## Figure 8.6

## NASA Task Load Index

Hart and Staveland's NASA Task Load Index (TLX) method assesses work load on five 7-point scales. Increments of high, medium and low estimates for each point result in 21 gradations on the scales.

Name	Task		Date
Mental Demand How mentally demanding was the task?			
Very Low			Very High
Physical Demand How physically demanding was the task?			
Very Low			Very High
Temporal Demand	How hurried	or rushed was	the pace of the task?
Very Low			Very High
Performance How successful were you in accomplishing what you were asked to do?			
Perfect			Failure
Effort How hard did you have to work to accomplish your level of performance?			
Very Low			Very High
Frustration How insecure, discouraged, irritated, stressed, and annoyed wereyou?			
Very Low			Very High