

Online Assessment with cut-e

cut-e in numbers





smart. valid. preferred.



- cut-e [kju:t]: short, clever, smart and attractive
- cut-e delivers substantial and technological solutions for job-related evaluations
- cut-e is a Hamburg-based company with more than 200 employees in over 30 countries with core markets in Central Europe, the Nordic countries, UK/Ireland, the US and Southeast Asia
- cut-e is a market leader in online assessments with far more than four million annual processes and more than 13 years' experience
- cut-e delivers valid, user-friendly, scientifically-proven and significant selection procedures in 40 languages
- Itranslated by professional translation agencies and culturally validated through local psychologists and cut-e partners

cut-e instruments



self-explanatory

interactive example sequences and test descriptions

forgery-proof

- item generation
- *adalloc*[™] measuring technology
- individual parallel versions (sample solutions do NOT exist!)
- onsite re-test for verification is possible

hardware independent

vectored item material

barrier-free

based on the Equal Opportunities Act for Information Technology

completely administrable online and feasible on any PC

adaptable to any corporate design

cut-e instruments



test results are instantly available

- different reporting options and evaluations
- automatic report delivery by email or reports on demand

scientifically supported

- standardisation and validation study with universities and partners
- certified and highest data security standards
 - DNV (Framework of the International Test Commission)
 - exceeding DIN 33430 process requirements
 - data security certified, according to ISO27001 and ISO27002
 - data processing according to strict German law (§ 11 BDSG)
 - Registered by the Diagnostik und Testkuratorium (DTK) and the DGFP with the reference number 9005561
- integrable into existing HR software, such as SAP, rexx and Oracle Taleo

Core products





Norm groups



General

- trainees
- graduates
- trained staff
- experienced staff
- junior expert/young leaders
- experts/managers
- senior experts/managers

+ customer-specific and international norm groups

- norm groups generally consist of 500 people or more
- regular norm group updates

Report options



General

- profile charts (Primary Profile/Benchmark Reports)
- competence profiles (Competency Profile)
- narrative reports
- candidate reports (Participant Reports)
- development reports (Competency Development Reports)
- interview guidelines (Recruitment Reports)
- matching reports
- comparison reports (Multi-merit Lists)
- CEF/CEFR report for English and German test

+ customer-specific reports





The predictive validity





scales overview



scales tests - features

Easy to understand by the test taker. Interactive examples are worked through at the start of the test, giving clear instructions and navigation.

Hardware independent due to our use of vector graphics.

Cheat-proof - our unique technology ensures that a different test is generated for each participant. **Short timed tests**. A reliable and valid test result after only 15 minutes of test time.

Available in over 25 languages. The majority of participants are able to complete the tests in their first language. **Scientifically sound**. Continious standardisation and validation studies take place as part of the research programmes.

Certified by Det Norske Veritas according to the framework of the International Test Commission. **Proven seamless integration** with existing recruitment workflow systems and applicant-tracking systems. Accessible to those with impairment or disadvantage in accordance with the desire to create barrier-free technology.

verbal & numerical reasoning





logical inductive & deductive reasoning









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special cognitive abilities





Processing style



Further Details

form group:	General adult population	
Language of Administration	German	
Solved Items as a percentage of attempted Items	59 %	
Items attempted	34	
Correct responses with wrong data source in front	4	
Responses with wrong data source in front	9	
Number of Incorrect responses	14	
Number of correct responses	20	
Items In the test	49	

scales verbal Benchmark Report

scales Multi-Merit List



Project: pre-application testing for apprentices

- Norm group: apprenticesscale: Standard 5
- Date/time: 05.02.2015 13:51

Last name	First name	Email	Maths	Language	Language	Concentration	Total
Kandidat	Karl	karlkandidat@aol.com	5	4	4	5	4.9
Test	Tina	tina_test@web.de	4	4	4	3	4.1
Mustermann	Max	m.mustermann@gmx.de	5	4	3	3	3.7
Bewerber	Bernd	b.bewerber@hotmail.de	4	2	4	3	3.3
Beispiel	Bruno	bruno.beispiel@gmail.de	3	1	3	4	2.6
Azubi	Anna	azubi.a@gmx.net	2	1	4	3	2.2

Ability overview



1. Profile of Results

Capability	Results		
Numerical Reasoning (consumer)			
Verbal Reasoning (consumer)			
Discovering Rules and Interrelations			•
English Test			
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Norm group: (Post-) Graduates

2. Further Details

Numerical Re	easoning (consumer)	average
ability to purp	draw logical conclusions from complex numerical information. In addition, osefully retrieve the relevant information from a large amount of data. High te complex information under time pressure fast and efficiently and to dist	n scores indicate the ability
Performance	Compared to other participants, this candidate shows a capability to hand effectively which is average .	lle the tasks in this test
	The completion of the test was quite fast but inaccurate , which means completed approximately as many tasks as most other participants but, participants, she made more mistakes.	



