# Level 2 Diploma in Electrical Installations (Buildings and Structures) (2365-02)

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### Qualification at a glance

Subject area	Electrotechnical
City & Guilds number	2365-02
Age group approved	16+
Entry requirements	None
Assessment	By online test/practical assignment
Fast track	Available
Support materials	Qualification handbook Assignment guides Text Book available June 2013 Smartscreen available February 2013
Registration and certification	Consult the Walled Garden/Online Catalogue for last dates

Title and level	City & Guilds number	Accreditation number
Level 2 Diploma in Electrical Installation (Buildings and Structures)	2365-02	600/5498/0

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1.1 Aug 2012	Correction of Assessment information	Assessment
1.2 Sept 2012	Amended information on where to obtain assessments	Assessment
1.3 Sept 2012	Amended timing for duration of Unit 210 test to 40 minutes.  Amended typing error in Unit Aim for Unit 201, from 'buisiness services engineering' to 'building services engineering'	Assessment Unit
1.4 Feb 2013	Added Appendix 3 – Normative references for use in open book examinations	Appendix 3
1.5 Feb 2013	Duration of test for unit 202 amended to 90 mins	Assessment



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#### 1 Introduction



This document tells you what you need to do to deliver the qualification:

Area	Description
Who is the qualification for?	For candidates who want to work as electricians in the building services engineering sector. This qualification does <b>not</b> make candidates fully qualified electricians (see Appendix 2).
What does the qualification cover?	It allows candidates to learn, develop and practise the skills required for employment and/or career progression in the electrotechnology sector. See Appendix 2 for further information.
What opportunities for progression are there?	It allows candidates to progress into employment, although <b>not</b> as a fully qualified electrician, or to the following City & Guilds qualifications:
	<ul> <li>Level 3 Diploma in Electrical Installation (Buildings and Structures)</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Level 3 Diploma in Electrotechnology</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Level 3 Award in the Initial Verification and Certification of Electrical Installations</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Level 3 Award in the Periodic Inspection, Testing and Certification of Electrical Installations.</li> </ul>

#### **Structure**

To achieve the **Level 2 Diploma in Electrical Installations (Buildings and Structures)**, learners must achieve **49** credits from the mandatory units.

Unit accreditation number	City & Guilds unit number	Unit title	Credit value	Level	GLH
Mandatory					
T/503/9669	201/501	Health and safety in building services engineering	3	2	26
R/503/9937	202	Principles of electrical science	10	2	89
Y/503/9938	203	Electrical installations technology	12	2	115
R/503/9940	204	Installation of wiring systems and enclosures	21	2	196
J/606/2482	210	Understand how to communicate with others within building services engineering	3	2	28



#### 2 Centre requirements

#### **Approval**

Centres already offering City & Guilds qualifications
If your Centre is approved to offer the 2330 Certificate in
Electrotechnical Technology you can apply for the new Level 2
Diploma in Electrical Installations (Buildings and Structures) (236502) approval using the fast track approval form, available from the City & Guilds website.

Centres should use the fast track form if:

- there have been no changes to the way the qualifications are delivered, and
- they meet all of the approval criteria in the fast track form guidance notes.

Fast track approval is available for 12 months from the launch of the qualification. After 12 months, the Centre will have to go through the standard Qualification Approval Process. The centre is responsible for checking that fast track approval is still current at the time of application.

#### **Centres NOT already offering City & Guilds qualifications**

To offer this qualification, new centres will need to gain both centre and qualification approval. Please refer to the *Centre Manual - Supporting Customer Excellence* for further information.

Centre staff should familiarise themselves with the structure, content and assessment requirements of the qualification before designing a course programme.

#### **Resource requirements**

#### Physical resources and site agreements

Centres can use specially designated areas within a centre to develop practical skills and to assess the simulated practical assignments. The equipment, systems and machinery must meet industrial standards and be capable of being used under normal working conditions.

#### **Human Resources**

Staff delivering this qualification must be able to demonstrate that they meet the following occupational expertise requirements. They should:

- be technically competent in the area(s) for which they are delivering training and/or have experience of providing training
- hold appropriate qualifications detailed in this handbook
- have recent relevant experience in the specific area they are assessing
- be able to demonstrate occupational competence in the areas of the Building Services Engineering (BSE) for which they are delivering training and/or assessment. This competence must be at a level equal to, or above, the level of training being delivered and must include current knowledge and skills of each industry (for which the assessment is taking place), its techniques, settings, legislative and regulatory requirements, codes of practice and guidance
- have credible experience of providing training and/or assessment.

Centre staff may undertake more than one role, eg tutor and assessor or internal quality assurer, but must never verify their own assessments.

#### Assessors must;

- hold, or be working towards TAQA (A1/A2 D32/33 updated) standards and continue to practice to these standards and possess CPD evidence of personally maintaining these standards, or
- have other suitable equivalent assessor qualifications endorsed by the Sector Skills Council and/or the Awarding Organisation.

