtiasi v3p0
https://purl.imsqlobal.org/spec/qti/v3p0/schema/xsd/imsqti asiv3p0 v1p0.xsd
http://www.w3.org/1998/Math/MathML
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/mathml/v3p0/schema/xsd/mathml3.xsd
http://www.w3.org/2001/10/synthesis
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/ssml/v1p1/schema/xsd/ssmlv1p1-core.xsd
http://www.w3.org/2001/XInclude
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/w3/2001/schema/xsd/XInclude.xsd "
xmlns="http://www.imsglobal.org/xsd/imsgtiasi v3p0"
xmlns:m3="http://www.w3.org/1998/Math/MathML"
xmlns:ssml11="http://www.w3.org/2001/10/synthesis"
xmlns:xi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XInclude"
xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance" identifier="sbac-200-77981"
title="77981" xml:lang="en" tool-name="TIMS QTI 3.0 Export" tool-version="5.10.4"
time-dependent="false">
<qti-response-declaration identifier="RESPONSE" cardinality="single" base-type="string"
/>
<gti-outcome-declaration identifier="SCORE" cardinality="single" base-type="float"
external-scored="human" variable-identifier-ref="RESPONSE" normal-maximum="2.0"
normal-minimum="0.0">
<qti-default-value>
<qti-value>0</qti-value>
 </gti-default-value>
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</ati-outcome-declaration>
<qti-outcome-declaration identifier="Responses" cardinality="ordered"
base-type="string" />
<gti-outcome-declaration identifier="Row1Col3Response" cardinality="single"
base-type="float" />
<qti-outcome-declaration identifier="Row2Col2Response" cardinality="single"</pre>
base-type="float" />
<gti-outcome-declaration identifier="Row2Col3Response" cardinality="single"
base-type="float" />
<gti-outcome-declaration identifier="Row3Col2Response" cardinality="single"
base-type="float" />
<gti-outcome-declaration identifier="Row3Col3Response" cardinality="single"
base-type="float" />
<qti-outcome-declaration identifier="col3" cardinality="single" base-type="string" />
<qti-outcome-declaration identifier="col2" cardinality="single" base-type="string" />
<qti-assessment-stimulus-ref identifier="sbac-200-172081"</pre>
href="../sbac-200-172081/sbac-200-172081.xml" />
<qti-stylesheet href="sbac-qti-assessment.css" type="text/css" />
<qti-item-body class="sbac">
<div data-catalog-idref="item-77981-global" class="sbac-global-item-catalog-ref" />
<div class="qti-layout-row sbac-pane-scrolling">
<div class="gti-layout-col5 sbac-left-pane">
<h2 class="qti-visually-hidden semantic-marker"
data-gti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">Passage</h2>
<div data-stimulus-idref="sbac-200-172081" class="qti-shared-stimulus" />
</div>
<div class="qti-layout-col7 sbac-right-pane">
<h2 class="qti-visually-hidden semantic-marker"
data-gti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">Question</h2>
<div class="prompt">
Max is estimating the amount of each <span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-2"</p>
data-sbac-term="ingredient">ingredient</span> needed <span
data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-3" data-sbac-term="to make">to make</span> 4
<span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-9"</pre>
data-sbac-term="cakes">cakes</span>.
Use the information listed in <strong>Table </strong><strong><span</p>
class="qti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">1</span><span aria-hidden="true"
data-catalog-idref="item-77981-catalog-0">1</span></strong> and <strong>Table
</strong><strong><span class="qti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">2</span><span aria-hidden="true"
data-catalog-idref="item-77981-catalog-1">2</span></strong><strong>
</strong><span>to help you fill in the chart.</span>
Fill in the number of <span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-6"</pre>
data-sbac-term="cups">cups</span> of <span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-7"
data-sbac-term="flour">flour</span> and <span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-10"
data-sbac-term="sugar">sugar</span>, and the number of <span
data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-4" data-sbac-term="eggs">eggs</span> needed
<span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-3" data-sbac-term="to make">to make/span>
4 <span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-9" data-sbac-term="cakes">cakes</span>.
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Then fill in the number of <span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-6"</pre>
data-sbac-term="cups">cups</span> of <span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-7"
data-sbac-term="flour">flour</span> and <span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-10"
data-sbac-term="sugar">sugar</span>, and the number of <span
data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-4" data-sbac-term="eggs">eggs</span> that remain
after <span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-5"
data-sbac-term="making">making</span> 4 <span
data-catalog-idref="item-77981-catalog-2"><span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-9"
data-sbac-term="cakes"><span class="qti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">cakes.</span><span
aria-hidden="true">cakes</span></span></span>.
<div class="gti-align-left"> </div>
</div>
<qti-custom-interaction response-identifier="RESPONSE"</pre>
data-table-sub-type="TableInput" class="tei-sbti">
<custom-option><![CDATA[
<div class="ti-title"></div>
<thead>
<strong><span</pre>
data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-2">Ingredient</span></strong>
<strong>Amount Needed for 4 <span</pre>
data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-9">Cakes</span></strong>
<strong>Amount of <span</pre>
data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-2">Ingredient</span>&#xa0;Remaining</strong></p
</thead>
<span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-6">Cups</span> of <span
data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-7">Flour</span>
<span data-its-input="true"</pre>
data-its-validationrule="numericOnly">_</span>
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<span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-6">Cups</span> of <span
data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-10">Sugar</span>
Number of <span
data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-4">Eggs</span>
]]></custom-option>
</gti-custom-interaction>
</div>
</div>
</qti-item-body>
</gti-assessment-item>
```

3.9 Writing Extended Response (WER)

3.9.1 WER Layout Overview

Writing Extended Response (WER) item types include a prompt area followed by a larger (than SA) space for students to input a written response. It also allows for rich-text entry (bold, underline, italic, numbered and bulleted lists, indentation, clipboard, undo, redo, and spell checking). The default space will be larger than SA and

Example Link: QTI specific link will be provided at a later date.

SAAIF Version: http://sampleitems.smarterbalanced.org/Item/200-54697

3.9.2 WER User Interaction

Mouse Interaction

Interaction Description	Visual Example (if available or applicable)										
Mouse is used to select the answer box where the answer is composed.		Remember to check your notes and your prewriting/planning as you write and then revise and edit your story.									
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Keyboard Interaction

Interaction Description	Visual Example (if available or applicable)		
On tab key press, navigation proceeds	Remember to check your notes and your prewriting/planning as you write and then revise and edit your story.		
top-down, left-right through the DOM until the entry box is selected.	$\begin{array}{ c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c$		
Keyboard is used to enter response.			

3.9.3 WER Attributes

Interaction Attribute

WER items, similar to SA, use the Extended Text Interaction attribute; these are mapped to "qti-extended-text-interaction". The Extended Text Interaction attribute presents a response box intended for a typed response to the stimulus provided.

Name	Usage	Value	Default
class	Optional	"sbac" "qti-height-lines-95" "sbac-global-item-ca talog-ref"	
format	Optional	"xhtml"	
identifier	Option	"RESPONSE"	

Choice Attribute

Name	Usage	Value	Default
N/A			

Interaction Code Sample

We have **bolded** the relevant XML for reference purposes.

<qti-assessment-item

xsi:schemaLocation="http://www.imsglobal.org/xsd/imsqtiasi_v3p0

https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/qti/v3p0/schema/xsd/imsqti_asiv3p0_v1p0.xsd

http://www.w3.org/1998/Math/MathML

https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/mathml/v3p0/schema/xsd/mathml3.xsd

http://www.w3.org/2001/10/synthesis

https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/ssml/v1p1/schema/xsd/ssmlv1p1-core.xsd

http://www.w3.org/2001/XInclude

