



Genesys Skills Assessor 8.0

User Guide

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Chapter

1 Preface

Welcome to the *Genesys Skills Assessor 8.0 User Guide*. This User Guide has been designed to walk the user through how to use and navigate the Skills Assessor application.

This document is valid only for the 8.0.1 releases of this product.

Note:

For versions of this document created for other releases of this product, visit the Genesys Technical Support website, or request the Documentation Library DVD, which you can order by e-mail from Genesys Order Management at orderman@genesyslab.com.

For information about related resources and about the conventions that are used in this document, see the supplementary material starting on [page 9](#).

About Genesys Skills Assessor

Genesys Skills Assessor allows companies to use a combination of online tests, self assessment, and observational feedback to assess the level of agent skills across their contact centre. Agent skill levels are stored in a central skills database and can be combined with performance data from legacy systems, for example, CRM sales data, Learning Management System courses and so on.

Centralizing agent skills information allows contact centers to build a skills DNA profile for each agent to identify:

- What are the must have and nice to have skills for each job type.
- Who really knows what across the contact centre?
- Who has what skill and skill levels?

- Who requires what type of training and when.

Skillsroute enables companies to create and manage multiple agents, skills, and skill level in Configuration Manager. Skill assessment results exported directly from Skills Assessor can be used to optimize multi-skilling and call routing, to ensure that the customer is always presented to the most knowledgeable agent available.

Intended Audience

- This document is primarily intended for system administrators or other individuals who install the Genesys Skills Assessor.

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Europe, Middle East, and Africa	+44-(0)-1276-45-7002	support@genesyslab.co.uk
Asia Pacific	+61-7-3368-6868	support@genesyslab.com.au
Malaysia	1-800-814-472 (toll-free) +61-7-3368-6868	support@genesyslab.com.au
India	1-800-407-436379 (toll-free) +61-7-3368-6868 (International)	support@genesyslab.com.au
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Related Documentation Resources

The following resources provide additional information that is relevant to this software. Consult these additional resources as necessary.

- The *Framework 8.0 Configuration Manager Help*, which will help when using Configuration Manager.

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Consult these additional resources as necessary:

- The *Genesys Technical Publications Glossary*, which ships on the Genesys Documentation Library CD and which provides a comprehensive list of the Genesys and CTI terminology and acronyms used in this document.
- The Release Notes and Product Advisories for this product, which are available on the Genesys Technical Support website at <http://genesyslab.com/support>.

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- *Genesys Supported Operating Environment Reference Manual*
- *Genesys Supported Media Interfaces Reference Manual*

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This document uses certain stylistic and typographical conventions—introduced here—that serve as shorthand for particular kinds of information.

Document Version Number

A version number appears at the bottom of the inside front cover of this document. Version numbers change as new information is added to this document. Here is a sample version number:

42gp_icg_aspect-wfm_08-2010_v4.2.001.01

You will need this number when you are talking with Genesys Technical Support about this product.

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The Type Styles table describes and illustrates the type conventions that are used in this document.

Type Styles

Type Style	Used For	Examples
Italic	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Document titles Emphasis Definitions of (or first references to) unfamiliar terms Mathematical variables <p>Also used to indicate placeholder text within code samples or commands, in the special case where angle brackets are a required part of the syntax (see the note about angle brackets below).</p>	<p>Please consult the <i>Genesys Migration Guide</i> for more information.</p> <p>Do <i>not</i> use this value for this option.</p> <p>A <i>customary and usual</i> practice is one that is widely accepted and used within a particular industry or profession.</p> <p>The formula, $x + 1 = 7$ where x stands for . . .</p>
Monospace font (Looks like teletype or typewriter text)	<p>All programming identifiers and GUI elements. This convention includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The <i>names</i> of directories, files, folders, configuration objects, paths, scripts, dialog boxes, options, fields, text and list boxes, operational modes, all buttons (including radio buttons), check boxes, commands, tabs, CTI events, and error messages. The values of options. Logical arguments and command syntax. Code samples. <p>Also used for any text that users must manually enter during a configuration or installation</p>	<p>Select the Show variables on screen check box.</p> <p>In the Operand text box, enter your formula.</p> <p>Click OK to exit the Properties dialog box.</p> <p>T-Server distributes the error messages in EventError events.</p> <p>If you select true for the inbound-bsns-calls option, all established inbound calls on a local agent are considered business calls.</p> <p>Enter exit on the command line.</p>

	procedure, or on a command line.	
Angle brackets (<>)	<p>A placeholder for a value that the user must specify. This might be a DN or a port number specific to your enterprise.</p> <p>Note: In some cases, angle brackets are required characters in code syntax (for example, in XML schemas). In these cases, italic text is used for placeholder values.</p>	<pre>smcp_server -host <confighost></pre>



Chapter

2 User Guide

Logging On

The Assessment Module is accessed from either the internet or over the company intranet.

After selecting the application, a screen similar to Figure 1 is displayed (the application may be customized with the company logo displayed in the left hand corner of the screen and a more corporate color displayed).

The application may be accessed directly through the company intranet and therefore not requiring the user to enter their login details. This will however depend on the company security requirements.

Welcome

To login, enter your User Name and Password below

These details are case-sensitive

Enter Your Details

UserName:

Password:

Select System: SkillsAssessor

Continue

Trouble logging in?