#### **Assessor Occupational Competence**

For the purposes of this qualification, occupational competence will be deemed to have been demonstrated by the verifiable evidence of **one**, **preferably more**, of the following:

- a relevant sector qualification equal to or at a level above the training and/or assessment being delivered. Where earlier forerunner qualifications are held eg City and Guilds Craft or Advanced Craft Certificated, the assessor must demonstrate through CPD evidence a thorough knowledge of the qualification standards that they meet the required criteria
- an up-to-date CPD record including relevant CPD qualifications.
   Assessors must either be able to demonstrate that they are registered and up-to-date with their registration with an appropriate approved industry registration body or have one or more relevant occupational qualifications to demonstrate that they can be regarded as occupationally competent in terms of assessing or verifying the qualification and the unit contained
- a verifiable CV of industry experience and current knowledge of industry practice and techniques relevant to the occupational area in which they assess. This verifiable evidence must be at or above the level being assessed
- a thorough **knowledge and understanding** of the qualification standards and requirements

#### Assessor continuing professional development (CPD)

The occupational competence of assessors must be updated on a regular basis and be periodically reconfirmed via CPD evidence and quality assured by City and Guilds.

It is the responsibility of the assessor to make use of opportunities for CPD such as industry conferences and events, access to trade publications and journals, SSC and professional/Trade Association events, at least on an annual basis to enhance and upgrade their professional development and technical knowledge.

It is imperative that evidence records of these CPD opportunities/occasions are maintained and retained in a verifiable CPD record.

#### **Guidance** note

Where questions arise about the occupational competence/qualification of an individual/trainer/assessor, these should be referred to the centre's Qualifications Adviser for a decision. The Qualification Advisor may decide to refer the decision to the Portfolio/Group Portfolio Consultant for further consideration.

#### **Candidate entry requirements**

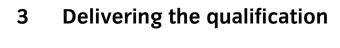
City & Guilds does not set entry requirements for this qualification. However, centres must ensure that candidates have the potential and opportunity to gain the qualification successfully.

#### Age restrictions

This qualification is approved for learners 16+.

#### Accreditation of prior learning (APL)

Guidance on APL between this qualification and the 2357 qualification will be available on the website by the start of November 2012.





#### Initial assessment and induction

An initial assessment of each candidate should be made before the start of their programme to identify:

- if the candidate has any specific training needs
- support and guidance they may need when working towards their qualification
- any units they have already completed, or credit they have accumulated which is relevant to the qualification
- the appropriate type and level of qualification.

We recommend that centres provide an induction programme so the candidate fully understands the requirements of the qualification, their responsibilities as a candidate, and the responsibilities of the centre. This information can be recorded on a learning contract.

Induction should also be used to ensure that candidates are aware that this qualification does **not** make them qualified electricians. **All candidates must complete a declaration confirming their understanding.** This declaration can be found in Appendix 2.

#### **Support materials**

The following resources are available for this qualification:

Description	How to access
Assignment guides	City & Guilds website
Text Book	Available from May 2013
Smartscreen	Available from January 2013



#### 4 Assessment

#### Assessment of the qualification

Unit Number	Unit Title	Assessment method	Where to obtain assessment materials
201/501	Health and safety in building services engineering	Practical Assignment (201) City and Guilds on-line multiple choice test (501) The assessment covers the knowledge and practical requirements of the unit and assesses all learning outcomes to verify coverage of the unit. Externally set assignment, locally marked and externally verified.	Go to www.cityandgu ilds.com and navigate to the 2365 webpage. Password available on the Walled Garden.
202	Principles of Electrical Science	City and Guilds on-line multiple choice test The assessment covers the knowledge requirements of the unit and assesses all learning outcomes to verify coverage of the unit.	Test available for booking on the Walled Garden.
203	Electrical Installations Technology	City and Guilds on-line multiple choice test The assessment covers the knowledge requirements of the unit and assesses all learning outcomes to verify coverage of the unit.	Test available for booking on the Walled Garden.
204	Installation of wiring systems and enclosures	Practical Assignment The assessment covers the knowledge and practical requirements of the unit and assesses all learning outcomes to verify coverage of the unit. Externally set assignment, locally marked and externally verified.	Go to www.cityandgu ilds.com and navigate to the 2365 webpage. Password available on the Walled Garden

210	Understand how to communicate with others within building services engineering	City and Guilds on-line multiple choice test The assessment covers the knowledge requirements of the unit and assesses all learning outcomes to verify coverage of the unit.	Test available for booking on the Walled Garden.

#### **Test Specifications**

**Test:** Unit 501 Health and safety in building services engineering

**Duration:** 1 hour 15 mins

Unit	Outcome	Number of questions	%
501	01 Know health and safety legislation	4	10
	02 Know how to handle hazardous situations	14	33
	03 Know electrical safety requirements when working in the building services industry	7	17
	04 Know the safety requirements for working with gases and heat producing equipment	8	19
	05 Know the safety requirements for using access equipment in the building services industry	4	9
	06 Know the safety requirements for working safely in excavations and confined spaces in the building services industry	5	12
	Total	42	100

**Test:** Unit 202 Principles of electrical science

**Duration:** 90 mins

Unit	Outcome	Number of questions	%
202	01 Know the principles of electricity	8	20
	02 Know the principles of basic electrical circuits	6	15
	03 Know the principles of electromagnetism	6	15
	04 Know the principles of basic mechanics	5	12.5
	05 Know electrical quantities in Star Delta configurations	7	17.5
	06 Know the operating principle of a range of electrical equipment	4	10
	07 Know the principles of A.C theory	4	10
	Total	40	100

