# Your CliftonStrengths 34 Results

You are uniquely powerful. Your distinct CliftonStrengths 34 profile sets you apart from everyone else. This is your talent DNA, shown in rank order based on your responses to the assessment.

Use this report to make the most of your strongest CliftonStrengths themes, navigate the rest and maximize your infinite potential:

- Read and reflect on your results to understand what you naturally do best.
- Learn how to apply your strongest CliftonStrengths every day.
- Share your results with others to create stronger relationships and improve teamwork.

#### STRENGTHEN

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- 2. Strategic
- 3. Individualization
- 4. Activator
- 5. Communication
- 6. Arranger
- 7. Relator
- 8. Learner
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#### NAVIGATE

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- 12. Significance
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**EXECUTING** themes help you make things happen.

**INFLUENCING** themes help you take charge, speak up and make sure others are heard.

RELATIONSHIP BUILDING themes help you build strong relationships that hold a team together.

STRATEGIC THINKING themes help you absorb and analyze information that informs better decisions.

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# Unleash Your Infinite Potential: Your Strongest CliftonStrengths



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The CliftonStrengths at the top of your profile are the most powerful.

These themes represent how you are uniquely talented. They are the starting point for living your strongest life possible.

#### Develop these CliftonStrengths to maximize your potential

Your greatest chance to succeed — at work or anywhere else — lies in strengthening what you naturally do best and doing more of it.

#### Start with your top five.

They are your most powerful natural talents.

- 1. Read everything about your top CliftonStrengths. To make the most of your talents, you first need to understand them and how to describe them to others.
- 2. **Reflect on who you are.** Think about your experiences, your motivations and how you see yourself. Then, consider how your CliftonStrengths shape you: what you do, how you do it and why.
- 3. Use these CliftonStrengths every day. Start with the suggestions in this report for applying your most powerful CliftonStrengths.
- 4. Watch out for blind spots. Sometimes how you exhibit your strongest CliftonStrengths can cause unintended negative misperceptions. Read the "What Is a Weakness?" section to learn more about preventing your strongest CliftonStrengths from getting in your way.

#### Then focus on your CliftonStrengths 6-10.

Apply the same strategies to make the most of your next five CliftonStrengths. You will excel and become the absolute best version of yourself when you take a strengths-based approach to your life. Do more of what you do best, and you'll feel more engaged, empowered and energized.

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# 1. Achiever

#### HOW YOU CAN THRIVE

You work hard and possess a great deal of stamina. You take immense satisfaction in being busy and productive.

#### WHY YOUR ACHIEVER IS UNIQUE

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Because of your strengths, you can sometimes concentrate for hours at a time, especially to deepen your understanding or generate unique ideas by examining new information. The zest this adds to your life may explain why you are determined to acquire additional knowledge or skills at each opportunity.

Instinctively, you might read certain books, journals, files, correspondence, or Internet sites to prepare yourself for new assignments. Once in a while, you gather specific information, facts, data, or insiders' perspectives about an upcoming project. This newfound knowledge might lessen your trepidation — that is, anxiety and fear — about doing something for the first time.

Driven by your talents, you may be inclined to look over your own or others' work more than once. Sometimes you need to verify that the basic building blocks are in the right place. Perhaps knowing that everything has been done properly makes it a little easier for you to let go of one assignment and begin your next project.

It's very likely that you dedicate yourself to practicing your craft and expanding your knowledge base. Becoming highly proficient is a priority for you. You likely have established a reputation for being very well-informed, well-practiced, and well-prepared. You typically have great difficulty working with individuals who wing it — that is, do the best they can without studying or planning.

Chances are good that you ordinarily take time and exert extra effort to comprehend what you are reading. You probably refuse to rush through written material. Why? You likely intend to commit to memory as many facts and concepts as possible.

#### WHY YOU SUCCEED USING ACHIEVER

You love to complete tasks, and your accomplishments fulfill you. You have a strong inner drive — an innate source of intensity, energy and power that motivates you to work hard to get things done.

#### TAKE ACTION TO MAXIMIZE YOUR POTENTIAL

Bring intensity and effort to the most important areas of your life.