```
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/w3/2001/schema/xsd/XInclude.xsd "
xmlns="http://www.imsglobal.org/xsd/imsgtiasi v3p0"
xmlns:m3="http://www.w3.org/1998/Math/MathML"
xmlns:ssml11="http://www.w3.org/2001/10/synthesis"
xmlns:xi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XInclude"
xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance" identifier="sbac-200-54697"
title="54697" xml:lang="en" tool-name="TIMS QTI 3.0 Export" tool-version="5.10.2"
time-dependent="false">
<qti-response-declaration identifier="RESPONSE" cardinality="single" base-type="string"
/>
<qti-outcome-declaration identifier="SCORE" cardinality="single" base-type="float"
normal-maximum="10.0" normal-minimum="0.0" external-scored="human">
<ati-default-value>
<ati-value>0</ati-value>
</qti-default-value>
</qti-outcome-declaration>
<qti-assessment-stimulus-ref identifier="sbac-200-171819"</pre>
href="../sbac-200-171819/sbac-200-171819.xml" />
<gti-stylesheet href="sbac-qti-assessment.css" type="text/css" />
<qti-item-body class="sbac">
<div data-catalog-idref="item-54697-global" class="sbac-global-item-catalog-ref" />
<div class="qti-layout-row sbac-pane-scrolling">
<div class="ati-layout-col5 sbac-left-pane">
<h2 class="qti-visually-hidden semantic-marker"
data-gti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">Passage</h2>
<div data-stimulus-idref="sbac-200-171819" class="qti-shared-stimulus" /></div>
<div class="qti-layout-col7 sbac-right-pane">
<h2 class="gti-visually-hidden semantic-marker"
data-gti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">Question</h2>
<div class="prompt">
<strong>Student Directions for Part <span class="qti-visually-hidden"</p>
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">2</span><span aria-hidden="true"
data-catalog-idref="item-54697-catalog-8">2</span></strong>
<br/>you will now review your notes and sources, and plan, draft, revise, and edit
your story. You may use your notes and refer to the sources. Now <span
class="qti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">read</span><span aria-hidden="true"
data-catalog-idref="item-54697-catalog-0">read</span> your assignment and the
information about how your story will be <span class="qti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">scored;</span><span aria-hidden="true"
data-catalog-idref="item-54697-catalog-1">scored;</span> then begin your work.
<br/><strong>Your </strong><span class="gti-visually-hidden"</p>
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">assignment:</span><span
aria-hidden="true"
data-catalog-idref="item-54697-catalog-9">assignment:</span></strong>
<br/>br />A book author comes to your class and talks about his latest book of short
stories. After his talk, he asks your class to write their own short stories and says he will
come back to the class and listen to all of the stories being <span
class="qti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">read.</span><span aria-hidden="true"
data-catalog-idref="item-54697-catalog-2">read.</span>
<br/>you decide to do research on ants to write a story about what happens when
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vou <span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-1"</pre>
data-sbac-term="shrink">shrink</span>, fall into a hole in the ground, and find yourself
as part of an ant <span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-2"
data-sbac-term="colony">colony</span>. The story should be several paragraphs
long.
<br/>br />When writing your story, find ways to use information and details from the
sources to <span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-3"
data-sbac-term="improve">improve</span> your story. Make sure you develop your
<span class="qti-visually-hidden"</pre>
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">character(s)</span><span
aria-hidden="true" data-catalog-idref="item-54697-catalog-3">character(s)</span>, the
<span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-4" data-sbac-term="setting">setting</span>,
and the plot, using details, <span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-5"
data-sbac-term="dialogue">dialogue</span>, and description where appropriate.
<strong>
<strong><span class="qti-visually-hidden"</p>
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">REMEMBER:</span><span
aria-hidden="true" data-catalog-idref="item-54697-catalog-10">REMEMBER:</span> A
<span class="qti-visually-hidden"</pre>
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">well-written</span><span
aria-hidden="true" data-catalog-idref="item-54697-catalog-11">well-written</span>
story:</strong>
<
has a clear plot and clear sequence of <span class="qti-visually-hidden"</p>
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">events</span><span aria-hidden="true"
data-catalog-idref="item-54697-catalog-12">events</span>
<
is <span class="qti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">well-organized</span><span
aria-hidden="true" data-catalog-idref="item-54697-catalog-13">well-organized</span>
and has a point of <span class="gti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">view</span><span aria-hidden="true"
data-catalog-idref="item-54697-catalog-14">view</span>
<
uses details from the sources to support your <span class="qti-visually-hidden"</p>
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">story</span><span aria-hidden="true"
data-catalog-idref="item-54697-catalog-15">story</span>
<
uses clear <span class="qti-visually-hidden"</p>
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">language</span><span
aria-hidden="true" data-catalog-idref="item-54697-catalog-16">language</span>
<
follows rules of writing (spelling, punctuation, and grammar)
<strong>Now begin work on your story.</strong> Manage your time carefully so
that you <span class="qti-visually-hidden"
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data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">can:</span><span aria-hidden="true"
data-catalog-idref="item-54697-catalog-4">can:</span>
<strong> </strong>
<dd>
<strong><span>1. </span></strong>plan your <span class="qti-visually-hidden"
data-ati-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">story</span><span aria-hidden="true"
data-catalog-idref="item-54697-catalog-17">story</span>
</dd>
<dd>
<strong><span>2. </span></strong>write your <span class="qti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">story</span><span aria-hidden="true"
data-catalog-idref="item-54697-catalog-18">story</span>
</dd>
<bb>
<strong><span>3. </span></strong>revise and edit the final draft of your <span
class="qti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">story</span><span aria-hidden="true"
data-catalog-idref="item-54697-catalog-19">story</span>
</dd>
</dl>
<strong> </strong>
<span class="qti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">Word-processing</span><span
aria-hidden="true" data-catalog-idref="item-54697-catalog-5">Word-processing</span>
tools and spell check are available to you.
<strong> </strong>
For Part 2, you are being asked to write a story that is several paragraphs long. Type
your response in the box below. The box will get bigger as you type.
<strong> </strong>
Remember to check your notes and your <span class="qti-visually-hidden"</p>
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">prewriting</span><span
aria-hidden="true" data-cataloq-idref="item-54697-cataloq-6">prewritinq</span><span
class="ati-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">/</span><span aria-hidden="true"
data-catalog-idref="item-54697-catalog-7">/</span>planning as you write and then
revise and edit your story.
</div>
<qti-extended-text-interaction response-identifier="RESPONSE"
format="xhtml" class="sbac-height-lines-95" />
</div>
</div>
</qti-item-body>
```

3.10 Grid Interaction (GI)

3.10.1 GI Layout Overview

Example Link: QTI specific link will be provided at a later date.

Within Grid Items, Smarter Balanced utilizes the Drag and Drop, Graphing, and Hot Spot technology enhanced interactions. There will be no Portable Custom interaction GI items delivered.

Drag and Drop

The Grid Item – Drag and Drop variant has a workspace with a background image. Other images can be dragged and dropped into the workspace. The drop locations may or may not be constrained. When they are constrained, dropped images snap to nearby locaitons.

Hot Spot

The Grid Item – Hot Spot Variant response area consists of a space in which images are displayed. Clicking on certain hot spot areas causes images appear or disappear. Transparent sections of the images allow the background to show through. Another example of a Grid Item – Hotspot variant, is the case where there is a different image representing each level and they are selectively displayed according to the hotspot where the student clicks. The same technique is also used to create bar charts that may be manipulated by the student.

Graphing

The Grid Item - Graphing variant response area consists of a grid in which students plot points and/or lines. The available tools include a select, delete, add point, and connect line. Depending on the item, the point or line tool may not appear. A text box below the grid offers hints on what the student can do with each tool.

3.10.2 GI User Interaction

Mouse Interaction - Drag and Drop

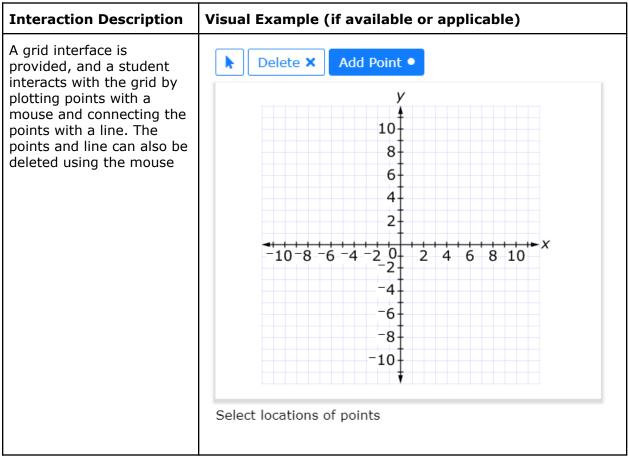
Interaction Description	Visual Example (if available or applicable)
Images are selected from a pallet and dropped onto another image via the mouse. A student clicks and holds an image to "drag" said image to the main image surface, and releases the mouse to "drop" the image. A delete button is provided to remove the dropped image from the main image surface.	Unavailable at time of publishing.

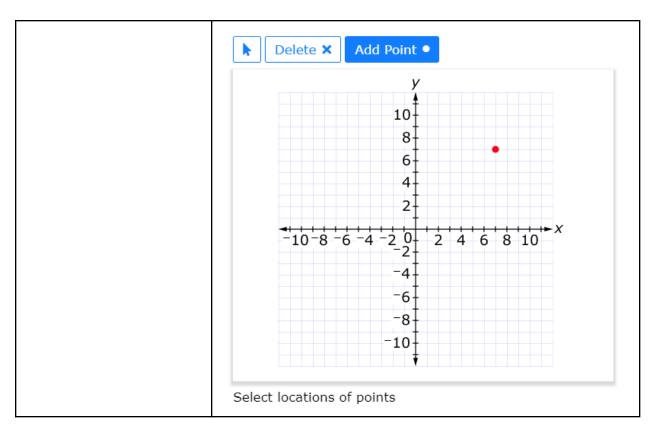
Mouse Interaction - Hot Spot

Interaction Description	Visual Example (if available or applicable)
A student uses a mouse to click in a particular area ("hot spot") of a main	Unavailable at time of publishing.

image in order to change the appearance. This can be seen in a bar graph.	
A student uses a mouse to click on a main image ("hot spot") to change the image, indicating a change.	Unavailable at time of publishing.

Mouse Interaction - Graphing





Keyboard Interaction

Keyboard interaction is not fully supported.

3.10.3 GI Attributes

Interaction Attribute

GI items use the Custom Interaction QTI element; these are mapped to "qti-custom-interaction". The Custom Interaction element provides an opportunity for Smarter Balanced to deliver Grid Item interaction support not currently built into the QTI specification. The "qti-custom-interaction" element contains a "custom-option" element, which in turn contains the grid item markup surrounded by a CDATA element.

Name	Usage	Value	Default
response-identifier	String identifier pointing to the qti response declaration scoring element	RESPONSE	
class	Style class	tei-sbgrid	

Interaction Code Sample

We have **bolded** the relevant XML for reference purposes.