**Test:** Unit 203 Electrical installations technology

**Duration:** 1 hour 15 mins

Unit	Outcome	Number of questions	%
203	01 Know implications of electrical industry regulations	3	8
	02 Know how to obtain technical information	5	12
	03 Know wiring systems of electrical installations	15	38
	04 Know requirements earthing systems	9	22
	05 Know how electricity is supplied	5	12
	06 Know requirements for different types of micro-renewable energies	3	8
	Total	40	100

**Test:** Unit 210 Understand how to communicate with others within

building services engineering

**Duration:** 40 mins

Unit	Outcome	Number of questions	%
210	01 Know the members of the construction team and their role within the building services industry	5	25
	02 Know how to apply information sources in the building services industry	9	45
	03 Know how to communicate with others in the building services industry	6	30
	Total	20	100



#### 5 Availability of units

The following units can also be obtained from The Register of Regulated Qualifications: http://register.ofqual.gov.uk/Unit

#### Structure of units

These units each have the following:

- City & Guilds reference number
- unit accreditation number (UAN)
- title
- level
- credit value
- guided learning hours
- unit aim
- health and safety requirements
- learning outcomes which are comprised of a number of assessment criteria
- notes for guidance, where applicable.

## Unit 201/501 Health and safety in building services engineering

UAN:	T/503/9669
Level:	Level 2
Credit value:	3
GLH:	26
Aim:	This combination unit provides learners with the essential health and safety knowledge and skills to demonstrate best practice in a building services engineering environment or sector. The unit provides learners with an awareness of relevant legislation and should underpin all building services engineering activities learners take part in.
Health and safety:	Health and safety behaviour learned in this mandatory unit should be displayed in all arenas.

#### Learning outcome

The learner will:

1. Know health and safety legislation

#### **Assessment criteria**

- 1.1 State the aims of health and safety legislation
- 1.2 Identify the responsibilities of **individuals** under health and safety legislation
- 1.3 Identify statutory and non-statutory **health and safety materials**
- 1.4 Identify the different **roles** of Health and Safety Executive in enforcing health and safety legislation.

#### Range

#### Health and safety legislation

The Health & Safety at Work Act, The Electricity at Work Regulations, Control of Substances Hazardous to Health (COSHH) Regulations, Working at Heights Regulations, Personal Protective Equipment at Work Regulations (PPE), Lifting and Manual Handling Operations Regulations, Provision and Use of Work Equipment Regulations, Control of Asbestos at Work Regulations, Health, Safety and Welfare Regulations, Health and Safety (First Aid) Regulations, Confined Spaces Regulations.

#### **Individuals**

Employers, employees and contractors, visitors to site.

#### **Health and safety materials**

Acts of Parliament, regulations, approved codes of practice, HSE Guidance notes.

#### Roles

Improvement notice, prohibition notice, powers of prosecution, providing advice and guidance.

#### Learning outcome

The learner will:

2. Know how to handle hazardous situations

#### Assessment criteria

- 2.1 Identify common **hazardous situations** found on site
- 2.2 Describe safe systems at work
- 2.3 Identify the **categories** of safety signs
- 2.4 Identify **symbols** for hazardous substances
- 2.5 List common **hazardous substances** used in the building services industry
- 2.6 List **precautions** to be taken when working with hazardous substances
- 2.7 Identify the **types of asbestos** that may be encountered in the workplace
- 2.8 Identify the **actions** to be taken if the presence of asbestos is suspected
- 2.9 Describe the **implications** of being exposed to asbestos
- 2.10 State the application of different types of **personal protective equipment**
- 2.11 Identify the **procedures for manually handling** heavy and bulky items
- 2.12 Identify the **actions** that should be taken when an accident or emergency is discovered
- 2.13 State procedures for handling injuries sustained on-site
- 2.14 State the **procedures for recording accidents** and near misses at work.

#### Range

#### **Hazardous situations**

Trailing leads, slippery or uneven surfaces, presence of dust and fumes, handling and transporting equipment or materials, contaminants and irritants, fire, working at heights, malfunctioning equipment, improper use and storage of tools and equipment, potential presence of asbestos.

#### Safe systems at work

Method statements, permit to work systems, risk assessments, safety signs and notices.

#### **Categories**

Mandatory, prohibition, information, warning.

#### **Symbols**

Toxic, harmful, corrosive, irritant, oxidising, extremely flammable.

#### **Hazardous substances**

Lead - solid and fume, solvents and lubricants, fluxes, jointing compounds, sealants, gases – LPG, oxy-acetylene and carbon dioxide, cleaning agents.

#### **Precautions**

PPE, ventilation, risk assessment, method statements, safe systems of work.

#### Types of asbestos

White asbestos (Chrysotile), brown or grey asbestos (Amosite), blue asbestos (Crocidolite), asbestos cement materials.

#### **Actions**

Stop working immediately, report to supervisor.

#### **Implications**

Long-term health implications (mesothelioma, asbestosis).

#### Personal protective equipment

Clothing protection including high visibility, Eye protection, Hand protection, Head protection, Foot protection, Hearing protection, Respiratory protection.

#### Procedures for manually handling

Single, two-person lift, mechanical lift.

#### **Actions**

Raising the alarm, contact emergency services, follow typical emergency evacuation procedures, inform supervisor.

