



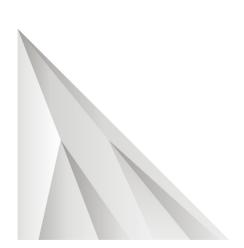
# Talent Insights<sup>®</sup> Management-Staff

# Samuel Sample VP of Samples

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### Introduction Where Opportunity Meets Talent

The TTI Success Insights® Talent Insights Report was designed to increase the understanding of an individual's talents. The report provides insight to three distinct areas: behaviors, driving forces and the integration of these. Understanding strengths and weaknesses in these areas will lead to personal and professional development and a higher level of satisfaction.

The following is an in-depth look at your personal talents in the three main sections:

### **Behaviors**

This section of the report is designed to help you attain a greater knowledge of yourself as well as others. The ability to interact effectively with people may be the difference between success and failure in your work and personal life. Effective interaction starts with an accurate perception of oneself.

### **Driving Forces**

This section of the report provides information on the why of your actions, which with application and coaching, can tremendously impact your valuing of life. Once you know the motivations that drive your actions, you will immediately be able to understand the causes of conflict.

### Integrating Behaviors And Driving Forces

This section of the report will help you blend the how and the why of your actions. Once you can understand how your behaviors and driving forces blend together, your performance will be enhanced and you will experience an increase in satisfaction.





### Introduction Behaviors Section

# Behavioral research suggests that the most effective people are those who understand themselves, both their strengths and weaknesses, so they can develop strategies to meet the demands of their environment.

A person's behavior is a necessary and integral part of who they are. In other words, much of our behavior comes from "nature" (inherent), and much comes from "nurture" (our upbringing). It is the universal language of "how we act," or our observable human behavior.

#### In this report we are measuring four dimensions of normal behavior. They are:

- How you respond to problems and challenges.
- How you influence others to your point of view.
- How you respond to the pace of the environment.
- How you respond to rules and procedures set by others.

This report analyzes behavioral style; that is, a person's manner of doing things. Is the report 100% true? Yes, no and maybe. We are only measuring behavior. We only report statements from areas of behavior in which tendencies are shown. To improve accuracy, feel free to make notes or edit the report regarding any statement from the report that may or may not apply, but only after checking with friends or colleagues to see if they agree.



### **General Characteristics**

Based on Samuel's responses, the report has selected general statements to provide a broad understanding of his work style. These statements identify the basic natural behavior that he brings to the job. That is, if left on his own, these statements identify HOW HE WOULD CHOOSE TO DO THE JOB. Use the general characteristics to gain a better understanding of Samuel's natural behavior.

Samuel embraces visions not always seen by others. Samuel's creative mind allows him to see the "big picture." He is goal-oriented and driven by results. He is the team member who will try to keep the others on task. Most people see him as a high risk-taker. His view is, "nothing ventured, nothing gained." He prefers an environment with variety and change. He is at his best when many projects are underway at once. Samuel is extremely results-oriented, with a sense of urgency to complete projects quickly. He is deadline conscious and becomes irritated if deadlines are delayed or missed. Many people see him as a self-starter dedicated to achieving results. He needs to learn to relax and pace himself. He may expend too much energy trying to control himself and others. Samuel seeks his own solutions to problems. In this way, his independent nature comes into play. He is a goal-oriented individual who believes in harnessing people to help him achieve his goals. He needs people with other strengths on his team.

Samuel will work long hours until a tough problem is solved. After it is solved, Samuel may become bored with any routine work that follows. He likes to make decisions quickly. He is a good problem solver and troubleshooter, always seeking new ways to solve old problems. He prefers authority equal to his responsibility. Samuel is decisive and prefers to work for a decisive manager. He can experience stress if his manager does not possess similar traits. He should realize that at times he needs to think a project through, beginning to end, before starting the project. Sometimes he may be so opinionated about a particular problem that he has difficulty letting others participate in the process. He has the unique ability of tackling tough problems and following them through to a satisfactory conclusion.







### General Characteristics Continued

Samuel tends to be intolerant of people who seem ambiguous or think too slowly. He challenges people who volunteer their opinions. His creative and active mind may hinder his ability to communicate to others effectively. He may present the information in a form that cannot be easily understood by some people. He may sometimes mask his feelings in friendly terms. If pressured, Samuel's true feelings may emerge. Samuel may lack the patience to listen and communicate with slower acting people. He should exhibit more patience and ask questions to make sure that others have understood what he has said. He may lose interest in what others are saying if they ramble or don't speak to the point. His active mind is already moving ahead. He tends to influence people by being direct, friendly and results-oriented.



# Value to the Organization

This section of the report identifies the specific talents and behavior Samuel brings to the job. By looking at these statements, one can identify his role in the organization. The organization can then develop a system to capitalize on his particular value and make him an integral part of the team.

- Thinks big.
- Self-starter.
- Forward-looking and future-oriented.
- Ability to change gears fast and often.
- Accomplishes goals through people.
- Usually makes decisions with the bottom line in mind.
- Will join organizations to represent the company.
- Sense of urgency.





# **Checklist for Communicating**

Most people are aware of and sensitive to the ways with which they prefer to be communicated. Many people find this section to be extremely accurate and important for enhanced interpersonal communication. This page provides other people with a list of things to DO when communicating with Samuel. Read each statement and identify the 3 or 4 statements which are most important to him. We recommend highlighting the most important "DO's" and provide a listing to those who communicate with Samuel most frequently.

### Ways to Communicate

- □ Give strokes for his involvement.
- □ Understand his sporadic listening skills.
- Put projects in writing, with deadlines.
- Support the results, not the person, if you agree.
- □ Support and maintain an environment where he can be efficient.
- □ Present the facts logically; plan your presentation efficiently.
- Be specific and leave nothing to chance.
- Read the body language--look for impatience or disapproval.
- Verify that the message was heard.
- Come prepared with all requirements, objectives and support material in a well-organized "package."
- □ Provide time for fun and relaxing.
- □ Ask specific (preferably "what?") questions.