```
<ati-assessment-item
xsi:schemaLocation="http://www.imsglobal.org/xsd/imsgtiasi v3p0
https://purl.imsqlobal.org/spec/qti/v3p0/schema/xsd/imsqti asiv3p0 v1p0.xsd
http://www.w3.org/1998/Math/MathML
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/mathml/v3p0/schema/xsd/mathml3.xsd
http://www.w3.org/2001/10/synthesis
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/ssml/v1p1/schema/xsd/ssmlv1p1-core.xsd
http://www.w3.org/2001/XInclude
https://purl.imsglobal.org/spec/w3/2001/schema/xsd/XInclude.xsd "
xmlns="http://www.imsglobal.org/xsd/imsgtiasi v3p0"
xmlns:m3="http://www.w3.org/1998/Math/MathML"
xmlns:ssml11="http://www.w3.org/2001/10/synthesis"
xmlns:xi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XInclude"
xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
identifier="sbac-200-183232" title="183232" xml:lang="en" tool-name="TIMS QTI 3.0"
Export" tool-version="5.10.4" time-dependent="false">
<qti-response-declaration identifier="RESPONSE" cardinality="single" base-type="string"</pre>
/>
<qti-outcome-declaration identifier="SCORE" cardinality="single" base-type="float"
normal-maximum="2.0" normal-minimum="0.0">
<qti-default-value>
<qti-value>0</qti-value>
</ati-default-value>
</gti-outcome-declaration>
<gti-outcome-declaration identifier="Responses" cardinality="ordered"
base-type="string" />
<qti-outcome-declaration base-type="string" cardinality="ordered" identifier="pA"/>
<gti-outcome-declaration base-type="integer" cardinality="single"
identifier="pACount"/>
<qti-outcome-declaration base-type="string" cardinality="ordered" identifier="pB"/>
<gti-outcome-declaration base-type="integer" cardinality="single"
identifier="pBCount"/>
<gti-outcome-declaration base-type="integer" cardinality="single"
identifier="pointAB"/>
<qti-outcome-declaration base-type="string" cardinality="ordered" identifier="xAxis"/>
<gti-outcome-declaration base-type="integer" cardinality="single"
identifier="xAxisCount"/>
<qti-outcome-declaration base-type="string" cardinality="ordered" identifier="pC"/>
<gti-outcome-declaration base-type="integer" cardinality="single"
identifier="pCCount"/>
<qti-outcome-declaration base-type="string" cardinality="ordered" identifier="max"/>
<qti-outcome-declaration base-type="integer" cardinality="single"
identifier="maxCount"/>
<gti-outcome-declaration base-type="float" cardinality="single"
identifier="MaxMinusXAxis"/>
<qti-companion-materials-info>
<qti-calculator>
<qti-calculator-type>graphing</qti-calculator-type>
<qti-description>all scientific functions, regression, graphing
capabilities</qti-description>
</qti-calculator>
</gti-companion-materials-info>
```