#### Procedures for handling injuries

Make self safe, make area safe, administer first aid where appropriate, contact emergency services, contact nominated first aid person, contact supervisor.

#### **Procedures for recording accidents**

RIDDOR, the use of company accident books, details to be recorded.

The learner will:

3. Know electrical safety requirements when working in the building services industry

#### Assessment criteria

The learner can:

- 3.1 Identify the common **electrical dangers** to be aware of on site
- 3.2 List different **sources** of electrical supply for tools and equipment
- 3.3 Describe **reasons** for using reduced low voltage electrical supplies for tool and equipment on site
- 3.4 Identify how to conduct a **visual inspection** of portable electrical equipment for safe condition before use
- 3.5 State **actions** to take when portable electrical equipment fails visual inspection
- 3.6 Outline the Safe Isolation Procedure
- 3.7 State the **procedures** for dealing with electric shocks.

#### Range

#### **Electrical dangers**

Faulty electrical equipment, damaged electrical equipment, exposed conductors, damaged insulation, worn electrical cables and cords, trailing cables, proximity of cables, buried/hidden cables.

#### **Sources**

Battery powered supplies, 110 volt supplies, 230 volt supplies, generating sets.

#### Reasons

Increased likelihood for damage to equipment, operative in better contact with earth, protect from electric shock, reduces trailing leads.

#### Visual inspection

Checking for a valid PAT test, Inspection for general condition.

#### **Actions**

Remove from use, report to supervisor.

#### **Procedures**

Removal from supply, CPR method, contact emergency services, report to supervisors, treatment of minor burns.

The learner will:

4. Know the safety requirements for working with gases and heat producing equipment

#### Assessment criteria

The learner can:

- 4.1 Identify different **types of gases** used on site
- 4.2 Describe how bottled gases and equipment should be safely transported and stored
- 4.3 Describe how to conduct a **visual inspection** on heat producing equipment for safe condition
- 4.4 Describe how **combustion** takes place
- 4.5 State the **dangers** of working with heat producing equipment
- 4.6 State the **procedures** to follow on discovery of fires on site
- 4.7 Identify different classifications of fires
- 4.8 Identify types of fire **extinguisher** for different classifications of fires.

#### Range

#### Types of gases

Propane, butane, oxy-acetylene, nitrogen.

#### **Visual inspection**

Inspection for general condition.

#### Combustion

Three elements of the fire triangle.

#### **Dangers**

Fires, burns, fumes, equipment damage, explosions.

#### **Procedures**

Raise the alarm, follow safety evacuation procedures, fight fire if trained to do so.

#### **Classifications of fires**

Class A, B, C, D, electrical fires.

#### Fire extinguisher

Carbon dioxide, water, powder, foam.

The learner will:

5. Know the safety requirements for using access equipment in the building services industry

#### Assessment criteria

The learner can:

- 5.1 Identify different types of access equipment
- 5.2 Select suitable equipment for carrying out work at heights based on the **work being carried out**
- 5.3 Describe the **safety checks** to be carried out on access equipment
- 5.4 Describe safe erection methods for **access equipment**.

#### Range

#### Types of access equipment

Step ladders, ladders, roof ladders and crawling boards, mobile tower scaffolds, podiums fixed scaffolds and edge protection, mobile elevated work platforms including scissor lifts and cherry pickers, telescopic ladders.

#### Work being carried out

Duration at work, action points for heights.

#### Safety checks

Visual, tagging, fit for purpose, secure level ground.

#### **Access equipment**

Step ladders, ladders, roof ladders, mobile tower scaffolds, podiums, telescopic ladders.

#### Learning outcome

The learner will:

6. Know the safety requirements for working safely in excavations and confined spaces in the building services industry

#### **Assessment criteria**

- 6.1 Identify the situations in which it may be necessary to work in excavations
- 6.2 Describe how excavations should be **prepared** for safe working
- 6.3 State **precautions** to be taken to make excavations safe
- 6.4 Identify areas where working in **confined space** may be a consideration
- 6.5 State **safety considerations** when working in confined spaces.

#### Range

#### **Prepared**

Safe access into the excavation, trench support systems.

#### **Precautions**

Use of warning signs, use of barriers, vehicle proximity to excavation edges.

#### **Confined space**

Drainage systems, Plant rooms, Main service duct-rooms, In tanks, cylinders, boilers or cisterns, Under suspended timber floors, In roof spaces.

#### Safety considerations

Ventilation, lighting, PPE, evacuation procedures, medical conditions, lone working.

#### **Learning outcome**

The learner will:

7. Be able to apply safe working practice

#### **Assessment criteria**

The learner can:

- 7.1 Perform **manual handling** techniques
- 7.2 Manually handle loads using mechanical lifting aids
- 7.3 Demonstrate the safe method of assembly of **access equipment**
- 7.4 Use access equipment safely.

#### Range

#### **Manual handling**

Single, two-person lift.

#### **Access equipment**

Step ladders, ladders, mobile tower scaffolds.

## Unit 201/501 Health and safety in building services engineering

Supporting information

#### Guidance

#### **Electrical equipment**

Includes power tools, lights etc

#### **Safe Isolation Procedure**

Recommend referring to JIB Safe Isolation Procedure

#### On Site

Where reference to 'on site' is made in this unit, the intention is that this covers building sites and domestic sites.

