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COMPETENCY BASED CURRICULUM

FOR

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LEVEL 4



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FOREWORD

The provision of quality education and training is fundamental to the Government's overall strategy for social economic development. Quality education and training will contribute to achievement Kenya's development blue print and sustainable development goals.

Reforms in the education sector are necessary for the achievement of Kenya Vision 2030 and meeting the provisions of the Constitution of Kenya 2010. The education sector had to be aligned to the Constitution and this resulted to the formulation of the Policy Framework for Reforming Education and Training (Sessional Paper No. 4 of 2016). A key feature of this policy is the radical change in the design and delivery of the TVET training. This policy document requires that training in TVET be competency based, curriculum development be industry led, certification be based on demonstration of competence and mode of delivery allows for multiple entry and exit in TVET programmes.

These reforms demand that Industry takes a leading role in curriculum development to ensure the curriculum addresses its competence needs. It is against this background that this Curriculum has been developed.

It is my conviction that this curriculum will play a great role towards development of competent human resource for the Electrical sector's growth and sustainable development.

PRINCIPAL SECRETARY, VOCATIONAL AND TECHNICAL TRAINING
MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

PREFACE

Kenya Vision 2030 aims to transform the country into a newly industrializing, "middle-income country providing a high-quality life to all its citizens by the year 2030". Kenya intends to create a globally competitive and adaptive human resource base to meet the requirements of a rapidly industrializing economy through life-long education and training. TVET has a responsibility of facilitating the process of inculcating knowledge, skills and attitudes necessary for catapulting the nation to a globally competitive country, hence the paradigm shift to embrace Competency Based Education and Training (CBET).

The Technical and Vocational Education and Training Act No. 29 of 2013 and the Sessional Paper No. 4 of 2016 on Reforming Education and Training in Kenya, emphasized the need to reform curriculum development, assessment and certification. This called for a shift to CBET to address the mismatch between skills acquired through training and skills needed by industry as well as increase the global competitiveness of Kenyan labour force.

TVET Curriculum Development, Assessment and Certification Council (TVET CDACC), in conjunction with Electrical Engineering Sector Skills Advisory Committee (SSAC) have developed this curriculum.

This curriculum has been developed following the CBET framework policy; the CBETA Standards and guidelines provided by the TVET Authority and the Kenya National Qualification framework designed by the Kenya National Qualification Authority.

This curriculum is designed and organized with an outline of learning outcomes; suggested delivery methods, training/learning resources and methods of assessing the trainee's achievement. The curriculum is competency-based and allows multiple entry and exit to the course.

I am grateful to the Council Members, Council Secretariat, Electrical Engineering SSAC, expert workers and all those who participated in the development of this curriculum.

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This curriculum has been designed for competency-based training and has independent units of learning that allow the trainee flexibility in entry and exit. In developing the curriculum, significant involvement and support was received from various organizations.

I recognize with appreciation the role of the Electrical Engineering Sector Skills Advisory Committee (SSAC) in ensuring that competencies required by the industry are addressed in the curriculum. I also thank all stakeholders in the Electrical sector for their valuable input and all those who participated in the process of developing this curriculum.

I am convinced that this curriculum will go a long way in ensuring that workers in Electrical Sector acquire competencies that will enable them to perform their work more efficiently.

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ACRONYMNS AND ABBREVIATIONS

CAD Computer Aided Design

CCTV Closed Circuit Tele Vision

CDACC Curriculum Development, Assessment and Certification Council

EHS Environment Health and Safety

IEE Institute of Electrical Engineers

HVAC Heating Ventilation and Air Conditioning

IBMS Integrated Building Management System

K.C.S.E Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education

KNQA Kenya National Qualification Authority

KNQF Kenya National Qualification Framework

KEBS Kenya Bureau of Standards

KPLC Kenya Power and Lighting Company

NCA National Construction Authority

NEMA National Environment Management Authority

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Act

PPE Personal Protective Equipment

PV Photo Voltaic

TVET Technical and Vocational Education and Training

WIBA Work Injury Benefits Act

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KEY TO UNIT CODE

ENG/CU/EI/BC/01/4/A

| Industry or sector | | | |
|------------------------|--|--|--|
| Occupational Standards | | | |
| Occupational area | | | |
| Type of competency | | | |
| Competency number | | | |
| Competency level | | | |
| Version control — | | | |

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OVERVIEW

Description of the course

This course is designed to equip electrical Craft person with the competencies required to plan, install, test, maintain and repair different types of electrical installations. The activities involved include the installation types ranging from domestic to commercial of the single-phase type.

The course consists of basic, common and core units of learning as indicated below:

Basic Units of Learning

| Unit Code | Unit Title | Duration in | Credit |
|---------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------|---------|
| | | Hours | factors |
| ENG/CU/EI/BC/01/4/A | Communication skills | 20 | 2 |
| ENG/CU/EI/BC/02/4/A | Digital literacy | 30 | 3 |
| ENG/CU/EI/BC/03/4/A | Entrepreneurial skills | 60 | 6 |
| ENG/CU/EI/BC/04/4/A | Employability skills | 30 | 3 |
| ENG/CU/EI/BC/05/4/A | Environmental literacy | 20 | 2 |
| ENG/CU/EI/BC/06/4/A | Occupational safety and health | 20 | 2 |
| | practices | 20 | |
| | 180 | 18 | |

Common Units of Learning

| Unit Code | Unit Title | Duration | Credit |
|---------------------|-------------------------|----------|---------|
| | | in Hours | Factors |
| ENG/CU/EI/CC/01/4/A | Engineering Mathematics | 30 | 3 |
| ENG/CU/EI/CC/02/4/A | Electrical principles | 40 | 4 |
| ENG/CU/EI/CC/03/4/A | Workshop Technology | 20 | 2 |
| ENG/CU/EI/CC/04/4/A | Technical Drawing | 20 | 2 |
| | 110 | 11 | |

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Core Units of Learning

| Unit Code | Unit Title | Duration in | Credit |
|---------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------|---------|
| | | Hours | factors |
| ENG/CU/EI/CR/02/4/A | Perform Electrical Installation | 90 | 9 |
| ENG/CU/EI/CR/03/4/A | Testing of Electrical Installation | 30 | 3 |
| ENG/CU/EI/CR/05/4/A | Electrical Installation Breakdown | 40 | 4 |
| | Maintenance | | |
| | Industrial Attachment | 300 | 30 |
| | 460 | 46 | |
| GI | 750 | 75 | |

The total duration of the course is **750** hours, inclusive of industrial attachment.

Entry Requirements

An individual entering this course should have any of the following minimum requirements:

a) Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (K.C.S.E.) mean grade E

Or

- b) Level 3 certificate in electrical installation with **one** year of continuous work experience **Or**
- c) Equivalent qualifications as determined by Kenya National Qualifications Authority (KNQA)

1. Industrial attachment

An individual enrolled in this course will be required to undergo an industrial attachment in an Electrical firm for a period of at least 300 hours. Attachment will be undertaken upon completion of the course or the unit of learning.

