

Descriptors of Skills and Competencies

The Occupation and Skills Information System ([OaSIS](#)) has an extensive list of detailed descriptors that you can use to strengthen your job search and career growth communication strategy.

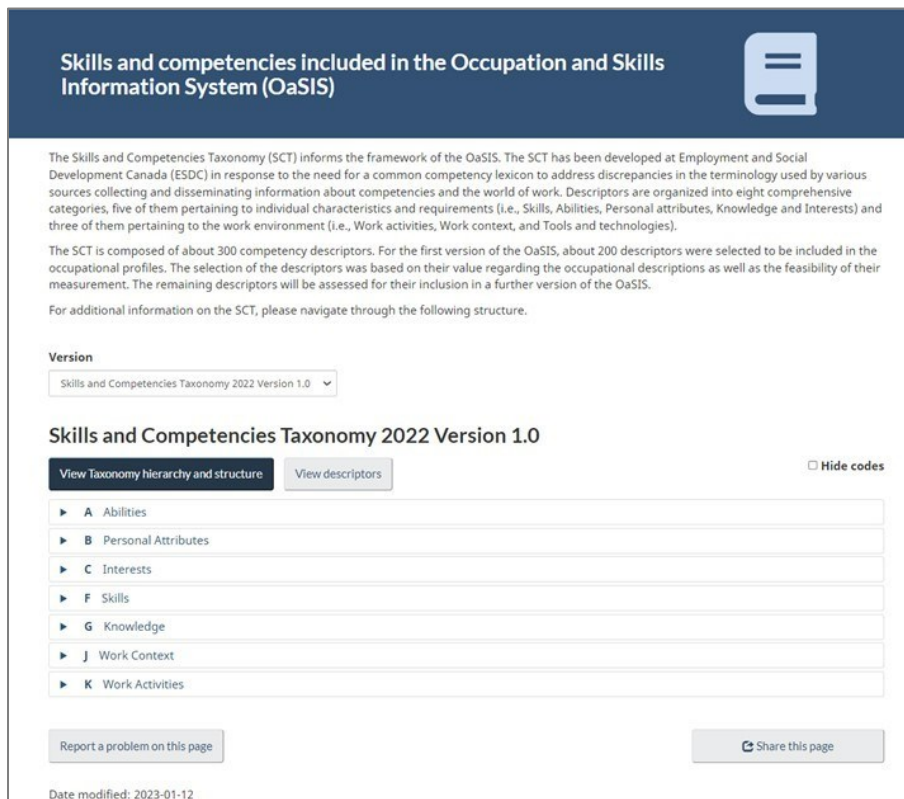
It's a very useful tool to let others know about your areas of expertise, your knowledge, and what you have to offer to an employer.

Your ability to explain your skills and abilities and discuss them with confidence will significantly impact how people see you and your potential.

These descriptors will help you communicate:

- a) what you know
- b) what you have experience in doing
- c) your understanding of the job's duties
- d) how your skills are relevant to the role you are applying for

Click on the image below to explore the list of Skills and Competencies:



The screenshot shows the 'Skills and Competencies Taxonomy 2022 Version 1.0' interface. The header is dark blue with the title 'Skills and competencies included in the Occupation and Skills Information System (OaSIS)' and a menu icon. Below the header, there is a paragraph explaining the Skills and Competencies Taxonomy (SCT) and its purpose. A 'Version' dropdown menu is set to 'Skills and Competencies Taxonomy 2022 Version 1.0'. Below this, there are two buttons: 'View Taxonomy hierarchy and structure' (highlighted) and 'View descriptors'. A 'Hide codes' checkbox is also present. The main content area displays a list of categories with expandable arrows: A Abilities, B Personal Attributes, C Interests, F Skills, G Knowledge, J Work Context, and K Work Activities. At the bottom, there are buttons for 'Report a problem on this page' and 'Share this page', and a footer indicating 'Date modified: 2023-01-12'.