It is recommended that assessors cover employee rights in relation to Health & Safety.

This First Aid element of this unit is not intended to replicate a full First Aid course but to give learners the underpinning knowledge to understand the types of injuries they may come across in a work place.

#### Unit 202 Principles of electrical science

UAN:	R/503/9937
Level:	Level 2
Credit value:	10
GLH:	89
Aim	The aim of this unit is to enable the candidate to know the basic principles of electrical science. This knowledge provides the foundation for electrical installations which can be applied when designing wiring systems for clients and when inspection and testing electrical installations.
Health and safety:	Health and safety behaviour learned in mandatory unit 201/501 should be displayed in all arenas.

#### Learning outcome

The learner will:

1. Know the principles of electricity

#### **Assessment criteria**

The learner can:

- 1.1 Describe the reaction of electrons when charged to form an electric current
- 1.2 Identify **sources** of an electromotive force
- 1.3 Describe the **effects** of an electric current
- 1.4 Identify SI Units for various **electrical quantities**
- 1.5 Transpose basic formulae.

#### Range

#### **Sources**

Chemical, magnetic, thermal.

#### **Effects**

Chemical, magnetic, thermal.

#### SI Units

Quantity symbol, unit symbol, multiples, sub-multiples.

#### **Electrical quantities**

Current, potential, resistance, resistivity, temperature, mass, force, magnetic flux, magnetic flux density, period, frequency, power, energy, time, length, area, mass, weight.

#### **Basic formulae**

Ohm's law, transformer formulas, Magnetism formulas, Pythagoras formulas, trigonometry (for power factor and a.c. theory).

The learner will:

2. Know the principles of basic electrical circuits

#### Assessment criteria

The learner can:

- 2.1 Calculate resistance of a **conductor** in a basic electrical circuit
- 2.2 Apply Ohm's law to **electrical circuits**
- 2.3 Calculate power in a basic electrical circuits
- 2.4 State how **instruments** are connected into circuits in order to measure electrical quantities.

#### Range

#### **Conductors**

(all @ 20°celsius)

Copper conductor, aluminium conductor, silver conductor, gold conductor, brass conductor.

#### **Electrical circuits**

Series, parallel.

#### **Instruments**

Voltmeter, ammeter, wattmeter, ohmmeter.

#### Learning outcome

The learner will:

3. Know the principles of electro-magnetism

#### **Assessment criteria**

The learner can:

- 3.1 Describe the magnetic flux patterns of **electromagnets**
- 3.2 Apply Flemings right hand rule to the operating principles of a simple alternator
- 3.3 Calculate magnitudes of a generated EMF
- 3.4 State how an alternator produces a sinusoidal waveform output
- 3.5 Calculate sinusoidal quantities
- 3.6 State the reason for **a.c. distribution**.

#### Range

#### **Electromagnets**

Current carrying conductor, solenoid, inductor, magnetic poles, relays.

#### Sinusoidal quantities

R.M.S voltage, average voltage, instantaneous voltage, peak voltage, peak to peak voltage, periodic time, frequency.

#### a.c. distribution

Step up transformers, step down transformers.

The learner will:

4. Know the principles of basic mechanics

#### **Assessment criteria**

The learner can:

- 4.1 Calculate **quantities** of mechanical loads
- 4.2 Calculate the efficiency of a machine expressed as a percentage
- 4.3 Calculate mechanical advantage gained by use of **levers**.

#### Range

#### **Quantities**

Force, mass, gravity, acceleration, work done, power, time.

#### Levers

1st order levers, 2nd order levers.

#### Learning outcome

The learner will:

5. Know electrical quantities in Star Delta configurations

#### **Assessment criteria**

The learner can:

- 5.1 Differentiate between **voltages** and **currents** in Star configured loads
- 5.2 Differentiate between **voltages** and **currents** in Delta configured loads
- 5.3 Describe why single phase loads should be **balanced** across a three line supply.

#### Range

#### **Voltages**

Line voltage, phase voltage.

#### **Currents**

Line current, phase current.

#### **Balanced**

No neutral current, neutral current values (simple methods).

The learner will:

6. Know the operating principle of a range of electrical equipment

#### **Assessment criteria**

The learner can:

- 6.1 Describe the operating principle of **electrical equipment**
- 6.2 Apply Flemings left hand rule to determine the direction of rotation of a motor
- 6.3 Describe the operating principle of **transformers**.

#### Range

#### **Electrical equipment**

Basic a.c. motors, basic d.c machines, fluorescent luminaires, relays.

#### **Transformers**

Self inductance, mutual inductance, turns ratio, potential transformer, current transformer, isolating transformer.

#### Learning outcome

The learner will:

7. Know the principles of A.C theory

#### Assessment criteria

The learner can:

- 7.1 State the **effects** of components in a.c circuits
- 7.2 State characteristics of **power quantities** for an a.c. circuit
- 7.3 Describe why power factor **correction** is required
- 7.4 Describe how power factor **correction** may be achieved.

#### Range

#### **Effects**

Resistance, inductance, capacitance, impedance, reactance.

#### **Power quantities**

Apparent power (KVA), Reactive power (KVAr), True Power (KW), power triangles.