This website uses a Cookie to remember your login details. If your browser is unable to accept Cookies, you will not be able to login. To try and remedy this, check that your browser is able to accept Cookies, or try clearing your Cookies cache.

Figure 1: Welcome Dialog Box

After entering the unique username and password click on **Continue** and a **My Development** screen will appear as shown in Figure 2 containing any assessments that have been assigned.

Hello, Jane Doe **Logout**

My Development **Reports** **...**

My Development **Options** **Refresh**

Group Name	Date By	% Complete	% Average
Consumer Sales		20.00	58.57
Annual Feedback Review from Agents	29 Jan 2010	0.00	
Latest Product Launch - Support Information		0.00	
Skyblue Products		0.00	
Mobilephone Consumer Sales	25 Jul 2010	100.00	62.22
iPhone Support	11 Jul 2010	0.00	
Insurance Knowledge	18 Dec 2009	0.00	
Blackberry Support	19 Jul 2010	100.00	54.92
Leadership Capability Program	29 Aug 2010	0.00	
Test Feedback3		0.00	
BT Vision		0.00	
Pre-Sales Team		33.33	62.22
Genesys New Group		66.67	25.53
Individually assigned assessments		100.00	0.00

Figure 2: My Development Screen

If any of the assessments have been given a completion date then the date will be listed against the assessment in the Date By column.

Taking an Assessment

Assessments that have been assigned are visible under My Development in the User tab.

Under the Group Name is a list of any assigned assessments.

If the assessments are not visible, click on the Group Name bar which will then expand to reveal if there are any assessments.

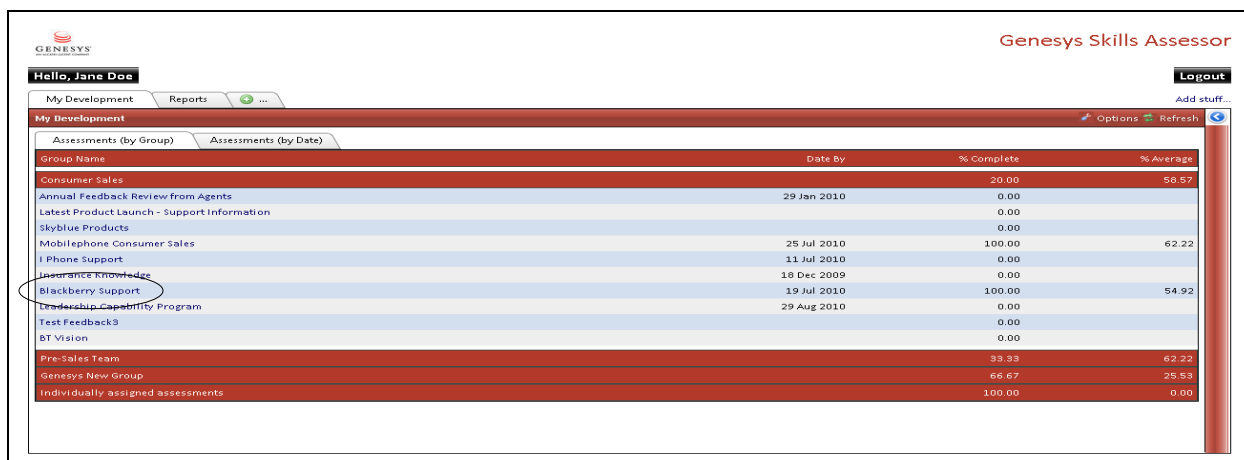
Where an assessment has to be completed by a certain date there will be a date under the Date By column.

The % Complete column indicates how close to completion the assessment is.

Group Name	Date By	% Complete	% Average
Consumer Sales		20.00	58.57
Annual Feedback Review from Agents	29 Jan 2010	0.00	
Latest Product Launch - Support Information		0.00	
Skyblue Products		0.00	
Mobilephone Consumer Sales	25 Jul 2010	100.00	62.22
I Phone Support	11 Jul 2010	0.00	
Insurance Knowledge	18 Dec 2009	0.00	
Blackberry Support	19 Jul 2010	100.00	54.92
Leadership Capability Program	29 Aug 2010	0.00	
Test Feedback3		0.00	
BT Vision		0.00	
Pre-Sales Team		33.33	62.22
Genesys New Group		66.67	25.53
Individually assigned assessments		100.00	0.00

Figure 3: My Development Screen Assessment

To start taking an assessment, click on the assessment name as shown in Figure 4.



The screenshot shows the Genesys Skills Assessor interface. At the top, there is a header with the Genesys logo, a user greeting 'Hello, Jane Doe', and a 'Logout' button. Below the header, there are tabs for 'My Development' and 'Reports'. The 'My Development' tab is active, showing a list of assessments. The table has columns for 'Group Name', 'Date By', '% Complete', and '% Average'. The 'Blackberry Support' assessment is highlighted with a red circle.

Group Name	Date By	% Complete	% Average
Consumer Sales		20.00	58.57
Annual Feedback Review from Agents	29 Jan 2010	0.00	
Latest Product Launch - Support Information		0.00	
Skyblue Products		0.00	
Mobilephone Consumer Sales	25 Jul 2010	100.00	62.22
i Phone Support	11 Jul 2010	0.00	
Insurance Knowledge	18 Dec 2009	0.00	
Blackberry Support	19 Jul 2010	100.00	54.92
Leadership Capability Program	29 Aug 2010	0.00	
Test Feedback3		0.00	
BT Vision		0.00	
Pre-Sales Team		33.33	62.22
Genesys New Group		66.67	25.53
Individually assigned assessments		100.00	0.00

Figure 4: Assessment Name

This will present a screen similar to the example below as shown in Figure 5.

