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Sales Professional 8.0 JFA

Platform: TalentCentral+™ **Availability:** November 2026

The Sales Professional 8.0 Job-Focused Assessment is now available for the Sales Professional solution. It supports talent acquisition teams hiring professional-level sales roles, such as account manager, sales representative, and business development representative. The assessment combines the Global Skills Assessment with a short measure of Sales Focus. It takes 20 minutes to complete and uses multiple-choice questions. The assessment language is US English (en-US). Results can generate an interview guide, a candidate report, and a detailed recruiter report. The reports cover nine UCF skills and Sales Focus.

Should you have any questions, please contact your Account Manager.

WriteX: Customised CEFR Score Logic

Platform: TalentCentral+™ **Availability:** November 2026

Following the earlier release for SVAR, WriteX also now supports custom proficiency grade templates. Customers can set their own proficiency thresholds on the validated Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) scale. This reflects regional or role-based requirements. To request a template, customers need to contact their SHL account team, who can configure it on their account. Customers can then select the template from a dropdown during project setup. Reports that use a custom proficiency grade template show "Proficiency score" instead of "CEFR". They also include a disclaimer that the grading criteria were customized for the customer's job or regional requirements. Reports that use standard CEFR scoring keep the "CEFR" label and show no disclaimer. Every WriteX report also shows a Version ID. The Version ID identifies the template used to calculate the candidate's score.

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TalentCentral Product Availability

Platform: **TalentCentral™** **Availability:** **11 November 2026**

Assessments

Product	Language
Verify 2 Verbal Ability	Portuguese

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TalentCentral+ Product Availability

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Reports

Product	Language
Development Action Planner Report 2.0	Polish

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