Leadership Motivation Assessment Show the extent to which you agree with each of the following statements on a scale running from 1 (strongly disagree) to 5 (strongly agree).

1. I am energized when people count on me for ideas.	
2. As a practice, I ask people challenging questions when we are	
working on projects together.	
3. I take delight in complimenting people I work with when	
progress is made.	
4. I find it easy to be the cheerleader for others, when times are	
good and when times are bad.	
5. Team accomplishment is more important to me than my own	
personal accomplishments.	
6. People often take my ideas and run with them.	
7. When involved in group projects, building team cohesiveness is	
important to me.	
8. When involved in group projects, coaching others is an activity I	
gravitate toward.	
9. I find pleasure in recognizing and celebrating the	
accomplishments of others.	
10. When involved in group projects, my team members' problems	
are my problems.	
11. Resolving interpersonal conflict is an activity I enjoy.	
12. When involved in group projects, I frequently find myself to be	
an "idea generator."	
13. When involved in group projects, I am inclined to let my ideas	
be known.	
14. I find pleasure in being a convincing person.	

Scoring and Interpretation Sum your responses to the 14 questions and then divide that number by 14. Your score should fall between a low of 1 and a high of 5.

My leadership motivation (readiness) score is: ______. A tentative interpretation of your scoring is as follows:

- **4 and greater**: implies a high motivation for leadership.
- **2 to 4**: implies some uncertainty about your motivation for leadership.
- 2 and less: implies a low motivation for leadership.

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