At the bottom of the page is the option to check that any audio can be heard. Click on the button.

In this example there is a document that must be read before the assessment can be taken. Click on the **Please View Before Accessing the Test**. The application will not allow the assessment to be taken before the document has been selected.

After clicking on the link the document will be presented. Once the document has been read, close it using the x in the right hand corner. The home page will then be presented again, as per the example below as shown in Figure 5.

When ready to take the assessment click on **Start**.

The option to close the assessment at this stage is available by clicking on **Close**.

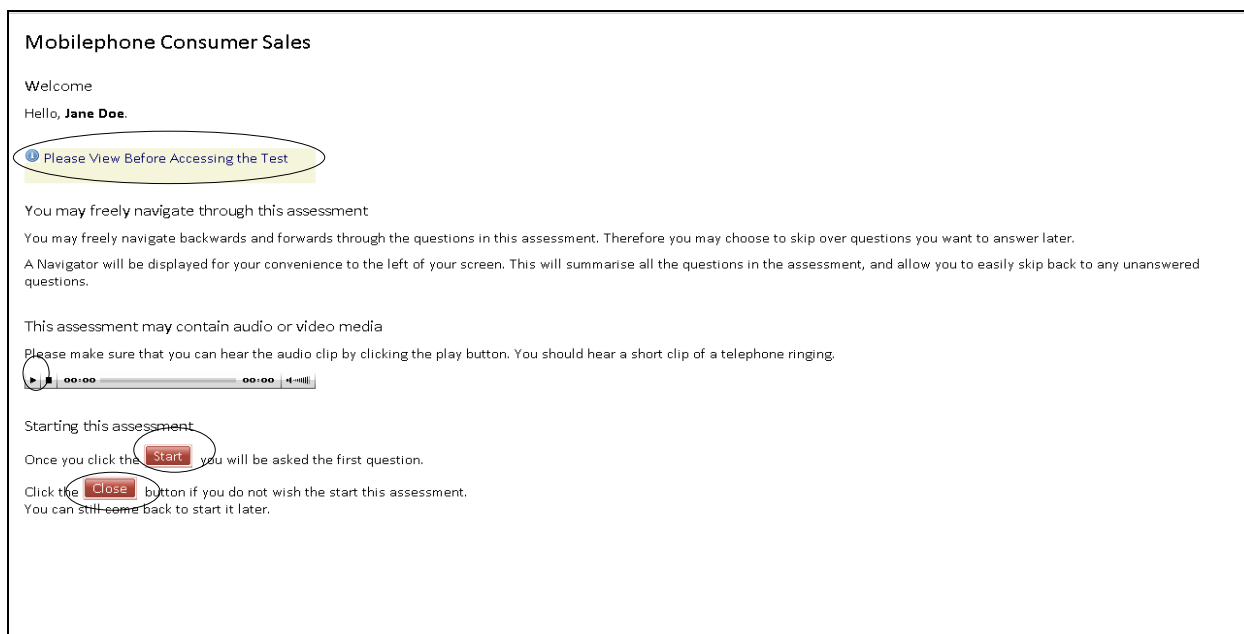


Figure 5: An Example of an Assessment

Question Examples

There are different types of assessments and questions. If the Navigator appears at the left hand side, then questions can be selected for answering by clicking on the question.

If the assessment is timed then the time allowed will be displayed in the top right hand side of the window.

Follow the instructions for each of the questions and after selecting the answer click on **Next** to move to the next question. If the Navigator is available then the questions can be selected by clicking on the boxes or question text, instead of selecting **Next** as shown in Figure 6.

