STEAMFITTER/PIPEFITTER

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Steamfitter-Pipefitter
Preface

This Atlantic Apprenticeship Curriculum Standard is intended to assist instructional staff in the design and delivery of technical, in-class training in support of the Steamfitter-Pipefitter program.

This document contains all the technical training elements required to complete the Steamfitter-Pipefitter apprenticeship program and has been developed based on the 2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard (RSOS) and the 2010 Interprovincial Program Guide (IPG). The RSOS and IPG can be found on the Red Seal website (www.red-seal.ca).

Implementation of this AACS for Apprenticeship training is outlined in the following table.

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** The above implementation schedule was current at time of printing. Please confirm with Apprenticeship Staff prior to commencing training.

Granting of credit or permission to challenge level examinations for pre-employment or pre-apprenticeship training for the Steamfitter-Pipefitter trade will be based on the content outlined in this standard. Training providers must contact their provincial apprenticeship authority for more information on the process and requirements for determining eligibility for credit towards an apprenticeship program. Programs which have been deemed acceptable by the jurisdictional apprenticeship authority will be identified in transfer credit matrix developed through the Atlantic Apprenticeship Harmonization Project.
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Atlantic Apprenticeship Curriculum Standards (AACS) are developed based on the Red Seal Occupational Standard (RSOS) and the Interprovincial Program Guides (IPG), and extensive industry consultation. This document represents the minimum content to be delivered as part of the harmonized Atlantic program for the Steamfitter-Pipefitter trade.

The AACS’s are deliberately constructed for ease of use and flexibility of structure in order to adapt to all delivery requirements. They detail units of training, unit outcomes and objectives. They do not impose a delivery model or teaching format.

Jurisdictions and/or training providers will select and develop delivery materials and techniques that accommodate a variety of learning styles and delivery patterns. The AACS does not dictate study materials, textbooks or learning activities to be used in delivery.

The document includes a Level Structure to facilitate mobility for apprentices moving from one jurisdiction to another.

Structure

The content of the AACS is divided into units. Unit codes are used as a means of identification and are not intended to convey the order of delivery. It is at the discretion of the training provider to deliver the content in the required logical sequence of delivery within the level. Jurisdictions are free to deliver units one at a time or concurrently within a level, provided all outcomes are met.

The Learning Outcomes describe what the apprentice should know or be able to do at the end of training. Wording of the Learning Outcomes, “Demonstrate knowledge of...” acknowledges the broad spectrum of ways in which knowledge can be assessed (i.e. practical projects, multiple choice testing, presentations, etc.) by instructional staff within the training.

Summative evaluation will be through a multiple-choice Level Examination administered through the jurisdictional Apprenticeship Authority.
The 2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard (RSOS) to AACS Comparison chart outlines the relation between each RSOS sub-task and the AACS units. RSOS References have also been detailed in each unit to highlight the direct link between the unit and relevant sub-tasks in the RSOS.

In the Level Structure section, the document identifies suggested hours in order to provide an indication of the time it should take to cover the material in the unit and is intended as a guide only. Adjustments to the suggested hours for each unit may be required to account for rate of apprentice learning, statutory holidays, storm days, registration and examinations. These suggested hours detailed for each unit will represent both theory and practical training (if relevant) and for consistency will be based on a standard of 30 hours per week of training. The actual length of time required to deliver an outcome successfully will depend upon the learning activities and teaching methods used.

There are two types of objectives found in the AACS document: theoretical and practical.

The theoretical objectives represent the material that is to be covered during the technical training in order to convey the required knowledge to the apprentice.

The practical objectives represent the tasks or skills that have been deemed by the Atlantic Trade Advisory Committee as critical for the apprentices to receive exposure to while attending technical training. For example, exposure could be done through instructor demonstration or individual or group performance of the skill or task. Training providers are encouraged to use practical demonstration and opportunities for hands-on learning whenever possible. Practical objectives are not intended to replace the on-the-job training component of the apprentice’s program or to mirror or replace the logbook skills that are to be taught and evaluated in the workplace.

Detailed content for each objective has not been developed. Where detail is required for clarity, content has been provided.
# Glossary of Terms

These definitions are intended as a guide to how language is used in the document.

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<td>A feature that helps to identify, tell apart or describe recognizably; a distinguishing mark or trait.</td>
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<td><strong>IDENTIFY</strong></td>
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<td><strong>INTERPRET</strong></td>
<td>To translate information from observation, charts, tables, graphs and written material.</td>
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<td><strong>MAINTAIN</strong></td>
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<td><strong>METHOD</strong></td>
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<td><strong>OPERATE</strong></td>
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<td><strong>PROCEDURE</strong></td>
<td>A prescribed series of steps taken to accomplish an end.</td>
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<td><strong>PURPOSE</strong></td>
<td>The reason for which something exists or is done, made or used.</td>
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TECHNIQUE
Within a procedure, the manner in which technical skills are applied.

TEST
v. To subject to a procedure that ascertains effectiveness, value, proper function or other quality.

n. A way of examining something to determine its characteristics or properties, or to determine whether or not it is working correctly.
Essential Skills Profiles

Through extensive research, the Government of Canada and other national and international agencies have identified and validated key essential skills for the workplace. These skills are used in nearly every job and at different levels of complexity. They provide the foundation for learning all other skills and enable people to evolve with their jobs and adapt to workplace change.

Essential Skills Profiles describe how workers in various occupations use each of the key essential skills. They include:

- a brief description of the occupation;
- examples of tasks that illustrate how each essential skill is applied; and,
- complexity ratings that indicate the level of difficulty of the example tasks.

Essential Skills profiles can be found on the Employment and Social Development Canada (ESDC) website at [www.esdc.gc.ca/eng/jobs/les/profiles/index.shtml](http://www.esdc.gc.ca/eng/jobs/les/profiles/index.shtml)

The development and improvement of these Essential Skills is inherent throughout the apprenticeship training program as apprentices work towards achieving journeyperson status.
# Profile Chart

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Level 1
MENT-1801  Workplace Mentoring I  
(Nova Scotia Unit of Instruction)

Learning Outcomes:

- Identify and explain strategies for learning workplace skills.
- Demonstrate strategies to assist in learning skills in the workplace.

Objectives and Content:

1. Describe the importance of your own experiences.
2. Identify the partners involved in apprenticeship.
3. Describe the shared responsibilities for workplace learning.
4. Determine your own learning preferences and explain how these relate to learning new skills.
5. Describe the importance of different types of skills in the workplace.
6. Describe the importance of essential skills in the trade.
7. Identify different ways of learning.
8. Identify your learning preferences.
9. Identify different learning needs and strategies to meet learning needs.
10. Identify techniques for effective communication.
11. Identify strategies to assist in learning a skill.

Resource:

- Recommended resource to use in the delivery of this unit:  
  www.apprenticeship.nscc.ca/mentoring/apprentice.htm
STM-100 Safety

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of safe work practices.
- Demonstrate knowledge of regulatory requirements pertaining to workplace safety.
- Demonstrate knowledge of PPE and safety equipment, its applications, maintenance and procedures for use.
- Demonstrate knowledge of applications and procedures for locking out equipment.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

1.01 Maintains safe work environment.
1.02 Selects, inspects and uses personal protective equipment (PPE) and safety equipment.
1.03 Follows lock-out procedures.

Suggested Hours:

12 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Identify hazards and describe safe work practices.
   i) poor housekeeping
   ii) overhead hazards
   iii) confined space hazards
   iv) hot work hazards
   v) asbestos
   vi) noise hazards
   vii) environmental hazards
   viii) vibration hazards
   ix) air quality

2. Identify and describe local and jurisdictional laws and requirements.
3. Identify safety regulations pertaining to locking out electrical equipment, piping equipment and piping.

4. Identify training required by jurisdictional codes and regulations, and site-specific regulations.

5. Identify situations that require lock-out.

6. Identify regulations and safety documentation pertaining to the use of PPE and safety equipment.

7. Identify and describe company or jurisdictional procedures for emergency response.

8. Identify types of PPE and safety equipment and describe their applications, limitations and procedures for use.
   i) PPE
      - fall arrest systems
      - respirators and face shields
      - steel toed boots
      - hardhats
      - safety glasses
      - hearing protection
      - gloves, face shields
      - protective wristlets
      - fire-retardant clothing
   ii) equipment
      - fire extinguishers
      - hand rails
      - first aid kits
      - smoke and fume extractors

9. Describe procedures used to care for, maintain and store PPE and safety equipment.

10. Describe procedures for locking out equipment and piping.
    i) lockout equipment
       - lock and key
       - chains and tags
       - lock-out scissor clamp
- lock-box

**Practical Objectives**

N/A
STM-105  Communication and Trade Documentation

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of effective communication practices.
- Demonstrate knowledge of trade related documentation and its use.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

3.01 Plans Work.

Suggested Hours:

6 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Describe the importance of effective verbal and non-verbal communication with.
   i) other tradespersons
   ii) colleagues
   iii) supervisors
   iv) suppliers/manufacturers
   v) clients/customers
   vi) inspectors

2. Identify types of communication equipment and describe their applications and procedures for use.

3. Identify types of trade related documentation and describe their applications and procedures for use.
   i) manufacturers’ specifications
   ii) codes and standards
   iii) work orders
   iv) maintenance schedules
   v) permits
   vi) quality control
4. Explain the process, requirements and information sources for completing trade related documentation and reports.
   i) documentation
   ii) drawings
   iii) related professionals
   iv) clients

Practical Objectives

N/A
STM-110 Tools and Equipment

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of tools and equipment, their applications, maintenance and procedures for use.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

2.01 Uses common tools and equipment.

Suggested Hours:

24 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Identify types of hand tools and describe their applications and procedures for use.

2. Identify types of power tools and describe their applications and procedures for use.
   i) electrical
   ii) pneumatic
   iii) hydraulic

3. Identify types of measuring tools and equipment and describe their applications and procedures for use.

4. Identify types of powder-actuated tools and describe their applications.

5. Describe the procedures used to inspect, maintain and store tools and equipment.

Practical Objectives

1. Use tools and equipment.
STM-115 Access Equipment

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of ladders, scaffolding and motorized work platforms, their applications, limitations and procedures for use.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

2.02 Uses access equipment.

Suggested Hours:

6 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Identify hazards and describe safe work practices pertaining to ladders, scaffolding and motorized work platforms.