# Checklist for Communicating Continued

This section of the report is a list of things NOT to do while communicating with Samuel. Review each statement with Samuel and identify those methods of communication that result in frustration or reduced performance. By sharing this information, both parties can negotiate a communication system that is mutually agreeable.

### Ways NOT to Communicate

- □ Ramble on, or waste his time.
- □ Assume he heard what you said.
- □ Ask rhetorical questions, or useless ones.
- □ Try to build personal relationships.
- □ Come with a ready-made decision, or make it for him.
- Let him change the topic until you are finished.
- Reinforce agreement with "I'm with you."
- □ Forget to follow-up.
- Use paternalistic approach.
- □ Try to convince by "personal" means.
- Be redundant.
- □ Let disagreement reflect on him personally.





## **Communication Tips**

This section provides suggestions on methods which will improve Samuel's communications with others. The tips include a brief description of typical people with whom he may interact. By adapting to the communication style desired by other people, Samuel will become more effective in his communications with them. He may have to practice some flexibility in varying his communication style with others who may be different from himself. This flexibility and the ability to interpret the needs of others is the mark of a superior communicator.

# When communicating with a person who is dependent, neat, conservative, perfectionist, careful and compliant:

- Prepare your "case" in advance.
- Stick to business.
- Be accurate and realistic.

### Factors that will create tension or dissatisfaction:

- Being giddy, casual, informal, loud.
- Pushing too hard or being unrealistic with deadlines.
- Being disorganized or messy.

# When communicating with a person who is ambitious, forceful, decisive, strong-willed, independent and goal-oriented:

- Be clear, specific, brief and to the point.
- Stick to business.
- Be prepared with support material in a well-organized "package."

### Factors that will create tension or dissatisfaction:

- Talking about things that are not relevant to the issue.
- Leaving loopholes or cloudy issues.
- Appearing disorganized.

# When communicating with a person who is patient, predictable, reliable, steady, relaxed and modest:

- Begin with a personal comment--break the ice.
- Present your case softly, nonthreateningly.
- Ask "how?" questions to draw their opinions.

### Factors that will create tension or dissatisfaction:

- Rushing headlong into business.
- Being domineering or demanding.
- Forcing them to respond quickly to your objectives.

# When communicating with a person who is magnetic, enthusiastic, friendly, demonstrative and political:

- Provide a warm and friendly environment.
- Don't deal with a lot of details (put them in writing).
- Ask "feeling" questions to draw their opinions or comments.

### Factors that will create tension or dissatisfaction:

- Being curt, cold or tight-lipped.
- Controlling the conversation.
- Driving on facts and figures, alternatives, abstractions.



### Perceptions See Yourself as Others See You

A person's behavior and feelings may be quickly telegraphed to others. This section provides additional information on Samuel's self-perception and how, under certain conditions, others may perceive his behavior. Understanding this section will empower Samuel to project the image that will allow him to control the situation.

### Self-Perception

Samuel usually sees himself as being:

Pioneering

Assertive

Confident

- Competitive
- Positive

• Winner

### Others' Perception - Moderate

Under moderate pressure, tension, stress or fatigue, others may see him as being:

Demanding

Nervy

Egotistical

Aggressive

### Others' Perception - Extreme

Under extreme pressure, stress or fatigue, others may see him as being:

Abrasive

Controlling

Arbitrary

Opinionated





# The Absence of a Behavioral Factor

The absence of a behavioral factor may provide insight into situations or environments that may cause tension or stress. Based on research, we are able to identify situations that should be avoided or minimized in a person's day-to-day environment. By understanding the contribution of a low behavioral style, we are able to better articulate a person's talents and create environments where people can be more effective.

### Situations and circumstances to avoid or aspects needed within the environment in order to minimize behavioral stress.

- The need for juggling many tasks at once may jeopardize quality.
- Avoid emotionally charged situations unless prepared to adapt and control the emotional output.
- Avoid projects that require constant focus without any room for variance in task.

Understanding that the need to adapt is unavoidable at times, below are tips for adapting to those with S above the energy line and/or tips for seeking environments that will be conducive to the low S.

- Recognize that others may move at a slower pace.
- Rambling, written or verbal, will be avoided to the point of missing a deadline.
- Seek environments where change is rewarded versus discouraged.





### **Descriptors**

Based on Samuel's responses, the report has marked those words that describe his personal behavior. They describe how he solves problems and meets challenges, influences people, responds to the pace of the environment and how he responds to rules and procedures set by others.

Driving	Inspiring	Relaxed	Cautious
Ambitious	Magnetic	Passive	Careful
Pioneering	Enthusiastic	Patient	Exacting
Strong-Willed	Persuasive	Possessive	Systematic
Determined	Convincing	Predictable	Accurate
Competitive	Poised	Consistent	Open-Minded
Decisive	Optimistic	Steady	Balanced Judgment
Venturesome	Trusting	Stable	Diplomatic
Dominance	Influencing	Steadiness	Compliance
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Calculating	Reflective	Mobile	Firm
Calculating Cooperative	Reflective Factual	Mobile Active	Firm Independent
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Cooperative	Factual	Active	Independent
Cooperative Hesitant	Factual Calculating	Active Restless	Independent Self-Willed
Cooperative Hesitant Cautious	Factual Calculating Skeptical	Active Restless Impatient	Independent Self-Willed Obstinate
Cooperative Hesitant Cautious Agreeable	Factual Calculating Skeptical Logical	Active Restless Impatient Pressure-Oriented	Independent Self-Willed Obstinate Unsystematic





# Natural and Adapted Style

Samuel's natural style of dealing with problems, people, pace of events and procedures may not always fit what the environment needs. This section will provide valuable information related to stress and the pressure to adapt to the environment.