2. Assessment

The course will be assessed at two levels: internally and externally. Internal assessment is continuous and is conducted by the trainer who is monitored by an internal accredited verifier while external assessment is the responsibility of TVET/CDACC.

3. Certification

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A candidate will be issued with a Record of Achievement on demonstration of competence in a unit of competency. To attain the qualification Electrical Artisan Level 4, the candidate must demonstrate competence in all the units of competency as given in qualification pack. These certificates will be issued by TVET CDACC in conjunction with training provider.

BASIC UNITS OF LEARNING

COMMUNICATION SKILLS

UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/EI/BC/01/4/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the unit of competency: Demonstrate communication skills

Duration of Unit: 20 hours

Unit Description

This unit describes the competencies required to use specialized communication skills to meet specific needs of internal and external clients, conduct interviews, facilitate discussion with groups and contribute to the development of communication strategies.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Utilize specialized communication skills processes
- 2. Contribute to the development of communication strategies
- 3. Conduct interviews
- 4. Facilitate group discussions
- 5. Represent the organization

Learning Outcomes, Content and Suggested Assessment Methods

| Learning Outcome | Content | Suggested Assessment |
|-------------------------|---|----------------------|
| | | Methods |
| 1. Utilize specialized | ☐ Communication process | ☐ Observation |
| communication skills | ☐ Modes of communication | ☐ Oral |
| processes | ☐ Medium of communication | |
| | ☐ Effective communication | |
| | ☐ Barriers to communication | |
| | ☐ Flow of communication | |
| | ☐ Sources of information | |
| | Organizational policies | |
| | Organization requirements for | |
| | written and electronic | |
| | communication methods | |
| | ☐ Report writing | |
| | ☐ Effective questioning | |

| | | techniques (clarifying and | |
|----|--------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| | | probing) | |
| | | Workplace etiquette | |
| | | Ethical work practices in | |
| | | handling communication | |
| | | Active listening | |
| | | Feedback | |
| | | Interpretation | |
| | | Flexibility in communication | |
| 2. | Contribute to the | Dynamics of groups | Written |
| | development of | Styles of group leadership | Observation |
| | communication | Openness and flexibility in | |
| | strategies | communication | |
| | | Communication skills relevant | |
| | | to client groups | |
| 3. | Conduct interviews | Types of interview | Written |
| | | Establishing rapport | Observation |
| | | Facilitating resolution of issues | |
| | | Developing action plans | |
| 4. | Facilitate group | Identification of | Written |
| | discussions | communication needs | Observation |
| | | Dynamics of groups | |
| | | Styles of group leadership | |
| | | Presentation of information | |
| | | Encouraging group members | |
| | | participation | |
| | | Evaluating group | |
| | | communication strategies | |
| 5. | Represent the | Presentation techniques | Observation |
| | organization | Development of a presentation | Written |
| | | Multi-media utilization in | |
| | | presentation | |
| | | Communication skills relevant | |
| | | to client groups | |

Suggested Delivery Methods

- Interview
- Role playing

- Observation
- Viewing of related videos

Recommended Resources

- Desktop computers/laptops
- Internet connection
- Projectors
- Telephone

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DIGITAL LITERACY

UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/EI/BC/02/4/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the Unit of Competency: Demonstrate digital literacy

Duration of Unit: 30 hours

Unit Description

This unit describes competencies required to use a computer and other digital devices for the purposes of communication, work performance and management at the workplace.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Identify computer software and hardware
- 2. Apply security measures to data, hardware, software in automated environment
- 3. Apply computer software in solving tasks
- 4. Apply internet and email in communication at workplace
- 5. Apply desktop publishing in official assignments
- 6. Prepare presentation packages

Learning Outcomes, Content and Suggested Assessment Methods

| Le | arning Outcome | Content | Suggested Assessment |
|----|-----------------------|---|----------------------|
| | | | Methods |
| 1. | Identify computer | ☐ Concepts of ICT | ☐ Written tests |
| | hardware and software | ☐ Functions of ICT | ☐ Oral presentation |
| | | ☐ History of computers | ☐ Observation |
| | | ☐ Components of a computer | |
| | | ☐ Classification of computers | |
| 2. | Apply security | ☐ Data security and control | ☐ Written tests |
| | measures to data, | ☐ Security threats and control measures | ☐ Oral presentation |
| | hardware and software | ☐ Types of computer crimes | ☐ Observation |
| | | ☐ Detection and protection against | ☐ Project |
| | | computer crimes | |
| | | ☐ Laws governing protection of ICT | |
| 3. | Apply computer | ☐ Operating system | ☐ Oral questioning |
| | software in solving | ☐ Word processing | ☐ Observation |
| | tasks | ☐ Spread sheets | ☐ Project |
| | | ☐ Data base design and manipulation | |

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| | | ☐ Data manipulation, storage and | |
|----|------------------------|--|---------------------|
| | | retrieval | |
| 4. | Apply internet and | ☐ Computer networks | ☐ Oral questioning |
| | email in | ☐ Network configurations | ☐ Observation |
| | communication at | ☐ Uses of internet | ☐ Oral presentation |
| | workplace | ☐ Electronic mail (e-mail) concept | ☐ Written report |
| 5. | Apply desktop | ☐ Concept of desktop publishing | ☐ Oral questioning |
| | publishing in official | ☐ Opening publication window | ☐ Observation |
| | assignments | ☐ Identifying different tools and tool | ☐ Oral presentation |
| | | bars | ☐ Written report |
| | | ☐ Determining page layout | ☐ Project |
| | | ☐ Opening, saving and closing files | |
| | | ☐ Drawing various shapes using DTP | |
| | | ☐ Using colour pellets to enhance a | |
| | | document | |
| | | ☐ Inserting text frames | |
| | | ☐ Importing and exporting text | |
| | | ☐ Object linking and embedding | |
| | | ☐ Designing of various publications | |
| | | ☐ Printing of various publications | |
| 6. | Prepare presentation | ☐ Types of presentation packages | ☐ Oral questioning |
| | packages | ☐ Procedure of creating slides | ☐ Observation |
| | | ☐ Formatting slides | ☐ Oral presentation |
| | | ☐ Presentation of slides | ☐ Written report |
| | | ☐ Procedure for editing objects | ☐ Project |

Suggested Delivery Methods

- Instructor led facilitation of theory
- Demonstration by trainer
- Practical work by trainee
- Viewing of related videos
- Project
- Group discussions

Recommended Resources

- Desk top computers
- Laptop computers

- Other digital devices
- Printers
- Storage devices
- Internet access
- Computer software