2. Identify jurisdictional regulations and site specific requirements pertaining to ladders, scaffolding and motorized work platforms.
   i) personnel training/certification
   ii) equipment certification requirements
   iii) proper use and limitations of equipment

3. Identify types of ladders and describe their characteristics and applications.
   i) step ladders
   ii) extension ladders
   iii) platform ladders

4. Identify types of scaffolding and describe their characteristics and applications.
   i) tube and clamp
   ii) swing stage
   iii) frame scaffolding
5. Identify types of motorized work platforms and describe their characteristics and applications.
   i) scissor lift
   ii) articulated boom
   iii) personnel basket

6. Describe the procedures used to erect and dismantle ladders and scaffolding.

Practical Objectives

N/A
STM-120 Introduction to Welding

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of welding equipment, applications and procedures

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

2.03 Uses welding equipment.

Suggested Hours:

18 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Identify certification requirements for performing welding.

2. Describe the procedures used to inspect, maintain and store welding equipment.

3. Identify types of welding equipment.
   i) SMAW equipment
   ii) orbital welding machines and equipment
   iii) GTAW equipment
   iv) torches
   v) GMAW equipment

4. Identify different welding processes and applications.
   i) metal inert gas (MIG)
      - gas metal arc welding (GMAW)
      - flux core arc welding (FCAW)
   ii) tungsten inert gas (TIG)
   iii) electric welding/shielded metal arc welding (SMAW)
   iv) orbital welding
   v) GTAW
5. Identify welding consumables.
   i) welding rods
   ii) flux
   iii) grinding discs

6. Identify basic weld joints and describe their applications.

7. Describe the procedures used to tack weld.

8. Describe the properties and characteristics of metals.

Practical Objectives

1. Use welding equipment.
STM-125 Fuel Brazing and Soldering

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of soldering and brazing equipment, applications and procedures.
- Demonstrate knowledge of oxy-fuel equipment, applications and procedures.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

2.04 Uses soldering and brazing equipment.
2.05 Uses oxy-fuel equipment.

Suggested Hours:

18 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Identify types of soldering and brazing equipment.
   i) oxy-acetylene and air-acetylene torches
   ii) attachments
      - strikers
      - MAPP
      - gas cylinder and torch heads

2. Identify different soldering and brazing processes and applications.
   i) cutting

3. Identify purge procedures required for brazing.
   i) dams
   ii) purge gas
   iii) pressures
   iv) flow rates

4. Identify oxy-fuel equipment components.
   i) hoses
ii) flashback arrestors

5. Identify soldering and brazing consumables.
   i) silver solder
   ii) flux
   iii) soft solder
   iv) brazing rod
   v) sand cloth

6. Identify certification requirements for performing brazing.

7. Describe the procedures used to inspect, maintain and store soldering and brazing equipment.

8. Describe the procedures used to inspect, maintain and store oxy-fuel equipment.

Practical Objectives

1. Use soldering and brazing equipment.
STM-130    Rigging, Hoisting and Lifting

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of hoisting, lifting, positioning and rigging equipment, their applications, limitations and procedures for use and storage.
- Demonstrate knowledge of calculations required when performing hoisting and lifting operations.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to select equipment for hoisting, lifting and positioning operations.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to perform hoisting, lifting and positioning operations.
- Demonstrate knowledge of inspection for rigging, hoisting, lifting and positioning equipment.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

8.01 Determines load.
8.02 Prepares lift plan(s).
8.03 Selects rigging, hoisting, lifting and positioning equipment.
8.04 Inspects rigging, hoisting, lifting and positioning equipment.
8.05 Secures lift area.
8.06 Sets up rigging, hoisting, lifting and positioning equipment.
8.07 Performs lift and positioning.
8.08 Maintains and stores rigging, hoisting, lifting and positioning equipment.

Suggested Hours:

30 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Define terminology associated with hoisting, lifting, rigging and positioning.

2. Identify hazards and describe safe work practices pertaining to hoisting, lifting, rigging and positioning.
   i) wind
ii) shock loading

3. Identify codes and regulations pertaining to hoisting, lifting and rigging.

4. Identify information pertaining to rigging equipment weight found on drawings and specifications.
   i) shop drawings
   ii) manufacturers’ specifications

5. Identify documentation required for engineered lifts.

6. Describe the procedures used to ensure a safe work area.
   i) supervision of lift
   ii) securing work area
   iii) communication

7. Describe the procedures used to rig material/equipment for lifting.
   i) load determination
   ii) communication methods
   iii) pre-lift checks
   iv) placement of load
   v) post-lift inspection

8. Identify the factors to consider when selecting rigging equipment.
   i) load characteristics
   ii) rigging inspection
   iii) equipment fatigue
   iv) environment
   v) safety factor (5 to 1 and 10 to 1)
   vi) sling angles

9. Identify types of rigging, hoisting, lifting and positioning equipment and accessories.
   i) lugs
   ii) chain falls
   iii) come alongs
   iv) spreader bars
   v) shackles
   vi) slings
   vii) tuggers
viii) cranes
ix) forklifts
x) rollers
xi) chain falls
xii) jacks
xiii) cable grip hoists

10. Identify and describe procedures used to communicate during set up and lifting operations.
   i) hand signals
   ii) electronic communications
   iii) audible/visual

11. Identify jurisdictional regulations and trade practice pertaining to rigging, hoisting, lifting and positioning.

12. Describe the procedures used to inspect, maintain and store rigging, hoisting, lifting, and positioning equipment.

13. Identify types of knots, hitches and bends and describe their applications and the procedures used to tie them.

14. Explain correlation of sling angles to sling capacities.
   i) $45^\circ$
   ii) $60^\circ$

15. Identify types of ropes used in rigging.

16. Explain how to calculate load weight.

*Practical Objectives*

1. Perform a basic lift of a pipe spool.
STM-135 Bracket, Support, Hanger, Guides and Anchor Fabrication

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to fabricate brackets, supports, hangers, guides and anchors.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

4.02 Fabricates brackets, supports, hangers, guides and anchors.

Suggested Hours:

12 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Interpret information pertaining to brackets, supports, hangers, guides and anchors fabrication found on drawings and specifications.

2. Interpret codes and regulations pertaining to brackets, supports, hangers, guides and anchors fabrication.
   i) ASME B31
   ii) Canadian Welding Bureau (CWB)

3. Identify fabrication tools and equipment relating to brackets, supports, hangers, guides and anchors fabrication and describe their applications and procedures for use.

4. Identify types of joining methods and describe their applications.

5. Identify types of fabrication techniques and describe their applications.

6. Describe the procedures used to fabricate and assemble brackets, supports, hangers, guides and anchors.

Practical Objectives

1. Fabricate pipe supports.
STM-140    Drawings and Specifications I

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of drawings and their applications.
- Demonstrate knowledge of basic drawing and sketching techniques.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

3.02 Generates drawings.

Suggested Hours:

30 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Describe metric and imperial systems of measurement and the procedures used to perform conversions.

2. Identify the types of drawings and describe their applications.
   i) civil/site
   ii) architectural
   iii) mechanical
   iv) structural
   v) electrical
   vi) shop drawings
   vii) sketches

3. Identify types of symbols and describe their characteristics and applications.

4. Identify drawing projections and views, and describe their applications.
   i) projections
      - orthographic
      - oblique
      - isometric
      - pictorial
ii) views
   - plan
   - section
   - detail
   - elevation
   - cross section

5. Describe the use of scales.

Practical Objectives

1. Perform basic drawing and sketching techniques.
STM-145 Copper Tube and Tubing

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of copper tube and tubing, fittings and related components.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to measure and size copper tube and tubing and related components.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to cut, bend and join copper tube and tubing and related components.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

4.01 Fabricates piping system components.
4.02 Fabricates brackets, supports, hangers, guides and anchors.
5.01 Lays out, identifies and installs copper tube, fittings and related components.

Suggested Hours:

12 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Explain the systems of measurement for copper tube and tubing.

2. Interpret codes and regulations pertaining to copper tube and tubing.
   i) manufacturers’ certification requirements
   ii) ASTM

3. Interpret information pertaining to copper tubing found on drawings and specifications.

4. Identify tools and equipment relating to copper tube and tubing, fittings and their components and describe their applications and procedures for use.

5. Identify types of fittings used with copper tube and tubing and describe their purpose and applications.
i) elbows
ii) tees
iii) crosses

6. Identify the methods used to cut and join copper tube, and tubing, and describe their associated procedures.
i) join
   - brazing
   - soldering
   - flaring
   - roll grooving
   - compression fittings

7. Identify copper tube and tubing related components and describe their purpose and applications.
i) bolts
ii) studs
iii) gaskets
iv) brackets
v) supports
vi) hangers
vii) spring cam
viii) guides
ix) anchors

8. Describe the procedures used to measure copper tube and tubing and fittings.
i) fitting allowance
ii) offset calculations
iii) trade math

9. Describe the procedures and bending tools and equipment used to bend copper tube and tubing.
i) hand benders
ii) hydraulic benders

10. Describe the procedures used to install and test copper tube, tubing, fittings and related components.

11. Describe the identification systems and methods of identification for copper tube and tubing.
i) K
ii) L
iii) M
iv) DWV
v) ACR

Practical Objectives

1. Join copper tube and tubing using various methods.
STM-150  Pipe and Tube Bending

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of pipe and tube bending equipment and their applications.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures to select, layout and bend pipe and tube.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

N/A

Suggested Hours:

12 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Define terminology associated with pipe and tube bending.

2. Identify hazards and describe safe work practices pertaining to pipe and tube bending.

3. Interpret codes and specifications pertaining to pipe and tube bending.

4. Interpret information pertaining to pipe and tube bending found on drawings and specifications.

5. Identify tools and equipment related to pipe and tube bending and describe their applications and procedures for use.

6. Identify the considerations when selecting materials for bending.

7. Identify the methods used to bend pipe and tube and describe their applications.

8. Identify the types of pipe and tube bending and describe their applications.
9. Describe the procedures used to perform cold bending.

10. Describe the procedures used to perform hot bending.

11. Perform calculations pertaining to hot bending.

12. Describe the procedures used to bend copper and stainless steel pipe and tube using hand benders.

Practical Objectives

1. Lay out and mark pipe, tube and tubing for bending.

2. Bend pipe, tube and tubing.
STM-155 Plastic Piping

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of plastic piping and tubing, fittings and related components.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to measure and size plastic piping, tubing and related components.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to cut, bend and join plastic piping, tubing and related components.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

4.01 Fabricates piping system components.
4.02 Fabricates brackets, supports, hangers, guides and anchors.
5.02 Lays out, identifies and installs plastic piping, tubing, fittings and related components.

