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NEW Preliminary results from the Connecticut Mastery Test (CMT) Science in Grades 5 and 8, the Connecticut Academic Performance Test (CAPT) Science in Grade 10, and the Skills Checklist Science in Grades 5, 8, and 10 were released today. A [press release](#) is available for the districts. An [Excel file](#) with preliminary district and school level data is also available.

Additionally, secure Science results are available via the [Online Reporting System](#) (ORS). Access to the ORS is available to district personnel who have a Test Information Distribution Engine (TIDE) username and password. The [ORS User Guide](#) and [ORS Log In QuickStart Guide](#) provides information on using the web-based system that displays student results. Contact the American Institutes for Research (AIR) Help Desk at 844-202-7583 for log in assistance. Final non-secure district and school data will be available on the Connecticut State Department of Education (CSDE's) [Ed-Sight](#) at a later time.

Smarter Balanced Digital Library (an optional resource for districts)

NEW Digital Library Accounts

The CSDE is managing the Digital Library user accounts. To modify existing accounts (i.e., first/last name and e-mail address changes) or to delete accounts, District Test Coordinators should send an e-mail to Cristi Alberino (cristi.alberino@ct.gov).

To create new accounts, prepare an Excel spreadsheet that contains the First Name, Last Name, and E-mail Address for each new user (see sample spreadsheet below). E-mail addresses **must** be professional (district/school) e-mail addresses.

Sample Spreadsheet

	A	B	C
1	First Name	Last Name	E-mail Address
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The completed Excel spreadsheet should also be sent to Cristi Alberino **by only the District Test Coordinator**. Once the template is uploaded, each listed educator will receive a "Welcome to the Smarter Balanced Digital Library" e-mail (from smarter-donotreply@smarterbalanced.org) with access information.

Contact Cristi Alberino at cristi.alberino@ct.gov with any questions.