Sparks

What sparks measures



Fluency

Addresses issues with determination and works quickly; is able to develop many ideas and alternative solutions to a problem

Flexibility

Adapts to the new challenges; does not stop at the first solution, but finds others

Originality

Does not let instructions' prerequisites restrict own thinking; follows own convictions; develops fresh ideas; makes unusual connections



sparks Creativity test



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shapes - versions



shapes basic

Optimised for administrative staff and apprentices; 15 scales with six items each; does not measure any management behaviour/potential; does not require a university degree.

shapes graduate

Optimised for graduates; 18 scales with six items each; does not require management experience.

shapes sales

Optimised for sales functions and direct customer contact; 24 scales with six items each; does not require a university degree.

shapes expert

Optimised for experts without management responsibilities and sales functions; 18 scales with eight items each; does not measure management behaviour/potential.

shapes management

Specifically measures management behaviour/potential; 18 scales with eight items each; appropriate for middle and senior management, including management functions.

shapes executive

Optimised for senior management; 24 scales with eight items each.

shapes - characteristics



Characteristics

- based on self description
- covers relevant behaviours, potentials and competences
- various dimensions with at least six to eight items/statements each
- up to 18 competences for classification
- random item selection and *adalloc*[™] measuring technology
- approximately 15 to 20 minutes
- suitable for all job positions



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Categorisation



	interaction	operational	intellectual	emotional
entre-preneur	Influence Networking	Business development Bottom-line focus	Vision and strategy	Initiative and responibility
manager	People management People development	Execution Systematic approach	Organizational awareness	Steadiness
expert	Effective communication Constructive teamwork		Analysis and Judgement Professional exertise Innovation	Self development

Domain	Dimension	Definition
	directing	likes to be in charge; leads and directs others; keeps a team focused on objectives
	persuasive	enjoys selling and negotiating; finds it easy to persuade others; influences others and wins their support
Interactive	socially confident	comes across as confident and self-assured; feels at ease during presentations and formal events
	sociable	is talkative, lively and sociable; enjoys being in groups; entertains others and has a wide network of contacts
	agreeable	is team-oriented and considerate; enjoys working with others; is supportive and pleasant to be with
	behavioral	is interested in others' behavior; observes and analyzes others' motives and reactions
	prudent	takes a broad perspective; considers the wider consequences of plans and activities
Operative	focused on results	is pragmatic and target-oriented in approach; focuses on reaching results; solves problems quickly and effectively
Operative	systematic	is systematic and well organized; defines clear priorities; plans well ahead and with realistic time-scales
	conscientious	takes care to follow procedures; respects rules and regulations; sees jobs through to the end and pays attentior to quality issues
Intellectual	analytical	quickly grasps complex issues and problems; identifies the core of a problem; evaluates information thoroughly
	conceptual	enjoys working with concepts, models and strategies; likes intellectual challenges
	imaginative	can think out of the box; develops imaginative and original ideas and solutions
	open to change	supports new ideas; enjoys change and novelty; continually looks for ways to improve things
	autonomous	acts on own initiative; follows own direction; expresses own views and opinions freely
	achieving	sets self demanding targets; enjoys difficult challenges; wants to get ahead and succeed
Emotional	competitive	likes to compete against others; is determined to win; enjoys talking about own achievements
	energetic	shows drive and determination; takes an energetic approach to work; remains focused and in control under pressure

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snap-it – specifying job requirements

Adding value

snap-it enables you to make better job definitions, which means that the selection criteria are more linked to what is critical in the job.

snap-it automatically calculates the person/job fit and, as a result, the people selected are more likely to fit and be good at the relevant job. This is our aim: the right people for the job.

On this page, you can see the automatically calculated behaviour categorise			incles		
which you can critically review and change if necessary. Please note the gi	ven limits when selecting b	ehavlours!			7
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directing likes to be in charge; leads and directs others; keeps a team focused	low	mid		high	
on objectives	irrelevant	beneficial		Irreleva	int
persuasive enjoys selling and negotiating; finds it easy to persuade others;	low	mid		high	
influences others and wins their support	Irrelevant	irrelevant		accepta	ble
socially confident	low	mid		high	
comes across as confident and self-assured in unfamiliar situations; feels at ease during presentations and formal events	Irrelevant	irrelevant		irreleva	
sociable	low	mid		high	
is talkative, lively and sociable; enjoys being in groups; entertains others and has a wide network of contacts	irrelevant	irrelevant		irreleva	int
agreeable	low	mid		high	



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What does snap-it do?