Suggested Hours:

12 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Explain the systems of measurement for plastic piping and tubing.
2. Interpret codes and regulations pertaining to plastic piping and tubing.
3. Interpret information pertaining to plastic piping and tubing found on drawings and specifications.
4. Identify tools and equipment relating to plastic piping and tubing.
5. Identify plastic piping and tubing fittings and related components and describe their applications and procedures for use.
6. Identify types of plastic piping and tubing and describe their purpose and applications.
   i) ABS
   ii) CPVC
   iii) PP
   iv) PE
   v) PEX

7. Identify types of fittings used with plastic piping and tubing and describe their purpose and applications.
   i) elbows
   ii) tees
   iii) crosses

8. Identify the systems and criteria used in referencing, selecting and ordering plastic piping and tubing.

9. Identify the methods used to cut and join plastic pipe and tubing, and describe their associated procedures and cutting and reaming tools and equipment.
   i) join
      - compression fittings
      - solvent cementing
      - threading, fusion

10. Describe the procedures and bending tools and equipment used to bend plastic piping and tubing.

11. Describe the procedures used to install and test plastic piping and tubing, fittings and related components.

12. Describe the identification systems and methods of identification for plastic piping and tubing.

13. Describe the procedures used to measure plastic piping, tubing and fittings.
   i) dimension
   ii) length
   iii) fitting allowance
   iv) offset calculations
   v) trade math
Practical Objectives

1. Join plastic pipe and tubing using various methods.
STM-160 Carbon Steel Piping

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of carbon steel piping and tubing, fittings and related components.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

4.01 Fabricates piping system components.
4.02 Fabricates brackets, supports, hangers, guides and anchors.
5.03 Lays out, identifies and installs carbon steel piping, tubing, fittings and related components.

Suggested Hours:

24 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Identify tools and equipment relating to carbon steel piping and tubing, fittings and related components and describe their applications and procedures for use.

2. Interpret codes and regulations pertaining to carbon steel piping.
   i) ASME B31

3. Interpret information pertaining to carbon steel piping and tubing found on drawings and specifications.

4. Describe the identification systems and methods of identification for carbon steel piping and tubing.

5. Identify fittings used with carbon steel piping and tubing and describe their purpose and applications.
   i) elbows
   ii) tees
   iii) crosses
6. Identify carbon steel piping and tubing related components and describe their purpose and applications.
   i) bolts
   ii) studs
   iii) gaskets
   iv) brackets
   v) supports
   vi) hangers
   vii) guides
   viii) anchors

7. Explain the systems of measurement for carbon steel piping and tubing.
   i) dimension
   ii) length
   iii) wall thickness/schedule

8. Describe the procedures used to measure carbon steel piping and tubing, and fittings.
   i) fitting allowance
   ii) offset calculations
   iii) trade math

9. Describe the procedures used to inspect carbon steel piping and tubing.
   i) quality assurance
   ii) quality control (QA/QC) requirements

10. Describe the different methods of pipe and fitting end preparation.
    i) standard bevel
    ii) compound bevel

11. Identify the methods used to cut carbon steel piping and tubing, and describe their associated procedures.

12. Identify the joining methods for carbon steel piping and tubing and describe their associated procedures.
    i) threading
    ii) tacking/welding
    iii) flanging
    iv) roll grooving
    v) compression fittings
13. Describe pre/post-weld activities.
   i) stress relieving
   ii) cleaning procedures
   iii) controlled cooling
   iv) pre-heating or purging
   v) chemical treating
   vi) protective coatings

14. Describe the procedures and bending tools and equipment used to bend carbon steel piping and tubing.
   i) hand benders
   ii) hydraulic benders

15. Describe the procedures used to install and test fittings and related components for carbon steel piping and tubing.

*Practical Objectives*

1. Join carbon steel piping using various methods.
Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of stainless steel piping and tubing, fittings and related components.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to measure stainless steel piping.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to cut and join stainless steel piping.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

4.01 Fabricates piping system components.
4.02 Fabricates brackets, supports, hangers, guides and anchors.
5.04 Lays out, identifies and installs stainless steel piping, tubing, fittings and related components.

Suggested Hours:

6 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Interpret codes and regulations pertaining to stainless steel piping.
   i) ASME B31

2. Interpret information pertaining to stainless steel piping and tubing found on drawings and specifications.

3. Explain the systems of measurement for stainless steel piping and tubing.
   i) dimension
   ii) length
   iii) wall thickness/schedule

4. Identify tools and equipment relating to stainless steel piping, tubing, fittings and related components and describe their applications and procedures for use.
5. Identify fittings used with stainless steel piping and tubing and describe their purpose and applications.
   i) elbows
   ii) tees
   iii) crosses

6. Identify stainless steel piping and tubing related components and describe their purpose and applications.
   i) bolts
   ii) studs
   iii) gaskets
   iv) brackets
   v) supports
   vi) hangers
   vii) guides
   viii) anchors

7. Identify the methods used to cut stainless steel piping and tubing, and describe their associated procedures.

8. Identify the joining methods used to join stainless steel piping and tubing and describe their associated procedures.

9. Describe pre/post-weld activities.
   i) stress relieving
   ii) cleaning procedures
   iii) controlled cooling
   iv) pre-heating or purging
   v) chemical treating
   vi) protective coatings

10. Describe the procedures and bending tools and equipment used to bend stainless steel piping and tubing.

11. Describe the procedures used to install and test fittings and related components for stainless steel piping and tubing.

12. Describe the procedures and methods to prevent cross contamination.
   i) labelling
   ii) physical separation
iii)  barriers

13.  Describe the identification systems and methods for stainless steel piping and tubing.

14.  Explain the systems of measurement for carbon steel piping and tubing.
    i)  dimension
    ii)  length
    iii)  wall thickness/schedule

15.  Describe the procedures used to measure stainless steel piping and tubing and fittings.
    i)  fitting allowance
    ii)  offset calculations
    iii)  trade math

16.  Describe the procedures used to inspect stainless steel piping and tubing.
    i)  QA/QC requirements

17.  Describe the different methods of pipe and fitting end preparation.
    i)  standard bevel
    ii)  compound bevel

*Practical Objectives*

1.  Join stainless steel piping using various joining methods.
STM-170  Piping Valves

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of piping valves, their applications and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to install valves.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

6.01  Installs valves.
6.02  Maintains, troubleshoots, repairs and tests valves.

Suggested Hours:

18 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Interpret codes, regulations and standards pertaining to piping valves.
   i) MSS
   ii) ANSI

2. Interpret information found on drawings and specifications pertaining to valves.

3. Identify tools and equipment relating to piping valves and describe their applications and procedures for use.

4. Identify types of piping valves and describe their characteristics, operation and applications.
   i) gate
   ii) globe
   iii) ball
   iv) plug
   v) butterfly
   vi) check
   vii) relief
   viii) pop safety
 ix) pressure reducing

5. Identify types of valve actuators and describe their purpose.
   i) electric
   ii) pneumatic
   iii) manual
   iv) hydraulic

6. Identify joining methods used to install piping valves and describe their associated procedures.

7. Describe necessary documentation for valve repair.
   i) QA/QC verification
   ii) recording of signoff that repair has been completed

8. Describe testing methods for testing valves and related components.
   i) hydrostatic
   ii) blue check

9. Identify defects requiring valve and related component repair.
   i) passing valve seal
   ii) leaking packing
   iii) seized or damaged related components

10. Describe procedures used to maintain and troubleshoot valves.
    i) troubleshoot
        - functional checks
        - visual inspections and use of temperature sensing devices
        - stethoscopes
    ii) maintain
        - lubricating
        - cleaning
        - inspecting
        - replacing

11. Describe procedures used to repair valves.
    i) disc and seat refurbishment
    ii) stem realignment
    iii) valve repacking
12. Explain piping valve rating systems and installation variables.

Practical Objectives

N/A
Level 2
STM-200 Drawings and Specifications II

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of digital tools and software for layout and design.
- Demonstrate ability to interpret and extract information from types of drawings and specification.
- Demonstrate knowledge of drawings and their applications.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

3.02 Generates drawings.
3.03 Interprets drawings and specifications.

Suggested Hours:

30 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Identify types of drawings and specifications and describe their applications.
   i) P&ID
   ii) spool sheets
   iii) isometric drawings
   iv) revisions
   v) vendor/shop civil/site
   vi) architectural
   vii) mechanical
   viii) structural
   ix) electrical
   x) shop drawings
   xi) sketches

2. Identify symbols relating to drawings and describe their characteristics and applications.

3. Interpret and extract information from drawings and specifications.
4. Describe metric and imperial systems of measurement and the procedures used to perform conversions.

5. Identify drawing projections and views and describe their applications.
   i) projections
      - orthographic
      - oblique
      - isometric
      - pictorial
   ii) views
      - plan
      - section
      - detail
      - elevation
      - cross section

6. Describe the use of scales.

7. Identify types of digital tools and software for layout and design.
   i) total station
   ii) auto-CAD
   iii) CAD
   iv) building information management (BIM)

8. Identify applications for digital software tools.
   i) dimensional control
   ii) visualization of construction

Practical Objectives

1. Interpret drawings and specifications.
STM-205  
Template Development

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of the methods of template development and their associated procedures.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

3.04 Develop piping templates.

Suggested Hours:

30 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Interpret information pertaining to template development found on drawings.

2. Identify tools and equipment relating to template development and describe their applications and procedures for use.

3. Identify specifications for piping requirements used in template development.

4. Describe the procedures used to develop templates.
   i) standard template design
   ii) alternative template development methods

Practical Objectives

1. Develop a template and fabricate a fitting.
STM-210  Piping System Component Fabrication (Spool)

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to fabricate piping system components.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

2.03 Uses welding equipment.
2.05 Uses oxy-fuel equipment.
4.01 Fabricates piping system components.
8.06 Sets up rigging, hoisting, lifting and positioning equipment.

