TEIQue-SF

Instructions: Please answer each statement below by putting a circle around the number that best reflects your degree of agreement or disagreement with that statement. Do not think too long about the exact meaning of the statements. Work quickly and try to answer as accurately as possible. There are no right or wrong answers. There are seven possible responses to each statement ranging from ‘Completely Disagree’ (number 1) to ‘Completely Agree’ (number 7).

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**Completely Completely**

**Disagree Agree**

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| 1. Expressing my emotions with words is not a problem for me. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 2. I often find it difficult to see things from another person’s viewpoint. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 3. On the whole, I’m a highly motivated person. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 4. I usually find it difficult to regulate my emotions. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 5. I generally don’t find life enjoyable. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 6. I can deal effectively with people. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 7. I tend to change my mind frequently. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 8. Many times, I can’t figure out what emotion I'm feeling. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 9. I feel that I have a number of good qualities. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 10. I often find it difficult to stand up for my rights. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 11. I’m usually able to influence the way other people feel. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 12. On the whole, I have a gloomy perspective on most things. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 13. Those close to me often complain that I don’t treat them right. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 14. I often find it difficult to adjust my life according to the circumstances. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 15. On the whole, I’m able to deal with stress. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 16. I often find it difficult to show my affection to those close to me. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 17. I’m normally able to “get into someone’s shoes” and experience their emotions. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 18. I normally find it difficult to keep myself motivated. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 19. I’m usually able to find ways to control my emotions when I want to. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 20. On the whole, I’m pleased with my life. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 21. I would describe myself as a good negotiator. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 22. I tend to get involved in things I later wish I could get out of. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 23. I often pause and think about my feelings. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 24. I believe I’m full of personal strengths. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 25. I tend to “back down” even if I know I’m right. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 26. I don’t seem to have any power at all over other people’s feelings. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 27. I generally believe that things will work out fine in my life. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 28. I find it difficult to bond well even with those close to me. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 29. Generally, I’m able to adapt to new environments. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 30. Others admire me for being relaxed. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |

*Trait Emotional Intelligence Questionnaire – Short Form (TEIQue-SF).* This 30-item form includes two items from each of the 15 facets of the TEIQue. Items were selected primarily on the basis of their correlations with the corresponding total facet scores, which ensured broad coverage of the sampling domain of the construct. The –SF can be used in research designs with limited experimental time or wherein trait EI is a peripheral variable. Although it is possible to derive from it scores on the four trait EI factors, in addition to the global score, these tend to have somewhat lower internal consistencies than in the full form of the inventory. The –SF does not yield scores on the 15 trait EI facets.

Scoring information for the TEIQue-SF is available at [www.psychometriclab.com](http://www.psychometriclab.com) Please note that we cannot provide any advice on how to run the syntax in SPSS or other statistical software.

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