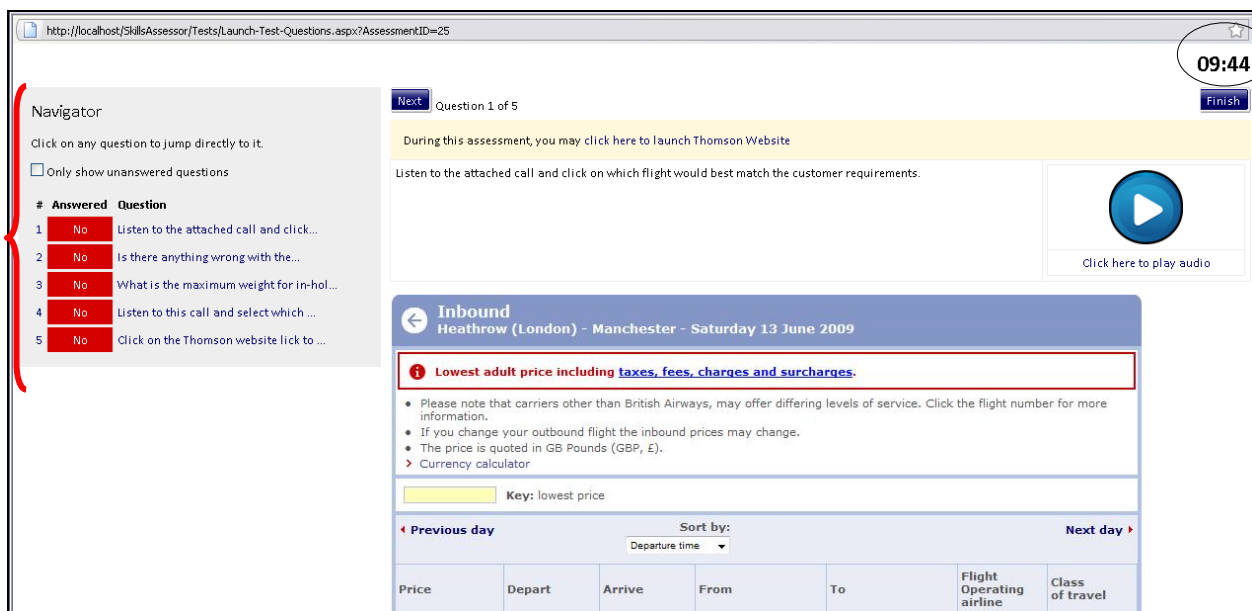


Figure 6: The Navigator Screen

After each question has been completed, the Navigator will be updated (if available) to indicate which questions have been completed as shown in Figure 7.

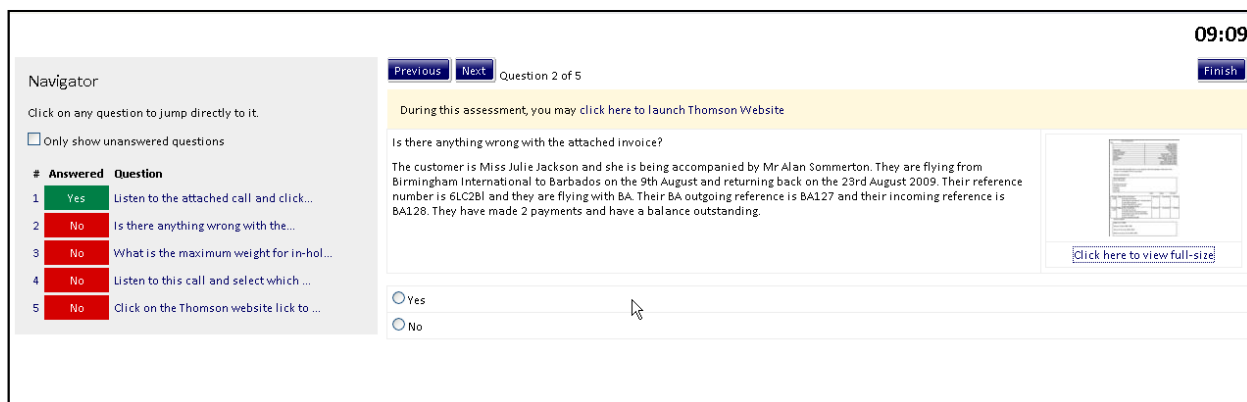


Figure 7: Completed Questions in The Navigator

In this example the question has an image attached. Click on **Click here to view the full image** and the image will be presented in full screen, similar to the example below as shown in Figure 8.

Navigator

Click on any question to jump directly to it.

☐ Only show unanswered questions

#	Answered	Question
1	Yes	Listen to the attached call and click...
2	No	Is there anything wrong with the...
3	No	What is the maximum weight for in-hol...
4	No	Listen to this call and select which ...
5	No	Click on the Thomson website link to ...

Previous Next Question 2 of 5
09:09 Finish

During this assessment, you may click here to launch Thomson Website

Is there anything wrong with the attached invoice?

The customer is Miss Julie Jackson and she is being accompanied by Mr Alan Sommerton. They are flying from Birmingham International to Barbados on the 9th August and returning back on the 23rd August 2009. Their reference number is 6LC2BI and they are flying with BA. Their BA outgoing reference is BA127 and their incoming reference is BA128. They have made 2 payments and have a balance outstanding.

☐ Yes
 ☐ No

Preview Image

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Sales Office	
Waterside Close	
18 Bridge Close	
Manchester	
Customer:	Miss Julie Jackson
12 Broad Street	Booking Ref: AJ62PR
Hayton	Date: 12 January 2009
Birmingham	Booking Date: 10 April 2008
B1 2JY	Sales Advisor: John
	Sales Advisor Ref: 12345
	Telephone: 0161 222 444

Please check that the details shown in your passport match the passenger names shown here.
Contact us immediately if this is not the case.

TRAVEL CONFIRMATION

Passenger Details:

Miss Julie Jackson

Mr Alan Sommerton
26 Jackson Terrace
Littleton
Coventry
CV1 7TW

	Class	Status	Vouchers
09 Aug 2009 Flight	Miss Julie Jackson Mr Alan Sommerton Birmingham International – Grantley Adams International Airport BA127 Dep: 08:15 Arr: 20:15 Airline reference: 6LC2BI	Economy	Confirmed E-Ticket
23 Aug 2009 Flights	Miss Julie Jackson Mr Alan Sommerton Grantley Adams International Airport – Birmingham International – BA128 Dep: 20:15 Arr: 08:15 Airline reference: 6LC2BI	Economy	Confirmed E-Ticket

Payment Details

Flight Cost - £1850

Deposit 10 April 2008 - £350

Payment 20 January 2009 - £600

Figure 8: The Navigator with Image Attached

In this example there is media attached as shown in Figure 9. To listen to it click on the Play button.