Suggested Hours:

30 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Identify tools and equipment relating to piping system component fabrication and describe their applications and procedures for use.
   i) welding
   ii) oxy-fuel
   iii) rigging and hoisting

2. Interpret information pertaining to piping system component fabrication found on drawings and specifications.

3. Identify codes and regulations pertaining to piping system component fabrication.
   i) ASME B31

4. Identify types of fittings and piping system components and describe their characteristics and applications.
   i) fittings
      - elbows
      - tees
5. Identify types of joining methods and describe their applications.
   i) threading
   ii) grooving
   iii) gluing
   iv) welding
   v) compression
   vi) fusion

6. Identify types of fabrication techniques and describe their applications.
   i) cutting
   ii) bending
   iii) beveling

7. Identify types of treating methods and describe their applications.
   i) applying protective coatings
   ii) pickling
   iii) chemical flushing

8. Identify types of fitting tolerance practices and describe their applications.
   i) two-holing
   ii) gap
   iii) high-low
   iv) transitioning
   v) alignment

9. Identify pre/post-weld activities and describe their applications.
   i) stress relieving
   ii) cleaning procedures
   iii) controlled cooling
   iv) pre-heating or purging
   v) chemical treating
   vi) protective coatings
10. Describe the procedures used to fabricate and assemble piping system components.

Practical Objectives

1. Fabricate a carbon steel pipe spool.
STM-215 Fiberglass Piping

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of fiberglass piping, fittings and related components.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to measure fiberglass piping.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to cut and join fiberglass piping.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

5.05 Lays outs, identifies and installs fiberglass piping, fittings and related components.
8.06 Sets up riggings, hoisting, lifting and positioning equipment.

Suggested Hours:

6 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Interpret information pertaining to fiberglass piping found on drawings and specifications.

2. Explain the systems of measurement for fiberglass piping.
   i) dimension
   ii) length
   iii) wall thickness/schedule

3. Identify the systems and criteria used in referencing, selecting and ordering fiberglass piping.

4. Identify tools and equipment relating to fiberglass piping, fittings and related components and describe their applications and procedures for use.

5. Identify types of fiberglass piping and describe their purpose and applications.
   i) FRP
   ii) GFRP
iii) GRE

6. Identify fittings used with fiberglass piping and describe their purpose and applications.

7. Identify fiberglass piping related components and describe their purpose and applications.
   i) washers
   ii) bolts
   iii) studs
   iv) gaskets
   v) brackets
   vi) supports
   vii) hangers
   viii) guides
   ix) anchors

8. Identify and describe the methods used to join fiberglass piping and describe their associated procedures and materials.
   i) joining
      - butt and wrap
      - bell and spigot
      - threading
   ii) material
      - vinyl ester
      - polyester
      - halogenated resins
      - epoxies

9. Describe the identification systems and methods for fiberglass piping.

10. Describe the procedures used to measure fiberglass piping.
    i) fitting allowance
    ii) offset calculations
    iii) trade math

11. Describe the procedures used to install and test fiberglass piping, fittings and related components for fiberglass piping.
    i) hydrostatic
    ii) pneumatic
    iii) NDE
Practical Objectives

N/A
STM-220  Specialty Piping

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of specialty piping, fittings and related components.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to measure specialty piping.
- Demonstrate Knowledge of the procedure used to cut and join specialty piping.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

5.06 Lays out, identifies and installs specialty piping, fittings and related components.
8.06 Sets up riggings, hoisting, lifting and positioning equipment.

Suggested Hours:

12 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Identify codes and regulations pertaining to specialty piping.
   i) ASME B31

2. Interpret information pertaining to specialty piping found on drawings and specifications.

3. Identify types of specialty pipe and describe their applications and procedures for use.
   i) chrome
   ii) molybdenum
   iii) titanium
   iv) duplex
   v) lined pipe

4. Explain the systems of measurement for specialty piping.
   i) dimension
   ii) length
   iii) wall thickness/schedule
5. Identify tools and equipment relating to specialty piping fittings and their components and describe their applications and procedures for use.

6. Identify fittings used with specialty piping and describe their purpose and applications.

7. Identify specialty piping related components and describe their purpose and applications.
   i) bolts
   ii) studs
   iii) gaskets
   iv) brackets
   v) supports
   vi) hangers
   vii) guides
   viii) anchors

8. Identify the joining methods used to join specialty piping and describe their associated procedures.
   i) threading
   ii) tacking/welding
   iii) flanging
   iv) roll grooving

9. Identify the methods used to cut specialty piping and fittings in particular lined piping, and describe their associated procedures.

10. Identify the methods used in cutting, bevelling and threading tools and equipment.

11. Describe the identification systems and methods for specialty piping.

12. Describe the different methods of pipe and fitting end preparation.
   i) standard bevel
   ii) compound bevel

13. Describe pre/post-weld activities.
   i) stress relieving
   ii) cleaning procedures
   iii) controlled cooling
   iv) pre-heating or purging
v) chemical treating
vi) protective coatings

14. Describe the procedures used to inspect specialty piping.
   i) QA/QC requirements

15. Describe the procedures used to measure specialty piping and fittings.
   i) fitting allowance
   ii) offset calculations
   iii) trade math

16. Describe the procedures used to install and test fittings and related components for specialty piping.

17. Describe the procedures and bending tools and equipment used to bend specialty piping.

18. Describe the procedures and methods to prevent cross contamination.
   i) labelling
   ii) physical separation
   iii) barriers tool selection

Practical Objectives

N/A
STM-225  Hydronic Systems

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of hydronic systems and equipment, their applications and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of hydronic piping configurations, their applications and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to install piping and piping components for hydronic systems.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures and testing equipment used to troubleshoot, repair and maintain hydronic systems.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

12.01 Installs equipment for hydronic systems.
12.02 Installs piping for hydronic systems.
12.03 Tests hydronic systems.
12.04 Maintains, troubleshooting and repairs hydronic systems.

Suggested Hours:

60 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Interpret jurisdictional codes and specifications for installing and testing of hydronic equipment.

2. Interpret information pertaining to hydronic systems found on drawings, specifications and equipment manuals.
   i) installation
   ii) troubleshooting
   iii) testing
   iv) repair
   v) maintenance
3. Identify types of hydronic systems and equipment and describe their purpose and operation.
   i) systems
      - heating
      - cooling
   ii) equipment
      - boilers
      - expansion tanks
      - buffer tanks
      - glycol tanks
      - holding tanks
      - heat exchangers
      - circulating pumps
      - transfer pumps
      - isolators
      - relief valves
      - chemical feeders
      - isolation valves for equipment
      - backflow preventers,
      - pressure reducing valves

4. Identify types of piping and components and accessories for hydronic systems, and describe their purpose and operation.
   i) piping
      - plastic
      - carbon steel
      - stainless steel
      - copper
   ii) components
      - fittings
      - dielectric fittings
      - hangers
      - brackets
      - sleeves
      - anchors
      - guides
      - valves
      - strainers
      - expansion joints
      - expansion loops
      - backflow preventers
5. Identify systems that require pitch and grade of piping for the hydronic system.

6. Identify hydronic equipment supports and fasteners and describe their applications and procedures for use.
   i) supports
      - brackets
      - stands
      - hangers
      - plates
      - housekeeping pads
      - isolator pads
      - concrete embeds
   ii) fasteners
      - anchors
      - expansion type inserts
      - beam clamps
      - nuts
      - bolts
      - screws

7. Identify hydronic controls and describe their purpose and operation.
   i) pressure
   ii) temperature and liquid level controls
   iii) zone valves (motorized)
   iv) safety controls,
   v) LWCO
   vi) high and low limit temperature controls

8. Identify sources of heat and cooling used in hydronic systems.
   i) heat
      - oil
      - gas
      - wood
      - steam
      - geothermal
      - solar
   ii) cooling
      - ground source
      - cooling towers
      - chillers
      - refrigeration
Identify types of heat transfer equipment and describe their characteristics and operation.

i) radiators
ii) convectors
iii) pipe coils
iv) horizontal and vertical unit heaters
v) radiant panels
vi) heat/plate exchangers

Identify types of testing equipment and components and describe their characteristics and applications.

i) blind flanges
ii) calibrated pressure gauges
iii) test pumps
iv) relief valves
v) gate valves
vi) recorders,
vii) testing trees/headers
viii) regulators
ix) multimeter
x) manometer
xi) infrared thermometer
xii) balancing equipment
xiii) chemical testing equipment

Identify types of isolation components and describe their characteristics and applications.

i) spectacle blinds
ii) spades
iii) plugs and caps
iv) temporary spool pieces

Identify method of filling, draining or purging test medium.

i) using hand pump
ii) centrifugal pump
iii) compressors
iv) compressed gas cylinders
13. Identify the considerations for selecting piping components for hydronic systems.
   i) insulation requirements
   ii) type of supports
   iii) shoes and sleeves
   iv) expansion
   v) contraction

14. Describe the procedures used to perform system testing.

15. Describe the procedures used to remove test medium from system.

16. Describe the procedures used to reinstate system.

17. Describe the procedures used to troubleshoot, repair and maintain hydronic systems.

18. Describe the procedures used to complete documentation following hydronic system repair or maintenance.

19. Describe the procedures used to install piping and piping components for hydronic systems.

20. Describe the procedures used to protect hydronic piping and piping components.
   i) protection from mechanical damage
   ii) seismic activity
   iii) environmental conditions

21. Explain the effect of elevation and temperature on pressure when testing hydronic systems.

22. Explain the effects trapped air in a hydronic system will have on testing and describe the procedures to prevent or correct it.

23. Explain the effects of electrolysis when connecting dissimilar metals on hydronic piping and components.

24. Explain the effects of expansion and contraction on piping in hydronic systems.

25. Identify and explain the applications of hydronic piping configurations.
i) perimeter/series loop
ii) reverse return
iii) direct return
iv) primary/secondary

26. Explain the applications and operation of hydronic systems.
   i) residential
   ii) industrial

27. Explain the principles of heat transfer.
   i) radiation
   ii) conduction
   iii) convection

Practical Objectives

1. Install boiler trim and related piping.
STM-230 Heat Tracing Systems (Liquid)

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of liquid-filled tracing systems, their applications and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of procedures to repair and test liquid-filled tracing systems and their components.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

7.03 Installs liquid-filled tracing systems.
7.04 Maintains, troubleshoots, repairs and tests liquid-filled tracing systems.

Suggested Hours:

6 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Identify codes, regulations and standards pertaining to liquid-filled tracing systems.

2. Interpret information found on drawings and specifications pertaining to liquid-filled tracing system.

3. Identify tools and equipment relating to liquid-filled tracing systems and describe their applications and procedures for use.