#### Correction

Use of capacitors, load correction, bulk correction, synchronous motor.

## Unit 203 Electrical installations technology

UAN:	Y/503/9938
Level:	Level 2
Credit value:	12
GLH:	115
Aim:	The purpose of this knowledge unit is for the candidate to gain knowledge of the underpinning principles and industry standards and requirements of electrical installation technology. They will know about sources of information and the types of information they provide about wiring systems. They will also know about earthing systems and the installation of wiring systems.
Health and safety:	Health and safety behaviour learned in mandatory unit 201/501 should be displayed in all arenas.

#### Learning outcome

The learner will:

1. Know implications of electrical industry regulations

#### **Assessment criteria**

The learner can:

- 1.1 Identify **statutory regulations**
- 1.2 Identify non statutory regulations
- 1.3 State **implications** of statutory regulations
- 1.4 State **implications** of non-statutory regulations.

#### Range

#### **Statutory regulations**

HASAWA, EAWR, ESQCR, PUWER, COSHH, CDM, Manual Handling, PPE, Noise at Work, Environmental Act, DDA, Equal Opportunities.

#### Non statutory regulations

BS7671, On-Site Guide, Unite Union Book, Guidance Notes, Codes of Practice.

#### **Implications**

Prosecution, fine, imprisonment, prohibition notices, improvement notices, dismissal, injury, death, loss of earnings, lost clients, loss of reputation.

The learner will:

2. Know how to obtain technical information

#### Assessment criteria

The learner can:

- 2.1 State purpose of different **sources** of technical information
- 2.2 Recognise different **drawing types**
- 2.3 Recognise **symbols** used in drawings
- 2.4 Convert scale from drawings to actual dimensions.

#### Range

#### **Sources**

Specifications (to select correct materials), drawings (provide technical information on wiring systems), BS7671 On-Site Guide, Unite Union Book, manufacturers data, Guidance Notes (install in accordance with regulations), client's needs.

#### **Drawing types**

As fitted drawings, circuit diagrams, block diagrams, schematics, wiring diagrams, bar charts.

#### **Symbols**

Switching (one way, two way, intermediate, pull, switched socket outlets, unswitched socket outlets, fused connection units, switched fused connection units) lighting points (fluorescent, incandescent, wall), cooker control unit, consumer control unit, integrated meter, fuse, circuit breaker.

The learner will:

3. Know wiring systems of electrical installations

#### Assessment criteria

The learner can:

- 3.1 Describe principles of operation of different **circuit types**
- 3.2 Identify wiring systems for different environments
- 3.3 Determine minimum current carrying capacity of live conductors for given **installation conditions**
- 3.4 State **applications** of different types of **protective devices**
- 3.5 Identify purpose of **specialised** equipment for installing **wiring systems**
- 3.6 Calculate spacing factor of **wiring enclosures**.

#### Range

#### **Circuit types**

Lighting, power and heating, alarm and emergency systems, data communications, control circuits, ring final, radial.

#### Wiring systems

Cable tray, cable trunking, cable conduit, ladder racking, thermoplastic multi-core, flat profile, SWA, MICC, FP200, thermoplastic single-core, support methods and requirements, component parts.

#### **Environments**

Domestic, commercial, hazardous, industrial installation, agricultural.

#### **Installation conditions**

Ib In Iz It, Ca, Cc, Cf, Cg, Ci, voltage drop.

#### **Applications**

Domestic, commercial, hazardous, industrial installation, agricultural, load characteristic.

#### **Protective devices**

Fuses (BS88 (gM, gG), BS3036, BS1362), circuit breaker BSEN60898 types b, c and d, RCD BSEN 61008, RCBO BSEN 61009 types b, c and d.

#### **Specialised**

Conduit and tray benders, stocks, dies, formers.

#### Wiring enclosures

Conduit, trunking.

The learner will:

4. Know requirements earthing systems

#### Assessment criteria

The learner can:

- 4.1 Identify different types of **earthing systems**
- 4.2 Identify **component parts** of Automatic Disconnection of Supply (ADS)
- 4.3 Identify exposed conductive parts
- 4.4 Identify extraneous conductive parts
- 4.5 Identify **component parts** of an earth loop impedance path.

#### Range

#### **Earthing systems**

TT, TN-S, TN-C-S.

#### **Component parts**

CPC, main protective bonding conductor, supplementary equipotential bonding conductor, earthing conductor, protective devices, earth electrode.

#### **Exposed conductive parts**

Steel conduit, steel trunking, steel tray, steel enclosures of wiring systems, metal accessories, metallic equipment.

#### **Extraneous conductive parts**

Metallic service pipes (gas, oil, water), steel duct work, structural steel.

#### **Component parts**

Zs, Ze, R1, R2, main earthing terminal (MET), supplier's earth return path.

#### Learning outcome

The learner will:

5. Know how electricity is supplied

#### Assessment criteria

The learner can:

- 5.1 Identify **methods** of generating electricity for distribution
- 5.2 Identify transmission voltages
- 5.3 Identify distribution voltages
- 5.4 State the **component parts** of the electrical distribution network.

#### Range

#### Methods

Coal, oil, biomass, wind, wave, hydro, nuclear, photo-voltaic, gas, microgeneration.

#### **Transmission voltages**

400KV, 275KV, 132KV.