```
<qti-stylesheet href="sbac-qti-assessment.css" type="text/css" />
 <qti-item-body class="sbac">
 <div data-catalog-idref="item-183232-global" class="sbac-global-item-catalog-ref" />
 <div class="gti-layout-row">
<div class="qti-layout-col4">
<div class="prompt">
<span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-3"
data-sbac-term="Given">Given</span> the function <span
data-catalog-idref="item-183232-catalog-0"><img class="qti-visually-hidden
sbac-mathml-svg"
src="data:image/svg+xml;base64,PHN2ZyB4...LDwvdGV4dD48L3N2Zz4=" alt="SVG
MathML"
/><m3:math><m3:mi>y</m3:mo>=</m3:mo><m3:mn>3</m3:mn><m3:
msup><m3:mi>x</m3:mi><m3:mn>2</m3:msup><m3:mo>-</m3:mo><
m3:mn>12</m3:mn><m3:mi>x</m3:mi><m3:mo>+</m3:mo><m3:mn>9</m3:mn
><m3:mo>,</m3:mo></m3:math> </span>
<br />
<
<
<span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-1" data-sbac-term="Place">Place</span>
a point on the coordinate grid to show <span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-4"
data-sbac-term="each">each</span> <span><em>x</em></span>-intercept of the
function.
<br />
<span data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-1" data-sbac-term="Place">Place</span>
a point on the coordinate grid to show the minimum <span
data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-2" data-sbac-term="value">value</span> of the
<span class="qti-visually-hidden"</pre>
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">function.</span><span
aria-hidden="true" data-catalog-idref="item-183232-catalog-1">function. </span>
</div>
 </div>
<div class="qti-layout-col8">
<gti-custom-interaction response-identifier="RESPONSE" class="tei-sbgrid">
<custom-option><![CDATA[<Question id="3232" ITSVer="0" ScoreEngineVer="1"</pre>
version="2.0"><Description /><QuestionPart
id="1"><Options><ShowButtons>delete,point</ShowButtons><GridColor>LightBlue</G
ridColor><GridSpacing>15,Y</GridSpacing><UpdateLayout>false</UpdateLayout><Can
vasWidth>500</CanvasWidth><CanvasHeight>410</CanvasHeight><PaletteWidth>75<
/PaletteWidth><CenterImage>false</CenterImage><ProperLineGeometry>false</Proper
LineGeometry><ScaleImage>false</ScaleImage></Options><Text /><ObjectMenuIcons
/><ImageSpec><FileSpec>item_3232_v0_Background_png16malpha.png</FileSpec><P
osition>0,0</Position></ImageSpec></QuestionPart><PreSetAnswerPart><AnswerSet>
<Question id="3232"><QuestionPart id="1"><ObjectSet /><SnapPoint
/></QuestionPart></Question></AnswerSet></PreSetAnswerPart></Question>]]></cu
stom-option>
```

```
</qti-custom-interaction>
</div>
</div>
</div>
</qti-item-body>
</qti-assessment-item>
```

4 Shared Stimulus (Stim)

4.1 Overview

Example Link: QTI specific link will be provided at a later date.

A stimulus is a rich text prompt that is referenced by multiple response items that follow the stimulus. Stimulus may include embedded image and/or audio files (note: audio track may also contain Closed-Caption Transcripts as an embedded Accommodations*). The stimulus appears to the left of the items unless the student has the layout set to streamline mode. When the stimulus appears to the left of the items, the stimulus can be scrolled independently from items; the stimulus can also be expanded to take up 100% of the viewable area. If the user minimizes the stimulus, the items appear to the right of the text again.

4.2 Shared Stimulus

Smarter Balanced makes extensive use of the "qti-assessment-stimulus-ref" element, a.k.a. "shared stimulus", in items and in packaging. A description of Shared Stimulus can be found here: https://www.imsglobal.org/node/196951#h.pb0clew9cko9

Smarter Balanced items *always use the explicit placement method*; i.e., data-stimulus-idref and class="qti-shared-stimulus" to specify the stimulus injection location in the item body.

For item sets or performance tasks, downstream systems will need to have logic built in that - for all the items in the item set that share the same stimulus - items should only display the shared stimulus once.

Example: Item (taken from 33715) with Shared Stimulus and Explicit Injection

```
<qti-assessment-item>
<qti-assessment-stimulus-ref identifier="sbac-200-170720"
href="../sbac-200-170720/sbac-200-170720.xml" />
<qti-item-body class="sbac">
    <div class="qti-layout-row sbac-pane-scrolling">
    <div class="qti-layout-col5 sbac-left-pane">
```

```
<h2 class="qti-visually-hidden semantic-marker"
data-gti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">Passage</h2>
     <!-- This specifies the stimulus injection point for the stimulus with
         identifier "sbac-200-170720" -->
     <div data-stimulus-idref="sbac-200-170720" class="qti-shared-stimulus" />
    <div class="qti-layout-col7 sbac-right-pane">
     <h2 class="qti-visually-hidden semantic-marker"
data-gti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">Question</h2>
     <div class="prompt">
      >
        Based on the presentation, which statement <strong><span
data-catalog-idref="item-33715-catalog-0">best</span></strong> describes
the early bicycles?
      </div>
     ... additional content left out for brevity ...
    </div>
  </div>
 </qti-item-body>
 <qti-catalog-info>
  <qti-catalog id="item-33715-catalog-0">
    <qti-card support="spoken">
     <gti-card-entry data-reading-type="computer-read-aloud">
      <qti-html-content>best,</qti-html-content>
     </qti-card-entry>
    </qti-card>
  </qti-catalog>
  <qti-catalog id="item-33715-global">
    <qti-card support="ext:sbac-braille-files">
     ... item braille file gti-card-entry's left out for brevity ...
    </qti-card>
    <qti-card support="sign-language">
     <qti-card-entry default="true" xml:lang="ase">
      <ati-html-content>
        <video controls="true">
         <source src="item_33715_ASL_STEM.mp4" type="video/mp4"/>
         <source src="item 33715 ASL STEM.webm" type="video/webm"/>
        </video>
      </qti-html-content>
     </qti-card-entry>
    </qti-card>
  </qti-catalog>
 </qti-catalog-info>
</ati-assessment-item>
```

Smarter Balanced shared stimuli will frequently contain catalog entries. To ease implementation, Smarter Balanced scopes a Shared Stimulus' element id's and catalog entries to avoid collisions with element id's and catalogs in the item itself.

The qti-stylesheet element is supplied with each Shared Stimulus. However, similar to stylesheets in items, no styles are currently provided in items contained in the Smarter Balanced QTI 3.0 Certification Content Package.

Example: Shared Stimulus (taken from 17100) used with 33715 above