4. Identify types of liquid-filled tracing systems and components and describe their characteristics, operation and applications.
   i) systems
      - low and high temperature hot water
      - glycol
   ii) components
      - valves
      - breakouts
      - valve baskets
- high point vents
- pumps

5. Identify joining methods used to install liquid-filled tracing systems and describe their associated piping practices.
   i) welding
   ii) soldering
   iii) grooving
   iv) crimping
   v) brazing and compression fittings

6. Describe liquid-filled tracing systems and installation variables.
   i) temperature
   ii) pressure
   iii) flow
   iv) functionality

7. Describe procedures used to troubleshoot, test, repair and maintain liquid-filled tracing systems and components.
   i) troubleshoot
      - functional checks
      - visual inspections
      - use of temperature sensing devices
   ii) test
      - hydrostatic
      - pneumatic
      - in service
   iii) repair
      - tubing and fitting replacement
   iv) maintain
      - cleaning
      - inspecting tubing
      - fitting and components for correct operation and wear
   v) defects
      - kinked tubing
      - broken straps
      - faulty pumps
      - plugged vents
8. Describe necessary documentation for liquid-filled tracing system and component repair and maintenance.
   i) QA/QC verification
   ii) recording of signoff that repair has been completed


10. Identify disposal procedures of liquid medium.

Practical Objectives

1. Review working principles of high and low temperature hot water/glycol systems.
STM-235 Electrical Principles

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of the basic concepts of electricity.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

N/A

Suggested Hours:

6 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Define terminology associated with electricity as related to the trade.

2. Identify hazards and describe safe work practices pertaining to electricity.

3. Identify electrical-related information found on drawings and specifications.

4. Identify tools and equipment used to test electrical circuits and describe their applications and procedures for use.

5. Identify and explain Ohm’s law.

6. Identify types of current and describe their characteristics and applications.
   i) direct current (DC)
   ii) alternating current (AC)

7. Identify types of electrical circuits and describe their characteristics, operation and applications.
   i) series
   ii) parallel
   iii) series-parallel

8. Identify types of related electrical equipment and components and describe their characteristics, operation and applications.
Practical Objectives

1. Use a multi-meter.
Level 3
STM-300 Industrial Water and Waste Systems

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of industrial water and waste treatment piping configurations, their applications and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to install piping, components and supports for industrial water and waste treatment systems.
- Demonstrate knowledge of testing equipment and components for troubleshooting industrial water and waste treatment systems.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to troubleshoot, repair and maintain industrial water and waste treatment systems.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

14.01 Installs equipment for industrial water and waste treatment systems.
14.02 Installs piping for industrial water and waste treatment systems.
14.03 Tests industrial water and waste treatment systems.
14.04 Maintains, Troubleshoots and repairs industrial water and waste treatment systems.
25.01 Secures commissioning area.

Suggested Hours:

24 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Interpret information pertaining to industrial water and waste treatment systems found on drawings, specifications and equipment manuals.
   i) installation
   ii) testing
   iii) troubleshooting
   iv) repair
   v) maintenance

2. Interpret jurisdictional codes and specifications for installation of industrial water and waste treatment systems.
3. Describe the applications and operation of industrial water and waste treatment systems.

4. Explain the effect of pressure on elevation when troubleshooting industrial water and waste treatment systems.

5. Explain the effect of elevation and temperature on pressure when testing industrial water and waste treatment systems.

6. Explain the effects trapped air in industrial water and waste treatment system will have on testing and describe the procedures to prevent or correct it.

7. Explain the effects of electrolysis when connecting dissimilar metals on industrial water and waste treatment piping and components.

8. Identify types of testing equipment and components and describe their characteristics and applications.

9. Identify test medium used in testing of industrial water and waste treatment systems, and describe their characteristics and applications.

10. Identify types of piping, piping components and supports for industrial water and waste treatment systems, and describe their purpose and operation.
   i) piping
      - plastic
      - carbon steel
      - copper
      - stainless steel
   ii) components
      - fittings
      - dielectric fittings
      - hangers, brackets
      - sleeves
      - anchors
      - guides
      - manual and automatic valves
      - strainers
      - backflow preventers
      - check valves
   iii) supports
- rollers
- hangers
- clamps
- brackets
- stands
- anchors
- guides
- concrete piers (underground)

11. Identify types of industrial water and waste treatment systems equipment, and describe their characteristics and operation.
   i) pumps
   ii) tanks
   iii) valves
   iv) filters
   v) strainers
   vi) separators
   vii) skimmers
   viii) aerators
   ix) water treatment equipment

12. Identify industrial water and waste treatment systems equipment supports and fasteners and describe their applications and procedures for use.
   i) stands
   ii) hangers
   iii) plates
   iv) housekeeping pads
   v) isolator pads
   vi) concrete embeds

13. Identify industrial water and waste treatment system control components and describe their purpose and operation.
   i) operating and temperature controls
   ii) flow controls
   iii) safety controls

14. Identify types of isolation components and describe their characteristics and applications.
   i) spectacle blinds
   ii) spades
   iii) plugs and caps
iv) temporary spool pieces

15. Describe the procedures used to install equipment for industrial water and waste treatment systems, their controls, supports and fasteners.

16. Identify and describe the procedures used to fill, drain or purge test medium from system.
   i) medium
      - water
      - compressed air
      - glycol
      - water/glycol mix
      - inert gases
   ii) methods to filling, drain or purge
      - hand pumps
      - centrifugal pumps
      - compressors
      - compressed gas cylinders

17. Describe the procedures used to reinstate system.

18. Describe the procedures used to protect industrial water and waste treatment system piping and piping components
   i) mechanical damage
   ii) seismic activity
   iii) environmental conditions
   iv) contamination

19. Describe the procedures used to troubleshoot, test, repair and maintain industrial water and waste treatment systems.
   i) equipment
   ii) tests
      - hydrostatic
      - pneumatic

20. Describe the procedures used to complete documentation following water and waste treatment system repair or maintenance.

Practical Objectives

N/A
STM-305 Heat Tracing Systems (Steam)

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of steam tracing systems, their applications and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to install steam tracing systems.
- Demonstrate knowledge of procedures for repairing and testing steam tracing systems and their components.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

7.01 Installs steam tracing systems.
7.02 Maintains, troubleshoots, repairs and tests steam tracing systems.

Suggested Hours:

12 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Interpret codes, regulations and standards pertaining to steam tracing systems.

2. Interpret information found on drawings and specifications pertaining to steam tracing systems.

3. Identify tools and equipment relating to steam tracing systems and describe their applications and procedures for use.

4. Identify types of steam tracing systems and components and describe their characteristics, operation and applications.
   i) systems
      - low to high pressure
      - pre-insulated tubing bundles
   ii) components
      - valves
      - breakout
      - valve baskets
5. Describe steam tracing systems and installation variables.
   i) temperature
   ii) pressure
   iii) flow
   iv) functionality
   v) systems

6. Identify joining methods used to install steam tracing systems and describe their associated piping practices.
   i) welding
   ii) soldering
   iii) grooving
   iv) crimping
   v) brazing and compression fittings

7. Describe procedures used to troubleshoot, test, repair and maintain steam tracing systems and components.
   i) troubleshoot
      - functional checks
      - visual inspections
      - use of temperature sensing devices and stethoscopes
   ii) tests
      - hydrostatic
      - pneumatic
   iii) repair
      - steam traps
      - tubing replacement
      - fitting replacement
   iv) maintain
      - checking steam straps
      - cleaning
      - inspecting tubing
      - fittings and components for correct operation and wear

8. Identify steam tracing system and component defects requiring repair.
   i) defects
      - kinked tubing
      - passing traps
      - broken straps
9. Describe procedures used to test and repair steam tracing system and components.

10. Describe necessary documentation for steam tracing system and component repair and maintenance.
   i) QA/QC verification
   ii) recording of signoff that repair has been completed

*Practical Objectives*

1. Perform heat tracing.
STM-310 Hydronic Systems Controls

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of hydronic system controls, their applications and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to install, maintain, repair, test and troubleshoot hydronic system control.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

12.01 Installs equipment for hydronic systems.
12.02 Installs piping for hydronic systems.
12.03 Tests hydronic systems.
12.04 Maintains, troubleshoots and repairs hydronic systems.
25.01 Secures commissioning area.

Suggested Hours:

12 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Define terminology associated with hydronic system control.

2. Identify hazards and describe safe work practices pertaining to hydronic system control.

3. Interpret codes and regulations pertaining to hydronic system control.

4. Interpret information pertaining to hydronic system control found on drawings and specifications.

5. Identify tools and equipment relating to hydronic system controls and describe their applications and procedures for use.

6. Identify types of hydronic system controls and components describe their characteristics, applications and operation.
i) operating and temperature controls
ii) safety controls
iii) pressure
iv) temperature and liquid level controls
v) zone valves (motorized)
vi) safety controls
vii) LWCO
viii) high and low limit temperature controls

7. Describe the procedures used to install hydronic system control components.
8. Describe the procedures used to protect hydronic system control components.
9. Describe the procedures used to set and adjust hydronic system control components.
10. Describe the procedures used to troubleshoot, test, repair and maintain hydronic system controls and components.

Practical Objectives

N/A
STM-315 Low Pressure Steam Systems

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of the properties of steam.
- Demonstrate knowledge of low pressure steam and condensate piping configurations, their applications and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to install piping and piping components for low pressure steam and condensate systems.
- Demonstrate knowledge of testing equipment and components for troubleshooting low pressure steam and condensate systems.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to test troubleshoot, repair and maintain low pressure steam and condensate systems.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

10.01 Installs equipment for low pressure steam and condensate systems.
10.02 Installs piping for low pressure steam and condensation systems.
10.03 Tests low pressure steam and condensate systems.
10.04 Maintains, troubleshoots and repairs low pressure steam and condensate system.