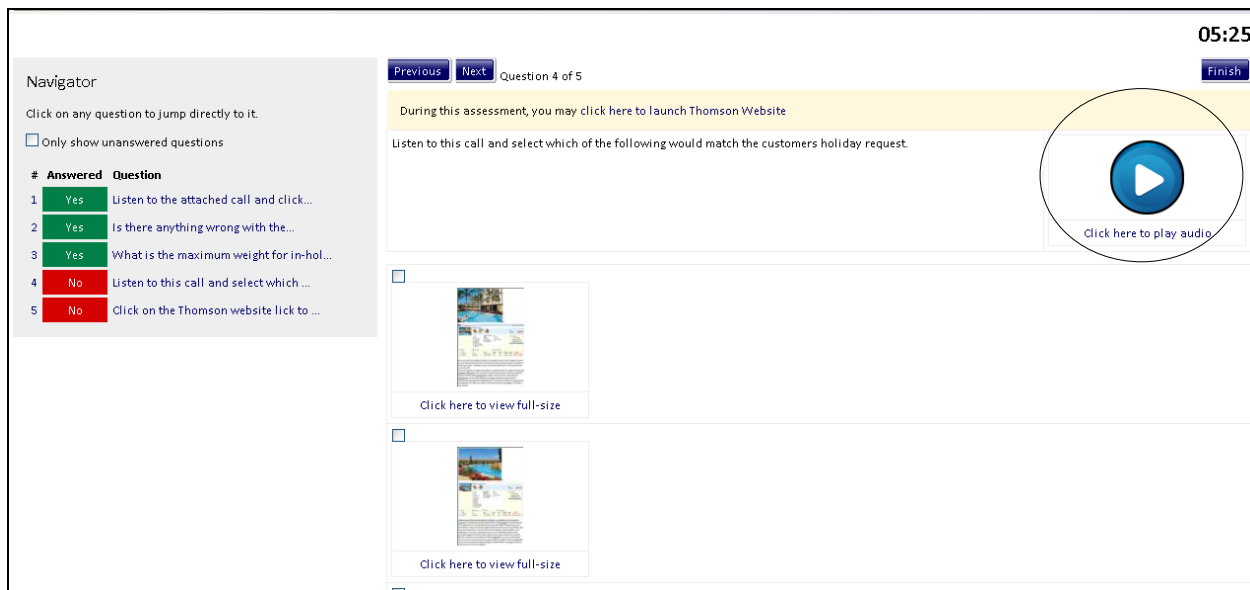


Figure 9: Navigator with Media Attached

This will present an image as per the example below as shown in. Click on the Play button in the middle of the headphones to listen to the attachment.

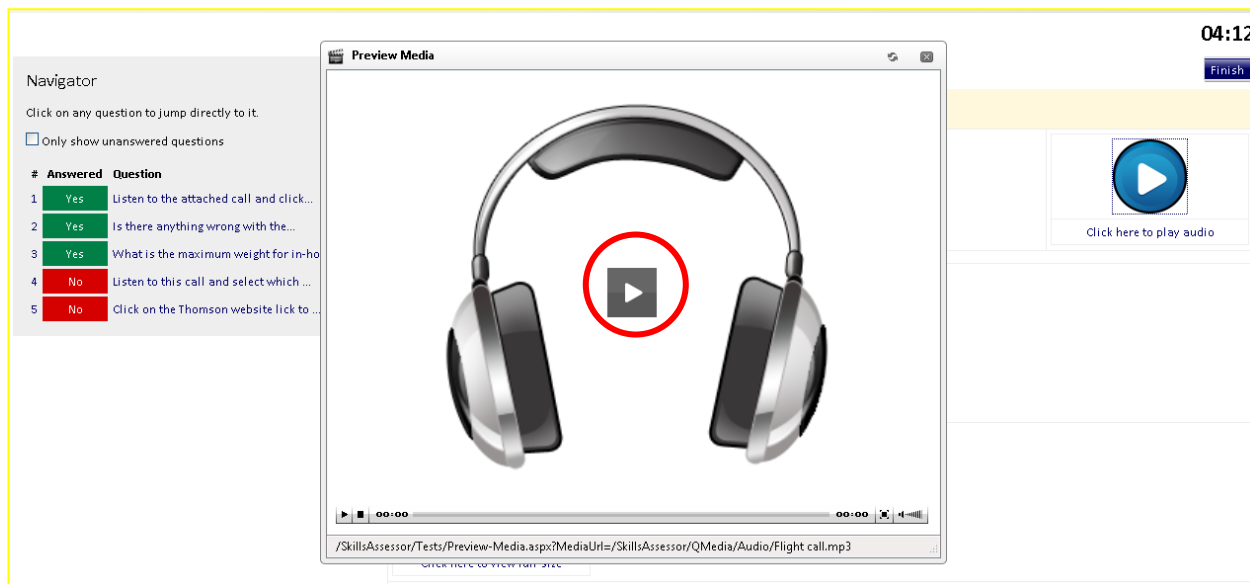


Figure 10: Listening to the Attachment

The answer then needs to be selected from the answers available. Click the button at the left hand side to select the answer.

In this example as shown in Figure 11 there is the option to access a website. By clicking on the link this will present the website.