- Set challenging goals. Take advantage of your self-motivation with a more ambitious goal every time you finish a project.
- Take time to celebrate each success before moving on to your next item or task, even for just a few minutes.
- Limit your commitments to projects or assignments that align with your highest priorities as much as you can.
- Be sure to take regular breaks, even though you might be naturally equipped to work harder and longer than others.
- Make sure your to-do lists include tasks and responsibilities beyond work.

- You might get frustrated when others don't work as hard as you do, and they might see you as too demanding. Remember that not everyone has the same high expectations for themselves or is driven to work as hard as you are.
- Your pressing need to get things done might cause you to take on projects or agree to deadlines before you know everything that's involved. Before you commit to something, make sure you have the time and resources you need to do it right.

STRATEGIC THINKING

# 2. Strategic

#### HOW YOU CAN THRIVE

You create alternative ways to proceed. Faced with any given scenario, you can quickly spot the relevant patterns and issues.

#### WHY YOUR STRATEGIC IS UNIQUE

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Because of your strengths, you may be inclined to examine the basic elements of certain types of problems. You might attempt to understand how and why things work or fail to work. These insights might stimulate your thinking. Then you try to generate a few alternative plans. Considering prevailing circumstances, available resources, and time constraints, you might narrow down your options. Perhaps the plan that offers the best chance of solving the problem naturally reveals itself.

By nature, you may have little difficulty finding the right words to express your ideas on specific topics. Perhaps you are comfortable talking about ways to make certain people or things better.

Instinctively, you analyze the lessons of the past to find clues for handling future situations. Piecing together the causes and effects of historical events allows you to discover alternate routes to your goal. You are seldom taken by surprise. Why? You probably have studied your options and crafted innovative solutions.

It's very likely that you have acquired valuable skills and knowledge. You spend time considering numerous courses of action before choosing one. You invent original and innovative techniques for dealing with expected and unexpected challenges. You use the same approach to take advantage of promising opportunities.

Driven by your talents, you may see solutions before other people know there is a problem. You might start formulating answers before your teammates, coworkers, or classmates understand the question. Sometimes you generate numerous ideas before sorting to the one that makes the most sense in a particular situation.

#### WHY YOU SUCCEED USING STRATEGIC

You quickly weigh alternative paths and determine the best one. Your natural ability to anticipate, play out different scenarios and plan ahead makes you an agile decision-maker.

#### TAKE ACTION TO MAXIMIZE YOUR POTENTIAL

Always have at least three options in mind so you can adapt if circumstances change.

- Strengthen the groups you belong to by using your talent to discover the best path to success. Because you can do this quickly, it may look as if you are "winging it," so explain yourself along the way to help others understand what you see.
- Schedule time each day to think about your goals and strategies. Time alone might be the best way for you to evaluate all your options and to find the right course of action for each goal.
- Trust your insights. Because you consider options so naturally and easily, you might not realize how you came up with a strategy. But because of your exceptional talents, it will likely be successful.
- Find a group that does important work, and contribute your strategic thinking. Your ideas and expert planning can make you a strong leader in any group.
- Be prepared to explain your thought process; sometimes people can misinterpret your Strategic talents as criticism of their ideas. Help them understand that, instead, you are considering what is already working well and what others have already done.

- When working with others, sometimes they may misinterpret your strong Strategic talents as criticism. Be mindful of what is already working well and what others have accomplished.
- Because you evaluate patterns and pathways so quickly, others might find it difficult to follow or understand your thought process. Be aware that sometimes, you might have to backtrack to explain how you got to where you are.



RELATIONSHIP BUILDING

# 3. Individualization

#### HOW YOU CAN THRIVE

You are intrigued with the unique qualities of each person. You have a gift for figuring out how different people can work together productively.

#### WHY YOUR INDIVIDUALIZATION IS UNIQUE

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Instinctively, you gain a certain degree of satisfaction when you can be of some service to others.

Because of your strengths, you might identify situations where you can assist people by using your talents. To some degree, you want to concentrate on doing what you do well. Perhaps this is your pathway to success.

