

Scoring Instructions

1 Calculate the Inconsistent Responding (INC) Index Score

In the spaces provided here, copy the response values that were marked for each of the designated INC item pairs. If the responses for an item pair differ by more than 1 point, put a check mark in the box for that pair. When you have done this for all 12 item pairs, count the number of check marks and record the result in the space labeled "INC Score."

INC Pairs				Difference greater than 1
1	<input type="text"/>	and	<input type="text"/> 22	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	<input type="text"/>	and	<input type="text"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	<input type="text"/>	and	<input type="text"/> 6	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	<input type="text"/>	and	<input type="text"/> 33	<input type="checkbox"/>
8	<input type="text"/>	and	<input type="text"/> 11	<input type="checkbox"/>
9	<input type="text"/>	and	<input type="text"/> 29	<input type="checkbox"/>
10	<input type="text"/>	and	<input type="text"/> 13	<input type="checkbox"/>
12	<input type="text"/>	and	<input type="text"/> 32	<input type="checkbox"/>
14	<input type="text"/>	and	<input type="text"/> 17	<input type="checkbox"/>
21	<input type="text"/>	and	<input type="text"/> 31	<input type="checkbox"/>
23	<input type="text"/>	and	<input type="text"/> 24	<input type="checkbox"/>
25	<input type="text"/>	and	<input type="text"/> 27	<input type="checkbox"/>

INC Score

2 Use the Scoring Worksheet to Calculate Raw Scores for the Subscales and the AQ Total

On the Scoring Worksheet, if there are any items for which no response was marked, circle the median response value printed in bold type. Next, copy the circled response value for each item into the corresponding box printed in the same row. These boxes are arranged in columns labeled with the names of the five subscales. In each column, add up the values you have entered and record the result in the space at the bottom as the raw score for the identified subscale. Sum the raw scores for the five subscales and record the result in the space for the AQ Total score.

3 Plot the AQ Profile

Select the section of the AQ Profile Sheet that is appropriate for the respondent's age. Transfer the raw scores from the Scoring Worksheet to the designated spaces at the bottom of the Profile Sheet. In the column of values for each AQ score, circle the number or range of numbers that corresponds to the raw score you have recorded below it. Some of the raw score values on the Profile Sheet are provided in separate columns for males and females, so be sure to select the appropriate column when circling the raw scores you have calculated. The two columns on the left side of each Profile Sheet section list the *T*-scores and percentile rankings that correspond to the raw score values in each row. Locate the *T*-scores that correspond to the raw scores you have circled and record them in the row of spaces provided at the bottom of the Profile Sheet. Finally, transfer the INC score you calculated earlier to the space provided in the shaded portion of the Profile Sheet.

AQ Scoring Worksheet

AQ Scoring Worksheet

						PHY	VER	ANG	HOS	IND	
1	2	3	4	5	1.						
1	2	3	4	5	2.						
1	2	3	4	5	3.						
1	2	3	4	5	4.						
1	2	3	4	5	5.						
1	2	3	4	5	6.						
1	2	3	4	5	7.						
1	2	3	4	5	8.						
1	2	3	4	5	9.						
1	2	3	4	5	10.						
1	2	3	4	5	11.						
1	2	3	4	5	12.						
1	2	3	4	5	13.						
1	2	3	4	5	14.						
1	2	3	4	5	15.						
1	2	3	4	5	16.						
1	2	3	4	5	17.						
1	2	3	4	5	18.						
5	4	3	2	1	19.						
1	2	3	4	5	20.						
1	2	3	4	5	21.						
1	2	3	4	5	22.						
1	2	3	4	5	23.						
1	2	3	4	5	24.						
1	2	3	4	5	25.						
1	2	3	4	5	26.						
1	2	3	4	5	27.						
1	2	3	4	5	28.						
1	2	3	4	5	29.						
1	2	3	4	5	30.						
1	2	3	4	5	31.						
1	2	3	4	5	32.						
1	2	3	4	5	33.						
1	2	3	4	5	34.						