ENTREPRENEURIAL SKILLS

UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/EI/BC/03/4/A

Relationship to occupational standards

This unit addresses the unit of competency: Demonstrate entrepreneurial skills

Duration of unit: 60 hours

Unit description

This unit describes the competencies critical to demonstration of entrepreneurial capabilities. It involves, enhancing the entrepreneur's business skills, fostering a culture of continuous improvement at individual and organization level, implementing appropriate internal controls for profitability, improving employed capital base and undertaking regional/county business expansion.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Develop one's business skill
- 2. Develop individual workers and teams
- 3. Expand markets and customers
- 4. Expand employed capital
- 5. Undertake regional/county business expansion

Learning Outcomes, Content and Suggested Assessment Methods

| Learning Outcome | Content | Suggested Assessment | |
|-------------------------|--|----------------------------------|--|
| | | Methods | |
| 1. Develop one's | ☐ Entrepreneurial skills development | ☐ Observation | |
| business skill | Market trendsMonitoring and anticipating market | ☐ Case studies☐ Individual/group | |
| | trends | assignments | |
| | ☐ New technologies in entrepreneurship | ☐ Projects | |
| | ☐ Products and processes in | ☐ Written | |
| | entrepreneurship | ☐ Oral | |
| | ☐ Linkages with other entrepreneurs | | |
| | ☐ Business conventions ad exhibitions | | |

| | ☐ Personal improvement and growth | |
|-----------------------|--|--------------------|
| | | |
| | | |
| 2. Develop individual | ☐ Good staff/workers | ☐ Observation |
| workers and teams | ☐ Team building and team work | ☐ Case studies |
| | ☐ Staff development and enhancement | ☐ Individual/group |
| | ☐ Culture of continuous improvement | assignments |
| | ☐ Increasing products and services | projects |
| | ☐ Marketing improvement | ☐ Written |
| | ☐ Intrapreneurship | ☐ Oral |
| 3. Expand markets | ☐ Maintaining appropriate cash flow in the | ☐ Oral |
| and customers base | organization | ☐ Observation |
| | ☐ Internal controls | ☐ Case studies |
| | ☐ Business break-even point | ☐ Individual/group |
| | Business profitability determinants | assignments |
| | ☐ Prudent purchases in an enterprise | projects |
| | ☐ Reducing business expenses | ☐ Written |
| | ☐ Good staff/workers and customer | |
| | relations | |
| | ☐ Identifying and maintain new customers | |
| | and markets | |
| | ☐ Product/ service promotions | |
| | ☐ Products / services diversification | |
| | ☐ SWOT / PESTEL analysis | |
| | ☐ Conducting a business survey | |
| | ☐ Market expansion | |
| | ☐ Small business records management | |
| | ☐ Book keeping and auditing for small | |
| | businesses | |
| | ☐ Business support services | |
| | ☐ Small business resources mobilization | |
| | and utilization | |
| | ☐ Basic business social responsibility | |
| | ☐ Management of small business | |
| | ☐ Word processing concepts in small | |
| | business management | |
| | ☐ Computer application software | |
| | ☐ Monitoring and controlling business | |
| | operations | |

| 4. Ex | xpand employed | ☐ Employed capital in small businesses | Observation |
|-------|-------------------|--|------------------|
| ca | apital | ☐ Share holdings | Case studies |
| | | ☐ Business expansion and diversification | Individual/group |
| | | ☐ Resources for growing small business | assignments |
| | | ☐ Small business Strategic Plan | projects |
| | | ☐ Cooperate Social responsibility | Written |
| | 1 | ☐ Computer software in business | |
| | | development | |
| | | ☐ ICT and business growth | |
| 5. U | Indertake | ☐ Region identification process | Oral |
| cc | ounty/regional | ☐ Regional laws and regulation | Observation |
| bu | usiness expansion | ☐ Business regional expansion | Case studies |
| | | requirements | Individual/group |
| | | | assignments |
| | | | projects |
| | | | Written |

Suggested Delivery Methods

- Instructor led facilitation of theory
- Demonstration by trainer
- Practice by trainee
- Role play
- Case study

Recommended Resources

- Case studies for small businesses
- Business plan templates
- Lap top/ desk top computer
- Internet
- Telephone
- Writing materials

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EMPLOYABILITY SKILLS

UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/EI/BC/04/4/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the Unit of Competency: Demonstrate employability skills

Duration of Unit: 30 hours

Unit Description

This unit covers competencies required to demonstrate employability skills. It involves conducting self-management, demonstrating critical safe work habits, demonstrating workplace learning and workplace ethics.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Conduct self-management
- 2. Demonstrate critical safe work habits
- 3. Demonstrate workplace learning
- 4. Demonstrate workplace ethics

Learning Outcomes, Content and Suggested Assessment Methods

| Learning Outcome | Content | Suggested Assessment Methods |
|------------------|---|---------------------------------|
| 1. Conduct self- | ☐ Self-awareness | ☐ Observation |
| management | ☐ Formulating personal vision, | ☐ Written |
| | mission and goals | ☐ Oral interview |
| | ☐ Strategies for overcoming life | ☐ Third party report |
| | challenges | |
| | ☐ Emotional intelligence | |
| | ☐ Assertiveness | |
| | ☐ Expressing personal thoughts, | |
| | feelings and beliefs | |
| | Developing and maintaining high | |
| | self-esteem | |
| | Developing and maintaining | |
| | positive self-image | |
| | ☐ Articulating ideas and aspirations | |
| | ☐ Accountability and responsibility | |
| | ☐ Good work habits | |

| | ☐ Self-awareness | |
|-------------------------|---|----------------------|
| | ☐ Self-development | |
| | ☐ Financial literacy | |
| | ☐ Healthy lifestyle practices | |
| 2. Demonstrate critical | ☐ Stress and stress management | ☐ Observation |
| safe work habits | ☐ Punctuality and time consciousness | ☐ Written |
| | ☐ Interpersonal communication | ☐ Oral interview |
| | ☐ Sharing information | ☐ Third party report |
| | ☐ Leisure | |
| | ☐ Integrating personal objectives into | |
| | organizational objectives | |
| | ☐ Resources utilization | |
| | ☐ Setting work priorities | |
| | ☐ HIV and AIDS | |
| | ☐ Drug and substance abuse | |
| | ☐ Handling emerging issues | |
| 3. Demonstrate | ☐ Personal training needs | ☐ Observation |
| workplace learning | identification and assessment | ☐ Oral interview |
| | Managing own learning | ☐ Written |
| | Contributing to the learning | ☐ Third party report |
| | community at the workplace | |
| | ☐ Cultural aspects of work | |
| | ☐ Variety of learning context | |
| | Application of learning | |
| | ☐ Safe use of technology | |
| | ☐ Identifying opportunities | |
| | ☐ Workplace innovation | |
| | ☐ Performance improvement | |
| | ☐ Handling emerging issues | |
| | ☐ Future trends and concerns in | |
| | learning | |
| 4. Demonstrate | ☐ Meaning of ethics | ☐ Observation |
| workplace ethics | ☐ Ethical perspectives | ☐ Oral interview |
| | ☐ Principles of ethics | ☐ Written |
| | ☐ Values and beliefs | ☐ Third party report |
| | ☐ Ethical standards | |
| | ☐ Organization code of ethics | |
| | ☐ Common ethical dilemmas | |

| Organization culture | |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| Corruption, bribery and conflict of | |
| interest | |
| Privacy and data protection | |
| Diversity, harassment and mutual | |
| respect | |
| Financial | |
| responsibility/accountability | |
| Etiquette | |
| Personal and professional integrity | |
| Commitment to jurisdictional laws | |
| Emerging issues in ethics | |

