

Toward Improved Consistency in Assessment {across Working Groups and across assessments}

Confident in Confidence Statements?

Characteristics and Qualities	Author X et al (2011)	Author Y (2010)
Baseline and perturbation described			
Assumptions and approach described			
Exogenous variables identified			
Uncertainty treated? How?			
Existing distortions/constraints described			
Sensitivity analysis conducted			
Discount rate			
Risk aversion			
Inequity aversion			
Some exogenous variables			
Some existing distortions/constraints			
Some climate variables (e.g., climate sensitivity)			
Non-monetized metrics noted			
Externalities (co-benefits/co-costs) included			
Worked beyond central tendencies			
Did not equate transfers with costs			
Evaluated cost of policy and not action			
Did not equate replacement cost with value			
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Possible Recording Responses

- WD - Well Done
- MR – Medium Rare (partial attempt throughout)
- INC – Incomplete (partial coverage)
- ICK – Ick-gnored
- NA – Not Applicable
- DIS – Distorted (- a: accidentally; - p: on purpose)
- INCOM – Incomprehensible
- ILL – ill-informed