### Problems - Challenges

#### Natural

#### Adapted

environment.

Samuel tends to deal with problems and challenges in a demanding, driving and self-willed manner. He is individualistic in his approach and actively seeks goals. Samuel will attack problems and likes a position with authority and work that will constantly challenge him to perform up to his ability.

### **People - Contacts**

#### Natural

Samuel is enthusiastic about his ability to influence others. He prefers an environment in which he has the opportunity to deal with different types of individuals. Samuel is trusting and also wants to be trusted.

#### Adapted

Samuel feels the environment calls for him to be sociable and optimistic. He will trust others and wants a positive environment in which to relate.

Samuel sees no need to change his

dealing with challenges in his present

approach to solving problems or





# Natural and Adapted Style Continued

### Pace - Consistency

#### Natural

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Adapted

Samuel is comfortable in an environment that is constantly changing. He seeks a wide scope of tasks and duties. Even when the environment is frantic, he can still maintain a sense of equilibrium. He is capable of taking inconsistency to a new height and to initiate change at the drop of the hat. Samuel sees his natural activity style to be just what the environment needs. What you see is what you get for activity level and consistency. Sometimes he would like the world to slow down.

#### Procedures - Constraints

Natural	Adap
Samuel is independent by nature and somewhat self-willed. He is open to new suggestions and can, at times, be seen as somewhat freewheeling. He is most comfortable in an environment where the constraints can be "loosened" for certain situations.	Samu comp his re (adap signif no ne the er

#### Adapted

Samuel shows little discomfort when comparing his basic (natural) style to his response to the environment (adapted) style. The difference is not significant and Samuel sees little or no need to change his response to the environment.





# Adapted Style

Samuel sees his present work environment requiring him to exhibit the behavior listed on this page. If the following statements DO NOT sound job related, explore the reasons why he is adapting this behavior.

- Questioning the status quo, and seeking more effective ways of accomplishment.
- A competitive environment, combined with a high degree of people skills.
- Quickly responding to crisis and change, with a strong desire for immediate results.
- Exhibiting an active and creative sense of humor.
- Moving quickly from one activity to another.
- Having the ability to see the "big picture" as well as the small pieces of the puzzle.
- A good support team to handle paperwork.
- Dealing with a wide variety of work activities.
- Skillful use of vocabulary for persuasive situations.
- Working without close supervision.
- Handling a variety of activities.





# Time Wasters

This section of your report is designed to identify time wasters that may impact your overall time use effectiveness. Possible causes and solutions will serve as a basis for creating an effective plan for maximizing your use of TIME and increasing your PERFORMANCE.

### **Poor Delegation**

Poor delegation usually means the inability to discriminate between tasks needing your time and attention, and those others are capable of accomplishing.

#### **Possible Causes:**

- Do not want to give up control
- Do not trust the abilities of others
- Do not understand the abilities of others
- Fear the talents of others
- Do not want to overload others

#### **Possible Solutions:**

- Train and mentor others
- Develop a support team
- Give people the opportunity to help
- Recognize the time spent training others on routine tasks will result in gained cumulative time for higher priority tasks

### Firefighting

Firefighting is often defined as being pulled away from priority tasks to answer questions, offer solutions, delegate or solve problem-related minor issues. These issues usually "flare up" quickly and are "put out" quickly.

#### **Possible Causes:**

- Desire to solve problems quickly and sometimes without adequate information
- Lack of delegation
- Lack of standard operating procedures
- Poor/wrong priorities





### Time Wasters Continued

• Failure to fit intensity to the situation

#### **Possible Solutions:**

- Establish a plan
- Create operational procedures for tasks and known problems
- Establish a "management by objectives" approach

### Lack of a Written Plan

A plan in this context may be an overall business plan including mission, goals, objectives, task requirements and utilization of resources. It may also simply mean written priorities and a written daily plan of action.

#### **Possible Causes:**

- Action oriented, want to get things done now
- Priorities keep changing (self- or other-imposed)
- Have been successful without a plan in the past
- Want to "go with the flow" and not be stifled by a written daily agenda

#### **Possible Solutions:**

- Write down personal and job-related values and prioritize them
- Write out a long-term plan that will support those values
- Recognize that by having priorities clearly in mind, constant change will be replaced with change-by-design

### **Crisis Management**

Crisis Management is defined as a management style that is consistently driven by uncontrolled external issues as the preferred method of managing. This style allows crises to precipitate rather than anticipating them and being pro-active.

#### Possible Causes:

- Lack planning
- Place unrealistic time requirements on people and tasks
- Always looking for problems to solve





### Time Wasters Continued

#### **Possible Solutions:**

- Have a well defined operational plan
- Target key individuals to handle specific problems
- Ask for recommendations from key people
- Delegate authority and responsibility when possible

### **Snap Decisions**

Snap decisions in this context are those decisions that are made too quickly without having all the necessary information.

#### **Possible Causes:**

- Impatience overrides need to wait for more information
- Try to do too much
- Failure to plan in advance
- Lack specific goals

#### **Possible Solutions:**

- Ask for recommendations
- Establish process for decisions prior to situation occurring
- Establish standard operating procedures and alternative procedures for possible problems





# Areas for Improvement

In this area is a listing of possible limitations without regard to a specific job. Review with Samuel and cross out those limitations that do not apply. Highlight 1 to 3 limitations that are hindering his performance and develop an action plan to eliminate or reduce this hindrance.