Suggested Methods of Delivery

- Instructor lead facilitation of theory
- Demonstrations
- Simulation/Role play
- Group Discussion
- Presentations
- Projects
- Case studies
- Assignments

Recommended Resources

- Computers
- Stationery
- Charts
- Video clips
- Audio tapes
- Radio sets
- TV sets
- LCD projectors

ENVIRONMENTAL LITERACY

UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/EI/BC/05/4/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the unit of competency: Demonstrate environmental literacy

Duration of Unit: 20 hours

Unit Description

This unit describes the competencies required to control environmental hazard, control environmental pollution, comply with workplace sustainable resource use, evaluate current practices in relation to resource usage, identify environmental legislations/conventions for environmental concerns, implement specific environmental programs and monitor activities on environmental protection/programs.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Control environmental hazard
- 2. Control environmental Pollution
- 3. Demonstrate sustainable resource use
- 4. Evaluate current practices in relation to resource usage
- 5. Identify Environmental legislations/conventions for environmental concerns
- 6. Implement specific environmental programs
- 7. Monitor activities on Environmental protection/Programs

Learning Outcomes, Content and Suggested Assessment Methods

| Learning Outcome | Content | Suggested Assessment Methods |
|--------------------------|---|---------------------------------|
| 1. Control environmental | ☐ Purposes and content of Environmental | ☐ Written questions |
| hazard | Management and Coordination Act 1999 | ☐ Oral questions |
| | ☐ Purposes and content of Solid Waste Act | ☐ Observation of |
| | ☐ Storage methods for environmentally | work procedures |
| | hazardous materials | |
| | ☐ Disposal methods of hazardous wastes | |
| | ☐ Types and uses of PPE in line with | |
| | environmental regulations | |
| | ☐ Occupational Safety and Health | |

| | | Standards (OSHS) | |
|----|--------------------------|---|---------------------|
| | | | |
| | | | |
| 2. | Control environmental | ☐ Types of pollution | ☐ Written questions |
| | Pollution control | ☐ Environmental pollution control | ☐ Oral questions |
| | | measures | ☐ Observation of |
| | | ☐ Types of solid wastes | work procedures |
| | | ☐ Procedures for solid waste management | ☐ Role play |
| | | ☐ Different types of noise pollution | 1 7 |
| | | ☐ Methods for minimizing noise pollution | |
| 3. | Demonstrate | ☐ Types of resources | ☐ Written questions |
| | sustainable resource use | ☐ Techniques in measuring current usage | ☐ Oral questions |
| | | of resources | ☐ Observation of |
| | | ☐ Calculating current usage of resources | work procedures |
| | | ☐ Methods for minimizing wastage | ☐ Role play |
| | | ☐ Waste management procedures | |
| | | ☐ Principles of 3Rs (Reduce, Reuse, | |
| | | Recycle) | |
| | | ☐ Methods for economizing or reducing | |
| | | resource consumption | |
| 4. | Evaluate current | ☐ Collection of information on | ☐ Written questions |
| | practices in relation to | environmental and resource efficiency | ☐ Oral questions |
| | resource usage | systems and procedures, | ☐ Observation of |
| | | ☐ Measurement and recording of current | work procedures |
| | | resource usage | ☐ Role play |
| | | ☐ Analysis and recording of current | |
| | | purchasing strategies. | |
| | | ☐ Analysis of current work processes to | |
| | | access information and data | |
| | | ☐ Identification of areas for improvement | |
| 5. | Identify Environmental | ☐ Environmental issues/concerns | ☐ Written questions |
| | legislations/conventions | ☐ Environmental legislations /conventions | ☐ Oral questions |
| | for environmental | and local ordinances | ☐ Observation of |
| | concerns | ☐ Industrial standard /environmental | work procedures |
| | | practices | |
| | | ☐ International Environmental Protocols | |
| | | (Montreal, Kyoto) | |

| | | ☐ Features of an environmental strategy | |
|----|-----------------------|---|---------------------|
| | | | |
| 6. | Implement specific | ☐ Community needs and expectations | ☐ Written questions |
| 0. | environmental | ☐ Resource availability | ☐ Oral questions |
| | programs | ☐ 5 s of good housekeeping | ☐ Observation of |
| | | ☐ Identification of programs/Activities | work procedures |
| | | ☐ Setting of individual roles | ☐ Role play |
| | | /responsibilities | |
| | | ☐ Resolving problems /constraints | |
| | | encountered | |
| | | ☐ Consultation with stakeholders | |
| 7. | Monitor activities on | ☐ Periodic monitoring and Evaluation of | ☐ Oral questions |
| | Environmental | activities | ☐ Written tests |
| | protection/Programs | ☐ Gathering feedback from stakeholders | ☐ Practical test |
| | | Analysing data gathered | ☐ Observation |
| | | ☐ Documentation of recommendations and | |
| | | submission | |
| | | ☐ Setting of management support systems | |
| | | to sustain and enhance the program | |
| | | ☐ Monitoring and reporting of | |
| | | environmental incidents to concerned | |
| | | /proper authorities | |

Suggested Delivery Methods

- Instructor led facilitation of theory
- Demonstration by trainer
- Practical work by trainee
- Viewing of related videos

Recommended Resources

- Standard operating and/or other workplace procedures manuals
- Specific job procedures manuals
- Environmental Management and Coordination Act 1999
- Machine/equipment manufacturer's specifications and instructions
- Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)
- ISO standards

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- Ccompany environmental management systems (EMS)
- Montreal Protocol
- Kyoto Protocol

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH PRACTICES

UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/EI/BC/07/4/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the unit of competency: Demonstrate occupational safety and health practices

Duration of Unit: 20 hours

Unit Description

This unit describes the competencies required to comply with regulatory and organizational requirements for occupational safety and health.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Identify workplace hazards and risk
- 2. Identify and implement appropriate control easures to hazards and risks
- 3. Implement OSH programs, procedures and policies/guidelines