Suggested Hours:

72 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Interpret codes, regulations and standards pertaining to low pressure steam systems
   i) ASME

2. Interpret information pertaining to low pressure steam, and condensate piping found on drawings, specifications and equipment manuals.
   i) installation
   ii) testing
   iii) troubleshooting
   iv) repair
   v) maintenance
3. Identify low pressure steam and condensate system equipment, supports and fasteners and describe their applications and procedures for use.
   i) equipment
      - boilers
      - boiler trim
      - expansion joints
      - pumps
      - heat transfer equipment
      - steam traps
      - tanks
      - valves
      - water treatment equipment
   ii) supports
      - stands
      - hangers
      - plates
      - housekeeping pads
      - isolator pads
      - concrete embeds
   iii) fasteners
      - expansion type inserts
      - beam clamps
      - nuts
      - bolts
      - screws

4. Identify low pressure steam and condensate system controls and components and describe their purpose and operation.
   i) low water cut-offs (LWCO)
   ii) operating pressure control
   iii) feed water level controls
   iv) high limit pressure controls
   v) automatic valves (motorized)

5. Identify types of fuel used in low pressure steam and condensate systems.
   i) fuel oil
   ii) gas
   iii) coal

6. Identify types of heat transfer equipment and describe their characteristics and operation.
7. Identify type of pipe, piping components and piping configurations for low pressure steam and condensate systems, and describe their purpose, operation and applications.

i) configurations
   - parallel flow
   - counter flow
   - two pipe
   - gravity return
   - mechanical return
   - wet or dry return

ii) pipe
   - carbon steel
   - stainless steel
   - copper

iii) components
   - manual and automatic valves
   - steam traps
   - air vents
   - expansion joints
   - strainers
   - check valves

iv) application
   - residential heating
   - industrial
   - commercial and institutional (ICI) heating
   - process heating

8. Identify the considerations for selecting piping system components for low pressure steam and condensate systems.

i) insulation requirements

ii) type of supports

iii) shoes and sleeves
9. Describe the procedures used to protect and restrain low pressure steam and condensate system piping and piping components.
   i) protection from:
      - mechanical damage
      - seismic activity
      - environmental conditions

10. Describe the procedures used to install equipment for low pressure steam and condensate systems, their controls, supports and fasteners.

11. Describe the use of steam tables to identify the relationship between pressure and temperature.

12. Calculate grade and pitch of piping to ensure system efficiency and functionality.

13. Explain the properties of steam.
   i) pressure
   ii) temperature
   iii) latent heat
   iv) sensible heat
   v) total heat
   vi) volume

14. Explain the principles of heat transfer.
   i) radiation
   ii) conduction
   iii) convection

15. Explain the applications and operation of low pressure steam and condensate systems.
   i) heating
   ii) process

16. Explain the effect of pressure on elevation when troubleshooting low pressure steam and condensate systems.

17. Explain the effect of elevation and temperature on pressure when testing low pressure steam and condensate systems.
18. Explain the effects trapped air in a low pressure steam and condensate system will have on testing and describe the procedures to prevent or correct it.

19. Explain the effects of expansion and contraction on piping in low pressure steam and condensate systems.

20. Identify types of testing equipment and components and describe their characteristics and applications.

21. Identify types of isolation components and describe their characteristics and applications.
   i) spectacle blinds
   ii) spades
   iii) plugs and caps
   iv) temporary spool pieces

22. Identify types of system tests and describe their applications and procedures for use.
   i) hydrostatic
   ii) pneumatic
   iii) vacuum

23. Identify test medium used in testing of low pressure steam and condensate systems, and describe their characteristics and applications.

24. Identify method of filling, draining or purging test medium.
   i) medium
      - water
      - water/glycol mix
      - air
      - inert gases
   ii) method of filling, draining or purging
      - using hand pumps
      - centrifugal pumps
      - compressors
      - compressed gas cylinders

25. Describe the procedures used to troubleshoot, repair and maintain low pressure steam and condensate systems.

26. Describe the procedures used to reinstate system.
27. Describe the procedures used to complete documentation following low pressure steam and condensate system repair or maintenance.

Practical Objectives

1. Install a low pressure steam main, unit heaters and associated components.
STM-320  

Fuel Systems

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of fuel systems, their components, applications and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of fuel piping and tubing, their applications and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to install equipment, piping and components for fuel systems.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to test, troubleshoot, repair and maintain fuel systems.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

17.01 Installs equipment for fuel systems.
17.02 Installs piping and tubing for fuel systems.
17.03 Tests fuel systems.
17.04 Maintains, troubleshoots and repairs fuel systems.
25.01 Secures commissioning area.

Suggested Hours:

60 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Interpret jurisdictional codes and specifications for installation of fuel systems.

2. Interpret information pertaining to fuel systems testing found on drawings and specifications and equipment manuals.
   i) troubleshooting
   ii) repair
   iii) maintenance

3. Explain the effects of electrolysis when connecting dissimilar metals on fuel piping and components.
4. Explain the effect of elevation and temperature on pressure when testing fuel systems.

5. Explain the effects trapped air in a fuel system will have on testing and describe the procedures to prevent or correct it.

6. Explain the effects of expansion and contraction on piping in fuel systems.

7. Explain the effect of pressure on elevation when troubleshooting fuel systems.

8. Explain the applications and operation of fuel systems.

9. Identify types of fuel systems and describe their characteristics and operation.
   i) natural gas
   ii) propane
   iii) diesel
   iv) fuel oil
   v) black liquor
   vi) hydro-carbon derivatives
   vii) bio fuels

10. Identify equipment, control components, supports and fasteners used in fuel systems, and describe their purpose and operation.
    i) equipment
       - expansion joints
       - pumps
       - heat transfer equipment
       - heat exchangers
       - tanks (may include rail or marine)
       - vacuum breakers
       - valves and blowers
       - flare stacks
       - flashback arrestors
       - scrubbers
       - vaporizers
    ii) equipment supports
       - expansion tanks
       - pumps
       - outdoor controllers
       - control valves
    iii) equipment fasteners
- expansion type inserts
- beam clamps
- nuts
- bolts
- screws

iv) control components
- operating and temperature controls
- safety controls

v) controls
- operating pressure controls
- high limit pressure controls
- pressure relief valves

vi) supports
- stands
- hangers
- plates
- isolator pads
- embeds

11. Identify types of testing equipment and components and describe their characteristics and applications.
i) test tree and components
ii) pressure gauges
iii) pumps
iv) compressors
v) test medium

12. Identify types of piping and tubing, piping components and venting and exhaust components for fuel systems, and describe their purpose and operation.
i) piping and tubing
   - carbon steel
   - copper
   - HDPE
   - stainless steel
   - yellow jacket

ii) piping components
   - heat exchangers
   - pump trim
   - manual and automatic valves
   - expansion joints
   - flexible connectors
- strainers
- check valves

iii) venting and exhaust components
- mufflers
- silencers
- sound attenuation

13. Identify the considerations for selecting piping and tubing components for fuel systems.
   i) insulation requirements
   ii) type of supports
   iii) shoes and sleeves
   iv) expansion
   v) contraction

14. Identify test medium used in testing of fuel systems, and describe their characteristics and applications.
   i) water
   ii) water/glycol mix (appropriate for the piping or system)
   iii) air
   iv) inert gases

15. Identify method of filling, draining or purging test medium.
   i) using hand pump
   ii) centrifugal pump
   iii) compressors
   iv) compressed gas cylinders

16. Identify types of isolation components and describe their characteristics and applications.
   i) blind flanges
   ii) plugs and caps
   iii) temporary spool pieces

17. Describe the procedures used to protect and restrain fuel system piping and components.
   i) protection from mechanical damage
   ii) seismic activity
   iii) environmental conditions
18. Describe the procedures used to reinstate system.

19. Describe the procedures used to troubleshoot, test, repair and maintain fuel systems and components.
   i) verify continuous bonding
   ii) tests
       - hydrostatic
       - pneumatic
       - vacuum

20. Describe the procedures used to install equipment for fuel systems, their controls, supports and fasteners.

21. Describe trenching and shoring requirements.

22. Describe the procedures used to complete documentation following fuel system repair or maintenance explain the applications of fuel piping and tubing.

Practical Objectives

N/A
STM-325 Medical Gas Systems

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of medical gas systems, their components, applications and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to install equipment for medical gas systems.
- Demonstrate knowledge of test equipment and test medium, their characteristics and applications.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to test, troubleshoot, repair and maintain medical gas systems.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

18.01 Installs equipment for medical gas system.
18.02 Installs piping and tubing for medical gas systems.
18.03 Tests medical gas systems.
18.04 Maintains, trouble shoots and repairs medical gas systems.
25.01 Secures commissioning area.

Suggested Hours:

12 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Interpret information pertaining to medical gas system equipment found on drawings, specifications and equipment manuals.
   i) testing
   ii) troubleshooting
   iii) repair
   iv) maintenance

2. Interpret codes and regulations pertaining to medical gas system piping and tubing.
   i) CSA
   ii) AHJ
iii) site specifications
iv) DISS
v) pin indexing system
vi) joining methods
vii) cleaning
viii) supporting

3. Explain the importance of maintaining cleanliness of installation tools, piping, fittings and equipment.

4. Identify types of medical gases and gas systems and describe their applications and characteristics.
   i) systems
      - oxygen
      - nitrogen
      - vacuum
      - mixed gases
   ii) gases
      - oxygen
      - nitrogen
      - nitrous oxide/anesthetic
      - medical air
   iii) applications
      - hospitals
      - dental suites
      - veterinary clinics
      - laboratories

5. Identify supports and fasteners used for medical gas system equipment and piping and describe their purpose and operation.
   i) supports
      - brackets
      - stands
      - hangers
      - plates
      - isolator pads
   ii) fasteners
      - expansion type inserts
      - beam clamps
      - nuts
      - bolts
6. Identify medical gas connection systems.
   i) diameter index safety system (DISS)
   ii) pin indexing system

7. Identify types of test equipment and describe their characteristics and applications.
   i) test trees and components
   ii) valve boxes
   iii) terminal boxes
   iv) compressors
   v) regulators
   vi) pumps
   vii) cryogenic tanks
   viii) valves
   ix) gauges
   x) alarms,
   xi) test medium

8. Identify types of test medium and describe their characteristics and applications.
   i) nitrogen and system gases

9. Identify types of certification tests and describe their applications.
   i) particulate test
   ii) purification test
   iii) cross-connection test
   iv) operational test

10. Identify medical gas system piping and tubing.
    i) copper certified for medical gas service
    ii) carbon steel
    iii) stainless steel

11. Identify method of purging and filling medical gas systems.
    i) compressors
    ii) compressed gas cylinders

12. Identify types of isolation components and describe their characteristics and applications.
    i) valves
ii) plugs and caps

13. Describe the procedures used to install equipment, piping and tubing for medical gas systems, their supports and fasteners.