Driven by your talents, you may help people see the opportunities and possibilities that await them in the coming months, years, or decades.

It's very likely that you enjoy working and studying with people whose backgrounds, cultures, talents, or experiences are quite different from one another. You usually are the one who determines how each individual can contribute to the group.

By nature, you may identify the specific traits or experiences that distinguish one person from the next. When you familiarize yourself with someone, you might be able to predict how the person will react in different situations.

#### WHY YOU SUCCEED USING INDIVIDUALIZATION

You notice and appreciate each person's unique characteristics, and you don't treat everyone the same. Because you can see what makes each individual unique, you know how to bring out their best.

#### TAKE ACTION TO MAXIMIZE YOUR POTENTIAL

Appreciate the uniqueness in each person you meet.

- Become an expert at describing your own strengths and style. What is the best praise you ever received? What is your best method for building relationships? How do you learn best?
- Ask your coworkers and friends these same questions. Help them create a future based on their strengths and what they do best.
- See the talents in others, and encourage them to follow their dreams. Help individuals understand and maximize the power of their talents.
- Study successful people to discover the uniqueness that made them successful.
- Help your coworkers and friends become more aware of each person's unique motivations and needs.

- You often know more about others than they know about you, and when people don't
  naturally show awareness of your likes, dislikes, motivations and needs, this may disappoint
  you. Recognize that you will need to share your preferences with people, and don't assume
  they will instinctively know.
- Your natural impulse is to put individual needs and goals ahead of what is best for the group. To prevent the appearance of favoritism and bias, acknowledge that sometimes you will need to adjust your style for the greater good.

INFLUENCING

## 4. Activator

#### HOW YOU CAN THRIVE

You can make things happen by turning thoughts into action. You want to do things now, rather than simply talk about them.

#### WHY YOUR ACTIVATOR IS UNIQUE

These personalized Strengths Insights are specific to your CliftonStrengths results.

Chances are good that you characteristically generate enthusiasm. You contend anything is possible. Your optimistic outlook helps people believe in their potential. You encourage individuals to forge ahead quickly. You challenge others to view major and minor assignments as opportunities to excel.

Instinctively, you strive to energize people. You are determined to generate a lot of enthusiasm around various projects, events, or activities.

Driven by your talents, you occasionally feel comfortable telling certain individuals stories about your personal habits, qualities, experiences, or background. Your forthcoming nature might enable some people to share their thoughts and feelings with you.

By nature, you may influence some of your friends to make things happen quickly. Sometimes you create enthusiasm in others by championing a particular project, rule, process, activity, or idea.

Because of your strengths, you rely on your upbeat attitude to help people feel enthusiastic about life. You regularly direct their attention to what is good, beautiful, delightful, right, or possible. Others usually notice it is difficult to feel downcast — that is, in low spirits or dejected — when in your presence.

#### WHY YOU SUCCEED USING ACTIVATOR

You are a catalyst. You naturally know how to turn ideas into action, and you make things happen. Your energy can be contagious and engaging.

#### TAKE ACTION TO MAXIMIZE YOUR POTENTIAL

Be the catalyst. When others are stuck, make a decision and get going.

- Record your insights or revelations when you have them so you can act on them later.
- Take responsibility for your intensity. Your drive to make things happen can be the push that people and groups need to move from discussion to action.
- Put yourself in situations where you can make things happen. Your energy and tempo will engage you and the people you work with.
- Take on the role of asking for action items in meetings. Be the one who forces the group to commit to next steps before the meeting is over.
- Find work that allows you to make your own decisions and act on them. In particular, look for startup or turnaround opportunities.

- Sometimes you might charge ahead and act without a solid plan. Before making a major decision, think about challenging yourself to consider alternatives and weigh options first.
- The force of your urging people to take action might make them feel overwhelmed and pressured to act before they are comfortable. Remember that others may not feel that same urgency, and some people will need more time to think before they act.

INFLUENCING

# 5. Communication

#### HOW YOU CAN THRIVE

You generally find it easy to put your thoughts into words. You are a good conversationalist and presenter.