Learning Outcomes, Content and Suggested Assessment Methods

| Learning Outcome Co | | Content | | Suggested Assessment Methods | |
|-----------------------|--|------------------------------------|--|---------------------------------|--|
| 1. Identify workplace | | Identification of hazards in the | | Oral questions | |
| hazards and risks | | workplace and/or the indicators of | | Written tests | |
| | | their presence | | Observation of | |
| | | Evaluation and/or work | | trainees identify | |
| | | environment measurements of OSH | | hazards and risks | |
| | | hazards/risk existing in the | | | |
| | | workplace is conducted by | | | |
| | | Authorized personnel or agency | | | |
| | | Gathering of OHS issues and/or | | | |
| | | concerns raised | | | |
| 2. Identify and | | Prevention and control measures, | | Oral questions | |
| implementappropriate | | including use of PPE (personal | | Written tests | |
| controlmeasure to | | protective equipment) for specific | | Practical test | |
| hazards and risks | | hazards are identified and | | Observation of | |
| | | implemented | | implementation of | |
| | | Appropriate risk controlsbased on | | control measures | |

| | result of OSH hazard evaluation is | |
|-------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------|
| | recommended | |
| | Contingency measures, including | |
| | emergency procedures during | |
| | workplace incidents and | |
| | emergencies are recognized and | |
| | established in accordance with | |
| | organization procedures | |
| 3. Implement OSH | Providing information to work team | Oral questions |
| programs, procedures | about company OHS program, | Written tests |
| and policies/guidelines | procedures and policies/guidelines | Practical test |
| | Participating in implementation of | Observation |
| | OSH procedures and policies/ | |
| | guidelines | |
| | Training of team members and | |
| | advice on OSH standards and | |
| | procedures | |
| | Implementation of procedures for | |
| | maintaining OSH-related records | |

Suggested Delivery Methods

- Instructor led facilitation of theory
- Demonstration by trainer
- Practical work by trainee
- Viewing of related videos

Recommended Resources

- Standard operating and/or other workplace procedures manuals
- Specific job procedures manuals
- Machine/equipment manufacturer's specifications and instructions
- Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) e.g.
 - ✓ Mask
 - ✓ Face mask/shield
 - ✓ Safety boots
 - ✓ Safety harness
 - ✓ Arm/Hand guard, gloves
 - ✓ Eye protection (goggles, shield)
 - ✓ Hearing protection (ear muffs, ear plugs)

- ✓ Hair Net/cap/bonnet
- ✓ Hard hat
- ✓ Face protection (mask, shield)
- ✓ Apron/Gown/coverall/jump suit
- ✓ Anti-static suits
- ✓ High-visibility reflective vest

COMMON UNITS OF LEARNING

ENGINEERING MATHEMATICS

UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/EI/CC/01/4/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the unit of competency: Apply engineering mathematics

Duration of Unit: 30 hours

Unit Description

This unit describes the competencies required by a technician in order to apply algebra, binomial expansion, coordinate geometry, trigonometric functions, mensuration, statistic, matrix, vectors and calculus.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Apply Algebra
- 2. Apply Coordinate Geometry
- 3. Carry out Mensuration
- 4. Apply Matrix
- 5. Apply Vectors

Learning Outcomes, Content and Suggested Assessment Methods

| Building Technology Curriculum | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------------------------------|--|--|
| Learning Outcome | Content | Suggested Assessment Methods | | |

| Apply Algebra | ☐ Base and Index | ☐ Written tests |
|---------------------|---|------------------------|
| | ☐ Law of indices | ☐ Oral questioning |
| | ☐ Indicial equations | ☐ Assignments |
| | ☐ Laws of logarithm | ☐ Supervised exercises |
| | ☐ Logarithmic equations | 1 |
| | ☐ Conversion of bases | |
| | ☐ Use of calculator | |
| | ☐ Reduction of equations | |
| | ☐ Solutions of simultaneous linear | |
| | equations in two unknowns | |
| | ☐ Solution of quadratic equation | |
| 2 Apply Coordinate | | Wwitten teets |
| 2. Apply Coordinate | Polar equations | ☐ Written tests |
| Geometry | Cartesian equation | ☐ Oral questioning |
| | Graphs of polar equations | ☐ Assignments |
| 2 0 1 | □ Normal and tangents | ☐ Supervised exercises |
| 3. Carry out | ☐ Units of measurements☐ Perimeter and areas of regular | ☐ Written tests |
| Mensuration | Perimeter and areas of regular figures | ☐ Oral questioning |
| | ☐ Volume of regular solids | |
| | ☐ Surface area of regular solids | ☐ Assignments |
| | ☐ Area of irregular figures | |
| | ☐ Areas and volumes using Pappus | ☐ Supervised exercises |
| 4 4 1 36 | theorem | |
| 4. Apply Matrix | ☐ Matrix operation | ☐ Assignments |
| methods | ☐ Determinant of 2x2 matrix | ☐ Oral questioning |
| | ☐ Inverse of 2x2 matrix | ☐ Supervised exercises |
| | ☐ Solution of linear | ☐ Written tests |
| | simultaneous equations in 2 | |
| | unknowns | |
| | ☐ Application of matrices | |
| 5. Apply Vector | ☐ Vectors and scalar in two | ☐ Assignments |
| | dimensions | Oral questioning |
| | ☐ Operations on vectors: | ☐ Supervised exercises |
| | Addition and Subtraction | ☐ Written tests |
| | ☐ Dot and Cross product | |
| | ☐ Gradient, Divergence and | |
| | curl | |
| | ☐ Position vectors | |
| | ☐ Resolution of vectors | |

Suggested Delivery Methods

- Group discussions
- Demonstration by trainer
- Exercises by trainee

Recommended Resources

- Scientific Calculators
- Rulers, pencils, erasers
- Charts with presentations of data
- Graph books
- Dice
- Computers with internet connection

WORKSHOP TECHNOLOGY

UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/EI/CC/02/4/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the unit of competency: Manage an Electrical workshop

Duration of Unit: 20 hours

Unit Description

This unit covers the competencies required to perform workshop process. Competencies include applying workshop Safety, use of workshop tools and instruments, preparation of workshop for electrical installation, Storage of Electrical tools and materials, troubleshoot and repair/replace workshop tools and equipment

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Apply workshop safety
- 2. Use of workshop tools, Instruments and equipment
- 3. Prepare workshop tools and instruments for an Electrical installation
- 4. Prepare the workshop for an Electrical installation
- 5. Store Electrical tools and materials
- 6. Troubleshoot and repair workshop tools and equipment