```
<qti-assessment-stimulus identifier="sbac-200-171000" title="171000">
 <gti-stylesheet href="sbac-qti-assessment.css" type="text/css" />
 <qti-stimulus-body>
  <div data-catalog-idref="item-171000-global" class="sbac-global-item-catalog-ref" />
  <div>
    <br /><br />
    <
     <strong>The First <span class="qti-visually-hidden"
data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">Bicycles;</span><span
aria-hidden="true"
data-catalog-idref="item-171000-catalog-0">Bicycles</span></strong>
    <br />
    <div>
     <span>Listen to the presentation. Then answer the questions.</span>
     <audio controls="true" class="sbaudio sound-repeat">
      <source src="passage_171000_v3_7382_audio1.m4a" type="audio/mp4" />
      <source src="passage 171000 v3 7382 audio1.ogg" type="audio/ogg" />
      <track label="Transcript" kind="captions"
src="passage_171000_v3_7382_audio1.vtt" srclang="en" default="true" />
     </audio>
    </div>
  </div>
 </gti-stimulus-body>
 <qti-catalog-info>
  <qti-catalog id="item-171000-catalog-0">
    <qti-card support="spoken">
     <qti-card-entry data-reading-type="computer-read-aloud">
      <qti-html-content>Bicycles;</qti-html-content>
     </gti-card-entry>
    </qti-card>
  </qti-catalog>
  <qti-catalog id="item-171000-global">
    <qti-card support="ext:sbac-braille-files">
     ... stimulus braille file gti-card-entry's left out for brevity ...
    </ati-card>
    <qti-card support="sign-language">
     <qti-card-entry default="true" xml:lang="ase">
      <ati-html-content>
        <video controls="true">
          <source src="stim 171000 ASL STEM.webm" type="video/webm" />
          <source src="stim 171000 ASL STEM.mp4" type="video/mp4" />
        </video>
       </gti-html-content>
      </qti-card-entry>
    </qti-card>
```

```
</qti-catalog>
</qti-catalog-info>
</qti-assessment-stimulus>
```

In addition to many items in the Smarter Balanced QTI 3.0 Certification Content Package, please see the QTI3 / Level 2 / I4 Shared Stimulus conformance test package, items, and stimulus found here:

https://github.com/IMSGlobal/qti-conformance/tree/develop/qti3.0/Level%202/I4%20Shared%20Stimulus (Login Required)

5 Catalog

Smarter Balanced provides the following Personal Needs and Preferences (PNP) through the use of Catalog resources. Implementation teams may define the use of Catalog resources.

Tag	Catalog Resource	SB Labels/References
sign-languag e	American Sign Language	"ase" <qti-catalog id="item-51235-global"> <qti-card support="sign-language"> <qti-card-entry default="true" xml:lang="ase"> <qti-html-content> <video controls="true"> <source src="item_51235_ASL_STEM.webm" type="video/webm"/> <source src="item_51235_ASL_STEM.mp4" type="video/mp4"/>Your browser does not support the video element. </video> </qti-html-content> </qti-card-entry> </qti-card> </qti-catalog>
braille	Eboss-On-D emand Transcripts of Closed-Capt ions	"ext:sbac-braille" <qti-catalog id="item-51235-global"> <qti-card support="ext:sbac-braille-files"> <qti-card-entry data-contracted="true" data-format="UEB" data-math-representation="UEB" data-type="BRF" xml:lang="en"> <qti-file-href mime-type="application/braille">item_51235_enu_uct.brf</qti-file-href> </qti-card-entry> <qti-card-entry <="" data-contracted="false" data-math-representation="nemeth" data-type="BRF" td=""></qti-card-entry></qti-card></qti-catalog>

```
data-format="UEB" xml:lang="en">
                               <qti-file-href
                            mime-type="application/braille">item 51235 enu uxn.brf<
                            /qti-file-href>
                              </qti-card-entry>
                              <qti-card-entry data-math-representation="UEB"
                            data-contracted="false" data-type="BRF"
                            data-format="UEB" xml:lang="en">
                               <qti-file-href
                            mime-type="application/braille">item_51235_enu_uxt.brf</
                            qti-file-href>
                              </ati-card-entry>
                              <qti-card-entry data-math-representation="nemeth"
                            data-contracted="true" data-type="BRF" data-format="UEB"
                            xml:lang="en">
                               <qti-file-href
                            mime-type="application/braille">item 51235 enu ucn.brf<
                            /ati-file-href>
                              </qti-card-entry>
                            </qti-card>
                            </qti-catalog>
glossary-on-s
              Enalish
                            "TDS WL Glossary"
               Glossaries
creen
                            <qti-catalog id="glossary-term-3">
                              <qti-card support="glossary-on-screen">
                               <qti-card-entry data-list-code="TDS_WL_Glossary"
                            data-list-type="glossary" xml:lang="en">
                                <qti-html-content>
                                  <div>
                                   <span>A greeting</span>
                                  </div>
                                </qti-html-content>
                               </qti-card-entry>
                            </qti-card>
                            </qti-catalog>
keyword-tran
              Translated
                            "TDS WL [INSERT language tag]"
slation
               Glossaries
                            Ex: "TDS WL ArabicGloss"
                            See page 4 of the ISAAP Accessibility Features Document for
                            specific information
                            <qti-catalog id="glossary-term-3">
                              <qti-card support="keyword-translation">
                               <qti-card-entry data-list-code="TDS_WL_ArabicGloss"
                            data-list-type="glossary" xml:lang="ar">
                                <ati-html-content>
                                  <div>
                                   <span>مسح</span>
```

		<audio controls="true"></audio>
	Illustrated Glossaries	"ext:sbac-glossary-illustration" <qti-catalog id="glossary-term-2"> <qti-card support="ext:sbac-glossary-illustration"> <qti-card-entry data-list-code="TDS_ILG1" data-list-type="illustration"> <qti-html-content> </qti-html-content> </qti-card-entry> </qti-card> </qti-catalog>
spoken	Computer Read-Aloud	Designed to be compatible with assistive technologies <qti-catalog id="item-51235-catalog-0"> <qti-card support="spoken"> <qti-card-entry data-reading-type="computer-read-aloud"> <qti-html-content>more,</qti-html-content> </qti-card-entry> </qti-card> </qti-catalog>

^{*}High-contrast support is not included in the Catalog, Smarter Balanced applies this universal support via css styles.

5.1 Screen Reader and Text to Speech

Using shared css and HTML DOM elements, Smarter Balanced is able to support Screen Readers and Text to Speech:

Classes, Tags	Scenario	Examples
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qti-visually-hidden data-qti-suppress-tt s aria-hidden="true"	Plain Term with a Screen Reader Override	<span <br="" class="qti-visually-hidden">data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">reed< /span>read
qti-visually-hidden data-qti-suppress-tt s aria-hidden="true"	Shared Glossary Terms	
qti-visually-hidden data-qti-suppress-tt s aria-describedby="fi lename" id="filename"	Shared Image Resources	<img< p=""> data-catalog-idref="stim-171646-img-descript-0" aria-describedby="img-descript-0" src="passage_171646.png" alt="" /> Two line plots are shown. The title of the line plots is Preferences of 8 Local Skateboarders. The line plot on the left is titled, Number of Single Ramps Requested. The number line has a range from 0-4, increasing in increments of 1. Data points are as follows: 1: X X X, 2 X X X X, 3: X. The line plot on the right is titled, Number of Double Ramps Requested. The line plot has a range from 0 to 4, increasing in increments of 1. Data points are as follows: 1: X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X</img<>

Additional suggested reference material: <u>IMS QTI 3.0 BPIG - Annotated Item Examples</u>

6 QTI Stylesheet Element

Smarter Balanced items **do not utilize the qti-stylesheet**. Smarter Balanced is choosing to include the stylesheet in items as a 'just in case' approach should this practice change at a later date.

7 CSS

7.1 QTI Shared CSS

Smarter Balanced makes use of virtually all QTI 3 Shared CSS defined as of 11/1/2021 in the QTI 3 Conformance tests which can be found here:

https://github.com/IMSGlobal/qti-conformance/tree/develop/qti3.0/Level%202/I19b%20Sh ared%20CSS%20Vocabulary%20Full

Consequently, delivery partners should implement all qti- css classes in their delivery systems in order to provide the expected item rendering UX.

The Shared CSS classes include:

- qti-italic
- qti-fullwidth
- qti-bordered
- qti-align-left
- qti-align-center
- qti-align-right
- qti-valign-top
- qti-valign-middle
- qti-valign-baseline
- qti-valign-bottom
- qti-well
- qti-display-inline-block
- qti-layout-row
- qti-layout-col1 (all column values 1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10,11,12)
- qti-layout-offset1 (all offset values 1,2,3)
- qti-hidden

Example: Shared CSS Vocabulary 1