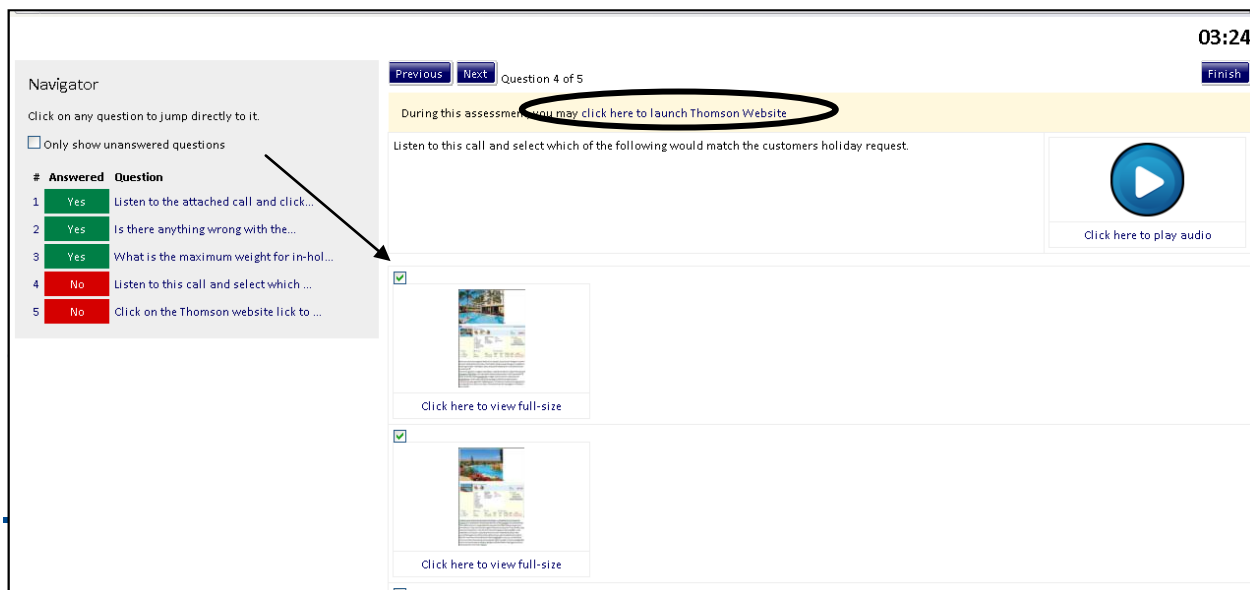


Figure 11: Navigator with Website Link

Once the assessment has been completed, click **F i n i s h** to close the assessment.

Notification that the assessment has been completed is presented as per the example below as shown in Figure 12. Follow the instructions to close the window.

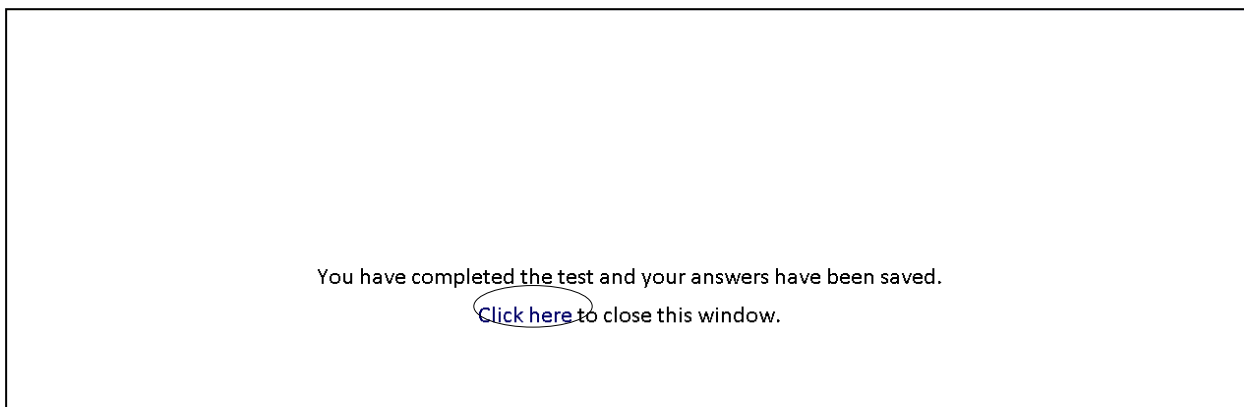


Figure 12: Assessment Finished

Questions similar to the example below as shown in Figure 13 may also be included.

When this type of question is presented, select the relevant rating by clicking in the radio button as shown in.

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL `http://localhost/SkillsAssessor/Tests/Launch-Test-Questions.aspx?AssessmentID=26`. The interface includes a 'Navigator' on the left with a list of three questions, all marked 'No' under the 'Answered' column. The main area displays 'Questions 1-3 of 3' and a table for rating responses. The table has columns for 'Comments/Evidence', 'Never', 'Sometimes', 'Most of the Time', and 'Always'. The first question is 'You assess your skills and identify your development needs at appropriate intervals'. The 'Sometimes' radio button is selected, indicated by an arrow.

During this assessment, you may		Never	Sometimes	Most of the Time	Always
You assess your skills and identify your development needs at appropriate intervals	Comments/Evidence	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Your assessment takes account of the skills you need to work effectively with other team members	Comments/Evidence	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Your plans for developing your skills contain specific, measurable and realistic objectives	Comments/Evidence	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Figure 13: An Example of the Type of Questions Asked

This screenshot is identical to Figure 13, but the 'Sometimes' radio button for the first question is now selected, indicated by a green dot inside the radio button.