### Samuel has a tendency to:

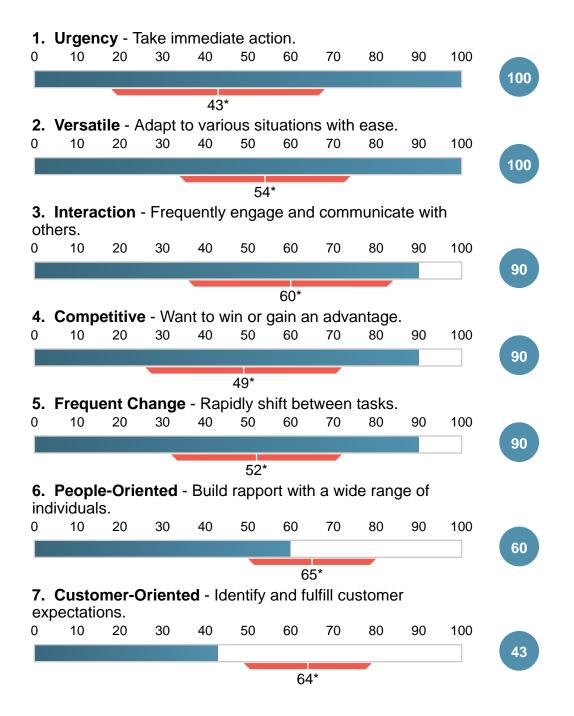
- Dislike routine work or routine people--unless he sees the need to further his goals.
- Keep too many balls in the air, and if his support is weak he will have a tendency to drop some of those balls.
- Have no concept of the problems that slower-moving people may have with his style.
- Have trouble delegating--can't wait, so does it himself.
- Be so concerned with big picture; he forgets to see the little pieces.
- Blame, deny and defend his position--even if it is not needed.
- Resist participation as part of the team, unless seen as a leader.
- Make "off the cuff" remarks that are often seen as personal prods.
- Be disruptive because of his innate restlessness and disdain for sameness.





# **Behavioral Hierarchy**

The Behavioral Hierarchy graph will display a ranking of your natural behavioral style within a total of twelve (12) areas commonly encountered in the workplace. It will help you understand in which of these areas you will naturally be most effective.



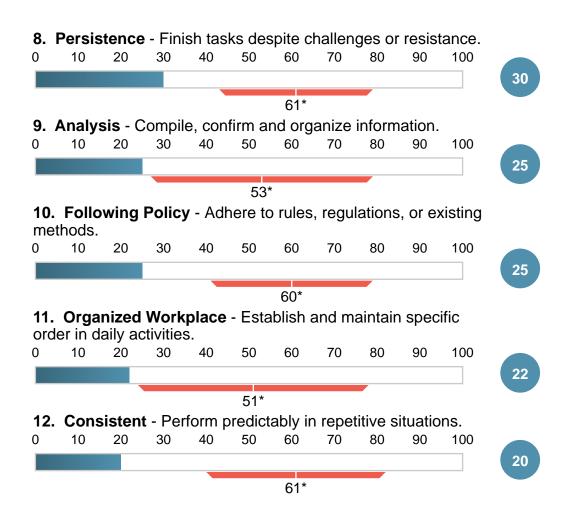








# **Behavioral Hierarchy**





### Style Insights<sup>®</sup> Graphs 9-18-2020

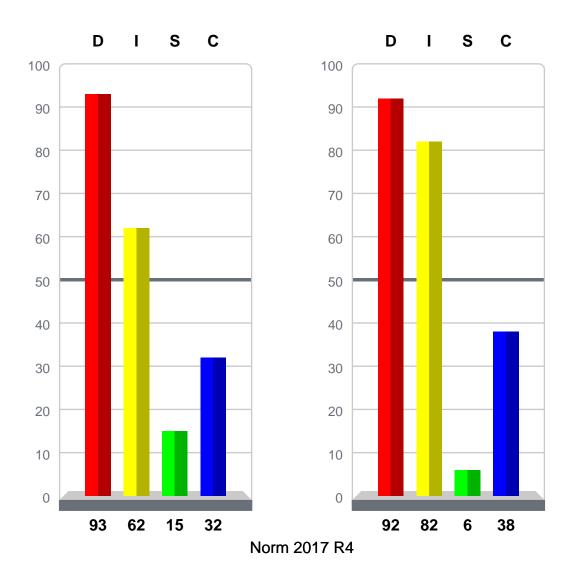


### Adapted Style

Graph I

### Natural Style

Graph II







# The Success Insights<sup>®</sup> Wheel

The Success Insights<sup>®</sup> Wheel is a powerful tool popularized in Europe. In addition to the text you have received about your behavioral style, the Wheel adds a visual representation that allows you to:

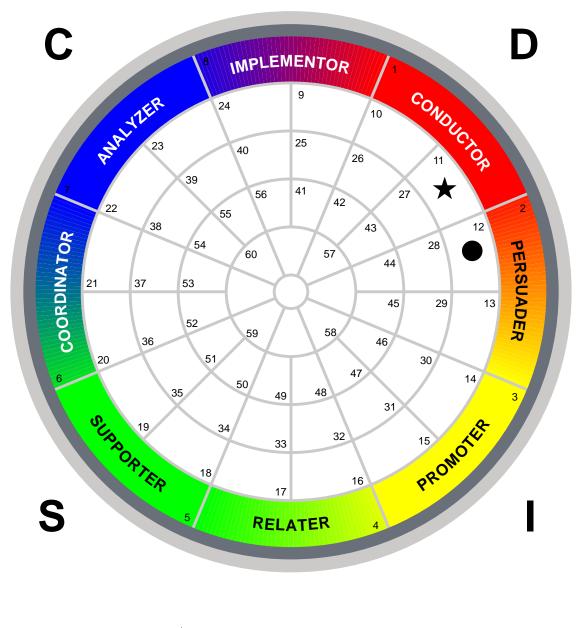
- View your natural behavioral style (circle).
- View your adapted behavioral style (star).
- Note the degree you are adapting your behavior.

Notice on the next page that your Natural style (circle) and your Adapted style (star) are plotted on the Wheel. If they are plotted in different boxes, then you are adapting your behavior. The further the two plotting points are from each other, the more you are adapting your behavior.

