This snapshot includes the most popular specialist and software skills most sought after by recruiting employers between October 2021 and September 2022 in the UK. It also shows the top SOC occupations within each group that employers have been recruiting for over the past year.

### Key job posting figures
(Oct 2021 to Sept 2022)
- Unique postings: 368,300
- Median advertised salary: £44,992

### Key labour force figures
- Jobs 2021: 559,300
- Job growth (%) 2030: 3.2%

### Top SOC occupations
Civil, UK, Oct 2021 to Sept 2022
- Civil engineers
- Quantity surveyors
- Production managers and directors in construction
- Construction project managers and related professionals
- Draughtspersons

### Top 10 software skills
Civil, UK, Oct 2021 to Sept 2022
- AutoCAD
- Autodesk Revit
- Microsoft Office
- Microsoft Excel
- Microsoft Azure
- Amazon Web Services
- Microsoft Outlook
- Reliability, availability, maintainability and safety software
- Python (programming language)
- Active Directory

### Top 15 specialist skills
Civil, UK, Oct 2021 to Sept 2022
- Construction
- Civil engineering
- AutoCAD
- Subcontracting
- Quantity surveying
- Surveying
- Autodesk Revit
- Engineering management
- Structural engineering
- Engineering design process
- Computer-aided design
- Construction management
- Construction surveying
- Building information modelling
- Earthworks

**Note:**
The ‘specialist’ skills lists included in this snapshot have been extracted by their relative importance to the thematic career group and then ranked by the frequency with which they appear in job postings related to the group.

Software skills may overlap with specialist skills, depending on prevalence.

Source: Lightcast Job Postings