During this assessment, you may		Never	Sometimes	Most of the Time	Always
You assess your skills and identify your development needs at appropriate intervals	Comments/Evidence	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Your assessment takes account of the skills you need to work effectively with other team members	Comments/Evidence	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Your plans for developing your skills contain specific, measurable and realistic objectives	Comments/Evidence	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Figure 14: An Example of the Radio Button

Once the assessment has been completed the My Development window will be updated to show that the assessment has been 100% completed and the assessment result will appear at the right hand side under %Average as shown in Figure 15.

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Hello, Bob Baxter Logout

My Development Reports Add stuff...

Assessments (by Group) Assessments (by Date)

Group Name	Date By	% Complete	% Average
Consumer Sales		20.00	14.25
Annual Feedback Review from Agents	29 Jan 2010	0.00	
Latest Product Launch - Support Information		100.00	25.72
Skyblue Products		100.00	2.78
Mobilephone Consumer Sales		0.00	
I Phone Support	28 Aug 2010	0.00	
Insurance Knowledge	20 Aug 2010	0.00	
Blackberry Support	21 Aug 2010	0.00	
Leadership Capability Program	29 Aug 2010	0.00	
Test Feedback3		0.00	
BT Vision		0.00	
Individually assigned assessments		100.00	0.00

Figure 15: Assessment 100% Completed

Viewing Results

To view the results of any completed assessments, select the **Reports** tab.

A window similar to the example below as shown in Figure 16 will be displayed. Click on the required user in the left hand window.

Genesys Skills Assessor

Hello, Bob Baxter Logout

My Development Reports Add stuff...

Reports

Report filters: Start Date: 18-Jul-2010 End Date: 17-Aug-2010

☒ The selected position only ☐ Into the hierarchy 1 level(s) down Export

Green Team Agent (Bob Baxter)

Select all

The report needs to be rebuilt to reflect your selections Rebuild report

Figure 16: Results of Completed Assessment

This will then reveal a list of assessments that have been completed and these can be filtered by date range as shown in Figure 17.

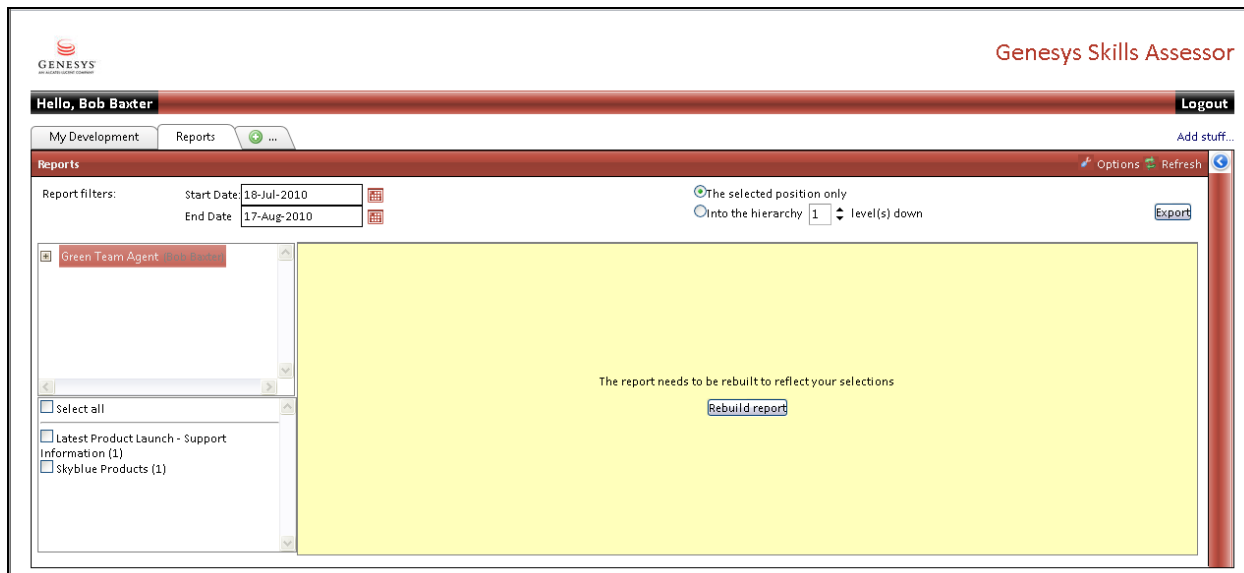


Figure 17: List of Completed Assessments

After selecting **Rebuild report** the information will be presented as per the example below. Click on the assessment name to expand and view any lower level results as shown in Figure 18.