#### WHY YOUR COMMUNICATION IS UNIQUE

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Instinctively, you occasionally select assignments where you can toil by yourself. You likely refrain from talking about what you are doing until you finish it. Afterward, you might feel comfortable sharing some ideas, stories, or examples of your own progress with other members of the group.

It's very likely that you periodically regale people with funny anecdotes, timely jokes, witty comments, or whimsical ideas. Maybe amusing others brings you pleasure — especially when you make them laugh out loud.

Chances are good that you sometimes enjoy surrounding yourself with companions rather than being alone.

By nature, you periodically gravitate toward reading groups that converse about a particular author, book, or printed materials on a given topic. Prior to the session, you might gather some interesting facts from the assigned reading. By storing bits and pieces of information in your mind, you might increase your chances of recalling a specific insight you want to share with the other participants.

Driven by your talents, you are loquacious — that is, fond of talking. You gain people's attention by sharing news and passing along information. You are apt to tell elaborate stories about your personal adventures or professional experiences. Your stories can illustrate abstract ideas, theories, or concepts. They can serve as examples of what to do and what not to do. Regardless of their intended purpose, your tales generally amuse and entertain listeners.

#### WHY YOU SUCCEED USING COMMUNICATION

You are good at capturing people's attention by what you say and how you say it. Your ability to find words for your own and others' thoughts and feelings highlights important messages and helps you make meaningful connections.

#### TAKE ACTION TO MAXIMIZE YOUR POTENTIAL

Use your gift for stimulating conversation to connect with and inspire others.

- Monitor your audience. Carefully watch how they react to what you say and what engages them. Identify the words and phrases that caught their attention. Refine your upcoming presentations, conversations and speeches to focus on these highlights.
- Keep getting smarter about the words you use. They are a critical currency for you. Spend them wisely, and monitor their impact.
- Take your Communication talents to the level of strength by developing your knowledge and expertise in specific areas. You can be highly effective and influential when your message has substance.
- Keep your best stories top of mind, and practice telling them so you get better each time. You excel at capturing people's attention.
- Use your talents to build consensus among your peers. Get them talking, and help them put their ideas or feelings into words.

- Because you are naturally verbal and instinctively share your thoughts, you may not realize when you are monopolizing a discussion. Try to be mindful of when other people have something to say, and consider pausing so they can say it.
- Remember that your words are not always enough to motivate others. Take time to listen and pay attention to what others are saying and not saying.

#### EXECUTING

# 6. Arranger

#### HOW YOU CAN THRIVE

You can organize, but you also have a flexibility that complements this ability. You like to determine how all of the pieces and resources can be arranged for maximum productivity.

#### WHY YOU SUCCEED USING ARRANGER

You have a natural ability to coordinate people and resources for maximum effectiveness. Your creative flexibility in complex situations leads to greater efficiency.

#### TAKE ACTION TO MAXIMIZE YOUR POTENTIAL

Improve effectiveness and efficiency by reorganizing resources.

- Volunteer your talent to organize. You enjoy being part of a team, and you can keep a group project moving toward its goal when you make suggestions for improving your work environment.
- Look for opportunities where you can multitask. Because of your expertise at juggling schedules and people, you will enjoy managing all the moving parts.
- Explain to others that your flexibility doesn't mean your priorities are constantly changing. You are simply looking for better ways to implement them.

- Your tendency to continually reorganize tasks, projects and people might confuse others. Take time to explain your approach and how it can work better.
- People with dominant Arranger talents tend to claim responsibility for and take personal ownership of projects, processes and people. Be aware that when you assume control without asking, you might irritate others or discourage them from taking responsibility.



**RELATIONSHIP BUILDING** 



#### HOW YOU CAN THRIVE

You enjoy close relationships with others. You find deep satisfaction in working hard with friends to achieve a goal.

#### WHY YOU SUCCEED USING RELATOR

You naturally form genuine and mutually rewarding one-on-one relationships. Your authenticity allows you to build close, long-lasting connections that foster trust and confidence.

