

Saville Assessment Aptitude Mixed Occupational (INT, IA, 2022) Group Description

Used for:
Swift Global Aptitude (IA)

This international group consisted of 634 individuals¹, employed in a range of job functions across a wide range of industry sectors. 14% worked in sales & marketing, 10% in operations, 9% in IT & engineering, 9% in human resources, 8% in finance, 7% in consulting, 4% in hospitality, 4% in health, 3% in education and 3% in administration. The remaining 29% worked in other fields including data processing, research, customer service, design, media and transport².

The breakdown of the group is provided below (with response rates for each biographical section given in the footnotes):

Gender³

56% of the group were female, 43% were male and 1% responded with not specified.

Age⁴

The mean age of the group was 32 years.

Education (highest qualification)⁵

34% had a postgraduate degree as their highest qualification, 50% had a first/undergraduate degree, 3% had a professional qualification, 11% had school level qualifications, with the remaining 2% of the group having other or no formal qualifications.

Management Level⁶

23% of the group were at senior management level (including functional, business, group and enterprise/corporate managers), 15% were managers, 10% were supervisors or team leaders, 33% were individual contributors, with the remaining 19% listing other management responsibilities.

Work Experience⁷

24% of the group had more than 20 years' work experience, 19% had between 10 and 20 years', 12% had between 6 and 9 years', 11% had between 3 and 5 years', 13% had between 1 and 2 years', 8% had between 6 and 12 months', with the remaining 13% having had less than 6 months' work experience.

¹ Based on 2020 to 2021 completions

² Based on 81% group response

³ Based on 100% group response

⁴ Based on 93% group response

⁵ Based on 94% group response

⁶ Based on 75% group response

⁷ Based on 91% group response

Cultural Background⁸

64% of the group described themselves as White (including European, British and South American), 23% as Asian (including Indian, Chinese and Japanese), 5% as Hispanic, 2% as Black (including African, American and Caribbean), 1% as Arabic, with the remaining 5% coming from a range of other backgrounds⁹.

Country of Completion¹⁰

21% of respondents completed the aptitude test in the United States, 20% in the United Kingdom, 13% in India, 6% in France, 4% in Switzerland, 3% in Italy, 3% in Germany, 2% in Mexico, 2% in Peru and 2% in the Netherlands. The remaining 24% completed the test in various other countries including Bulgaria, Greece, Australia, Canada, China, Japan and Spain.

⁸ Based on 90% group response

⁹ Other backgrounds included mixed backgrounds, Native American and Scandinavian

¹⁰ Based on 99% group response