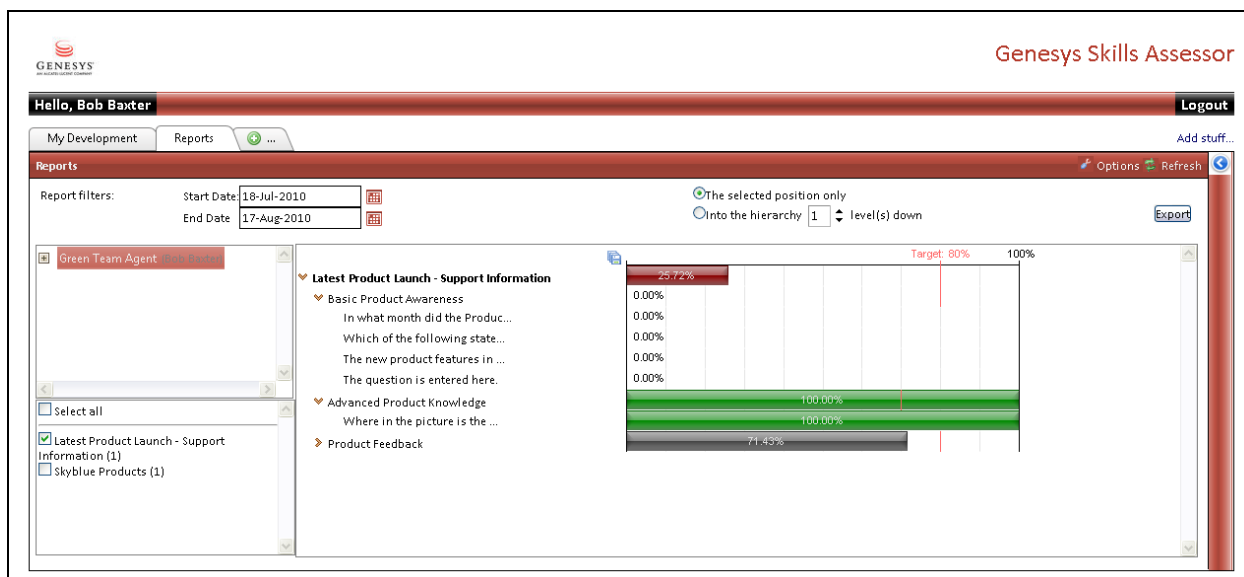
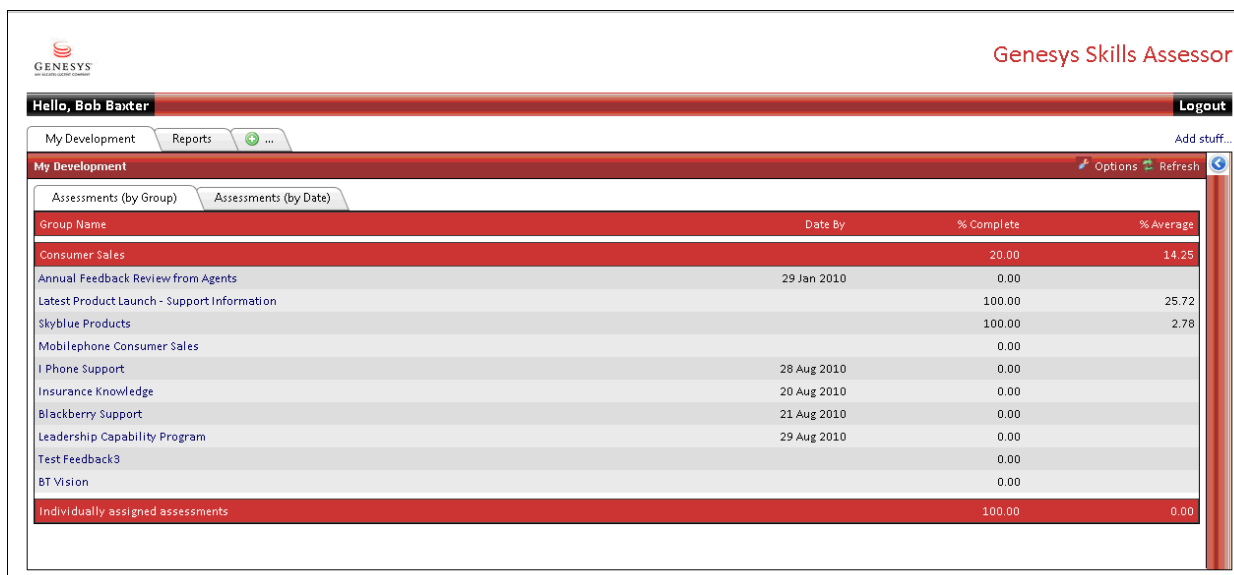


Figure 18: Lower Level Results

Logging Off

Once the assessments have been completed, return back to the User tab and select Logout to close the application as shown in Figure 19.



The screenshot displays the Genesys Skills Assessor interface. At the top, the Genesys logo is on the left, and 'Genesys Skills Assessor' is on the right. Below the logo, a greeting 'Hello, Bob Baxter' is shown next to a 'Logout' button. The main content area is titled 'My Development' and includes tabs for 'My Development', 'Reports', and a plus icon. Under 'My Development', there are two sub-tabs: 'Assessments (by Group)' and 'Assessments (by Date)'. The 'Assessments (by Group)' tab is active, showing a table with the following data:

Group Name	Date By	% Complete	% Average
Consumer Sales		20.00	14.25
Annual Feedback Review from Agents	29 Jan 2010	0.00	
Latest Product Launch - Support Information		100.00	25.72
Skyblue Products		100.00	2.78
Mobilephone Consumer Sales		0.00	
I Phone Support	28 Aug 2010	0.00	
Insurance Knowledge	20 Aug 2010	0.00	
Blackberry Support	21 Aug 2010	0.00	
Leadership Capability Program	29 Aug 2010	0.00	
Test Feedback3		0.00	
BT Vision		0.00	
Individually assigned assessments		100.00	0.00

Figure 19: Logout Screen