```
<qti-assessment-item>
 <qti-item-body>
  <div>
   <![CDATA[
   <style>
   /* These styles not part of shared css */
   .muted {color:#999999;font-size:smaller;}
   /* For image spacing */
   .img-margin-04 {margin:0 4px;}
   </style>
   11>
   <h4>Underline an Element</h4>
   Look at the <span class="qti-underline">underlined text</span> in this
sentence.
   <h4>Italicize an Element</h4>
   Look at the <span class="qti-italic">italic">italicized text</span> in this sentence.
   <h4>Horizontal Alignment - Left, Center, Right <span class="muted">- table border
added for effect</span></h4>
```

```
I am left-aligned text in a table cell.
     I am center-aligned text in a table cell.
     I am right-aligned text in a table cell.
     <h4>Vertical Alignment - Top, Middle, Baseline, Bottom <span class="muted">- 4x28
images and paragraph borders added for effect</span></h4>
   <img class="qti-valign-top img-margin-04" alt="placeholder"
src="data:image/png;base64,iVBORw0KGgoAAAANSUhEUgAAAAQAAAAcCAYAAABGdB6IAA
AAFUIEQVR42mNkYPhfz4AEGEcFhosAAM7zKeUTvPB1AAAAAEIFTkSuQmCC" width="4"
height="28"/>
   I am top-valigned.
   <img class="ati-valian-middle img-margin-04" alt="placeholder"
src="data:image/png;base64,iVBORw0KGqoAAAANSUhEUgAAAAQAAAACCAYAAABGdB6IAA
AAFUIEQVR42mNkYPhfz4AEGEcFhosAAM7zKeUTvPB1AAAAAEIFTkSuQmCC" width="4"
height="28"/>
   I am middle-valigned.
   <img class="gti-valign-baseline img-margin-04" alt="placeholder"
src="data:image/png;base64,iVBORw0KGqoAAAANSUhEUgAAAAQAAAACCAYAAABGdB6IAA
AAFUIEQVR42mNkYPhfz4AEGEcFhosAAM7zKeUTvPB1AAAAAEIFTkSuQmCC" width="4"
height="28"/>
   I am baseline-valigned.
   <img class="gti-valign-bottom img-margin-04" alt="placeholder"
src="data:image/png;base64,iVBORw0KGqoAAAANSUhEUqAAAAQAAAACCAYAAABGdB6IAA
AAFUIEQVR42mNkYPhfz4AEGEcFhosAAM7zKeUTvPB1AAAAAEIFTkSuQmCC" width="4"
height="28"/>
   I am bottom-valigned.
   <h4>Make an Element Fullwidth (width=100%) <span class="muted">- table border
added for effect</span></h4>
   I am left-aligned
```

```
I am center-aligned
     I am right-aligned
    <h4>Add an Element Border <span class="muted">- second paragraph is
bordered</span></h4>
  >
   Ho hum. I am a non-bordered paragraph.
  Look at me! I am a bordered paragraph.
  <
   I am yet another non-bordered paragraph.
  <h4>Place an element in a Well <span class="muted">- second paragraph is in a
well</span></h4>
  <
   Ho hum. I am a non-bordered paragraph.
  Look at me! I am in a well!
   >
   I am yet another non-bordered paragraph.
  <h4>Display: inline-block</h4>
  <div>
   This is some text with a nested table element <em>with</em>
qti-display-inline-block: <table class="qti-display-inline-block qti-bordered
qti-valign-middle">Row 1 Cell 1Row 2 Cell
1 that is displayed inline with the surrounding text.
  </div>
  </div>
 </qti-item-body>
</gti-assessment-item>
```

Images of expected rendering of Shared CSS above can be found in the conformance suite here:

https://github.com/IMSGlobal/qti-conformance/blob/develop/qti3.0/Level%202/I19b%20Shared%20CSS%20Vocabulary%20Full/layout-css-1-visual-8-3.jpg (Login Required)

Example: Shared CSS Vocabulary 2 ("layout css")

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<qti-assessment-item
 xmlns="http://www.imsglobal.org/xsd/imsgtiasi v3p0"
 xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
 xsi:schemaLocation="http://www.imsglobal.org/xsd/imsgtiasi_v3p0
https://purl.imsqlobal.org/spec/qti/v3p0/schema/xsd/imsqti asiv3p0 v1p0.xsd"
 identifier="i19b-shared-css-vocab-2" title="i19b Shared CSS Vocabulary 2"
 time-dependent="false" adaptive="false">
 <qti-item-body>
  <div>
    <![CDATA[
    <style>
   /* Utility CSS to demonstrate column virtual borders - no effect on layout. */
   [class*="qti-layout-col"] {background-color:#eee;}
    </style>
   11>
    <h4>qti-layout-row, qti-layout-col</h4>
   <hr />
    <br />
    <div class="qti-layout-row">
     <div class="qti-layout-col1">
      The guick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     <div class="qti-layout-col1">
      The guick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="qti-layout-col1">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="qti-layout-col1">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="gti-layout-col1">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="qti-layout-col1">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="qti-layout-col1">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="qti-layout-col1">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="qti-lavout-col1">
      The guick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
```

```
</div>
     <div class="qti-layout-col1">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="qti-layout-col1">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="qti-layout-col1">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
    </div>
    <hr />
    <div class="qti-layout-row">
     <div class="qti-layout-col2">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="qti-layout-col2">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="qti-layout-col2">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="gti-layout-col2">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="gti-layout-col2">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="qti-layout-col2">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog.
     </div>
    </div>
    <hr />
    <div class="qti-layout-row">
     <div class="gti-layout-col3">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="qti-layout-col3">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
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<div class="qti-lavout-col3">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="qti-layout-col3">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
    </div>
    <hr />
    <div class="qti-layout-row">
     <div class="qti-layout-col4">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="qti-layout-col4">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="qti-layout-col4">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog. The guick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
    </div>
    <hr />
    <div class="qti-layout-row">
     <div class="gti-layout-col5">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog. The guick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="qti-layout-col7">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
    </div>
    <hr />
    <div class="qti-layout-row">
     <div class="gti-layout-col6">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog. The guick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="qti-layout-col6">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog. The guick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
    </div>
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<hr />
    <div class="qti-layout-row">
     <div class="qti-layout-col12">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
    </div>
    <hr />
    <h4>qti-layout-row, qti-layout-col, qti-layout-offset</h4>
    <hr />
    <div class="qti-layout-row">
     <div class="qti-layout-col6 qti-layout-offset3">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog. The guick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog. The guick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
    </div>
    <hr />
    <div class="qti-layout-row">
     <div class="qti-layout-col4 qti-layout-offset2">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog. The guick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="qti-layout-col4">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
    </div>
    <hr />
    <div class="qti-layout-row">
     <div class="qti-layout-col2 qti-layout-offset1">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog. The guick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="gti-layout-col4 gti-layout-offset1">
      The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog. The quick brown fox jumps over the
lazy dog. The guick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
     </div>
     <div class="gti-layout-col2 gti-layout-offset1">
```