#### **Distribution voltages**

33KV, 11KV, 400/230V.

#### **Component parts**

Sub-stations, pylons, power stations, cables, insulators, transformers.

The learner will:

6. Know requirements for different types of micro-renewable energies

#### **Assessment criteria**

The learner can:

- 6.1 Describe types of micro-renewable energies
- 6.2 Identify requirements for installation of micro-renewable energies
- 6.3 Identify advantages and disadvantages of **micro-renewable energies.**

#### Range

#### Micro-renewable energies

Solar thermal (hot water), ground source heat pump, air source heat pump, biomass, solar photovoltaic, micro-wind, micro-hydro, micro-combined heat and power (heat led), rainwater harvesting, greywater reuse.

#### Requirements

Legal, regulatory, building location, building fabric.

## Unit 204 Installation of wiring systems and enclosures

UAN:	R/503/9940
Level:	Level 2
Credit value:	21
GLH:	196
Aim:	This practical unit will develop in learners the skills required to install wiring systems to recognised standards. Learners will learn to use tools and materials effectively in completing well defined tasks for electrical installations. In addition to learning to install systems, learners will also develop skills to inspect and test wiring systems.
Health and safety:	Health and safety behaviour learned in mandatory unit 201/501 should be displayed in all arenas.

#### Learning outcome

The learner will:

1. Know tools used to install wiring systems

#### **Assessment criteria**

The learner can:

- 1.1 Identify **hand tools** for different tasks
- 1.2 Identify **power tools** for different tasks
- 1.3 Describe **safety checks** used for tools.

#### Range

#### **Hand tools**

Rules, levels, gauges, plumb lines, cable cutters, screwdrivers, wire strippers, knife, files, reamers, wrenches, hammer, saws.

#### Power tools

Drill, hammer drill, pillar drill, electric screwdriver.

#### Safety checks

Check safe to use, correct speed setting, correct attachments, attached correctly, guards in place, correct PPE, best performance (sharp).

The learner will:

2. Know how to prepare for installing wiring systems

#### **Assessment criteria**

The learner can:

- 2.1 Identify possible **hazards** in the workspace
- 2.2 Identify **PPE** for different tasks
- 2.3 Select access equipment.

#### Range

#### Hazards

Circuit isolation, safe working practices, risk assessment/method statement.

#### PPE

Hard hat, safety glasses, safety shoes, gloves, ear defenders, protective work wear.

#### **Access Equipment**

Ladders, hop up.

#### Learning outcome

The learner will:

3. Be able to install wiring systems

#### **Assessment criteria**

The learner can:

- 3.1 Select materials from drawings
- 3.2 Mark out dimensions on work areas from drawings
- 3.3 Fix accessories to dimensions from drawings
- 3.4 Install wiring systems
- 3.5 Terminate wiring systems
- 3.6 Maintain safe working practices
- 3.7 Use JIB safe isolation procedures.

#### Range

#### **Wiring Systems**

Single and multicore thermoplastic cable, multicore armoured cable, cable tray, cable conduit (steel and PVC), cable trunking.

The learner will:

4. Be able to bond mains services to main earthing terminal

#### **Assessment criteria**

The learner can:

- 4.1 Identify cable sizes
- 4.2 Terminate cables
- 4.3 Connect bonding clamps
- 4.4 Test continuity.

#### Learning outcome

The learner will:

5. Be able to inspect a 'dead electrical installation.

#### **Assessment criteria**

The learner can:

5.1 Verify that wiring systems conform to IET standards.

#### Learning outcome

The learner will:

6. Be able to test a dead electrical installation

#### **Assessment criteria**

The learner can:

- 6.1 Test continuity of protective conductor
- 6.2 Test ring final circuit
- 6.3 Test insulation resistance
- 6.4 Test polarity
- 6.5 Test functionality
- 6.6 Record test results.

#### Range

#### **Functionality**

Of switches and devices by movement, by continuity test Live under supervision.

## Unit 210 Understand how to communicate with others within building services engineering

UAN:	J/602/2482
Level:	Level 2
Credit value:	3
GLH:	28
Aim:	This knowledge unit provides learning in the development and continued maintenance of effective working relationships in the building services industry associated with work in dwellings, industrial and commercial premises and for private and contract type clients.

The learner will:

1. Know the members of the construction team and their role within the building services industry

#### **Assessment criteria**

- 1.1 Identify the key roles of the site management team:
  - architect
  - project manager/clerk of works
  - structural engineer
  - surveyor
  - building services engineer
  - quantity surveyor
  - buyer
  - estimator
  - contracts manager
  - construction manager.
- 1.2 Identify the key roles of the individuals that report to the site management team:
  - sub contractors
  - site supervisor
  - trade supervisor
  - trades:
    - o bricklayer
    - o joiner
    - o plasterer
    - o tiler
    - o electrician
    - o H&V fitter
    - o gas fitter
    - o decorator
    - o ground workers
- 1.3 Identify the key roles of site visitors:
  - building control inspector
  - water inspector
  - HSE inspector
  - electrical services inspector.