14. Describe the procedures used to protect medical gas piping and piping components.
   i) mechanical damage
   ii) seismic activity
   iii) environmental conditions

15. Describe the procedures used to remove test medium from system.

16. Describe the procedures used to reinstate system.

17. Describe the procedures used to troubleshoot, test, repair and maintain medical gas systems and components.

18. Describe the procedures used to complete documentation following medical gas repair or maintenance.

Practical Objectives

N/A
STM-330 Cross Connection Control

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of cross connection control devices, their applications and operation.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

N/A

Suggested Hours:

6 Hours

Objectives and Content:

_Theoretical Objectives_

1. Define terminology associated with cross connection control.

2. Identify hazards and describe safe work practices pertaining to cross connection control.

3. Identify certification requirements pertaining to cross connection control.

4. Interpret information pertaining to cross connection control devices found on drawings and specifications.

5. Explain backflow and its causes.

6. Identify types of cross connection control devices and describe their characteristics, operation and applications.

_Practical Objectives_

N/A
STM-335  Instrumentation

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of instrumentation devices, their applications and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to install instrumentation devices.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to install tubing for instrumentation devices.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

N/A

Suggested Hours:

12 Hours

Objectives and Content:

*Theoretical Objectives*

1. Define terminology associated with instrumentation.
2. Identify hazards and describe safe work practices pertaining to instrumentation.
3. Interpret codes and regulations pertaining to instrumentation.
4. Interpret information found on drawings and specifications pertaining to instrumentation.
5. Identify tools and equipment relating to instrumentation and describe their applications and procedures for use.
6. Identify types of devices used in instrumentation and describe their characteristics, operation and applications.
7. Identify types of controllers and describe their applications and operation.
8. Identify tubing materials used in instrumentation and describe their characteristics and applications.

9. Describe the procedures used to install instrumentation devices.

10. Describe the procedures used to install controllers.

11. Describe the procedures used to install and support tubing for instrumentation devices.

12. Describe the procedures used to maintain and repair instrumentation systems.

13. Describe the procedures used to test and troubleshoot instrumentation systems.

*Practical Objectives*

N/A
STM-340 Controlled Bolting and Tensioning

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of the principles of torquing and controlled bolting.
- Demonstrate knowledge of torquing procedures for fasteners.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

N/A

Suggested Hours:

30 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Define terminology associated with controlled bolting and tensioning.

2. Identify hazards and describe safe work practices pertaining to controlled bolting and tensioning.

3. Identify codes and regulations pertaining to controlled bolting and tensioning.

4. Identify tools and equipment associated with controlled bolting and tensioning.

5. Explain the importance of controlled bolting of fasteners.
   i) controlled bolting
   ii) bolt stress

6. Explain the principle of hydraulic tensioning and torquing of fasteners.
   i) torque principle
   ii) hydraulic tensioning equipment
   iii) hydraulic torque wrenches

7. Describe types of fasteners used for joints on piping and vessels.
   i) grades of stud bolts and nuts
   ii) proper lengths of stud bolts
iii) formulas for length of bolts, nuts and wrench sizes
iv) thread lubricants

8. Describe torquing procedures for fasteners.
i) use of torque wrenches for fastening of flanged piping joints
ii) applications of torque patterns on flanges
iii) formulas required for use of equipment
iv) power supplies for different applications
v) safety requirements for use of power supplies in hazardous atmospheres

Practical Objectives

1. Perform hydraulic torquing.
2. Perform hydraulic tensioning.
Level 4
MENT-1802  Workplace Mentoring II  
(Nova Scotia Unit of Instruction)

Learning Outcomes:

- Identify and explain strategies for teaching workplace skills.
- Demonstrate strategies to assist in teaching skills in the workplace

Objectives and Content:

1. Describe the impact of your own experiences in teaching skills.
2. Identify the different roles played by a workplace mentor.
3. Describe the six-step approach to teaching skills.
4. Explain the importance of identifying the point of the lesson.
5. Identify how to choose a good time to present a lesson.
6. Explain the importance of linking the lessons.
7. Identify the components of the skill (the context).
8. Describe considerations for demonstrating a skill.
9. Identify types of skill practice.
10. Describe considerations in setting up opportunities for skill practice.
11. Explain the importance of providing feedback.
12. Identify techniques for giving effective feedback.
15. Explain how to adjust a lesson to different situations.

Resources:

- Recommended resource to use in the delivery of this unit:  
  www.apprenticeship.nscc.ca/mentoring/apprentice.htm
STM-400  Complex Hoisting, Lifting and Rigging

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of hoisting, lifting and rigging and positioning equipment, their applications, limitations and procedures for use.
- Demonstrate knowledge of calculations required when performing advanced hoisting and lifting operations.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to perform rigging, hoisting and lifting and positioning operations.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

9.01 Prepares lift plan for complex and critical rigging, hoisting, lifting and positioning.
9.02 Performs calculations for complex and critical rigging, hoisting, lifting and positioning.
9.03 Selects rigging, hoisting, lifting and positioning equipment for complex and critical lifts.
9.04 Sets up rigging, hoisting, lifting and positioning equipment for complex and critical lifts.
9.05 Performs complex and critical lifts and positioning.

Suggested Hours:

24 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Identify hazards and describe safe work practices pertaining to advanced rigging, hoisting, lifting and positioning operations.
   i) energized power lines
   ii) weather conditions
   iii) live equipment
   iv) ground conditions
   v) multi tag lines

2. Identify documentation required for engineered lifts.
3. Identify complex and critical lifts and describe their application and operation.
   i) multi-crane lifts
   ii) load transferring
   iii) lifts that involve personnel
   iv) lifts over personnel
   v) unbalanced load and positioning load
   vi) engineered lifts

4. Explain the procedures to perform complex and critical lifts and positioning.

5. Perform calculations pertaining to rigging, hoisting, lifting, and positioning.
   i) sling angle
   ii) load/weight
   iii) center of gravity
   iv) SWL

6. Identify documentation required for engineered lifts.

**Practical Objectives**

1. Develop a sample lift plan.
STM-405 Hydraulic Systems

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of hydraulic systems, equipment, their applications and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to install hydraulic system equipment, piping, tubing and hoses and their application and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to test, troubleshoot, repair and maintain hydraulic systems.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

15.01 Installs equipment for hydraulic systems.
15.02 Installs piping, tubing and hoses for hydraulic systems.
15.03 Tests hydraulic systems.
15.04 Maintains, troubleshoots and repairs hydraulic systems.
25.01 Secures commissioning area.

Suggested Hours:

12 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Interpret information pertaining to hydraulic systems found on drawings, schematics, specifications and equipment manuals.
   i) piping
   ii) tubing
   iii) hoses
   iv) testing
   v) equipment
   vi) testing
   vii) troubleshooting
   viii) repair
   ix) maintenance
2. Explain the importance of ensuring contaminants do not enter the system when repairing or maintain hydraulic systems.

3. Explain the effects trapped air in a hydraulic system will have on testing and describe the procedures to prevent or correct it.

4. Explain the applications and operation of hydraulic piping systems.

5. Identify and describe types of testing equipment, components and test medium used in testing and describe their characteristics and applications.

6. Identify method of filling, draining or purging test medium.
   i) using hand pumps
   ii) centrifugal pumps
   iii) compressed gas cylinders

7. Identify types of isolation components and describe their characteristics and applications.
   i) spectacle blinds
   ii) spades
   iii) plugs and caps
   iv) temporary spool pieces

8. Identify types of piping, tubing and hoses for hydraulic systems and describe their purpose, operation and considerations for selecting.
   i) systems
      - open loop
      - closed loop
   ii) piping
      - plastic
      - carbon steel
      - copper
      - stainless steel
   iii) considerations
      - type of supports, system pressure, movement of the equipment
      - applications
      - to operate lifting devices, to operate motors

9. Identify types of hydraulic equipment, and describe the procedures for installation.
i) reservoir tanks
ii) pumps
iii) motors
iv) relief valves, fittings, valves, cylinders, pistons, actuators, accumulators
v) fluid coolers
vi) fluid heaters
vii) strainers
viii) filters

10. Identify hydraulic equipment supports, fasteners and controls, their installation, applications and procedures for use.
i) equipment supports
   - stands
   - hangers
   - plates
   - housekeeping pads
   - isolator pads
   - concrete embeds

ii) equipment fasteners
    - inserts
    - beam clamps
    - nuts
    - bolts
    - screws

iii) hydraulic control components
    - operating
    - temperature and pressure controls
    - safety controls
    - valves
    - actuators

iv) controls
    - operating
    - temperature and pressure controls, safety controls, valves
    - actuators

11. Identify types of fluids and fluid-related formulae, and describe their characteristics and applications.

12. Describe the procedures used to troubleshoot, test, repair and maintain hydraulic systems and components.
i) tests
- hydrostatic
- pneumatic

13. Describe the procedures used to reinstate hydraulic systems.

14. Describe the procedures used to complete documentation following hydraulic system repair or maintenance.

15. Describe the procedures used to install and protect piping, tubing and hoses for hydraulic systems.
   i) protection from mechanical damage
   ii) seismic activity
   iii) vibration, environmental conditions

Practical Objectives

N/A
STM-410    Compressed Air and Pneumatic Systems

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of compressed air and pneumatic piping configurations, their applications and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to install, test, maintain, troubleshoot and repair compressed air and pneumatic systems.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

19.01  Installs equipment for compressed air and pneumatic systems.
19.02  Installs piping and tubing for compressed air and pneumatic systems.
19.03  Tests compressed air and pneumatic systems.
19.04  Maintains, troubleshoots and repairs compressed air and pneumatic systems.
25.01  Secures commissioning area.

Suggested Hours:

12 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Interpret codes and regulations pertaining to compressed air and pneumatic systems.

2. Interpret information pertaining to compressed air and pneumatic system found on drawings, specifications and equipment manuals.
   i) testing
   ii) troubleshooting
   iii) repair and maintenance

3. Explain the effects trapped air, moisture and particulate in a compressed air and pneumatic system will have on system operation and describe the procedures to prevent or correct it.

4. Explain the effect of elevation and temperature on pressure when testing compressed air and pneumatic systems.
5. Explain the applications and operation of compressed air/pneumatic piping system configurations.
   i) piping
      - branch lines above the horizontal centerline
   ii) applications
      - instrument air
      - utility air
      - process air
      - inert gases used in Industrial settings

6. Explain the effects of expansion and contraction on piping in compressed air and pneumatic systems.

7. Explain the principles of heat transfer.
   i) principles
      - radiation
      - conduction
      - convection

8. Identify types of heat transfer equipment and describe their characteristics and operation.
   i) equipment
      - heat exchangers
      - pipe coils

9. Explain the effects of electrolysis when connecting dissimilar metals on compressed air and pneumatic piping and components.