#### TAKE ACTION TO MAXIMIZE YOUR POTENTIAL

Connect deeply with the right people to gain friends for life.

- Try to get one-on-one time with people, rather than attempting to connect with them in a group. This will help you build the deeper and trusting relationships you value most.
- Stay in contact with your friends, no matter how busy you are. Your closest relationships energize you.
- Make sure people know that you are more interested in their character and personality than in their status or job title. You might serve as a model for others.

- Because Relators typically do not trust others implicitly and people have to earn your trust over time, some may think you are hard to get to know. Be aware of this perception with new people you meet as well as with the people you see every day.
- Your tendency to spend more time with the people you know best might give the impression that you are exclusive or unfriendly to those outside your inner circle. Consider that you might be missing out on the benefits of widening the circle and getting to know more people.



STRATEGIC THINKING



#### HOW YOU CAN THRIVE

You have a great desire to learn and want to continuously improve. The process of learning, rather than the outcome, excites you.

#### WHY YOU SUCCEED USING LEARNER

You love to learn, and you intuitively know how you learn best. Your natural ability to pick up and absorb information quickly and to challenge yourself to continually learn more keeps you on the cutting edge.

#### TAKE ACTION TO MAXIMIZE YOUR POTENTIAL

Use your passion for learning to add value to your own and others' lives.

- Become an early adopter of new technology, and keep your coworkers, friends and family informed. You learn quickly, and others will appreciate when you share and explain cutting-edge developments to them.
- Respect your desire to learn. Take advantage of educational opportunities in your community or at work. Discipline yourself to sign up for at least one new course or class each year.
- Find opportunities to expand your knowledge. Take on increasingly difficult topics, courses or projects. You love the challenge of a steep learning curve, so beware of learning plateaus.

- You place a high value on learning and studying, and you may tend to impose this value on others. Be sure to respect others' motivations, and resist pushing them toward learning for learning's sake.
- You love the process of learning so much that the outcome might not matter to you. Be careful not to let the process of knowledge acquisition get in the way of your results and productivity.

INFLUENCING

# 9. Self-Assurance

#### HOW YOU CAN THRIVE

You feel confident in your ability to take risks and manage your own life. You have an inner compass that gives you certainty in your decisions.

#### WHY YOU SUCCEED USING SELF-ASSURANCE

You trust your instincts, so you forge ahead confidently, even on risky paths. Because of your certainty, persuasiveness and ability to make decisions easily, you lead the way for others.

#### TAKE ACTION TO MAXIMIZE YOUR POTENTIAL

Trust your gut, and live life on your own terms.

- Trust your instincts, but always gather enough input from other sources to ensure you make well-informed decisions.
- Look for startup opportunities. You are comfortable working without a rulebook, and you are at your best when you have to make many decisions.
- Bring your confidence to areas of uncertainty where others are stuck. Your decisiveness and calm certainty in the midst of chaos can create comfort and security.

- Your confidence in your ability to make the right decisions might make you feel like you don't need to consult anyone else. But no one is right all the time, so consider asking others for their input; they might even validate your hunches.
- Because you usually sound like you know what you're talking about whether you do or not others might be nervous about questioning you. Be careful not to alienate or intimidate others with your confidence.



#### **RELATIONSHIP BUILDING**

## 10. Connectedness

#### HOW YOU CAN THRIVE

You have faith in the links among all things. You believe there are few coincidences and that almost every event has meaning.

#### WHY YOU SUCCEED USING CONNECTEDNESS

You build bridges between people and groups. You help others find meaning by looking at the bigger picture of the world around them, and you give them a sense of comfort and stability in the face of uncertainty.

#### TAKE ACTION TO MAXIMIZE YOUR POTENTIAL

Help others see connections and purpose in everyday life.

- Use your sense of connection to build the foundation for strong relationships. When you meet new people, ask them questions to find common ground and shared interests that you can use as a starting point.
- Consider roles in which you listen to and counsel others. You could become an expert at helping people see connections and purpose in everyday occurrences.
- Help those around you cope with unpredictable and unexplainable events. Your perspective will bring them comfort.

