

Table 32.1. The percentages of those respondents who use English at least *about once a week* in their job by gender in question 32: “Do you use English in your current job?” The distribution includes respondents with English skills and who are working.

	Respondents who are working n=1025 %	Gender		p
		Male n=526 %	Female n=499 %	
Do you use English in your current job for:				
a. Reading manuals and product descriptions	22.8	29.2	16.0	< 0.001
b. Reading nonfiction and professional literature	20.3	27.4	12.7	< 0.001
c. Reading e-mails	24.4	30.7	17.8	< 0.001
d. Reading web pages	26.4	34.3	18.0	< 0.001
e. Reading documents	23.8	31.6	15.5	< 0.001
f. Searching information (e.g. Google)	33.7	40.3	26.8	< 0.001
g. Listening to presentations or lectures	9.2	10.9	7.3	0.044
h. Writing e-mails	18.0	21.9	13.8	< 0.001
i. Writing documents	11.2	13.2	9.2	0.044
j. Speaking with colleagues	13.3	15.1	11.3	0.075
k. Speaking in meetings and negotiations	6.9	8.7	5.0	0.020
l. Speaking with clients and partners on the phone	12.0	11.4	12.6	0.569
m. Speaking with clients and partners face to face	13.0	12.0	13.9	0.372
n. Giving presentations or lectures	3.3	3.8	2.7	0.316
I use English	46.2	52.0	40.0	< 0.001

Table 32.2. The percentages of those respondents who use English at least *about once a week* in their job by age group in question 32: “Do you use English in your current job?” The distribution includes respondents with English skills and who are working.

	Respondents who are working n=1025 %	Age				p
		15–24 n=113 %	25–44 n=466 %	45–64 n=403 %	65–79 n=42 %	
Do you use English in your current job for:						
a. Reading manuals and product descriptions	22.8	28.7	27.9	16.7	8.5	< 0.001
b. Reading nonfiction and professional literature	20.3	20.1	25.7	14.9	11.4	< 0.001
c. Reading e-mails	24.4	20.3	31.5	18.4	14.4	< 0.001
d. Reading web pages	26.4	34.6	33.2	17.9	8.7	< 0.001
e. Reading documents	23.8	25.1	32.9	14.5	7.7	< 0.001
f. Searching information (e.g. Google)	33.7	42.6	41.4	24.2	15.2	< 0.001
g. Listening to presentations or lectures	9.2	10.5	12.5	5.5	3.7	0.002
h. Writing e-mails	18.0	14.5	25.7	10.7	10.5	< 0.001
i. Writing documents	11.2	7.9	17.9	4.9	6.6	< 0.001
j. Speaking with colleagues	13.3	13.9	18.3	7.8	7.8	< 0.001
k. Speaking in meetings and negotiations	6.9	3.0	11.2	3.4	4.1	< 0.001
l. Speaking with clients and partners on the phone	12.0	9.2	16.7	8.4	1.9	< 0.001
m. Speaking with clients and partners face to face	13.0	14.8	19.1	6.4	2.1	< 0.001
n. Giving presentations or lectures	3.3	2.0	5.1	1.6	1.9	0.025
I use English	46.2	63.3	55.3	33.3	21.9	< 0.001

Table 32.3. The percentages of those respondents who use English at least *about once a week* in their job by residential area in question 32: “Do you use English in your current job?” The distribution includes respondents with English skills and who are working. 1: city with over 50 000 inhabitants, 2: town with less than 50 000 inhabitants, 3: rural centre, 4: countryside.

	Respondents who are working %	Area				p
		1	2	3	4	
Do you use English in your current job for:	n=1025	n=456	n=215	n=177	n=177	
a. Reading manuals and product descriptions	22.8	27.1	22.3	20.2	15.1	0.010
b. Reading nonfiction and professional literature	20.3	29.5	14.4	13.7	10.5	< 0.001
c. Reading e-mails	24.4	36.0	19.4	14.7	10.3	< 0.001
d. Reading web pages	26.4	37.6	19.5	19.2	12.9	< 0.001
e. Reading documents	23.8	35.1	17.1	17.1	9.5	< 0.001
f. Searching information (e.g. Google)	33.7	45.3	28.9	25.9	17.8	< 0.001
g. Listening to presentations or lectures	9.2	13.0	7.5	6.2	4.2	0.001
h. Writing e-mails	18.0	27.7	12.7	10.7	6.7	< 0.001
i. Writing documents	11.2	18.5	5.8	6.7	3.6	< 0.001
j. Speaking with colleagues	13.3	20.7	10.6	5.2	5.6	< 0.001
k. Speaking in meetings and negotiations	6.9	11.4	4.7	3.7	1.5	< 0.001
l. Speaking with clients and partners on the phone	12.0	17.9	9.8	6.7	4.8	< 0.001
m. Speaking with clients and partners face to face	13.0	18.9	7.7	9.7	7.2	< 0.001
n. Giving presentations or lectures	3.3	5.9	2.0	0.7	0.8	< 0.001
I use English	46.2	58.6	38.7	42.8	27.0	< 0.001

Table 32.4. The percentages of those respondents who use English *at least about once a week* in their job by education in question 32: “Do you use English in your current job?” The distribution includes respondents with English skills and who are working.