If you are part of a group or team who also took the behavioral assessment, it would be advantageous to get together, using each person's Wheel, and make a master Wheel that contains each person's Natural and Adapted style. This allows you to quickly see where conflict can occur. You will also be able to identify where communication, understanding and appreciation can be increased.



### The Success Insights<sup>®</sup> Wheel 9-18-2020



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# Understanding Your Driving Forces

Eduard Spranger first defined six primary types or categories to define human motivation and drive. These six types are Theoretical, Utilitarian, Aesthetic, Social, Individualistic and Traditional.

With TTISI's additional insights into Spranger's original work, the 12 Driving Forces® came to life. The 12 Driving Forces® are established by looking at each motivator on a continuum and describing both ends. All of the twelve descriptors are based on six keywords, one for each continuum. The six keywords are Knowledge, Utility, Surroundings, Others, Power and Methodologies.

You will learn how to explain, clarify and amplify some of the driving forces in your life. This report will empower you to build on your unique strengths, which you bring to work and life. You will learn how your passions from 12 Driving Forces® frame your perspectives and provide the most accurate understanding of you as a unique person.

Please pay careful attention to your top four driving forces, as they highlight what most powerfully moves you to action. As you examine the next tier of four driving forces, you'll recognize they may have a strong pull for you, but only in certain situations. Finally, when reviewing the bottom four driving forces, you will identify your varying levels of indifference or total avoidance.

Once you have reviewed this report you will have a better grasp of one of the key areas in the Science of Self<sup>™</sup> and will:

- Identify and understand your unique Driving Forces
- Understand and appreciate the Driving Forces of others
- Establish methods to recognize and understand how your Driving Forces interact with others to improve communication



### **General Characteristics**

Based on your responses, the report has generated statements to provide a broad understanding of WHY YOU DO WHAT YOU DO. These statements identify the motivation that you bring to the job. However, you could have a potential Me-Me conflict when two driving forces seem to conflict with each other. Use the general characteristics to gain a better understanding of your driving forces.

Samuel is motivated by increasing productivity and efficiency. He is driven by a long list of wants and will work hard to achieve them. He is driven to be very diligent and resourceful. He views people as a resource to achieve results. Samuel can buffer the feelings of others to drive business. He sees the world as a toolset to accomplish his goals. He will challenge the status quo to keep momentum moving. He is always looking for new ways to accomplish routine tasks. When Samuel feels strongly about a situation, he will apply the "end justifies the means" concept. He wants to control his own destiny and impact the destiny of others. If knowledge of a specific subject is not of interest, or is not required for success, Samuel will have a tendency to rely on his intuition or practical information in this area. He may prefer pleasant experiences for himself and others.

Samuel will focus on creating processes to ensure efficiency going forward. He is driven to maximize opportunities in order to create financial flexibility. He follows a philosophy of "it's not personal, it's just business." He will help develop an individual if he sees opportunities for future return. Samuel can be an out-of-the-box thinker. Given the choice, Samuel would choose to experience new opportunities. He can go to extremes to win or control the situation. He has the desire to create a winning strategy. In those areas where Samuel has a special interest he will be good at integrating past knowledge to solve current problems. If Samuel is truly interested in a specific subject, or if knowledge of specific subject matter is required for success, then he will take the initiative to learn about that subject in great depth. At times Samuel will look for opportunities to tie beauty and harmony into the experiences of others. He may look at the totality of a situation to ensure a rewarding interaction.





# **General Characteristics**

Samuel may look for ways to create a positive customer experience. He will seek knowledge based on his needs in individual situations. He is driven by public recognition. He likes to set his own plan to guide and direct his actions. Samuel believes it's important to keep emotions out of business decisions. He will not normally allow himself to be directed by others unless it will enhance his own self-interest. He has a strong desire to build resources for the future. He will be creative when resources are scarce.





### **Strengths and Weaknesses**

The following section will give you a general understanding of the strengths and weaknesses of Samuel's top four Driving Forces, otherwise known as the Primary Driving Forces Cluster. Remember, an overextension of a strength can be perceived as a weakness to others.

#### **Potential Strengths**

- Samuel configures resources to maximize output.
- He tends to focus on the return on investment.
- He tends to maximize efficiency and productivity.
- He will help others when others are willing to work hard.
- Samuel will seek to develop or help others when he can see future opportunities.
- He will adopt aspects of systems if he sees a benefit.
- He strives to advance his position.

#### **Potential Weaknesses**

- Samuel tends to view people and resources as tools to achieve an outcome.
- He may view material possessions and money as a scorecard.
- He may be perceived as a workaholic.
- He may create scenarios that benefit himself more than others.
- Samuel may expect something in return each time he helps or serves others.
- He resists overly structured ways of thinking and approaches.
- He can be driven by the desire to achieve status and recognition.



### **Energizers and Stressors**

The following section will give you a general understanding of the energizers and stressors of Samuel's top four Driving Forces, otherwise known as the Primary Driving Forces Cluster. Remember, an overextension of an energizer can be perceived as a stressor to others.

#### **Potential Energizers**

- Samuel tries to eliminate waste.
- He strives to obtain practical results.
- He likes to be compensated based on performance.
- He is energized by purposeful people.
- Samuel likes to develop internal advocates.
- He likes to question unnecessary protocols.
- He likes to create and control his destiny.

#### **Potential Stressors**

- Samuel does not like when resources are used inefficiently.
- He gets frustrated when processes are redundant.
- He is stressed when others ignore the return on investment.
- He does not act without personal benefit.
- Samuel does not like to make emotion-based decisions.
- He is stressed when he must support the status quo.
- He does not like a small workspace.