Learning Outcomes, Content and Suggested Assessment Methods:

| Learning Outcome | Content | Suggested Assessment |
|--------------------------|---|----------------------|
| | | Methods |
| 1. Apply workshop safety | ☐ Meaning of PPE | ☐ Oral questioning |
| | Standard operating procedure in | ☐ Written tests |
| | PPE | ☐ Practical test |
| | ☐ Workshop rules | |
| | ☐ Electrical hazards e.g. | |
| | Electric shock. | |
| | ☐ Fire | |
| | Classes of fire | |
| | Causes of fire | |
| | Various methods of fire | |
| | extinguishing | |

| | | First Aid | | |
|----|-------------------------|---|--|------------------|
| 2. | Use of workshop tools, | Meaning of workshop tools, instruments and | | Oral questioning |
| | Instruments and | equipment | | Practical tests |
| | equipment | Classification of workshop tools and | | Written tests |
| | | equipment | | |
| | | Uses of workshop tools, Instruments and | | |
| | | equipment | | |
| | | Care and Maintenance of workshop tools | | |
| | | and Instruments | | |
| 3. | Prepare workshop tools | Tools and instruments for an Electrical | | Observation |
| | and instruments for an | practical | | Oral questioning |
| | Electrical installation | Preparation of a list of tools and | | Practical tests |
| | | instruments for an Electrical practical. | | Written tests |
| | | Issuing and confirmation of tools and | | |
| | | instruments before and after practical | | |
| | | Testing of practical tools and Instruments | | |
| 4. | Store Electrical tools | Classification of workshop tools and | | Observation |
| | and materials after | instruments. | | Oral questioning |
| | installation | Storage of workshop Tools and equipment | | Practical tests |
| | | Waste disposal | | Written tests |
| 5. | Troubleshoot and | Meaning of troubleshooting | | Observation |
| | repair/replace workshop | Common faults in Electrical equipments | | Oral questioning |
| | tools and equipment | Fault diagnosis procedure | | Practical tests |
| | | Repair/Replace of components in Electrical | | Written tests |
| | | equipment | | |
| | | Calibration and service of equipment | | |

- Demonstration by trainer
- Practice by the trainee
- Field trips
- On-job-training
- Discussions

Recommended Resources

| Tools | Materials and supplies |
|---|----------------------------------|
| Set of screw drivers | Stationery |
| • Pliers | • Cables |
| • Phase testers | Lubricants |
| Multimeter | Service parts |
| Equipment | Reference materials |
| PPE –hand gloves, dust coat, dust masks | IEE regulations |
| Multimeter | Organizational procedures manual |
| Clamp meter | |
| Earth electrode resistance meter | |
| Phase sequence meter | |

ELECTRICAL PRINCIPLES

UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/EI/CC/03/4/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the unit of competency: Apply Electrical principles skills

Duration of Unit: 40 hours

Unit Description

This unit describes the competencies required by a technician in order to apply a wide range of Electrical principles in their work. Which includes; Basic Electrical quantities, D.C and A.C circuits in electrical installation, electrical machines, earthing in Electrical installations, capacitance and inductance

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Basic Electrical quantities
- 2. D.C and A.C circuits in electrical installation
- 3. Electrical machines
- 4. Earthing in Electrical installations
- 5. Capacitance and inductance

Learning Outcomes, Content and Suggested Assessment Methods

| Learning Outcome | Content | Suggested Assessment | |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| | | Methods | |
| Basic Electrical | ☐ The meaning of SI unit | ☐ Written tests | |
| quantities | ☐ SI unit of Electrical quantities | Oral questioning | |
| | ☐ Calculations involving various | ☐ Assignments | |
| | Electrical quantities e.g Charge, | ☐ Supervised exercises | |
| | Power, Current, Voltage, Resistance | | |
| | ☐ Instruments used in measuring | | |
| | Electrical quantities | | |
| 2. D.C and A.C | ☐ Meaning of terms | ☐ Written tests | |
| circuits in electrical | ☐ Conductors and insulators | ☐ Oral questioning | |
| installation | ☐ Ohm's law | ☐ Assignments | |

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|----|---------------------|-----|--|----------------------|
| | | | Resistance variation | Supervised exercises |
| | | | Resistors and color coding | |
| | | | AC and DC circuits | |
| | | | • R-L, R-C, R-L-C circuits | |
| | | | • Series | |
| | | | Parallel | |
| | | | Parallel and series | |
| | | | Parallel resonance and Q-factor | |
| | | | Power factor improvement | |
| | | | AC and DC network theorems e.g | |
| | | | Kirchoff's laws | |
| | | | AC to DC and DC to AC | |
| | | | Conversion | |
| 3. | Single phase | | Single phase Electrical machines | Assignments |
| | electrical machines | | DC single phase motors and | Oral questioning |
| | | | generators | Supervised exercises |
| | | | AC Single phase motors and | Written tests |
| | | | generators | Practical tests |
| | | | Single phase transformers | |
| | | | Application of AC and DC machines | |
| | | | Motor starter | |
| | | | DC Motor speed control | |
| | | | Motor cooling | |
| 4. | Earthing in | | Meaning of earthing | Assignments |
| | Electrical | | Terms in earthing | Supervised exercises |
| | installations | | earthing systems | Written tests |
| | | | earthing points in electrical | Practical test |
| | | | installation | |
| | | | • IEE regulations | |
| | | | Factors to consider in selecting an | |
| | | | earthing system | |
| | | | Testing an earthing system | |
| | | | earthing improvement | |
| 5. | Capacitance and | | Meaning of electrostatic field | Assignments |
| | inductance | | Sources of electrostatic field | Oral questioning |
| | | | Meaning of terms | Supervised exercises |
| | | | • Electric field strength | Written tests |
| | | | • Capacitance | |
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|---|---|--|
| | • Capacitors | |
| | Electric flux density | |
| | • Permittivity | |
| _ | Types capacitors | |
| | Charging and discharging | |
| | Capacitors connection | |
| | • Series | |
| | Parallel | |
| | Parallel and series | |
| | Application of capacitors | |
| | Calculations involving capacitors | |
| | Magnetic circuits | |
| | Magnetic fields | |
| | • Magnetic flux and flux density | |
| | Magnetomotive force and | |
| | magnetic field strength | |
| | Permeability and B-H curves | |
| | Hysteresis and hysteresis losses | |
| | | |
| | , c | |
| | DC motor | |
| | Principle of operation of a moving | |
| | coil instrument | |
| | Electromagnetic field and | |
| | electromagnets | |
| | Electromagnetic induction | |
| | Laws of electromagnetic | |
| | induction | |
| | • Rotation of a loop in a magnetic | |
| | field | |
| | Inductance and inductors | |
| | Inductor connections | |
| | Series | |
| | • Parallel | |
| | Parallel and series | |
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Suggested Delivery Methods

- Group discussions
- Demonstration by trainer
- Exercises by trainee

Recommended Resources

- Scientific Calculators
- Relevant reference materials
- Stationeries
- Electrical workshop
- Relevant practical materials
- Dice
- Computers with internet connection

TECHNICAL DRAWING

UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/EI/CC/04/4

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the unit of competency: Prepare and interpret technical drawings

Duration of Unit: 20 hours

Unit Description

This unit covers the competencies required to prepare and interpret technical drawings. It involves competencies to select, use and maintain drawing equipment and materials. It also involves producing plain geometry drawings, solid geometry drawings, orthographic drawings of components and Electrical drawings.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Use and maintenance of drawing equipment and materials
- 2. Produce plane geometry drawings
- 3. Produce solid geometry drawings
- 4. Produce and orthographic drawings
- 5. Produce Electrical drawings