Raw Scores:

PHY + VER + ANG + HOS + IND = AQ Total

AQ

Profile Sheet

Arnold H. Buss, Ph.D.

Youths
Ages 9-18

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AIBAS
AMITY UNIVERSITY, MUMBAI

Name / ID

Date

Age

Gender:

☐ Male

☐ Female

Ethnicity:

☐ Asian

☐ Black

☐ Hispanic

☐ Native
American

☐ White

☐ Other

INC Score

(Scores ≥ 5 indicate a strong likelihood that responses were not consistently based on item content.)

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%	T	AQ Total	PHY		VER	ANG	HOS	IND
			Male	Female				
>99	>80	>157					>38	
	80	157		40				
	79					35		
	78	156					38	
	77	154-155						
	76	152-153	40	39		34		30
	75	151			25		37	
	74	146-150	39	38		33		29
99	73	145				32	36	28
	72	144	38	37	24		35	
98	71	142-143				31	34	27
	70	139-141	37	36	23	30		
97	69	135-138	36	35		29	33	26
96	68	132-134						25
95	67	128-131	35	34	22	28	32	
94	66	125-127		33			31	24
93	65	123-124	34	32	21	27	30	
92	64	120-122	33	31	20			23
90	63	117-119	32	29-30		26	29	22
88	62	115-116	31	28	19	25	28	
85	61	112-114		27			27	21
83	60	110-111	30	26	18	24		
81	59	108-109	29		17	23	26	20
79	58	106-107	28	25			25	19
76	57	102-105	27	23-24	16	22		
73	56	100-101	26	22		21	24	18
70	55	97-99	25	21	15	20	23	
67	54	94-96	24	20		19		17
63	53	91-93	23	19	14		22	
60	52	89-90	22	18		18	21	16
55	51	85-88	21		13		20	
50	50	82-84		16-17		17		15
45	49	80-81	20			16	19	
40	48	77-79	19	15	12	15	18	14
37	47	74-76	18	14				13
33	46	71-73	17	13	11	14	17	
29	45	68-70	16				16	12
26	44	66-67		12	10	13		
23	43	64-65	15	11		12	15	11
20	42	62-63	14				14	
17	41	60-61	13	10	9	11		
15	40	58-59	12				13	10
13	39	56-57						
11	38	55	11	9	8	10	12	
9	37	53-54						9
7	36	52	10			9	11	
6	35	50-51						
5	34	49	9		7		10	8
4	33	48						
3	32	47		8		8		
	31	46					9	
2	30	43-45			6			7
	29		8					
1	28	42						
	27	41				7		
	26	40					8	
	25	39						6
<1	<25	<39			5			

Raw Scores

T-Scores

REMOVE THIS SHEET BEFORE ADMINISTERING TEST

AQ

Profile Sheet

Arnold H. Buss, Ph.D.

Adults

Name / ID

Date

Age

Gender:

☐ Male

☐ Female

Ethnicity:

☐ Asian

☐ Black

☐ Hispanic

☐ Native American

☐ White

☐ Other

INC Score

(Scores ≥ 5 indicate a strong likelihood that responses were not consistently based on item content.)