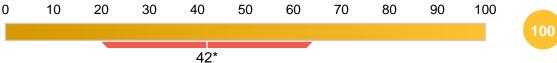




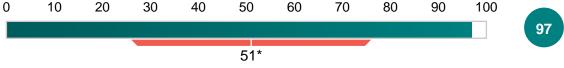
# **Primary Driving Forces Cluster**

Your top driving forces create a cluster of drivers that move you to action. If you focus on the cluster rather than a single driver you can create combinations of factors that are very specific to you. The closer the scores are to each other the more you can pull from each driver. Think about the driver that you can relate to most and then see how your other primary drivers can support or complement to create your unique driving force.

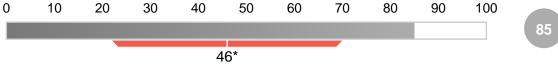
**1. Resourceful** - People who are driven by practical results, maximizing both efficiency and returns for their investments of time, talent, energy and resources.



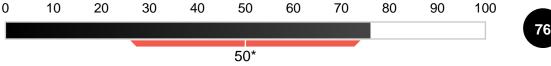
**2.** Intentional - People who are driven to assist others for a specific purpose, not just for the sake of being helpful or supportive.

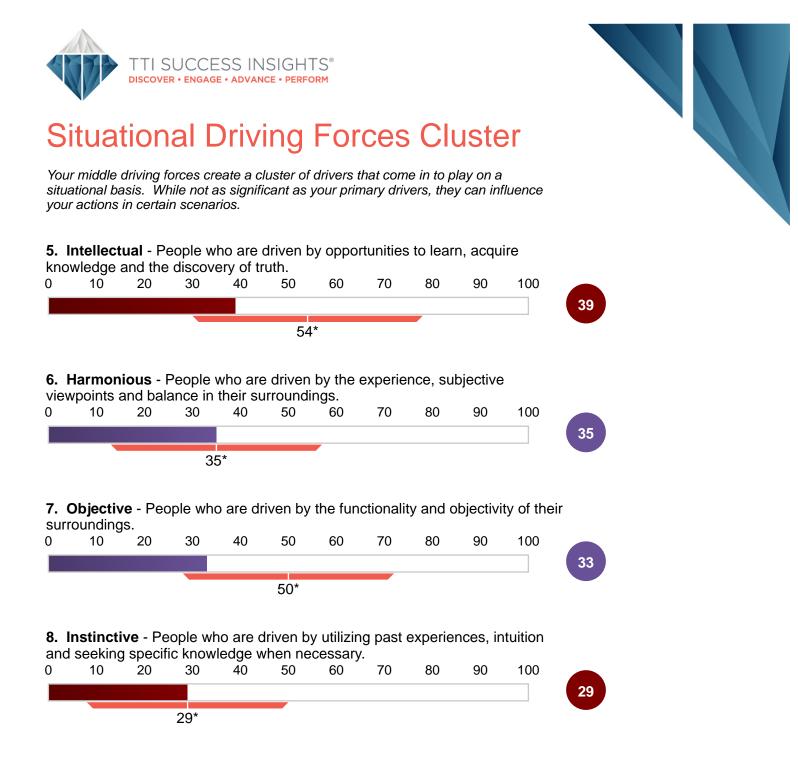


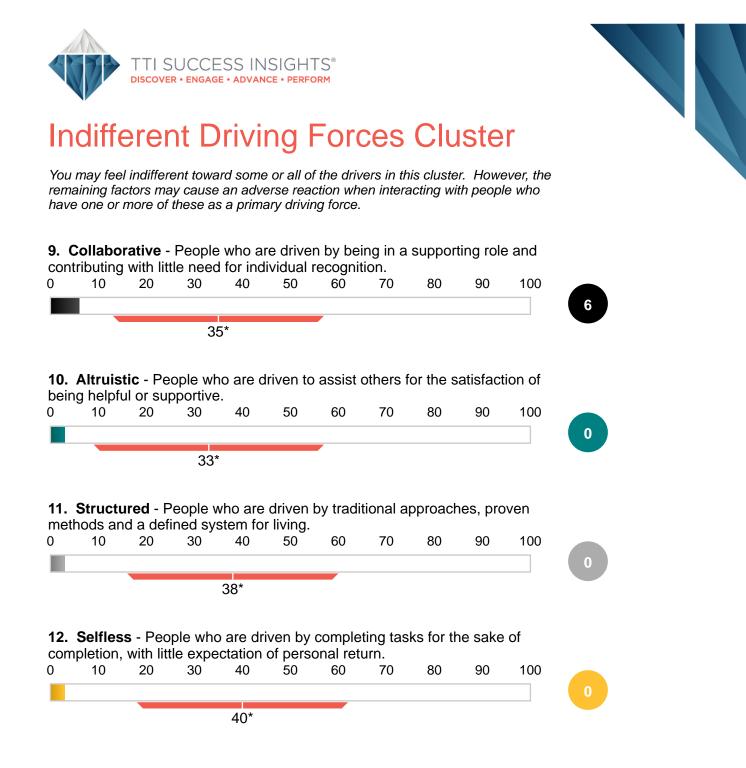
**3. Receptive** - People who are driven by new ideas, methods and opportunities that fall outside a defined system for living.



**4. Commanding** - People who are driven by status, recognition and control over personal freedom.









### Areas for Awareness

For years you have heard statements like, "Different strokes for different folks," "to each his own," and "people do things for their own reasons, not yours." When you are surrounded by people who share similar driving forces, you will fit in with the group and be energized. However, when surrounded by people whose driving forces are significantly different from yours, you may be perceived as out of the mainstream. These differences can induce stress or conflict.

This section reveals areas where your driving forces may be outside the mainstream and could lead to conflict. The further above the mean and outside the mainstream you are, the more people will notice your passion about that driving force. The further below the mean and outside the mainstream you are, the more people will notice your avoidance or indifference regarding that driving force. The shaded area for each driving force represents 68 percent of the population or scores that fall within one standard deviation above or below the national mean.