Images of expected rendering of Layout CSS can be found in the conformance suite:

- https://github.com/IMSGlobal/qti-conformance/blob/develop/qti3.0/Level%202/I19b %20Shared%20CSS%20Vocabulary%20Full/layout-css-2-visual-bordered.png (Login Required)
- https://github.com/IMSGlobal/qti-conformance/blob/develop/qti3.0/Level%202/I19b %20Shared%20CSS%20Vocabulary%20Full/layout-css-2-visual.png (Login Required)

NOTE: It is *anticipated* that new Shared CSS Classes will be defined for *margin* and *padding*. We advise delivery partners to stay abreast of these new CSS developments as they will almost certainly be used in future item releases.

8.2 SBAC CSS Styles

Smarter Balanced uses the following CSS Styles as markers, or handles, for downstream systems that render items. For example, the "sbac-left-pane" class is intended to show a QTI viewer which HTML element is designated as the left side of the content. It is up to the downstream system to either allow vertical scrolling, or some other indicator that content is presented on the left-hand side. The functionality that these classes represent were present within the items upon field testing. The recommendation is that these classes be incorporated into downstream systems accordingly.

SBAC CSS Class	Usage Context	Examples
sbac	An implementation partner can use this as an indicator that they will be working with Smarter Balanced content.	Any HTML element that supports the class attribute can have "sbac" as a value.
sbac-globa l-item-cat alog-ref	An implementation partner can use this as an indicator that	Found in the <qti-item-body> elements. <qti-item-body class="sbac-global-item-catalog-ref"> Stimulus content contains this class in an immediate</qti-item-body></qti-item-body>

sbac-pane -scrolling	they will be working with Smarter Balanced resources in the catalog. An indicator that a particular HTML flow content area that indicates independent horizontal or vertical scrolling area(s)	<pre><div> sibling element to <qti-stimulus-body>, since the <qti-stimulus-body> cannot have class attributes. <qti-stimulus-body> <div class="sbac-global-item-catalog-ref"> </div></qti-stimulus-body> <qti-item-body class="sbac"></qti-item-body></qti-stimulus-body></qti-stimulus-body></div></pre>
sbac-left-p ane	Connected to sbac-pane-scrolli ng to identify scroll in the left pane	<qti-item-body class="sbac"> <div class="sbac-global-item-catalog-ref" data-catalog-idref="item-182828-global"></div> <div class="qti-layout-row sbac-pane-scrolling"></div></qti-item-body>
sbac-right -pane	Connected to sbac-pane-scrolli ng to identify scroll in the right pane	<qti-item-body class="sbac"> <div class="sbac-global-item-catalog-ref" data-catalog-idref="item-182828-global"></div> <div class="qti-layout-row sbac-pane-scrolling"></div></qti-item-body>
semantic- marker	Used to indicate visually hidden HTML elements intended for	<qti-item-body class="sbac"> <div <br="" data-catalog-idref="item-182828-global">class="sbac-global-item-catalog-ref" /> <div class="qti-layout-row sbac-pane-scrolling"></div></div></qti-item-body>

	assistive technology	<pre><div class="qti-layout-col5 sbac-left-pane"></div></pre>
prompt	Handle for communicating that a user is in the 'prompt'. Only found in the <qti-item-body>content.</qti-item-body>	<qti-item-body class="sbac"> <div class="sbac-global-item-catalog-ref" data-catalog-idref="item-183401-global"></div> <div class="qti-layout-row"></div></qti-item-body>
item-part	Handle for identifying and separating items within EBSR	<qti-item-body class="sbac"></qti-item-body>

