### Design Your Own Precipitate Lab—Grading Rubric

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### Calculations

- Work is shown to determine actual yield
  - _____ / 1 pt
- Chemical reaction is correct and balanced
  - _____ / 1 pt
- Initial mass of other reactant is correct and work is shown
  - _____ / 1 pt
- Moles of both reactants & solid product is correct and work is shown
  - _____ / 1 pt
- BCA table is provided and includes correct mole values for both reactants & solid product
  - _____ / 1 pt
- Theoretical yield of solid product is correct and work is shown
  - _____ / 1 pt
- Percent yield is calculated correctly and work is shown
  - _____ / 1 pt

### Error Analysis

- **Claim:** Provides a clear, concise statement about a potential source of experimental error. Though this error is typically out of your control, you are free to suggest an error that was caused by you if it’s legitimate. Sample errors that are not legitimate include things like not “stirring well enough, not measuring correctly, not calculating correctly” or anything that should have obviously been taken care of by you.
  - _____ / 2 pts
- **Evidence:** Provides appropriate (correct) and sufficient (enough) evidence from either quantitative data or observations made during the lab that supports the claim. No reasoning should be used here. That means no inappropriate phrases like “therefore…, because of this…, due to this…”, etc. No evidence should be provided if it doesn’t support the claim or has nothing to do with the claim.
  - _____ / 2 pts
- **Reasoning:** Provides a detailed justification as to why this evidence is important and how it supports this claim. Each piece of evidence provided should be justified and linked to the claim. No evidence should be introduced for the first time or repeated. This section is likely to include phrases like “therefore…, because of this…, due to this…”, etc.
  - _____ / 3 pts