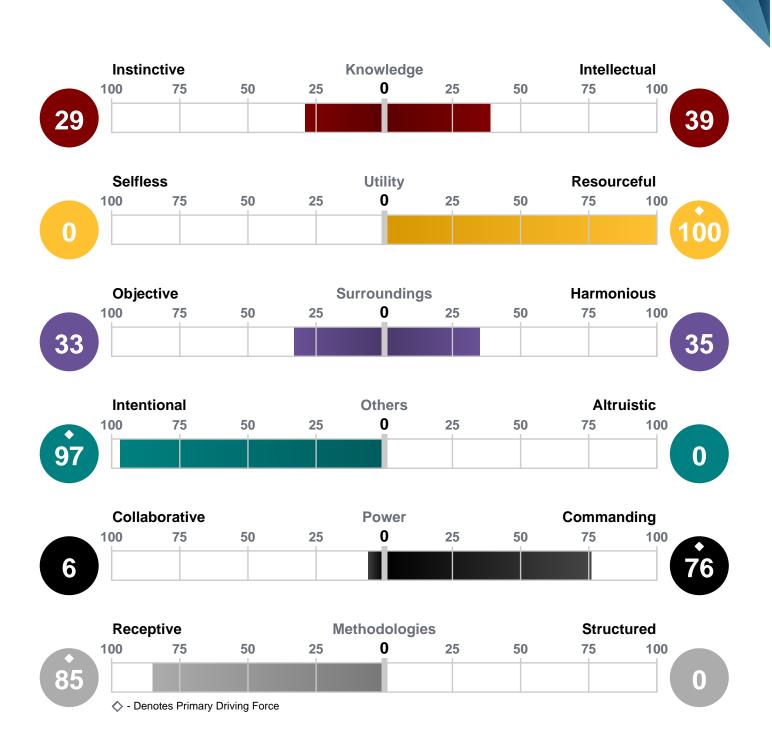
#### Intellectual Mainstream Instinctive Mainstream Resourceful 🕈 Extreme Selfless Indifferent Harmonious Mainstream Objective Mainstream Altruistic Indifferent **Passionate** Intentional Commanding Passionate Indifferent Collaborative Structured Indifferent Receptive Passionate - 1st Standard Deviation - \* 68% of the population falls within the shaded area. - 2nd Standard Deviation - 3rd Standard Deviation

### Norms & Comparisons Table - Norm 2017

Mainstream - one standard deviation of the national mean Passionate - two standard deviations above the national mean Indifferent - two standard deviations below the national mean Extreme - three standard deviations from the national mean

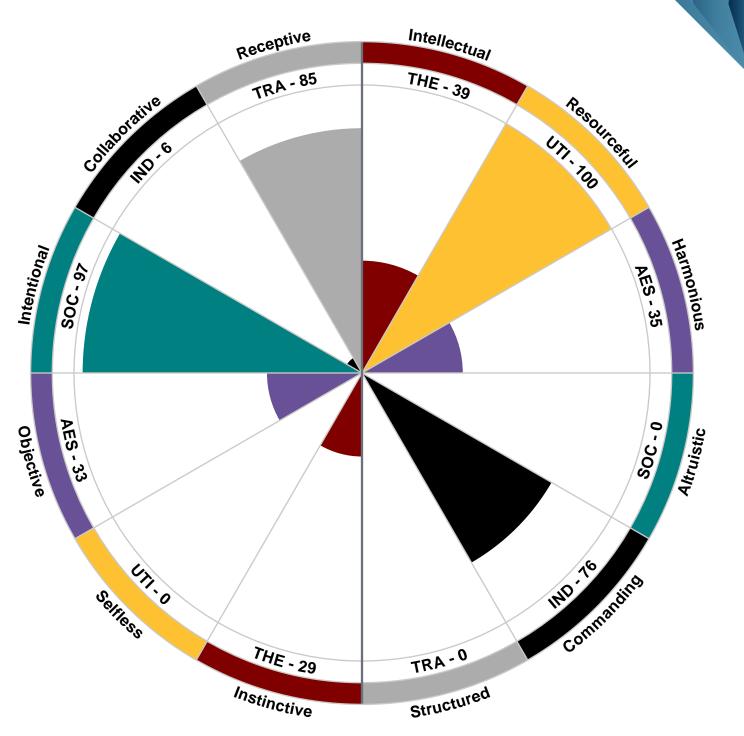


# **Driving Forces Graph**



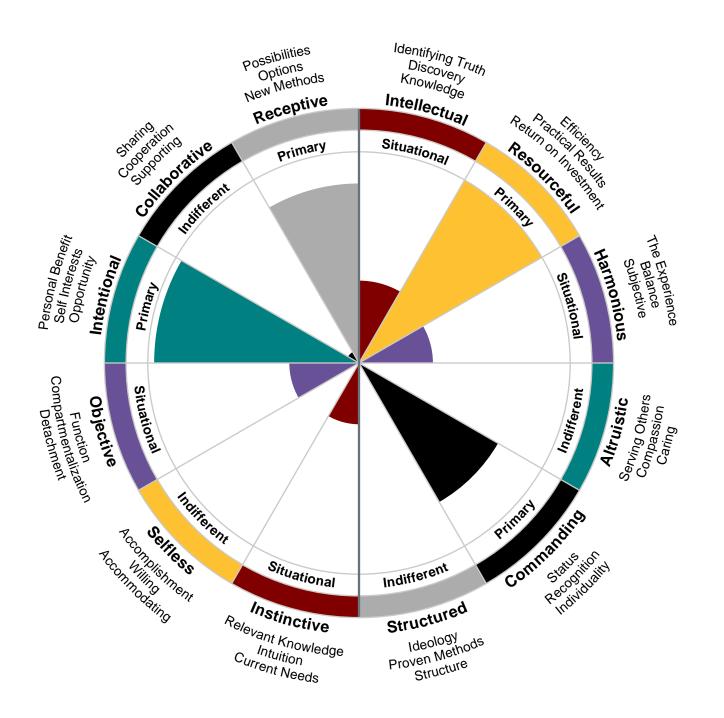


# **Driving Forces Wheel**





# **Descriptors Wheel**









### Introduction Integrating Behaviors and Driving Forces Section

The ultimate power behind increasing job satisfaction and performance comes from the blending of your behaviors and driving forces. Each individually is powerful in order to modify your actions, but the synergy of blending the two moves you to a whole new level.

