LEVENSON'S SCALE FOR LOCUS OF CONTROL

Name: ___________________ Age: _______________
Occupation: _______________ Sex: _______________

INSTRUCTIONS

Below are some statements that pertain to general life outcomes. Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with each statement on a five-point scale. The five points are: Strongly Agree (SA), Agree (a), Undecided (U), Disagree (D), Strongly Disagree (SD). You have to put a (×) mark on point which best indicates how closely you agree or disagree with the feeling expressed in each statement AS IT CONCERNS YOU.

Example:

1. Becoming successful is a matter of hard work, luck has nothing to do with it.

   1  2  3  4  5
   Strongly Agree Undecided Disagree Strongly Disagree

There are no "right" or "wrong" answers as everyone has right to his or her own views. To be able to get best advice from your results, please answer them exactly and truly. When you answer, keep following four points in mind:

1. Give the first, natural answer as it comes to you. Do not spend too much time thinking about your answers.

2. Try not to fall back on the middle "undecided" answers except when the answer at either ends are really impossible for you.

3. Be sure not to skip anything and answer every statement, somehow.

4. Answer as honestly as possible what is true for you. Do not merely mark what seems "the right thing to say" just to impress the examiner.

If you have understood the instructions clearly, please turn the page and start, if not please feel free to ask for any clarifications.

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1. Whether or not I get to be a leader depends on my ability.
   - [ ] Strongly Agree
   - [ ] Agree
   - [ ] Undecided
   - [ ] Disagree
   - [ ] Strongly Disagree

2. My life is controlled by accidental happenings.
   - [ ] Strongly Agree
   - [ ] Agree
   - [ ] Undecided
   - [ ] Disagree
   - [ ] Strongly Disagree

3. I feel like what happens in my life is determined by powerful people.
   - [ ] Strongly Agree
   - [ ] Agree
   - [ ] Undecided
   - [ ] Disagree
   - [ ] Strongly Disagree

4. Whether or not I get into an accident depends on how good driver I am.
   - [ ] Strongly Agree
   - [ ] Agree
   - [ ] Undecided
   - [ ] Disagree
   - [ ] Strongly Disagree

5. When I make plans, I am certain to make them work.
   - [ ] Strongly Agree
   - [ ] Agree
   - [ ] Undecided
   - [ ] Disagree
   - [ ] Strongly Disagree

6. There is no chance of protecting my personal interests from bad luck happenings.
   - [ ] Strongly Agree
   - [ ] Agree
   - [ ] Undecided
   - [ ] Disagree
   - [ ] Strongly Disagree

7. When I get what I want, it's because I am lucky.
   - [ ] Strongly Agree
   - [ ] Agree
   - [ ] Undecided
   - [ ] Disagree
   - [ ] Strongly Disagree

8. Although I might have good ability, I will not be given leadership responsibility without appealing to those in positions of power.
   - [ ] Strongly Agree
   - [ ] Agree
   - [ ] Undecided
   - [ ] Disagree
   - [ ] Strongly Disagree

9. How many friends I have depends on how nice a person I am.
   - [ ] Strongly Agree
   - [ ] Agree
   - [ ] Undecided
   - [ ] Disagree
   - [ ] Strongly Disagree

10. I have found that what I think is going to happen will happen.
    - [ ] Strongly Agree
    - [ ] Agree
    - [ ] Undecided
    - [ ] Disagree
    - [ ] Strongly Disagree

11. My life is controlled by powerful others.
    - [ ] Strongly Agree
    - [ ] Agree
    - [ ] Undecided
    - [ ] Disagree
    - [ ] Strongly Disagree

12. Whether or not I get into a car accident is a matter of luck.
    - [ ] Strongly Agree
    - [ ] Agree
    - [ ] Undecided
    - [ ] Disagree
    - [ ] Strongly Disagree
13. People like myself have no chance of protecting our personal interests when they conflict with those of strong pressure groups.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Undecided
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

14. It is not wise for me to plan too far ahead, because many things turn out to be a matter of bad fortune.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Undecided
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

15. Getting what I want requires pleasing people above me.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Undecided
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

6. Whether or not I get to be a leader depends on whether I am lucky enough to be in the right place at the right time.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Undecided
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

17. If important people were to decide they didn’t like me, I probably wouldn’t make many friends.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Undecided
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

18. I can pretty much determine what will happen in my life.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Undecided
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

19. I am usually able to protect my personal interests.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Undecided
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

20. Whether or not I get into a car accident depends mostly on the other driver.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Undecided
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

21. When I get what I want, it’s usually because I worked hard for it.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Undecided
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

22. In order to have my plans work, I make sure that they fit in with the desires of people who have power over me.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Undecided
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

23. My life is determined by my own actions.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Undecided
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

24. It’s a matter of fate whether or not I have a few friends or many.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Undecided
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree
## L.O.C. PROFILE SHEET

Name ____________________________  Sex ______  Age ______  Occupation __________________________

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