Learning Outcomes, Content and Suggested Assessment Methods:

| Learning Outcome | Content | Suggested Assessment | |
|--|---|--|--|
| | | Methods | |
| Use and maintenance of drawing equipment and materials | □ Identification and care of drawing equipment □ Identification and care of drawing materials □ Reference to manufacturer's instructions and work place procedures on use and maintenance of drawing equipment and materials □ Reference to relevant environmental legislations □ Use of Personal Protective Equipment (PPEs) | □ Observation□ Oral questioning□ Written tests | |

| 2. Produce plane geometry drawings | | ☐ Types of lines in drawings | | Oral questioning | |
|------------------------------------|------------------------|---|--|------------------|---|
| | | Construction of geometric forms e.g. | | Practical tests | |
| | geometry drawings | squares, circles | | Observation | |
| | | Construction of different angles | | | |
| | | Measurement of different angles | | | |
| | | Bisection of different angles and lines | | | |
| | | Standard drawing conventions | | | |
| 3 | Produce solid geometry | Interpretation of sketches and | | Observation | |
| ٥. | drawings | drawings of patterns e.g. cylinders, | | Practical tests | |
| | drawings | prisms and pyramids | | Oral questioning | |
| | | Sectioning of solids e.g. prisms, cones | | | |
| | | Development and interpenetrations of | | | |
| | | solids e.g. cylinder to cylinder and | | | |
| | | cylinder to triangular, prism | | | |
| | D 1 1 1 | Meaning of pictorial and orthographic | | Observation | - |
| 4. | Produce orthographic | drawings | | Practical tests | |
| | drawings | Meaning of sectioning | | Oral questioning | |
| | | Meaning of symbols and | | 1 6 | |
| | | abbreviations | | | |
| | | Drawing and interpretation of | | | |
| | | orthographic elevations | | | |
| | | Dimensioning of orthographic | | | |
| | | elevations | | | |
| | | Sectioning of views | | | |
| | | Assembly drawing | | | |
| 5 | Produce electrical | Electrical symbols and abbreviations | | Observation | _ |
| ٥. | | Meaning of electrical drawings | | Oral questioning | |
| | drawings | Drawing of electrical diagrams e.g. | | Practical tests | |
| | | block, schematic, circuit, line and | | | |
| | | wiring | | | |
| | | Interpretation of electrical drawings | | | |

- Projects
- Demonstration by trainer
- Practice by the trainee
- Discussions

Recommended Resources

- Drawing room
- Drawing instruments e.g. T-squares, set squares, drawing sets
- Drawing tables
- Pencils, papers, erasers
- Masking tapes

CORE UNITS OF LEARNING

PERFORM ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION

UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/EI/CR/01/4/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the unit of competency: Perform Electrical Installation

Duration of Unit: 90 hours

Unit Description

This unit specifies the competencies required to perform electrical installation work for single phase systems. It focuses on the application of health, safety and environmental standards, preparation of working drawings, Assemble tools, equipment, materials and drawing instruments, and Perform electrical installation

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Apply health, safety and environmental standards
- 2. Prepare working drawings
- 3. Assemble tools, equipment and materials
- 4. Perform electrical installation

Learning Outcomes, Content and Suggested Assessment Methods:

| Learning Outcome | Content | Suggested Assessment |
|-----------------------------|--|----------------------|
| | | Methods |
| 1. Apply health, safety and | ☐ Relevant clauses in appropriate | ☐ Written tests |
| environmental standards | Acts e.g. | ☐ Oral questioning |
| | Occupational safety and | |
| | health act (OSHA) | |
| | Work injury benefits act | |
| | (WIBA) | |
| | Environment management | |
| | and coordination Act | |
| | (EMCA) | |
| | ☐ Relevant regulations: | |
| | IEE regulations | |

| | KPLC by-laws | | |
|-------------------------|---|---|------------------|
| | County by-laws | | |
| | Causes of accidents and | | |
| | sources of danger e.g burns, cuts, | | |
| | electric shock, falling from heights, | | |
| | falling objects, noise, dust, chemicals | | |
| | ☐ Meaning of PPE | | |
| | ☐ Purpose of PPE | | |
| | ☐ Types of PPE | | |
| | ☐ Safe and correct handling, use, | | |
| | maintenance and storage of | | |
| | different types of PPE | | |
| | ☐ Classes of fires and fire fighting | | |
| | equipment | | |
| | ☐ First aid procedures | | |
| | Rescuing electric shock | | |
| | victim | | |
| | Methods of resuscitation | | |
| 2. Prepare working | ☐ Meaning of working drawings | | Observation |
| drawings | ☐ Interpret electrical design | | Oral questioning |
| | drawings | | Practical tests |
| | Reading and Interpretation of | | Written tests |
| | architectural drawings | | |
| | Relate architectural drawing to | | |
| | the work site | | |
| | ☐ Take actual measurements | | |
| | Liaise with other service | | |
| | providers | | |
| | ☐ Produce sketch drawing | | |
| | ☐ Produce final working drawing | | |
| 3. Assemble tools, | ☐ Types, application, care, | | Observation |
| equipment and materials | maintenance and storage of: | | Oral questioning |
| - 4 | • Tools e.g. | | Practical tests |
| | Cable strippers | | Written tests |
| | Pliers | | |
| | > Screw drivers | | |
| | > Hammers | | |
| | > Chisels | | |
| | , Спосто | 1 | |

| | ➤ Allen keys | |
|-----------------------|---|------------------|
| | Electrician knives | |
| | Crimping tools | |
| | Bending springs | |
| | Steel tapes | |
| | Draw wires | |
| | ➤ Hack saws | |
| | Drills | |
| | • Equipment e.g. | |
| | Multimeter | |
| | > Earth tester | |
| | Phase sequence meter | |
| | Materials e.g. | |
| | ✓ Cables | |
| | ✓ Fittings | |
| | ✓ Accessories | |
| | ☐ Inventory management | |
| 4. Perform electrical | ☐ Meaning of terms | Observation |
| installation | ☐ Single phase systems | Oral questioning |
| | ☐ Cables and cable joints | Practical tests |
| | ☐ Wiring systems and accessories | Written tests |
| | Meaning of terms | |
| | Types and applications e.g. | |
| | Conduits | |
| | Cable trays | |
| | ➤ Cable ducts | |
| | Trunkings | |
| | Preparation of wiring systems | |
| | Marking out, cutting, bending, | |
| | threading, chiselling, trenching | |
| | ☐ Laying of cable routes | |
| | ☐ Installation of final circuits | |
| | Lighting circuits | |
| | One way, two way, | |
| | intermediate | |
| | Looping in methods at | |
| | ceiling rose, joint | |
| | boxes, switches | |

| Power circuits | |
|--|--|
| Radial circuits, ring | |
| circuits | |
| Water heating circuits | |
| • Electric cooker circuits | |
| Bell and alarm circuits | |
| Electrical machines circuits | |
| e.g Single phase motors | |
| ☐ Relevant technical standards e.g. | |
| IEEregulations | |
| British standards | |
| Kenya bureau of | |
| standards (KEBS) | |
| Kenya power by-laws | |
| County by-laws | |