#### In this section you will find:

- Potential Behavioral and Motivational Strengths
- Potential Behavioral and Motivational Conflict
- Ideal Environment
- Keys to Motivating
- Keys to Managing



# Potential Behavioral and Motivational Strengths

This section describes the potential areas of strengths between Samuel's behavioral style and top four driving forces. Identify two to three potential strengths that need to be maximized and rewarded in order to enhance on-the-job satisfaction.

- Can be resourceful to influence others to get results.
- Makes decisions based on saving time, resources and improving efficiency.
- Very resourceful in solving problems.
- Will champion a worthy cause, as a challenge, if they see a potential return.
- Initiates the activity of developing others if they are putting forth a strong effort on their own.
- Tough but fair when others are willing to work hard.
- A leader for those who question traditions.
- Will champion change and focus on out of the box results
- Puts everything he has into looking for new opportunities.
- Forward-looking to improve himself or a situation.
- Not easily deterred by setbacks.
- Seeks the challenge and opportunity to win.





# Potential Behavioral and Motivational Conflict

This section describes the potential areas of conflict between Samuel's behavioral style and top four driving forces. Identify two to three potential conflicts that need to be minimized in order to enhance on-the-job performance.

- May tend to flaunt success and use money as a scorecard.
- Can be a workaholic.
- May offend others with too much discussion of results.
- May try to utilize many people to obtain results.
- Needs immediate results when involving others.
- May set standards too high that causes others to fall short.
- By challenging the status quo he may miss the desired results.
- A desire for better results may be prohibited by his need for something new.
- May break others' rules to keep the momentum moving.
- May always want to display his superiority through problems or challenges.
- May not realize the negative consequences of his quick decisions.
- Takes on too much, too soon, too fast to maintain control.





# **Ideal Environment**

People are more engaged and productive when their work environment matches the statements described in this section. This section identifies the ideal work environment based on Samuel's behavioral style and top four driving forces. Use this section to identify specific duties and responsibilities that Samuel enjoys.

- Rewards for being quicker, faster, better.
- Key performance measured on results and efficiency rather than people and process.
- An environment where direct, bottom-line efforts are appreciated.
- A forum to champion the needs and desires of others who are willing to work for common results.
- The opportunity to show others their potential in order to drive the desired outcomes.
- A results-driven environment where people are respected for what they can provide.
- An environment that promotes creative ideas for solving problems and making decisions.
- Opportunity to alter existing systems to make them bigger, better and faster.
- Ability to achieve results by challenging the status quo.
- Continual opportunity to challenge and win.
- Opportunity to assertively express his desire to control his own destiny and potentially that of others.
- Ability to be self-starting and forward looking as it relates to challenging the status quo.





# Keys to Motivating

All people are different and motivated in various ways. This section of the report was produced by analyzing Samuel's driving forces. Review each statement produced in this section with Samuel and highlight those that are present "wants."

### Samuel wants:

- Freedom to get desired results and improve efficiency.
- Focus on results and rewards, not the process or journey.
- Opportunities for achieving things faster and of more value.
- Opportunities to accomplish solutions to problems that relate to his vision.
- To be in charge of people, resources and surroundings.
- Recognition for driving business and being a catalyst for changing the world.
- The opportunity to expand his way of thinking.
- All systems and structures to be current and moving toward the desired result.
- The ability to solve problems by examining many new approaches.
- New and difficult challenges that lead to prestige and status.
- Space and latitude to do what it takes to get the job done.
- Power and control over outcomes and goals.





# Keys to Managing

This section discusses the needs which must be met in order for Samuel to perform at an optimum level. Some needs can be met by himself, while management must provide for others. It is difficult for a person to enter a motivational environment when that person's basic management needs have not been fulfilled. Review the list with Samuel and identify 3 or 4 statements that are most important to him. This allows Samuel to participate in forming his own personal management plan.

### Samuel needs:

- To be an active listener instead of dominating the discussion.
- The opportunity to receive rewards based on results achieved.
- To assess the risk and rewards of each decision.
- To be given power and authority to achieve results through people.
- Needs task-oriented challenges.
- Help to understand how managing his intensity can align others to his objectives.
- Support to achieve results through his constantly evolving system for living.
- A manager that understands his potentially explosive nature is from the desire to achieve and win in new and different ways.
- A manager that understands his need to explore many systems to capture all possibilities.
- Assistance in staying on task when he is not the leader of the project.
- Freedom to determine how results should be achieved.
- Help understanding the effect on his image when he disengages from uncontrolled projects.





### **Action Plan**

#### **Professional Development**

1. I learned the following behaviors contribute positively to increasing my professional effectiveness: (list 1-3)

2. My report uncovered the following behaviors I need to modify or adjust to make me more effective in my career: (list 1-3)

3. When I make changes to these behaviors, they will have the following impact on my career:

4. I will make the following changes to my behavior, and I will implement them by \_\_\_\_\_:





## **Action Plan**



#### **Personal Development**

1. When reviewing my report for personal development, I learned the following key behaviors contribute to reaching my goals and the quality of life I desire: (list 1-3)

2. The following behaviors were revealed, which show room for improvement to enhance the quality of my life: (list 1-3)

3. When I make changes to these behaviors, I will experience the following benefits in my quality of life:

4. I will make the following changes to my behavior, and I will implement them by \_\_\_\_\_: