

Candidate: Betty Penske

Assessment: First-Line Supervisor - Office and Administrative Support

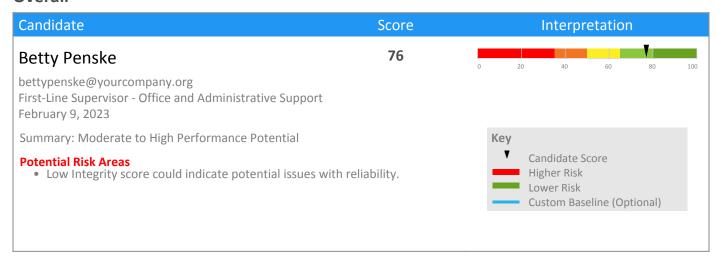
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# **Test Results and Interview Guide**

The First-Line Supervisor - Office and Administrative Support assessment measures key factors related to high performance and tenure in this job. Attribute types measured vary by test, but can include cognitive ability, skills, knowledge, personality characteristics, emotional intelligence, and past behavioral history. This report includes a one page summary, followed by detailed results with an embedded interview guide. Note that these results should always be used as a part of a balanced candidate selection process that includes independent evaluation steps, such as interviews and reference checks.

#### **Overall**



## **Competency Summary**





## Comparison

Percentile scores indicate how the candidate compares to other test-takers within various groups. The candidate scored equal to or better than the fraction of test-takers indicated by the percentile.

Test-Taker Group	Percentile	0	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100
Global	76th									l į	i	
United States	63rd								1	I I	 	
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#### **Assessment Overview**

This assessment provides scores for a number of important factors and competencies that are related to success on the job. Scores are presented based on their potential impact on job performance.

Scores are presented individually on a scale of 0-100. In most cases, including the overall score, higher scores represent higher expected job performance. However, for some competencies, either extreme low or extreme high scores indicate a risk of lower performance. Refer to the interpretation section of each competency for additional information.

Individual competency scores are also combined into a single overall score. Please note that individual competencies are weighted differently, depending on their type, and on fine adjustments based on data from the US Government's Occupational Data Network (O\*Net).

Each competency measured includes one or more suggested interview questions, in an easy-to-use format. These questions should be used for additional probing, especially when the score shows an area of relative weakness.

Some of the competencies measured evaluate preferences for doing (or not doing) specific activities. Scores for these competencies can be used to evaluate job-fit.

We wish to emphasize that the data contained in this report should be used as part of a comprehensive process for evaluating job candidates. Additional data should include in-person interviews, job tryouts, resume review, and background checks.

#### Detail

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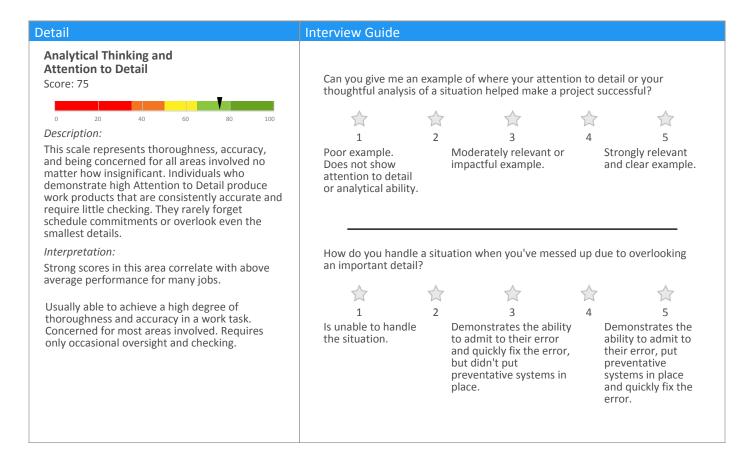
Overall Score: 76

## **Cognitive Abilities Detail**

This section contains a list of job-related cognitive abilities that have been evaluated in a job-like context using HR Avatar's simulation technology. Studies have demonstrated that cognitive abilities are highly correlated with job performance for many jobs. Abilities also correlate with problem-solving and the ability to learn quickly.

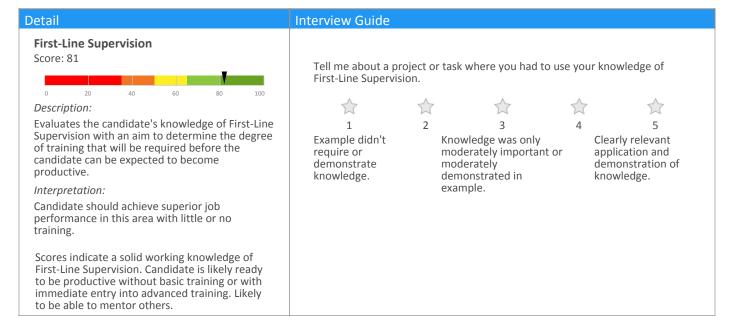
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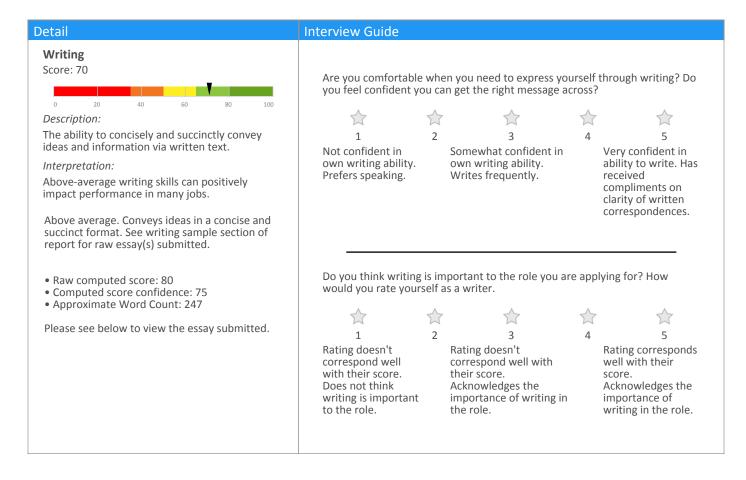


## **Knowledge and Skills Detail**

This section contains a list of job-related knowledge areas and skills that have been evaluated. Low scores in these areas often indicate that additional learning may be required before top performance can be achieved.







## **Personality Characteristics Detail**

This section contains a list of personality characteristics that are frequently associated with job performance. Remember, these are not skills and do not indicate the ability to do a job. Rather, they can be used to evaluate the candidate's fit with the general needs of the job and the organizational culture. Sample interview questions are provided to gather more information.

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### Detail

#### **Adaptability**

Description:

Score: 95



This scale reflects how accepting a person is of frequent or substantial changes in his or her job requirements. Changing work requirements usually cause stress and put pressure on an individual to adapt. High scorers usually thrive under changing work conditions, while low scorers may burn out or become paralyzed. In more stable job circumstances, high scorers may become bored, while low scorers would remain satisfied.

#### Interpretation:

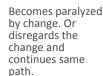
The candidate's score in this area should contribute to enhanced overall job performance.

Thrives on change. Sees self as very flexible and easy-going. However, he or she may often be perceived as disinterested, unmotivated, or too easy-going in times of upheaval.

#### **Interview Guide**

Would you rather work in a job where the work is predictable or one where activities are constantly changing? Why?







Ambivalent to change. Has sound reasoning for falling in the middle.

3



Comfortable with change, though feels some stress or anxiety. Usually able to stay focused.

5

How do you feel when things change at work? How do you cope?



Candidate gets frustrated and doesn't have an effective way to cope.



3
Candidate recognizes that they struggle and has one effective way to cope.



Candidate thrives when things change and has multiple ways to cope.

#### Drive

Score: 63



### Description:

This scale reflects the degree to which an individual will work hard to achieve goals and solve critical problems in the organization. High scores on this scale indicate a person will be diligent in their work and use all necessary sources to solve problems. Low scores on this scale indicate a person may be unenthusiastic about work and may struggle with complex tasks and challenges.

#### Interpretation:

The candidate's score in this area indicates neither a positive nor a negative impact on performance.

Motivated by moderately challenging goals, financial rewards, and meeting expectations, but may not be motivated by stretch goals or other highly challenging goals. Willing to work moderately hard to succeed.

Tell me about a time when you went above and beyond the call of duty to achieve a difficult goal or challenge. What motivated you to put forth the extra effort?



1

Poor or weak example. No real extra effort.



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Moderate example. Some extra effort evident.



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Strong example. Clearly applied extra effort. Well organized in approach.

What would you say were some of the most difficult challenges about your last job? How were you able to cope with those challenges?



1

Description of challenge and how they cope shows that they struggle with complex tasks.



Describes a reasonable challenge. Shows ability to cope but doesn't demonstrate diligence.

3



Describes a reasonable challenge.
Demonstrates effective coping skills that address using multiple resources to solve the challenge.

5



## Detail

## Integrity

Score: 10

Description:



This scale reflects the degree to which an individual acts positively towards the organization, avoids unnecessary risk, and, this scale indicate a person will act in the

simply put, does the right thing. High scores on organization's best interest, follow the rules, and work hard under limited supervision. Low scores on this scale indicate a person may engage in risk-taking behaviors, work to undermine the organization, and only do the bare minimum.

#### Interpretation:

The candidate's score in this area indicates risk of a negative impact on performance for some jobs. Additional probing is strongly recommended.

Distrusts the organization and management. Frequently assumes new ideas or changes will have a negative individual impact. Can be defensive regarding his or her own work, or show hostility towards management or company policies. May take unnecessary risks on the job.

#### **Interview Guide**

What is more important: doing things right or meeting time commitments? Why?











Shows willingness to cut corners. Would require heavy quality assurance.

Some balance between quality and speed. Would require moderate quality assurance.

Clear emphasis on doing things correctly the first time.

What kind of circumstance(s) would justify breaking an organizational rule?











Answer shows that they are not concerned about ethics or organizational values/rules.

Answer explains only situational circumstances but the ethics are questionable and could pose a threat to the organization.

Answer explains only situational circumstances that fall under general ethical concerns and are of no threat to the organization. (OR) Explains that there are no circumstances.

#### **Leader Mindset**

Score: 66



#### Description:

Individuals scoring highly in Leadership Mindset want to be in charge. They confidently take responsibility for their team and expect to be held accountable for results. They understand the importance of trust in both directions and they delegate appropriately. They also know how to motivate individuals to contribute unselfishly to group goals.

#### Interpretation:

The candidate's score in this area should contribute to enhanced overall job performance.

Generally prefers to be in charge. Feels that others usually accept their leadership. Has an above average degree of confidence in his or her own leadership ability.

Do you see yourself as a leader or a follower? Which to you prefer and why?



Prefers to be a

follower.













No clear preference. Has a solid argument for both.

Prefers to be a leader whenever possible.

Tell me about a time when you had to take charge in order to reach a goal or objective. How did it go? How did you like it?



1

Is unable to describe a time they took charge.



3 Explains a time they took charge and reached the goal, but their enjoyment and confidence was questionable.



5 Is able to confidently

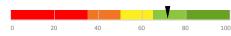
describe a time they took charge, they were able to reach the goal, and they enjoyed it.



#### Detail

## Maintaining Awareness of Team Member Needs

Score: 71



#### Description:

This scale reflects the degree to which an individual senses the needs of team members and sees things from their point of view. High scores on this scale indicate that the individual will likely be very effective at demonstrating to team members that they understand and care about them. This leads to significantly improved loyalty, much stronger work relationships, and noticeably reduced levels of conflict in the workplace.

#### Interpretation:

The candidate's score in this area should contribute to enhanced overall job performance.

Demonstrates ability to sense the needs of team members and see things from their point of view. Likely to be effective at demonstrating to team members that they understand and care about them, resulting in improved loyalty, stronger work relationships, and reduced levels of conflict in the workplace.

#### **Interview Guide**

How do you manage multiple people's needs?



Does not show they are capable of managing multiple people's needs.



No clear preference. Has a solid argument for both.

3



Recognizes that it will be challenging but has a clear and effective way of managing all of their team members' needs.

5

Tell me about a time when you had difficulties understanding the needs of a team you were working with. Why do you think it was difficult?



They place blame on their team and/or don't show they have learned from the incident.



They recognize that they weren't able to see their team's point of view at first. They now have ways to learn from it.

3



They have learned from the incident and can clearly express possible reasons.

## Managing Resources & Balancing Priorities

Score: 72



#### Description:

Evaluates a candidate's ability to not only manage resources provided but to balance priorities within a team. High scores on this scale indicate that the individual will likely fulfill goals in a timely manner, have the ability to say "no" when it is appropriate, and be able to determine which demands are important. Low scores on this scale indicate that the individual will likely feel overwhelmed, overcommit, and not give priority to demands that need the most attention.

#### Interpretation:

The candidate's score in this area should contribute to enhanced overall job performance.

Above-average scores in the scale indicate that the candidate has the ability to fulfill goals in a timely manor, say "no" when it is appropriate, and determine which demands are important. This usually means the candidate is likely to give priority to demands that need the most attention and will not likely feel overwhelmed or over-commit.

Can you provide an example of when your ability to balance priorities within a team helped make a project successful?



1

Poor example. Does not show ability to balance priorities within a team.



2

Moderately relevant or impactful example.



4

Strongly relevant and clear example.

How do you handle an overwhelming situation due to over-committing yourself or your team?



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Is unable to handle the situation.



Demonstrates the ability to admit to and quickly fix their error but didn't put preventative systems in place.

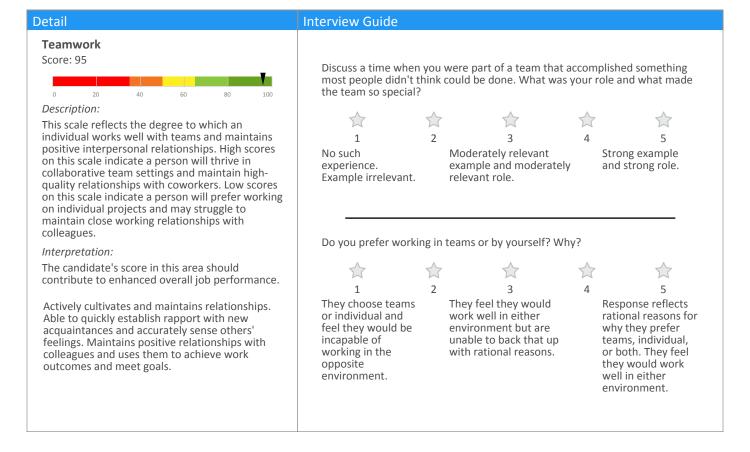


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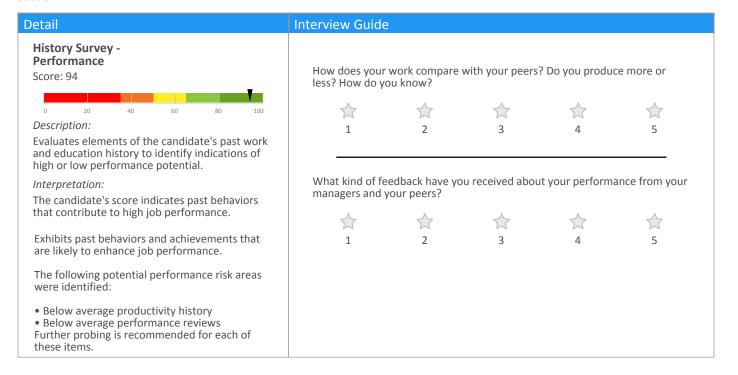
Demonstrates the ability to admit to their error, put preventative systems in place, and quickly fix the error.





## **Behavioral History Detail**

This section evaluates answers the candidate gave concerning his or her work-related history. Studies often show that a candidate's past behavior often indicates his or her future behavior. Potential caution areas (if any) are specified in each detail section.