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<span aria-hidden="true"</pre>
                              data-catalog-idref="item-182828-catalog-1">B.</span><
                             /p>
                                  </div>
                                  <div class="item-part">
                                   <h3 class="choicePart">Part A</h3>
                                   <div class="prompt">
                                    Which conclusion is supported by the
                              presentation?
                                   </div>
                                   <qti-choice-interaction class="sbac"
                              response-identifier="RESPONSE-PART-A" max-choices="1"
                              min-choices="1">
                                    <ati-simple-choice identifier="A">
                                      The New York parade is the largest of its
                              kind.
                                    </gti-simple-choice>
                                    <qti-simple-choice identifier="B">
                                      The huge balloons in a parade are difficult to
                              control.
                                    </qti-simple-choice>
                                    <qti-simple-choice identifier="C">
                                      Balloon wranglers have a harder job than
                              others in the parade.
                                    </qti-simple-choice>
                                    <qti-simple-choice identifier="D">
                                      The main reason people like the balloons is
                              because of who they look like.
                                    </qti-simple-choice>
                                   </gti-choice-interaction>
                                  </div>
                                  <div class="item-part">
                                   <h3 class="choicePart">Part B</h3>
                                   <div class="prompt">
                                    Which sentence from the presentation
                              <strong><span class="gti-visually-hidden"
                              data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">best</span
                              ><span aria-hidden="true"
                              data-catalog-idref="item-182828-catalog-3">best</span>
                              </strong>supports your answer in part <span
                              class="qti-visually-hidden"
                              data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">A?</span>
                              <span aria-hidden="true"</pre>
                              data-catalog-idref="item-182828-catalog-2">A?</span><
                             /p>
                                   </div>
choicePart
            Handle for
                                     <div class="item-part">
           identifying the
                                                               <h3
            choice elements
                              class="choicePart">Part A</h3>
```

within an EBSR	<div class="prompt"> Which</div>
	conclusion is supported by the presentation?
	<pre></pre>
	<qti-simple-choice identifier="A"> The</qti-simple-choice>
	New York parade is the largest of its kind.
	<qti-simple-choice identifier="B"> The</qti-simple-choice>
	huge balloons in a parade are difficult to control.
	<qti-simple-choice identifier="C"></qti-simple-choice>
	Balloon wranglers have a harder job than others in the parade.
	<qti-simple-choice identifier="D"> The</qti-simple-choice>
	main reason people like the balloons is because of who they look like.
	<div class="item-part"> <h3< td=""></h3<></div>
	class="choicePart">Part B
	<pre><div class="prompt"></div></pre>
	sentence from the presentation heat (coor)
	data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">best <span <="" aria-hidden="true" td="">
	data-catalog-idref="item-182828-catalog-3">best supports your answer in part <span <="" class="qti-visually-hidden" td="">
	data-qti-suppress-tts="computer-read-aloud">A? <span <="" aria-hidden="true" td="">
	data-catalog-idref="item-182828-catalog-2">A?

tei-sbee	Handle for identifying Smarter Balanced equation item types	<qti-custom-interaction class="tei-sbee" response-identifier="RESPONSE"></qti-custom-interaction>
sbac-math ml-svg	Handle for identifying MathML images (versus the MathML mark-up)	<pre></pre>

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		This is an interactive image. The main answer space contains a figure, The figure is labeled, Figure, R. Figure R. <pre></pre>
tei-sbgrid	Handle for identifying Smarter Balanced Grid item types	<pre></pre>

		/> <region coords="126, 218, 374, 245" name="a7" shape="rect"><event name="select"><styles fill="black" fill-opacity="0.3" stroke="white" stroke-dasharray="" stroke-opacity="" stroke-width="0"></styles></event></region> <region coords="126, 246, 374, 273" name="a8" shape="rect"><event name="select"><styles fill="black" fill-opacity="0.3" stroke="white" stroke-dasharray="" stroke-opacity="" stroke-width="0"></styles></event></region> <region coords="126, 273, 374, 301" name="a9" shape="rect"><event name="select"><styles fill="black" fill-opacity="0.3" stroke="white" stroke-dasharray="" stroke-opacity="" stroke-width="0"></styles></event></region> <region coords="126, 302, 374, 329" name="a10" shape="rect"><event name="select"><styles fill="black" fill-opacity="0.3" stroke="white" stroke-dasharray="" stroke-opacity="" stroke-width="0"></styles></event></region> <regiongroups><regio max="0" min="0" name="grp1" ngroup=""><include region="a1"></include><include region="a2"></include><include region="a3"></include><include region="a4"></include><include region="a5"></include><include region="a6"></include><include region="a7"></include><include region="a8"></include><include region="a7"></include><include region="a8"></include><include region="a7"></include><include region="a8"></include><include region="a7"></include><include region="a8"></include><include region="a7"></include><include region="a8"></include><include region="a9"></include><include region="a10"></include></regio></regiongroups>
		3/417/
tei-sbti	Handle for identifying Smarter Balanced Table Interaction item types	<pre></pre>

sbaudio	Handle for identifying the Smarter Balanced audio player	<pre><div></div></pre>
		data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-7">Flour
		data-catalog-idref="glossary-term-6">Cups of <span< td=""></span<>
		<pre>Amount of Ingredient Remaining</pre>
		<pre></pre>
		<pre>Ingredient </pre>

		type="audio/mp4" />
sound-rep eat	Class that communicates the display of an audio repeat user interaction	<pre><div></div></pre>

8 Rubric Block

Each item contains a rubric block. Smarter Balanced displays rubric block information via CDATA. Please note that some rubric blocks may not be surrounded by CDATA as the information within is conformant HTML. An example is provided below:

Item ID: 183443

<qti-rubric-block class="qti-rubric-discretionary-placement" use="scoring" view="scorer">

<qti-content-body><![CDATA[<h3>Rubric</h3>Exemplar:
/>Scoring note: the numbers used to make the addition equation can be in any order and the area model does not have to be used in order to receive 1 point.
 For this item, a full-credit response includes

<math>to For this item, a full-credit response includes

<math>to Student enters correct response as shown and described in exemplar.

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point).</span></qti-content-body>
</qti-rubric-block>
```

Because **view="scorer"**, Rubric block content should not be available to students.

9 Response Processing and Outcome Declarations

Smarter uses all of the built in operators in the IMS specification. In addition, Smarter Balanced uses these additional custom operators and those can be found on the Item Scoring Custom Operator document.

An example of XML with an embedded Custom Operator for an equation item type:

```
<qti-assessment-item>
<!-- EQ interactions produce an XML string -->
<qti-response-declaration base-type="string" cardinality="single" identifier="RESPONSE"
<!-- Good Practice to specify normal max/min if not declaring MAXSCORE -->
<qti-outcome-declaration base-type="float" cardinality="single" identifier="SCORE"
normalmaximum="1" normal-minimum="0">
<ati-default-value>
<qti-value>0</qti-value>
</qti-default-value>
</gti-outcome-declaration >
<qti-outcome-declaration identifier="PP_RESPONSE" base-type="string"
cardinality="ordered"/>
<qti-outcome-declaration identifier="Line1" base-type="string" cardinality="single"/>
<qti-item-body>
<!-- item body must contain an interaction for the response declaration -->
<qti-custom-interaction class="tei-sbee" response-identifier="RESPONSE">
<qti-custom-option>
<![CDATA[ EAX ]]>
</gti-custom-option>
</gti-custom-interaction>
</gti-item-body>
<qti-response-processing>
<gti-set-outcome-value identifier="PP RESPONSE">
<qti-custom-operator class="qti.sbac.customOperators.EQ.PREPROCESSRESPONSE"
definition="response=RESPONSE"/>
</qti-set-outcome-value>
<qti-set-outcome-value identifier="Line1">
<qti-index n="1">
<qti-variable identifier="PP RESPONSE"/>
</qti-index>
</gti-set-outcome-value>
<qti-response-condition>
<qti-response-if>
<qti-or>
<qti-custom-operator class="qti.sbac.customOperators.EQ.ISEQUIVALENT"
definition="exemplar=Eq(c,((10)/3)*g)|||object=Line1|||simplify=True"/>
<qti-custom-operator class="qti.sbac.customOperators.EQ.ISEQUIVALENT"
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definition="exemplar=Eq(((10)/3)*g,c)|||object=Line1|||simplify=True"/>
<qti-custom-operator class="qti.sbac.customOperators.EQ.ISMATCH"
definition="constraints=a>=3.3,a<3.4|||object=Line1|||parameters=a|||pattern=Eq(c,a*
g)|||
simplify=True|||variables=c,g"/>
<qti-custom-operator class="qti.sbac.customOperators.EQ.ISMATCH"</pre>
definition="constraints=a>=3.3,a<3.4|||object=Line1|||parameters=a|||pattern=Eq(a*g
simplify=True|||variables=g,c"/>
</qti-or>
<qti-set-outcome-value identifier="SCORE">
<qti-base-value base-type="float">1</baseValue>
</qti-set-outcome-value>
</qti-response-if>
</qti-response-condition>
</qti-response-processing>
</gti-assessment-item>
```

For historical reference only, response processing function and operators have remained the same as <u>SAAIF custom operators</u>.