- You may react more calmly and passively to others' bad news, frustrations or concerns than they would like. Be aware that people sometimes need to vent and will want you to validate their feelings more than they want a philosophical response.
- Some may perceive you as naïve or idealistic because turmoil and upheaval likely trouble you. Remember that not everyone shares your connected view of humanity or believes that every negative event ultimately affects everyone.

# Navigate the Rest of Your CliftonStrengths



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Your greatest opportunity to reach your full potential is developing and using your strongest CliftonStrengths. But it is also important to understand all 34 of your CliftonStrengths themes.

#### Your unique CliftonStrengths 34 profile

The themes toward the top of your CliftonStrengths 34 profile might show up regularly in your life, and the ones closer to the bottom might not show up at all.

To fully understand your talent DNA, consider how all your CliftonStrengths themes, separately or in combination, influence your work and personal life. In addition to concentrating on your top 10 themes:

- **Navigate the middle.** You might notice these CliftonStrengths themes in your behaviors from time to time. And you may need to rely on them in certain situations. Think of these themes as a support system you can use when you need to.
- Manage the bottom. Just as your top CliftonStrengths show you who you are, those at the bottom may tell you who you are not. They aren't necessarily weaknesses, but they are your least powerful themes. If you don't manage them properly, they could prevent you from maximizing your potential.
- **Identify weaknesses.** To determine if any themes are getting in your way, review the "What Is a Weakness?" section on the next page, and find out how to overcome potential obstacles to your success.

To learn more about your entire CliftonStrengths profile, see the "Your CliftonStrengths 34 Theme Sequence" section at the end of the report.

# What Is a Weakness?

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Focusing on your CliftonStrengths doesn't mean you can ignore your weaknesses.

## Gallup defines a weakness as anything that gets in the way of your success.

While the CliftonStrengths assessment does not mathematically quantify weaknesses, you can use your profile to understand how *any* of your CliftonStrengths themes might prevent you from maximizing your potential.

Your strongest CliftonStrengths are your best opportunity for success. But in some situations and with some people, these same themes can hinder your effectiveness and become blind spots.

The themes at the bottom of your profile can also get in the way of your success. They aren't necessarily weaknesses, but they likely do not come naturally to you.

#### To identify potential weaknesses, ask yourself:

- Does this theme ever undermine my success?
- Have I ever received negative feedback related to this theme?
- Does my role require me to use this theme, but I feel drained when I do?

If you answered yes to any of these questions, you may be discovering areas of weakness. Don't ignore your weaknesses. Instead, focus on your strengths, and work to manage the areas that get in your way.

#### How do I manage my weaknesses?

- Claim them: Know your weaknesses and how they get in your way
- Collaborate: Ask partners for support
- Apply a strength: Use a different theme to achieve a better outcome
- Just do it: Lean in and do your best

# Identify Your Unique Contribution: The CliftonStrengths Domains

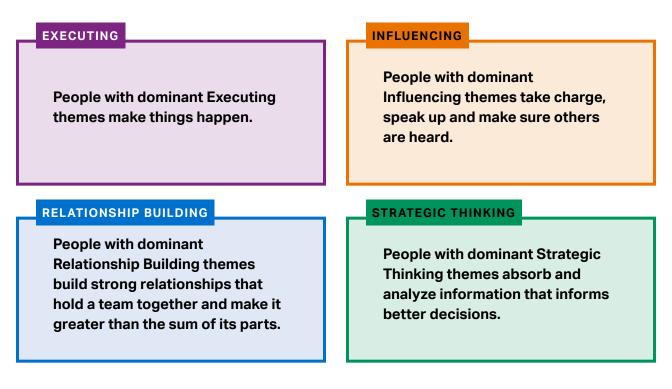
While your CliftonStrengths 34 profile helps you understand *who* you are, there is also power in knowing *how* you make things happen, influence others, build relationships and process information. The framework of the four CliftonStrengths domains — Executing, Influencing, Relationship Building and Strategic Thinking — is another way to think about your CliftonStrengths and how you contribute when you join, create or lead a team.

