

Candidate: John SamplePerson

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PERSONALITY TRAITS

The profile below summarizes key results in each area compared against general population norms (indicated by the descriptors Low, Below Average, Average, Above Average, and High) and with norms for high performers in the type of job for which the candidate is applying (designated by the shaded areas). The candidate's score is indicated by the diamond symbol:

	Low	Below Average	Average	Above Average High			
AGREEABLENESS			•				
COMPANY LOYALTY	•						
CONSCIENTIOUSNESS				•			
EMOTIONAL STABILITY / RESILIENCE				•			
INTEGRITY				•			
OPENNESS			•				
OPTIMISM			•				
TEAMWORK			•				
WORK DRIVE				•			

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APTITUDE SCORES: Reported as Percentile

	PERCENTILE RANGE									
	0- 10%	10- 19	20- 29	30- 39	40- 49	50- 59	60- 69	70- 79	80- 89	Top 10%
Math For Industry							Χ			
Mechanical Reasoning					Χ					
Pattern Series							Х			
Reading Comprehension					X					
Overall Cognitive Aptitude							Χ			

Explanation of Aptitude Scores In This Table:

The aptitude scores in this table reflect <u>percentile rankings</u> -- not percent correct on the test. For example, if a person scores 80-89%ile on a specific test in this report, it means that they scored at least as well or better than 80-89%ile of the norm group, but not as high as about 10-20%ile of the norm group. So, higher scores are better than lower scores.

The **Overall Cognitive Aptitude** is an average score (an average for the standardized scores) for all of the separate aptitude tests given to this candidate.

The <u>lower the Overall Cognitive Aptitude score</u>, we predict that the candidate will have difficulty learning new information and making decisions. For example, if they are well experienced in their occupation, they may be able to continue to perform well practiced tasks adequately, but have difficulty learning new things. As such, they will need additional training time and more support from supervisors. People who produce lower Overall Cognitive Aptitude scores generally prefer tasks that call for specific responses rather than ones requiring insightful solutions. They are also slower in processing information and are often easily overwhelmed by complex problems, especially ones they have not dealt with before.

The <u>higher the Overall Cognitive Aptitude score</u>, the more we predict that the candidate will learn quickly, pick up a lot of new information on their own without needing to be trained, handle a large information load easily, make decisions in an efficient manner, and show a great deal of insight about how to solve new and complex problems.

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PERSONALITY TRAIT INTERPRETATION

Strengths:

- He tends to have smooth working relationships with most people on the job. John is usually viewed as being courteous and agreeable, unless he has to work with someone who is very difficult and demanding .
- He is conscientious and dependable in the way he works. John will typically follow through on his commitments and do what he says he will do. In addition, John is usually orderly and detail-minded in the way he performs job tasks and duties.
- Stable and well-adjusted, he can work well under conditions of job stress and not succumb to work-related anxiety or tension.
- He registers as having a sound level of integrity and honesty. He is unlikely to do things which others would consider to be improper, immoral, or dishonest.
- He scores as having an above-average level of integrity. He is unlikely to lie, deceive, cheat, or engage in questionable or improper job behavior.
- About average in terms of being open and willing to try new procedures and change his current ways of doing things on his job, he needs to be shown the benefits of change before he is willing to try something new.
- He takes many situations and people at face value, without preconceptions or advance judgments. While John is usually optimistic about most prospects and future contingencies, he is not gullible or unrealistic in his expectations.
- John prefers some independence in addition to cooperative activity in his work. He values both team player and individual contributor functions in achieving organizational goals.
- John has an above average work drive. He invests considerable time and energy into meeting the demands of his job and career.

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Developmental Concerns:

- In stressful situations, he can sometimes come across to others as disagreeable or difficult to get along
 with. John may need to make more of an effort to be courteous and pleasant in all of his interactions with
 others in the workplace.
- Complaining about policies and interpreting upper management as self-serving or incompetent is typical
 of how John sees the company. His presence on a team can create negative attitudes and unrest among
 other workers.
- Not very open to new learning, he may find it difficult to engage in or benefit from some opportunities for growth and professional development. He could be more receptive to opportunities to acquire new knowledge, skills, and abilities.
- He could be more inclined to work cooperatively with other employees. John could do more to contribute
 to work group cohesion and
 interdependence.

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INTERVIEW QUESTIONS

After reviewing the assessment results for this candidate, you may want to conduct a structured interview to further explore and clarify some specific concerns. The interview questions listed below reflect areas of concern raised by the assessment results. You should keep asking questions until you have gained confidence in your assessment of the candidate. You can use some or all of these questions when interviewing the candidate. You will probably want to customize these questions to best fit your style and what you already know about the candidate as well as the job for which s/he is being considered. Most of these are behavioral description items which ask the candidate to describe specific behavior on the job. Some additional probes which you might want to use with individual questions are:

- * When did this take place?
- * What factors led up to it?
- * What were the outcomes?
- * What did others in the organization say about this?
- * How often has this type of situation arisen?
- * How would you handle it differently in the future?

AGREEABLENESS

- Tell me about a project that required everybody to get along smoothly and harmoniously. What did you do to help promote harmony and cohesion?
- Sometimes it is good to question or challenge the ideas or decisions of the people you work with, even if it leads to disagreement or an argument. Tell me about a time when you have done so.
- Describe a situation where you took a stand on something that was not necessarily popular with other people, but where you felt it was the correct thing to do?
- Tell me about a situation where you went along with the group (or with individual coworkers) just to keep the peace, preserve harmony, or show support, even though you did not agree with them.
- Conflict seems to be inevitable in most work settings as business competition increases and more demands are made on all employees. Tell me about a conflict or disagreement you had with another employee? [Probes: What was the nature of the problem? What did you do to help resolve it? How often has this occurred?]

COMPANY LOYALTY

- We've all had the experience of hearing co-workers grumble about the company or its management. What type of experiences have you had? Tell me about one of them: what were the complaints, why were people upset, what was the situation. What did you say / how did you react to the conversation? (Listen for whether the candidate's comments promoted positive or negative attitudes.)
- In a previous job, when someone in the public would ask you about your company, what type of things would you say? (You'd like to hear that the candidate took the opportunity to create positive impressions about the company.)
- When you get upset about a work-related problem. Who do you typically talk to? Tell me about a time when you were aggravated or upset about a problem at work (maybe a team issue or something about company policies), what did you tell him or her? (Listen for someone who would badmouth the company in public.)