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Younger ▶ Ages 19–39

% T	AQ Total		PHY		VER		ANG	HOS	IND
	M	F	M	F	M	F			
>99	>80	>160	>148	40	25	35	>35	>28	
99	80			39		34		28	
98	79		148						
97	78				24		35		
96	77								
95	76	160	40			32–33		27	
94	75		136–147				34		
93	74			32–38	25	23	33	26	
92	73						29–31	25	
91	72	150–159	118–135	38–39	30–31		27–28	32	
90	71		110–117	29		21–22	26	31	22–24
89	70	139–149	109	34–37	28	24	20	30	
88	69	127–138	105–108	32–33	24–27	23	25	29	21
87	68	124–126	101–104			19	28		
86	67	120–123	98–100	30–31	23	21–22	24		
85	66	115–119	97	29	22	18	23	27	20
84	65	114	96	21		20	22	26	
83	64	107–113	90–95	28	20	17	21	25	
82	63	106	88–89	27	19				19
81	62	105	86–87	18		19	16	20	23–24
80	61	102–104	82–85	26		15		22	18
79	60	100–101	80–81	25	17	17–18	19		17
78	59	98–99	78–79	24		14		21	
77	58	95–97	75–77	23	16	16	18	20	16
76	57	91–94	73–74	22	15	13		19	
75	56	89–90	71–72	21	14	15	17	18	15
74	55	85–88	70	20		12	16		
73	54	81–84	69		13	14		17	14
72	53	77–80	67–68	19	12	11	15	16	
71	52	75–76	65–66	17–18					13
70	51	71–74	63–64	16	11	13	14	15	
69	50	69–70	61–62			10	13		
68	49	67–68	59–60	15		12		14	12
67	48	64–66	58	14	10		12		
66	47	61–63	56–57	13		11		13	
65	46	60	54–55	12		9	11		11
64	45	59	53	11				12	
63	44	58	51–52		9	10			10
62	43	57	50	10		8	10	11	
61	42	54–56	49		9				9
60	41	51–53	48					10	
59	40	50	47			9			
58	39	49	46	9	8	7			
57	38	47–48	45		8		9	8	
56	37	46	44		7				
55	36	45	43				8		
54	35	43–44				6			
53	34	42	42			6			7
52	33		41						
51	32			8				8	
50	31	39–41	40						
49	30		39				7		
48	29								
47	28		38		5	5			6
46	27								
45	26	38	36–37						
44	25		35						
43	24	<38	34						

Raw Scores

T-Scores

Older ▶ Ages 40+

% T	AQ Total		PHY		VER		ANG	HOS	IND
	M	F	M	F	M	F			
>99	>80	>129	>129	>33	>30		>30	>34	30
99	80		129		30		25		
98	79								25–29
97	78	129		33		25	30		
96	77		123–128		27–29	22–24		32–34	
95	76								24
94	75		118–122	30–32	26	22–24	28–29	30	23
93	74	124–128	113–117			20–21			
92	73	122–123	109–112	29	25	21	27		22
91	72	120–121	107–108			20	19	26	29
90	71	118–119	105–106		23–24	18	25		21
89	70	117	102–104	28	22	19	24	28	20
88	69	107–116	99–101		21	18	17	23	27
87	68	106	97–98	27	20			22	26
86	67	103–105	89–96	26	18–19	17	16		19
85	66	100–102	82–88	25	17			21	23–24
84	65	92–99	80–81	24	16	16	15	20	22
83	64	90–91	76–79	21–23	15		14	19	21
82	63	87–89	73–75	20	14	15		18	20
81	62	83–86	71–72	19			13		16
80	61	80–82	68–70	18	13			17	19
79	60	78–79	66–67	17		14		18	15
78	59	76–77	64–65		12		12	16	
77	58	74–75	63	16				15	17
76	57	71–73	62	15	11	13	11	16	14
75	56	69–70	60–61					14	13
74	55	67–68	59	14			10		15
73	54	66	57–58		10	12		13	14
72	53	63–65	56	13					12
71	52	62	55			11	9		13
70	51	60–61	53–54	12				12	11
69	50	59	52		9				
68	49	57–58	51	11		10		12	
67	48	56	50				8	11	10
66	47	55	49				9		11
65	46	53–54	48	10					
64	45	52	47					10	9
63	44	50–51	46				7		10
62	43	48–49	45	9		8			
61	42	47	44		8			9	
60	41	45–46							8
59	40	44	43			7			9
58	39	43	42				6		
57	38							8	
56	37	42	41	8					7
55	36	40–41				6			
54	35		40						
53	34	39							8
52	33		39						
51	32		38				5		6
50	31	38	37					7	
49	30								
48	29		36						
47	28								
46	27	37							
45	26								
44	25		36						
43	24	36	35						
42	23	<36	34						

Raw Scores

T-Scores