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snap-it provides a detailed description of the job requirements as well as the necessary information to determine the fit of a person to these conditions.

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snap-it – adding value



What are the benefits of *snap-it*?

Uses the validated <i>shapes</i> competency model and translates those essential competencies into behaviours	Presents results as overall job match score - as well as per competency	Increased user-friendliness
Generates an interview guide to probe essential competencies	Supports competency-based interviewing (CBI)	Enables standardised interview and selection processes, resulting in better hiring decisions



views questionnaire



- self-describing questionnaire
- analysis of motives, values and interests
- 18 characteristics, each with six items/statements
- estimated time to complete: 15-20 minutes

views - model



Objectives	Relationships	Environment
Professional challenge	Harmony	Structuring
Recognition of performance	Honesty	Rate of change
Financial reward	Cooperativeness	Development opportunities
Security	Integrity	Absence of stress
Fun while working	Fairness	Influence possibilities
Identification	Hierarchy	Working environment

Jte	Work-related Interests and Moti
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How important do you rate the following aspects for your work environment? F your level of agreement.	Please distribute points according to
Please allocate points by using the + and - buttons.	
The operational processes in the company should be clearly regulated	
The jobs in the company should be relatively secure	
Everyone in the company should be informed quickly about essential matters	
Max. 1 point to distribute:	
	help



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squares

squares – adding value



Why should you use the squares integrity test?

Online screening

It reduces the probability of counterproductive work behaviour and adds particular value to jobs where security and risk management play an important role.

On-the-job development

Staff productivity can be significantly increased with targeted training measures based on the squares results. Corporate citizenship strategies

It can be used for teams, departments or entire companies to identify critical aspects and to provide an ideal starting point for corporate development processes. Predicting tenure

It provides good insight into whether an employee is likely to stay in an organisation, thus reducing undesired fluctuation and recruitment costs.

Safety

The safety report shows how safe, compliant and cautious some are. This can be used in selection or before shift start to keep people and property safe.

squares – concept model



		Disciplined	Able to resist temptation well; hardworking; not easily distracted
	Impulse control Conscientious		Punctual, well-organised; knows the rules and adheres to them
_		Cautious	Has a good sense of risk; acts very carefully; does not get bored easily
Trustworthy		Empathetic	Kind and gentle person; can see others' perspectives; cooperates well
	Ethical awareness	Honest	Open and honest; sticks to what has been promised
		Reflective	Thinks things through; considers interrelation of others' needs

Situational Behaviour





Primary Scales

		low									
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	high 9 4 3 5 5 5
	disciplined able to resist temptation well; is hardworking; not easily distracted.				0						S 4 3 5 5 3 8
impulse control	conscientious punctual, well organized; knows the rules and adhere to them.										
	cautious has a fine sense for risks; acts very carefully; will not get bored easily.					0					
	empathetic kind and gentle person; can take other's perspective; cooperates well.					0					
ethical awareness	transparent open and honest; holds on to what has been promised.										
	reflective Is thinking things through; considers Interrelation of others' needs.										8

Aggregated Area Scores



Introduction

This report is based on the results of the instrument squares. The squares safety report screens candidates for their fit to jobs and roles, where safety matters. The total safety score predicts the likelihood of a candidate being a dependable and safe employee. However, the squares scores provide probabilities and not certainties. The information provided can be supplemented by other assessments looking at the match to specific job requirements, and by a structured interview.

Total Safety Score

The total safety score was derived from the candidate's responses and the calculated scores on the four safety factors (see below). These scores were then compared with scores from a selected group of people (norm group).

Total Safety Score		•								
	poor	limited	fair	good	excellent					
Consistency: 6 of 9 Processing time (min) Percentile: 25% Norm group: General adult populat										

The squares instrument also assesses aspects of candidates' response patterns to ensure the accuracy of the resulting work safety score and its appropriate interpretation: In this case, the responses were mostly consistent, indicating a rather sincere response strategy or a stable selfperception. However, the test time is quite short, implying an inattentive style. Thus, the results may be less reliable in some parts and should be questioned in an interview.

Safety Factors

The total safety score is derived from the candidate's scores across the four safety factors.