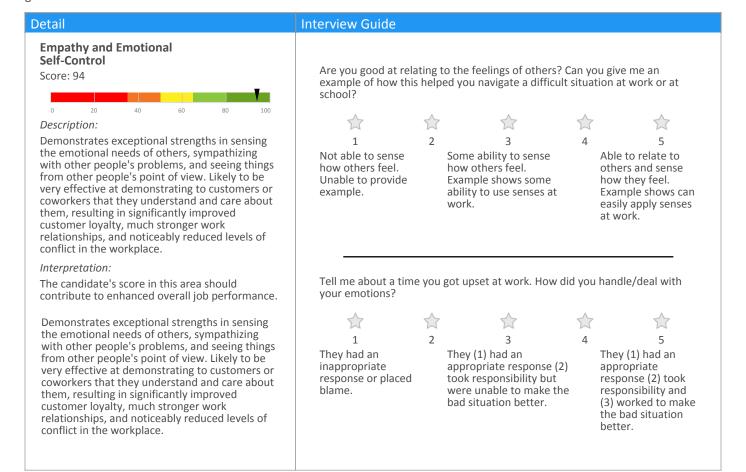




#### **Interview Guide** Detail **History Survey - Tenure** Score: 79 Review your last few jobs with me, explaining why you left the old job and what attracted you to the new one. 20 Description: Evaluates a candidate's past employment history and related factors for indications of potentially low job tenure. Interpretation: What is the longest distance you have had to commute to work? What did The candidate's score indicates past behaviors you do during the commute? How long did you keep that job? that contribute to above average job performance. Exhibits behaviors likely to result in slightly longer than average job tenure. The following potential performance risk areas were identified: • Frequent job changes Potential long commute Further probing is recommended for each of these items.

## **Emotional Intelligence Detail**

This section contains a list of emotional intelligence characteristics that indicate how tuned in a candidate is to his or her own emotions, and those of others, as well as the candidate's ability to control his or her behavior in light of the emotions he or she is experiencing. These traits can often impact performance in groups or teams. Sample interview questions are provided to gather more information.





## Writing Sample(s)

During the assessment, the candidate was asked to write one or more passages. The text they wrote is included in the table below for review.

Writing Sample - Question	Response
Please write an essay describing the HR Avatar essay feature.	This is a sample essay. In a real test situation, the candidate or test taker would write an essay as a part of their assessment, in response to the question associated with this entry. All reports will share their writing as received. In some cases, our artificial intelligence engine will process their response to create a numerical score. Our system also checks for plagiarism, both among previously submitted essays, and the broader Internet. Additionally, spelling, grammar, and style checks are performed.
	Essay typically are from 150 to 600 words. They can be written in response to an explicit question, or they can be free-form responses to general questions.



## **Identity Confirmation Photos**

The following photos of the candidate and any identification were uploaded during the assessment session.

Photo Analysis Results						
- Risk:	Medium risk of cheating based on image inconsistencies					
- Percent match among processed faces	100%					
- Total images processed	17					
- Total images with valid faces	14 (82%)					
- Total pairs of faces compared	13					
- Pairs in which faces matched	13 (100%)					









Pre/Post-Test Photo

ID Photo

In-Test Error Detected (No Face Detected)

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In-Test Photo



In-Test Photo



In-Test Photo







Pre/Post-Test Photo



## **Top Job Title Matches**

The candidate also completed an interest/experience survey. The results from this survey were used in conjunction with the competency scores in this assessment to generate a report of jobs that best match this candidate's unique blend of abilities, interests, education, and experience. The results are summarized in the table below. These results were used to prepare a separate report that was sent to the candidate.

Rank	Job Title	Interests Match	Competencies Match	Education and Experience Match	Overall Match
1	First-Line Supervisors of Non-Retail Sales Worker	72%	86%	99%	Strong
2	First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairer	69%	83%	71%	Medium
3	First-Line Supervisors of Helpers, Laborers, and Material Movers, Hand	69%	83%	72%	Medium
4	First-Line Supervisors of Housekeeping and Janitorial Worker	67%	86%	72%	Medium
5	First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Worker	67%	83%	72%	Medium
6	First-Line Supervisors of Material- Moving Machine and Vehicle Operator	69%	88%	58%	Medium
7	First-Line Supervisors of Construction Trades and Extraction Worker	69%	86%	59%	Medium
8	Administrative Services Manager	68%	82%	69%	Medium

## Minimum Qualification Guidelines - from O\*Net

The following are suggestions from O\*Net, the United States government's occupational information network, regarding prerequisites for this job type.