The learner will:

2. Know how to apply information sources in the building services industry

#### Assessment criteria

- 2.1 Identify the types of statutory legislation and guidance information that applies to working in the industry:
  - legislation
    - o data protection
    - o equal opportunities
    - o health & safety
    - o employment
  - regulations
  - british standards
  - codes of practice
  - manufacturer guidance:
    - o installation instructions
    - o service & maintenance instructions
    - o user instructions
- 2.2 Identify the purpose of information that is used in the workplace:
  - job specifications
  - plans/drawings
    - o work programmes
  - delivery notes
  - time sheets
  - policy documentation health & safety, environmental, customer service
- 2.3 Identify the purpose of information given to customers:
  - quotations
  - estimates
  - invoices/statements
  - statutory cancelation rights
  - handover information
- 2.4 State the importance of company policies and procedures that affect working relationships:
  - company working policies/procedures:
    - o behaviour
    - o timekeeping
    - o dress code
    - o contract of employment
  - limits to personal authority:
    - o apprentices
    - o level 2 qualified staff
    - o level 3 qualified staff
  - supervisor and management responsibilities.

The learner will:

3. Know how to communicate with others in the building services industry

#### **Assessment criteria**

- 3.1 Identify suitable communication methods for use in work situations:
  - oral communication
  - written communication:
    - o e-mail
    - o fax
    - o letter
- 3.2 Define methods of effective communication for people with:
  - physical disabilities
  - learning difficulties
  - language differences:
    - o dialects
    - o accents
    - o foreign and second language issues
- 3.3 State the actions to take to deal with conflicts between:
  - customers and operatives
  - co-workers
  - supervisors and operatives
- 3.4 State the effects that poor communication may have on an organisation:
  - between operatives
  - between operatives and management
  - company to customer.



## Appendix 1 Relationships to other qualifications

#### Links to other qualifications

This qualification has connections to the:

- Level 3 Diploma in Electrical Installations (Buildings and Structures) (2365)
- Level 2 NVQ in Plumbing and Heating (6189)
- Level 3 NVQ in Plumbing and Heating (6189)
- Level 3 NVQ in Electrotechnical Services (2357)
- Level 2 NVQ in Heating and Ventilating (6188)
- Level 3 NVQ in Heating and Ventilating (6188)
- Level 2 NVQ in Refrigeration and Air Conditioning (6087)
- Level 3 NVQ in Refrigeration and Air Conditioning (6087)
- Level 2 Diploma in Plumbing Studies (6035)
- Level 3 Diploma in Plumbing Studies (6035)
- Level 2 Diploma in Heating and Ventilating (7188)
- Level 3 Diploma in Heating and Ventilating (7188)
- Level 2 Diploma in Refrigeration, Air Conditioning and Heat Pump Systems (7189)
- Level 3 Diploma in Refrigeration, Air Conditioning and Heat Pump Systems (7189)

#### Literacy, language, numeracy and ICT skills development

This qualification can develop skills that can be used in the following qualifications:

- Functional Skills (England) see
   www.cityandguilds.com/functionalskills
- Essential Skills (Northern Ireland) see www.cityandguilds.com/essentialskillsni
- Essential Skills Wales see www.cityandguilds.com/esw

#### Appendix 2 Disclaimer





This document must be completed by the candidate and the tutor as part of the qualification induction.

You have been enrolled on the **Level 2 Diploma in Electrical Installations (Buildings and Structures) (2365-02).** This is a qualification that tests both practical and knowledge based skills in a realistic working environment. When you have successfully completed this qualification you will be at an **Improver/Electrician's Mate** level.

In order to fully qualify as an Electrician you will need to fully meet the performance criteria as laid down in the National Occupational Standards put together by Summit Skills, the Sector Skills Council. This is covered in the City and Guilds 2357 Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Electrotechnical Technology.

Your tutor/assessor will be able to explain how you may progress onto the City and Guilds 2357 Level 3 NVQ Diploma in Electrotechnical Technology. **However, you should be aware that the relevant performance units will need to be carried out in industry.** Completion of the 2357 will enable you to apply to join an industry graded or competent person's scheme.

I can confirm that as part of my induction the above statement has been explained and I understand that completing the City and Guilds Level 2 Diploma in Electrical Installations (Buildings and Structures) (2365-02) qualification will not make me a fully qualified Electrician.

Candidate	Date
Tutor	Date

## Appendix 3 Normative references for use in open book examinations

203 Electrical installations technology

• IET On-Site Guide (BS 7671:2008 Wiring Regulations)



## Appendix 4 Sources of general information

The following documents contain essential information for centres delivering City & Guilds qualifications. They should be referred to in conjunction with this handbook. To download the documents and to find other useful documents, go to the **Centres and Training Providers homepage** on **www.cityandguilds.com**.

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- Assessment, internal quality assurance and examination roles at the centre
- Registration and certification of candidates
- Non-compliance
- Complaints and appeals
- Equal opportunities
- Data protection
- Management systems
- Maintaining records
- Assessment
- Internal quality assurance
- External quality assurance.

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- Regulatory Arrangements for the Qualifications and Credit Framework (2008)
- SQA Awarding Body Criteria (2007)
- NVQ Code of Practice (2006)

and sets out the criteria that centres should adhere to pre and post centre and qualification approval.

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- Walled Garden: how to register and certificate candidates on line
- Qualifications and Credit Framework (QCF): general guidance about the QCF and how qualifications will change, as well as information on the IT systems needed and FAQs
- **Events**: dates and information on the latest Centre events
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