1: Primary school (grades 1-6 in the Finnish system), 2: Lower secondary school (grades 7-9/10 in the Finnish system), 3: Upper secondary school, upper secondary school graduate or vocational education graduate, 4: Polytechnic degree, 5: University degree.

	Respondents who are working %	Education					p
		1	2	3	4	5	
Do you use English in your current job for:	n=1025	n=44	n=127	n=529	n=125	n=195	
a. Reading manuals and product descriptions	22.8	3.3	13.6	20.3	35.2	32.5	< 0.001
b. Reading nonfiction and professional literature	20.3	0	7.9	13.6	28.6	46.0	< 0.001
c. Reading e-mails	24.4	0	8.7	17.8	36.7	50.6	< 0.001
d. Reading web pages	26.4	2.6	14.1	17.7	43.5	52.2	< 0.001
e. Reading documents	23.8	0	7.8	17.6	39.6	46.8	< 0.001
f. Searching information (e.g. Google)	33.7	7.0	23.0	25.5	48.0	60.1	< 0.001
g. Listening to presentations or lectures	9.2	0	6.0	3.1	16.9	25.0	< 0.001
h. Writing e-mails	18.0	0	7.6	10.5	30.8	41.3	< 0.001
i. Writing documents	11.2	0	2.1	4.5	19.5	33.0	< 0.001
j. Speaking with colleagues	13.3	5.9	14.7	8.3	18.4	24.5	< 0.001
k. Speaking in meetings and negotiations	6.9	0	5.2	2.3	16.1	16.6	< 0.001
l. Speaking with clients and partners on the phone	12.0	0	6.1	9.0	15.7	24.0	< 0.001
m. Speaking with clients and partners face to face	13.0	5.2	6.8	9.7	18.6	23.8	< 0.001
n. Giving presentations or lectures	3.3	0	1.2	0.2	5.6	12.3	< 0.001
I use English	46.2	16.2	31.9	41.8	59.9	65.8	< 0.001

Table 32.5. The percentages of those respondents who use English at least *about once a week* in their job by occupation in question 32: “Do you use English in your current job?” The distribution includes respondents with English skills and who are working.

1: Managers, 2: Experts, 3: Office and customer service workers, 4: Healthcare workers, 5: Manual workers.

	Respondents who are working %	Occupation					p
		1	2	3	4	5	
Do you use English in your current job for:	n=1025	n=58	n=345	n=262	n=63	n=246	
a. Reading manuals and product descriptions	22.8	44.4	29.5	20.0	1.8	16.1	< 0.001
b. Reading nonfiction and professional literature	20.3	52.0	34.6	10.2	1.9	9.8	< 0.001
c. Reading e-mails	24.4	58.2	39.9	20.2	5.6	7.6	< 0.001
d. Reading web pages	26.4	56.1	42.4	19.2	3.7	11.8	< 0.001
e. Reading documents	23.8	60.6	38.1	16.0	3.7	12.6	< 0.001
f. Searching information (e.g. Google)	33.7	58.6	48.9	30.8	11.5	16.9	< 0.001
g. Listening to presentations or lectures	9.2	36.2	15.6	4.0	1.8	1.8	< 0.001
h. Writing e-mails	18.0	44.3	30.6	15.4	3.7	3.2	< 0.001
i. Writing documents	11.2	33.2	21.7	4.4	1.8	3.0	< 0.001
j. Speaking with colleagues	13.3	36.1	19.1	7.5	8.5	8.9	< 0.001
k. Speaking in meetings and negotiations	6.9	29.6	12.4	1.4	1.8	2.3	< 0.001
l. Speaking with clients and partners on the phone	12.0	34.6	14.1	15.7	1.8	4.0	< 0.001
m. Speaking with clients and partners face to face	13.0	25.2	14.9	15.3	4.7	7.7	< 0.001
n. Giving presentations or lectures	3.3	17.8	5.5	0	1.8	0.9	< 0.001
I use English	46.2	65.6	57.5	50.0	16.2	28.7	< 0.001