Item	
Educational Achievement	Bachelor's Degree
Job-Related Training	6 Months - 1 Year
Job-Related Experience	1 - 2 Years



## **Report Preparation Notes**

- Hiring decisions should never be based on a single source of information. The most effective use of this assessment report is as a part of a multi-faceted program of candidate evaluation that includes resume review, interviews, and reference checks.
- Overall vs Percentiles Scores: The overall score reflects the success in the test, based on the mean (average) and standard deviation of the test scores. The percentile score reflects the percentage of test-takers who scored equal or below this overall score. We recommend you use the Overall Score as your primary evaluation criteria. However, percentile scores can often be useful in comparing specific candidates against one another and with a group, such as for test takers in a certain organization or within a certain account.
- Note that comparison information is calculated based on completed instances of this assessment at that time the
  assessment is scored. As additional instances are completed, the comparative data may change. You can always update a
  report to the current values by clicking on "Recalculate Percentiles" within the online results viewing pages at
  www.hravatar.com.
- Most competency scores are norm-based, which means that they can be interpreted in terms of their distance from the average or mean score. For all scales, a score equal to the mean receives a score of 65 and scores above and below this value are set so that a score change of 15 equals one standard deviation.
- For linear competencies, higher is better across the entire scale. For these scales a score between 65 and 80 (light green) represents 0 to 1 standard deviation above the mean and a score above 80 (dark green) represents more than one standard deviation above the mean. Similarly, a score of 50 65 (yellow) represents 0 to 1 standard deviation below the mean, while a score of 35 50 (orange) equates to 1 to 2 standard deviations below the mean, and a score below 35 represents more than 2 standard deviations below the mean.
- This assessment makes use of data from the Occupational Information Network (O\*NET), which is funded by the U.S. Federal Government U.S. Department of Labor/Employment and Training Administration (USDOL/ETA) as a primary source of occupational information. The O\*NET database contains information on hundreds of standardized and occupation-specific descriptors that are continually updated by ongoing research. These data are used in preparing descriptive information as well as setting relative weights between competencies used in calculating the overall score. For additional information about O\*NET, visit http://www.onetcenter.org.
- O\*Net Standard Occupational Code (SOC) Used: 43-1011.00
- O\*Net Version: 26.3
- Sim ID: 7941-8, Key: 0-0, Rpt: 13, Prd: 2993, Created: 2023-02-09 06:17 UTC
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#### **Score Calculation Detail**

The following table provides a summary of how the overall score was calculated from the individual competency scores. Competency scores are calculated on a 0-100 scale by first calculating a Z statistic based on test-taker responses and then transforming the Z value to a scale with target mean and standard deviation. Certain competencies have a normal score distribution where it is best to be closest to the mean. For these competencies we modify the Z statistic by multiplying its absolute value by minus 1 for the overall score calculation. Next, to calculate the overall score, a weighted average of all modified competency Z statistics is computed and this weighted average is itself transformed to a Z statistic, which is then transformed to a score with the same target mean and standard deviation. Finally outlier scores are adjusted if they are below 0 or above 100.

Competency	Score	How applied to overall	Score Value Used	Weight (%)
Adaptability	95.9232	Z-Statistic	2.0615	3.0262
Analytical Thinking and Attention to Detail	75.2120	Z-Statistic	0.6808	34.0723
Drive	63.4939	Z-Statistic	-0.1004	3.0621
Empathy and Emotional Self-Control	94.3646	Z-Statistic	1.9576	6.5681
First-Line Supervision	81.8096	Z-Statistic	1.1206	13.1363
History Survey - Performance	94.0654	Z-Statistic	1.9377	6.5681
History Survey - Tenure	79.6056	Z-Statistic	0.9737	6.5681
Integrity	10.0000	Z-Statistic	-3.6667	3.1340
Leader Mindset	66.3725	Z-Statistic	0.0915	3.0262
Maintaining Awareness of Team Member Needs	71.6599	Z-Statistic	0.4440	3.0262
Managing Resources & Balancing Priorities	72.1657	Z-Statistic	0.4777	3.0262
Teamwork	95.6361	Z-Statistic	2.0424	2.9634
Writing	70.9989	Z-Statistic	0.3999	11.8227
Weighted Average of Cor		0.7818		
Mean applied to Raw We		0.0000		
Standard Deviation appli		1.0000		
Normalized Raw Score:		0.7818		
Mean:		65.0000		
Standard Deviation Used		15.0000		
Final Overall Score:		76.7277		



## **Notes**

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