Safety Factors	Results				
Caution deliberately avoids potentially hazardous and risky behaviour at work			•		
Compliance strictly adherence to safety policies and instructions at work		•			
Commitment personal lifestyle (e.g. sober, rested) supports work performance		•			
Composure stays friendly to others under various degrees of stress			•		
	poor	limited	fair	good	excellent

Feedback is at the discretion of the client. The squares safety report was designed to be used as a screening tool, and it may therefore not be necessary for all clients to provide feedback. The user assumes all liability for the disclosure of this information to other persons, including the candidate. squares Report

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360° feedback – development through structured feedback



360° feedback – development through structured feedback

Adding value

360° feedback supports executives and managers in their professional development, as constructive feedback is a key factor in allowing managers to compare their own view of themselves with how other people see them.

With the 360° feedback system, cut-e allows you to administer and interpret multi-rater feedback processes online.



shapes360 competency model



Interactive	Operative	Intellectual	Emotional
Influence	Business development	Vision and strategy	Initiative and responsibility
Networking	Bottom-line focus	Organisational awareness	Steadiness
People management	Execution	Analysis and judgement	Self-development
People development	Systematic approach	Professional expertise	
Effective communication		Innovation	
Constructive teamwork			

Situational Judgement Questionnaire



SJQ – adding value

Quality

Highly predictive

of future

performance.



Why should you use *SJQ*?

Efficiency

Screen a high volume of candidates at an early stage of the process. Engagement

Manage candidate expectations of the role with realistic job previews. Security

cut-e's unique scoring method generates a 'scoring' key that is hard to guess. Fairness

Negligible group differences found for *SJQs*, meaning that those completing the assessment are operating on a level playing field.



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Measurment of spatial orientation

chatAssess – embedding assessment in instant messaging

chatAssess is a new customisable, psychometric communication game. This powerful situational judgement tool in the instant messaging style of WhatsApp or Facebook Messenger assesses a candidate's strengths, personality and abilities. *chatAssess* can be customised to suit any role, at any level, in any organisation.



chatAssess – adding value



What are the benefits of chatAssess?

Quality

chatAssess takes the power of a customdesigned SJQ and embeds it into a realtime instant messaging simulation.

Efficiency

chatAssess measures the strengths, personality and cognitive abilities required in any role, as well as a candidate's social skills, conscientiousness and their anility to organise themselves.

Customisation

chatAssess is fully customisable to client branding.

Engagement

The familiar format of chatAssess as an instant messenger appeals to candidates who feel comfortable using it.

playAssess

Measurment of spatial orientation

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playAssess

In the cover story, the test taker is introduced to an alien named Odd, who took over a building and settled at the top level. The candidate now has to take the elevator up to stop Odd. While doing so, he is challenged by Odd to complete several tests. Every time a test is completed, the elevator goes up a little further. After completing all tests, the candidate is rewarded by defeating Odd and sending him back to his home planet.





How does playAssess work?



playAssess – adding value



What are the benefits of *playAssess*?

Greater engagement:	A unique assessment:	Self-assessment:
<i>playAssess</i> provides a fun and	Built from randomised questions, the	Invite potential applicants to work
involving experience for a situation	presented assessment is different for	through the online assessments and
typically considered as stressful.	each candidate.	receive feedback on their results.
Additional customisation: The test battery is created based on your needs. Also some elements of the cover story can be tweaked to your needs.	No experience needed : Candidates do not need to be good at gaming to perform well in the assessment, as they are not games.	Device-independent : We have optimised <i>playAssess</i> so that it can run on all types of devices.



vidAssess – competency-based video interviewing

Adding value

vidAssess is our approach to enable competencybased video interviewing at a time when video interviewing has evolved to become an essential component in a competency-based recruitment process.

vidAssess provides a future-proofed and psychometrically-integrated recruiter and candidate experience.



effect – improving team effectiveness



effect – improving team effectiveness

Adding value

effect is a diagnostic tool based on the groundbreaking research of Professor Henning Bang of the University of Oslo in Norway.

In this research, Professor Bang identifies the key characteristics of effective management teams and the factors that influence and predict high performance.

Clear team purpose									Ø
1. All team members know what this management t	team is supposed to accompli	ish.							
			1	2	3	4 5	6	7	?
2. The management team has a shared understand	ling of its purpose.								
			1	2	3	4 5	6	7	?
3. We have agreed on a set of key deliverables from	m our management team.								
			1	2	3	4 5	6	7	?
4. All team members know which topics and issues	should be addressed by the r	management team and	those	e tha	shou	ld not.			
			1	2	3	4 5	6	7	?
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effect - management teams effectiveness questionnaire

A web-based questionnaire for assessing **how well a management team performs**, and how the team functions on a number of dimensions that are vital for becoming an effective management team.

Internal and external ratings.



Benchmarking your management team and taking action





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