

► **Activity 4:** Match the words in Row A with their synonyms in Row B:

Row A: implement, remedy, troubleshoot, reasoning, relay, expertise, project, median, temper
Row B: communicate, solution, thinking, execute, skillfulness, predict, repair, lessen, the middle number

► **Activity 5:** Use the following words/phrases to fill in the gaps in the sentences:

decline / annual / troubleshooting / overall / expertise / keeping track of / wages / relay

- Electrical and electronics engineers develop technical publications including _____ manuals to be used by technical support representatives.
- A lot of people have difficulty _____ all the new technologies that seem to pop up almost every day.
- Manufacturing supervisors _____ instructions to their crews.
- He was invited to be the plenary speaker at the conference, because of his _____ in signal processing.
- There is no sign of _____ in the number of self-employed electrical engineers.
- _____, electrical engineers seem to be very satisfied with the _____ they receive.
- All these services are detailed in our _____ maintenance contract in the section headlined *Computer and Laptop Repair*.



Word Building

► Supply the correct form of the words in brackets.

(Hint: All the missing words except for one appeared in Reading 2.)

- We are going to carry out a number of tests in order to decide if design _____ are needed. (**MODIFY**)
- If the device functions _____, then we are not going to change its setup. (**SATISFY**)
- Many of the electrical engineers employed by the federal government have expressed _____ over the lack of safety precautions. (**COMPLAIN**)
- The government has not specified the _____ regarding the technological devices employed in Early Warning Systems. (**REQUIRE**)
- Although we have some idea of how hackers work, we believe that additional _____ about them needs to be acquired. (**KNOW**)
- The _____ of electrical engineers is expected to grow by 10% over the next decade. (**EMPLOY**)
- Anyone wishing to be considered for the next conference should submit his/her _____ online by the end of the month. (**PROPOSE**)
- I don't wish to distress you, but it's likely you'll run into obstacles in every project you _____. (**TAKE**)
- There are going to be _____ classes for students who fell behind due to COVID-19. (**REMEDY**)

Word-Sleuth

Circle 10 words that are related to qualities and skills that Electrical & Electronics Engineers need to possess.

A	A	E	M	W	F	G	K	F	E	S	Q	B	B	P
W	Z	O	X	A	H	T	N	K	V	W	E	C	W	K
A	N	U	Y	P	T	Q	Z	I	J	X	I	O	G	N
E	O	D	I	D	E	H	X	P	N	L	P	G	B	I
E	I	F	O	W	T	R	S	J	M	O	E	P	I	F
T	T	I	B	R	B	M	I	F	J	V	S	C	J	O
E	A	D	M	I	R	Z	H	E	I	I	C	A	N	T
D	R	A	F	T	I	N	G	T	N	J	U	Z	E	O
K	O	S	V	I	L	F	A	V	D	C	Q	V	U	R
S	B	U	Q	N	U	I	B	D	Q	I	E	K	T	V
R	A	Q	B	G	T	S	K	N	R	Q	O	I	C	V
U	L	N	A	I	C	W	R	N	Y	L	Q	K	G	M
P	L	A	N	O	S	R	E	P	R	E	T	N	I	O
N	O	I	T	A	R	T	N	E	C	N	O	C	A	O
N	C	O	M	M	U	N	I	C	A	T	I	O	N	J