The best teams are made up of individuals who understand their own — and others' — unique contribution to the team. This awareness and appreciation empowers the team to be more cohesive, versatile, productive and engaged.

However, be careful not to let the four domains limit your thinking. If you don't have any top themes in a particular domain, don't worry. That doesn't mean you can't think strategically or build relationships, for example. Everyone accomplishes tasks, influences others, builds relationships and processes information. You just use your stronger themes in different domains to get to the same outcome.

The next page shows you how your unique CliftonStrengths profile sorts into the four domains. Knowing which domain you lead with can help you understand your most powerful contribution.

#### The CliftonStrengths Domains



# You lead with **Influencing** CliftonStrengths themes.

You know how to take charge, speak up and make sure others are heard.

Influencing	Strategic Thinking	Executing	Relationship Building

This chart shows the relative distribution of your unique CliftonStrengths 34 results across the four domains. These categories are a good starting point for you to examine where you have the most potential to perform with excellence and how you can best contribute to a team.

See chart below for more detail about your CliftonStrengths by domain.

#### Your CliftonStrengths by Domain



# Take Action

Discovering your CliftonStrengths is only the beginning. Achieving excellence depends on your ability to develop and apply your CliftonStrengths and maximize your potential.

Now, take the next steps:

- Share your CliftonStrengths with others. Conversations with those closest to you can accelerate your CliftonStrengths development.
- Find a Gallup-Certified Strengths Coach. A coach can help you learn to productively apply your CliftonStrengths regardless of the situation.
- Apply your strongest CliftonStrengths every day. Read the suggestions in your report, and use the following statements to guide you.

#### HOW YOU CAN THRIVE WITH YOUR TOP CLIFTONSTRENGTHS

#### Achiever

Bring intensity and effort to the most important areas of your life.

#### Strategic

Always have at least three options in mind so you can adapt if circumstances change.

#### Individualization

Appreciate the uniqueness in each person you meet.

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Be the catalyst. When others are stuck, make a decision and get going.

#### Communication

Use your gift for stimulating conversation to connect with and inspire others.

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Improve effectiveness and efficiency by reorganizing resources.

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Connect deeply with the right people to gain friends for life.

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Use your passion for learning to add value to your own and others' lives.

#### Self-Assurance

Trust your gut, and live life on your own terms.

#### Connectedness

Help others see connections and purpose in everyday life.

### CliftonStrengths<sup>®</sup>

# Your CliftonStrengths 34 Theme Sequence

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#### 3. Individualization

#### RELATIONSHIP BUILDING

People exceptionally talented in the Individualization theme are intrigued with the unique qualities of each person. They have a gift for figuring out how different people can work together productively.

#### 4. Activator

#### INFLUENCING

People exceptionally talented in the Activator theme can make things happen by turning thoughts into action. They want to do things now, rather than simply talk about them.

#### 5. Communication

#### INFLUENCING

People exceptionally talented in the Communication theme generally find it easy to put their thoughts into words. They are good conversationalists and presenters.

#### 6. Arranger

#### EXECUTING

People exceptionally talented in the Arranger theme can organize, but they also have a flexibility that complements this ability. They like to determine how all of the pieces and resources can be arranged for maximum productivity.

#### 7. Relator

RELATIONSHIP BUILDING

People exceptionally talented in the Relator theme enjoy close relationships with others. They find deep satisfaction in working hard with friends to achieve a goal.

#### 8. Learner

#### STRATEGIC THINKING

People exceptionally talented in the Learner theme have a great desire to learn and want to continuously improve. The process of learning, rather than the outcome, excites them.

#### 9. Self-Assurance

#### INFLUENCING

People exceptionally talented in the Self-Assurance theme feel confident in their ability to take risks and manage their own lives. They have an inner compass that gives them certainty in their decisions.

#### 10. Connectedness

#### RELATIONSHIP BUILDING

People exceptionally talented in the Connectedness theme have faith in the links among all things. They believe there are few coincidences and that almost every event has meaning.

#### 11. Competition

#### INFLUENCING

People exceptionally talented in the Competition theme measure their progress against the performance of others. They strive to win first place and revel in contests.

