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**Program Report for the
Preparation of Science Teachers**
National Science Teachers Association (NSTA)
2004 Standards¹

NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR ACCREDITATION OF TEACHER EDUCATION

C O V E R S H E E T

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Program documented in this report:

Name of institution's program (s) Biology, Chemistry, Geology (Earth/Space),
General Science, Chemistry-Physics (Physical Science)

Grade levels for which candidates are being prepared Biology, Chemistry,
Earth/Space, and Physical Science are certified Grades 7-12
General Science is certified Grades 5-9

Degree or award level Biology, Geology, and Chemistry-Physics are Bachelor of
Science (BS) degrees
Chemistry and General Science are Bachelor of Arts (BA) degrees

Is this program offered at more than one site? **Yes** **No**
If yes, list the sites at which the program is offered _____

Title of the state license for which candidates are prepared
Initial Certification

Program report status:

- Initial Review**
- Response to a Not Recognized Decision**
- Response to National Recognition With Conditions**
- Response to a Deferred Decision**

State licensure requirement for national recognition:

NCATE requires 80% of the program completers who have taken the test to pass the applicable state licensure test for the content field, if the state has a testing requirement. Test information and data must be reported in Section III. Does your state require such a test?

Yes **No**

¹ Institutions submitting program reports in fall 2005 may write to either the [1997](#) or the 2004 edition of the NSTA standards. All institutions submitting program reports in spring 2005 and beyond must write to the 2004 standards.