- Projects
- Demonstration by trainer
- Practice by the trainee
- Field trips
- On-job training
- Discussions

Recommended Resources

| Tools and equipment | Materials and supplies |
|---|---|
| Cable Strippers Pliers Screw drivers Hammers Chisels Allen keys Electrician knives Crimping tools Bending springs | Materials and supplies Stationery Cables Light fittings Accessories Conduits and fittings Cable trays Cable ducts Trunkings |
| ➤ Bending machine | • Computers |
| Steel tapesDraw wires | Drawing instrumentsScrews |

Hack saws
Drilling tools
Stock and die
Bench vice
Machine vice
PPE – hand gloves, dust coats, dust masks, helmets, ear muffs, industrial boots
Reference materials

IEE regulations
Occupational safety and health act (OSHA)
Work injury benefits act (WIBA)
Manufacturers' catalogues
British standards
KEBS standards

TESTING OF ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION

UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/EI/CR/02/4/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the unit of competency: Perform Testing of Electrical Installation

Duration of Unit: 30 hours

Unit Description

This unit covers the competencies required to carry out inspection and testing of an electrical installation. It covers testing activities starting from verifying the installed fittings and accessories, identifying the type of tests, carrying out the tests and issuing test certificates.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Conduct physical inspection
- 2. Identify the test to be carried out and test equipment
- 3. Perform the test
- 4. Issue installation test and wiring certificates

Learning Outcomes, Content and Suggested Assessment Methods

| Learning Outcome | Content | Sugge | ested Assessment |
|-----------------------------|---|-------|------------------|
| | | Metho | ods |
| Carry out physical | ☐ Inspection | | Observation |
| inspection | Reasons for inspection | | Oral questioning |
| | Physical and visual check | | |
| | > Firmness | | |
| | Loose connections | | |
| | Damaged accessories and fittings | | |
| | Colour coding | | |
| | Cable management | | |
| 2. Identify the tests to be | ☐ Testing | | Observation |
| carried out. | Meaning | | Oral questioning |
| | Purpose and reasons | | Written tests |
| | Types of tests | | |
| | Polarity | | |
| | Earth testing | | |
| | Insulation resistance | | |
| | Continuity test | | |

| Learning Outcome | Co | ntent | | gested Assessment |
|--|----------|--|------|-------------------|
| | | | Metl | hods |
| | | Earth loop impedance test | | |
| | | Identification of test equipment | | |
| | | | | |
| | | • Specification of test equipment | | |
| | | Calibrate test equipment | | |
| | | • Test equipment care, storage and | | |
| 0 D C 11 1'C 11 | | maintenance | | 01 |
| 3. Perform identified tests | | Reading and interpretation of appropriate | | |
| | | manuals | | 1 1 6 |
| | | Identification of test equipment e.g. | | |
| | | Continuity tester (ohmmeter) | | Written tests |
| | | Insulation resistance tester | | |
| | | Earth loop impedance tester | | |
| | | Test lamp | | |
| | ╵┛ | Procedure of conducting identified tests | | |
| | | Polarity | | |
| | | > Effectiveness of earthing | | |
| | | Insulation resistance | | |
| | | Ring circuit continuity | | |
| | | Recording and verification of results against | | |
| | | appropriate standards | | |
| | | Rectification of any anomalies | | |
| 4. Issue installation test | | Safety precautions Installation test results certificate | | Written tests |
| | _ | | | |
| results and wiring completion certificates | | Meaning terms | | Oral questioning |
| completion certificates | | • Importance | | |
| | | Wiring certificate | | |
| | | • Meaning | | |
| | | • Importance | | |
| | | • Types | | |
| | | Issuing authority | | |

- Demonstration by trainer
- Practice by the trainee
- Field trips

• Discussions

Recommended Resources

| Test instruments | Materials and supplies |
|--|--|
| Continuity tester (ohmmeter) Insulation resistance tester Earth loop impedance tester Test lamp | StationeryWiring certificates |
| Reference materials | |
| Manufacturers' manualsRelevant cataloguesIEE regulations | |

ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION BREAKDOWN MAINTENANCE

UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/EI/CR/03/4/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the unit of competency: Conduct Electrical Installation Breakdown

Maintenance

Duration of Unit: 40 hours

Unit Description

This unit specifies the competencies required to conduct breakdown maintenance of an electrical installation. It includes fault identification, repairing, testing and generating maintenance report.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Identify system failure
- 2. Troubleshoot cause of failure
- 3. Repair the installation
- 4. Test the repaired system

Learning Outcomes, Content and Suggested Assessment Methods:

| Learning Outcome | Content | Suggested Assessment |
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| | | Methods |
| 1. Identify installation | ☐ Gathering information | ☐ Oral questioning |
| failure | Principle of operation | ☐ Written tests |
| 1001101 | Visual inspection | |
| | Interview of users | |
| | ☐ Types of failures | |
| | Partial | |
| | • Total | |
| | ☐ Referring to as-built drawings and manuals | |
| 2. Troubleshoot cause of | ☐ Conducting fault diagnosis e.g. | ☐ Oral questioning |
| failure. | Open circuit | ☐ Practical tests |
| | Short circuit | ☐ Written tests |

| | Earth fault | |
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| | Mechanical faults | |
| | ☐ Identification of tools, equipment and | |
| | materials for repair/replace | |
| | ☐ Specification of tools | |
| | ☐ Recording of installation failure results | |
| | Parameters e.g. | |
| | ➤ Voltage | |
| | Current | |
| | Resistance | |
| 3. Repair the installation | ☐ Repair/Replace | ☐ Observation |
| 3. Repair the installation | Meaning | ☐ Oral questioning |
| | Power isolation | ☐ Practical tests |
| | Conducting repair activities | ☐ Written tests |
| | Recording repair activities | |
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| 4. Test the repaired system | ☐ Identification of test and test points | ☐ Observation |
| | Test parameters e.g. | ☐ Oral questioning |
| | Voltage | ☐ Practical tests |
| | Resistance | ☐ Written tests |
| | Current | |
| | ☐ Prepare and document maintenance report | |

- Demonstration by trainer
- Practice by the trainee
- Field trips
- On-job-training
- Discussions

Recommended Resources

| Tools | Materials and supplies |
|----------------------|------------------------|
| Set of screw drivers | • Stationery |
| • Pliers | • Cables |
| • Phase testers | • Lubricants |
| Multimeter | Service parts |
| Equipment | Reference materials |

- PPE –hand gloves, dust coat, dust masks
- Multimeter
- Clamp meter
- Earth electrode resistance meter
- Phase sequence meter

- IEE regulations
- Organizational procedures manual