#### 12. Significance

#### INFLUENCING

People exceptionally talented in the Significance theme want to make a big impact. They are independent and prioritize projects based on how much influence they will have on their organization or people around them.

#### 13. Responsibility

#### EXECUTING

People exceptionally talented in the Responsibility theme take psychological ownership of what they say they will do. They are committed to stable values such as honesty and loyalty.

#### 14. Developer

#### RELATIONSHIP BUILDING

People exceptionally talented in the Developer theme recognize and cultivate the potential in others. They spot the signs of each small improvement and derive satisfaction from evidence of progress.

#### 15. Input

#### STRATEGIC THINKING

People exceptionally talented in the Input theme have a need to collect and archive. They may accumulate information, ideas, artifacts or even relationships.

#### 16. Futuristic

#### STRATEGIC THINKING

People exceptionally talented in the Futuristic theme are inspired by the future and what could be. They energize others with their visions of the future.

#### 17. Analytical

#### STRATEGIC THINKING

People exceptionally talented in the Analytical theme search for reasons and causes. They have the ability to think about all of the factors that might affect a situation.

#### 18. Discipline

#### EXECUTING

People exceptionally talented in the Discipline theme enjoy routine and structure. Their world is best described by the order they create.

#### 19. Intellection

#### STRATEGIC THINKING

People exceptionally talented in the Intellection theme are characterized by their intellectual activity. They are introspective and appreciate intellectual discussions.

#### 20. Command

#### INFLUENCING

People exceptionally talented in the Command theme have presence. They can take control of a situation and make decisions.

#### 21. Empathy

#### RELATIONSHIP BUILDING

People exceptionally talented in the Empathy theme can sense other people's feelings by imagining themselves in others' lives or situations.

#### 22. Belief

#### EXECUTING

People exceptionally talented in the Belief theme have certain core values that are unchanging. Out of these values emerges a defined purpose for their lives.

#### 23. Focus

#### EXECUTING

People exceptionally talented in the Focus theme can take a direction, follow through and make the corrections necessary to stay on track. They prioritize, then act.

#### 24. Includer

#### RELATIONSHIP BUILDING

People exceptionally talented in the Includer theme accept others. They show awareness of those who feel left out and make an effort to include them.

#### 25. Ideation

#### STRATEGIC THINKING

People exceptionally talented in the Ideation theme are fascinated by ideas. They are able to find connections between seemingly disparate phenomena.

#### 26. Maximizer

#### INFLUENCING

People exceptionally talented in the Maximizer theme focus on strengths as a way to stimulate personal and group excellence. They seek to transform something strong into something superb.

#### 27. Context

#### STRATEGIC THINKING

People exceptionally talented in the Context theme enjoy thinking about the past. They understand the present by researching its history.

#### 28. Restorative

#### EXECUTING

People exceptionally talented in the Restorative theme are adept at dealing with problems. They are good at figuring out what is wrong and resolving it.

#### 29. Positivity

#### RELATIONSHIP BUILDING

People exceptionally talented in the Positivity theme have contagious enthusiasm. They are upbeat and can get others excited about what they are going to do.

#### 30. Woo

#### INFLUENCING

People exceptionally talented in the Woo theme love the challenge of meeting new people and winning them over. They derive satisfaction from breaking the ice and making a connection with someone.

#### 31. Deliberative

#### EXECUTING

People exceptionally talented in the Deliberative theme are best described by the serious care they take in making decisions or choices. They anticipate obstacles.

#### 32. Consistency

#### EXECUTING

People exceptionally talented in the Consistency theme are keenly aware of the need to treat people the same. They crave stable routines and clear rules and procedures that everyone can follow.

#### 33. Adaptability

#### RELATIONSHIP BUILDING

People exceptionally talented in the Adaptability theme prefer to go with the flow. They tend to be "now" people who take things as they come and discover the future one day at a time.

#### 34. Harmony

#### RELATIONSHIP BUILDING

People exceptionally talented in the Harmony theme look for consensus. They don't enjoy conflict; rather, they seek areas of agreement.