

Examinations and Test Section

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ATP- SIG (Dublin) Internet Based Testing

Testing 2.0



Background

750 000



4 000

: 400



Challenges







Application Growth





"Do more with less"





Opportunity





Why did we go down this road...



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Cost



Time



Global Talent Pool



Employer Branding



Concerns



Reliability

No difference to paper-based
 & computer-based



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Accessibility

- 4 in 5 OECD countries
- 2 in 5 Globally



Dishonesty

- .3 2.2%
- "Birds of a feather"



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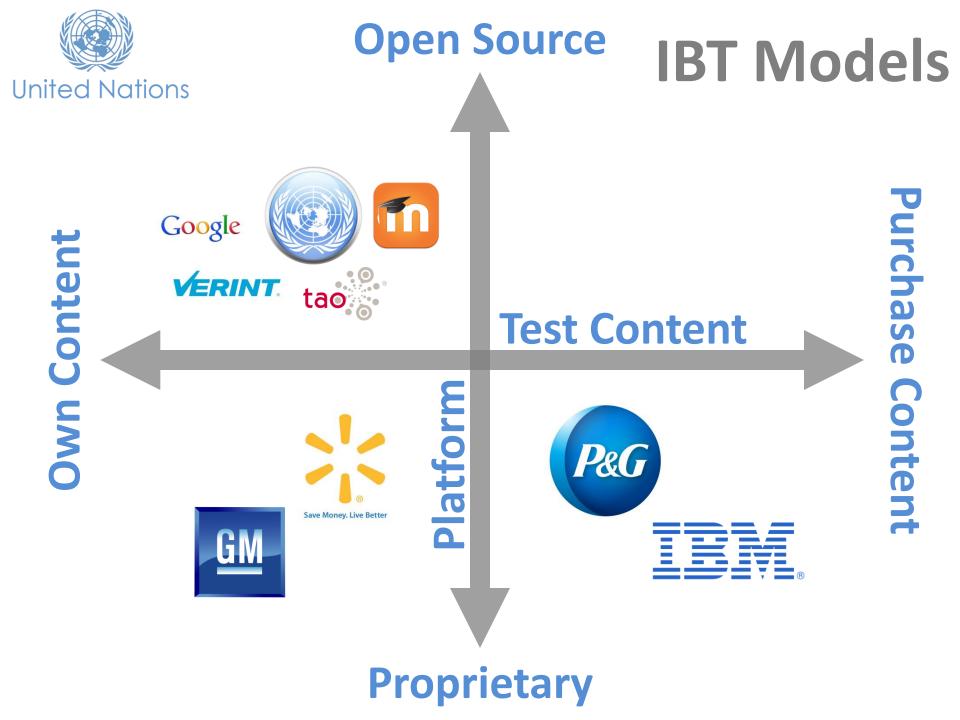


Accessibility

- Advanced Notice
- Platform Requirements
- Sample Tests

Dishonesty

- Timed tests
- **Honesty Policy**
- Item types
- **Verification Testing**
- Cheating detection stats
- Large Item Bank (CAT)





Our Experience so far...

FS Campaign

- 32 000 applicants
- 166 countries
- 26 positions
- 3 days to test
- 1 day to get results

Regular Vacancies

- 30 + vacancies used IBT
- 7 staffing levels (from GS to D)
- 90% completion rate
- 95% of applicants thought it was fair



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Our Experience so far...

Advantages

- Low cost per applicant
- Open-source communities of support
- Flexible

Disadvantages

- Infrastructure required
- IT Specialist required
- Live Test-taker support required



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Considering IBT, consider this...



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Infrastructure?



Test Content?



Test-Takers?



Communications?