10. Identify types of testing equipment and describe their characteristics and applications.

11. Identify types of isolation components and describe their characteristics and applications.
    i) spectacle blinds
    ii) spades, plugs and caps
    iii) temporary spool pieces
    iv) lockable block and bleed valves

12. Identify test medium used in testing of compressed air and pneumatic systems, and describe their characteristics and applications.
i) water  
ii) air  
iii) inert gases

13. Identify and describe methods of filling, draining or purging test medium. 
i) hand pumps  
ii) centrifugal pumps  
iii) compressors  
iv) compressed gas cylinders

14. Identify types of piping and piping components and describe their purpose and operation.  
i) piping  
- carbon steel  
- copper, plastic (approved to withstand high pressures)  
- galvanized  
ii) components  
- manual and automatic valves  
- fittings  
- flexible connectors and hoses  
- strainers  
- check valves

15. Identify the considerations for selecting piping system components for compressed air and pneumatic systems.  
i) suitability of piping material for the application  
ii) insulation requirements  
iii) type of supports, shoes

16 Identify equipment, controls, supports and fasteners used and describe their purpose and operation.  
i) equipment  
- compressors  
  - piston  
  - screw type  
  - rotary  
  - axial  
  - reciprocating  
  - vane  
- heat transfer equipment
- receiver tanks
- valves
- dryers
- separators
- filters
- lubricators
- compressed gas cylinders
- tanks

ii) controls
- regulators
- solenoids
- actuators
- pressure switches
- flow switches
- alarm switches

iii) supports
- stands, hangers
- plates
- housekeeping pads
- isolator pads
- concrete embeds

iv) fasteners
- expansion type inserts
- beam clamps
- nuts
- bolts
- screws

17. Describe the procedures used to troubleshoot, test, repair and maintain compressed air and pneumatic systems and components.

i) test
- hydrostatic
- pneumatic

18. Describe the procedures used to complete documentation following compressed air and pneumatic system repair or maintenance.

19. Describe the procedures used to install equipment and piping components for compressed air and pneumatic systems.
20. Describe the procedures used to protect compressed air and pneumatic piping and piping components.
   i) from mechanical damage
   ii) seismic activity
   iii) environmental conditions

21. Describe the procedures used to reinstate system.

Practical Objectives

N/A
STM-415 High Pressure Steam Systems

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of the properties of steam.
- Demonstrate knowledge of high pressure steam and condensate piping, their applications and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to install piping and piping components for high pressure steam and condensate systems.
- Demonstrate knowledge of testing equipment and components for troubleshooting high pressure steam and condensate systems.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to troubleshoot, repair and maintain high pressure steam and condensate systems.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

11.01 Installs equipment for high pressure steam and condensate systems.
11.02 Installs piping for high pressure steam and condensate systems.
11.03 Tests high pressure steam and condensate systems.
11.04 Maintains, troubleshoots and repairs high pressure steam and condensate systems.
25.01 Secures commissioning area.

Suggested Hours:

60 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Interpret information pertaining to high pressure steam and condensate systems, piping and equipment found on drawings, specifications and equipment manuals.
   i) troubleshooting
   ii) testing
   iii) repair
   iv) maintenance

2. Explain the applications and operation of high pressure steam and condensate systems.
i) power generation  
ii) process  
iii) central heating  

3. Explain the effect of elevation and temperature on pressure when testing high pressure steam and condensate systems.

4. Explain the properties of steam and heat transfer.  
   i) heat transfer  
      - radiation  
      - conduction  
      - convection  
   ii) steam  
      - pressure  
      - temperature  
      - latent heat  
      - sensible heat  
      - total heat  
      - superheat  
      - volume  

5. Explain the effects trapped air in a high pressure steam and condensate system will have on testing and describe the procedures to prevent or correct it.

6. Explain the effect of pressure on elevation when troubleshooting high pressure steam and condensate systems.

7. Explain the applications of high pressure steam and condensate piping.

8. Explain the effects of expansion and contraction on piping in high pressure steam and condensate systems.

9. Identify test medium used in testing of high pressure steam and condensate systems, and describe their characteristics and applications.  
   i) water  
   ii) water/glycol mix  

10. Identify method of filling, draining or purging test medium.  
   i) using pumps  
   ii) using high pressure water supply hoses
11. Identify types of isolation components and describe their characteristics and applications.
   i) spectacle blinds
   ii) spades
   iii) plugs and caps
   iv) temporary spool pieces

12. Identify types of testing equipment and components and describe their characteristics and applications.

13. Identify types of pipe and piping components for high pressure steam and condensate systems, and describe their purpose and operation.
   i) piping
      - chrome
      - carbon steel
      - stainless steel
   ii) components
      - manual and automatic valves
      - steam traps
      - expansion joints
      - strainers
      - check valves

14. Identify the considerations for selecting piping components for high pressure steam and condensate systems.

15. Identify types of high pressure steam and condensate system equipment, and describe their characteristics and operation.
   i) boilers
   ii) boiler trim
   iii) expansion joints
   iv) pumps
   v) heat transfer equipment
   vi) steam traps
   vii) valves, flash tanks
   viii) superheaters
   ix) re-heaters
   x) de aerators
   xi) desuperheaters
   xii) condensers
   xiii) water treatment equipment
16. Identify types of fuel used in high pressure steam and condensate systems.
   i) fuel oil
   ii) gas
   iii) coal
   iv) biomass
   v) nuclear

17. Identify sources of cooling used in high pressure steam and condensate system.
   i) cooling towers
   ii) condensers
   iii) flash tanks
   iv) blowdown tanks
   v) converters

18. Identify types of heat transfer equipment and describe their characteristics and operation.
   i) converters
   ii) turbines
   iii) radiators
   iv) convectors
   v) pipe coils
   vi) horizontal and vertical unit heaters

19. Identify equipment, controls and components, supports and fasteners used in high pressure steam and condensate systems, and describe their purpose and operation.
   i) supports
      - stands
      - hangers
      - plates
      - housekeeping pads
      - isolator pads
      - concrete embeds
   ii) fasteners
      - expansion type inserts
      - beam clamps
      - nuts
      - bolts
      - screws
   iii) control
      - LWCO
- operating pressure controls
- high limit pressure controls
- safety controls
- feed water controls

20. Identify types of tests and describe their applications
   i) hydrostatic
   ii) pneumatic

21. Describe the use of steam tables to identify the relationship between pressure and temperature.

22. Describe the procedures used to install equipment and piping and piping components for high pressure steam and condensate systems, their controls, supports and fasteners.

23. Describe the procedures used to protect and restrain high pressure steam and condensate system piping and piping components.

24. Describe the procedures used to troubleshoot, test, repair and maintain high pressure steam and condensate systems and components.

25. Describe the procedures used to complete documentation following high pressure steam and condensate system repair or maintenance.

26. Describe the procedures used to reinstate system.

27. Calculate grade and pitch of piping to ensure system efficiency and functionality.

Practical Objectives

N/A
STM-420  Refrigeration Systems

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of refrigeration systems, their components, applications and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to install equipment, piping and piping components for refrigeration systems.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to test associated components of refrigeration systems.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to maintain, troubleshoot and repair associated components of refrigeration systems.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

16.01 Installs equipment for HVACR systems.
16.02 Installs hydronic piping and refrigeration tubing for HVACR systems.
16.03 Tests associated components of HVACR systems.
16.04 Maintains, troubleshoots and repairs associated components of HVACR systems.
25.01 Secures commissioning area.

Suggested Hours:

18 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Interpret information pertaining to refrigeration equipment and piping found on drawings and specifications.

2. Interpret codes and regulations pertaining to refrigeration systems.

3. Identify types of refrigeration systems, components and equipment and describe their characteristics and applications.
   i) systems
   ii) components
iii) applications

4. Identify refrigeration equipment supports and fasteners and describe their operation, applications, purpose and procedures for use.
   i) supports
   ii) fasteners

5. Describe the procedures used to install equipment, controls, supports and fasteners for refrigeration systems.

6. Identify refrigeration control components and describe their purpose and operation.
   i) operating and temperature controls
   ii) safety controls

7. Identify types of refrigeration piping and tubing.
   i) carbon steel
   ii) copper
   iii) alloys

8. Describe the procedures used to install piping and components for refrigeration systems.

9. Explain the applications and operation of refrigeration systems and of refrigeration piping configurations.

10. Identify sources of energy used in refrigeration systems.

11. Explain the principles of heat transfer.
    i) radiation
    ii) conduction
    iii) convection

12. Identify the properties and characteristics of refrigerants.
    i) CFCs
    ii) HCFCs

13. Explain the effects of electrolysis when connecting dissimilar metals on refrigeration piping and components.
14. Explain the effects of expansion and contraction on piping in refrigeration systems.

15. Explain the effects of trapped air in refrigeration piping systems and describe the procedures to prevent it.

16. Identify the considerations for selecting piping system components for refrigeration systems.

17. Describe the procedures used to test refrigeration systems and control components.

18. Identify types of tests and describe their applications.

19. Identify test medium used in testing of refrigeration systems, and describe their characteristics and applications.

20. Identify method of filling, draining, removing or purging test medium.

21. Identify types of isolation components and describe their characteristics and applications.

22. Explain the effects trapped air in components of a refrigeration system will have on testing and describe the procedures to prevent or correct it.

23. Describe the procedures used to reinstate system.

24. Describe the procedures used to troubleshoot, maintain and repair associated components of refrigeration systems.

25. Describe the procedures used to protect associated components of refrigeration systems and piping and piping components.
   i) vibration
   ii) mechanical damage
   iii) seismic activity
   iv) environmental conditions
26. Describe the procedures used to set and adjust associated components of refrigeration systems.

Practical Objectives

N/A
STM-425 Heat Recovery Systems

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of heat recovery systems, equipment and components and their applications and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to install piping and components and equipment for heat recovery systems.
- Demonstrate knowledge of heat recovery piping configurations, their applications and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of system testing and the procedures used to test heat recovery systems.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to troubleshoot, test, repair and maintain heat recovery systems and components.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

23.01 Installs equipment for heat recovery systems.
23.02 Installs piping for heat recovery systems.
23.03 Tests heat recovery systems.
23.04 Maintains, troubleshoots and repairs heat recovery systems.
25.01 Secures commissioning area.

Suggested Hours:

15 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Interpret information pertaining to heat recovery system and equipment found on drawings and specifications.

2. Interpret information pertaining to heat recovery system found on drawings, specifications and equipment manuals.

3. Identify types of heat recovery equipment and control components and describe their characteristics and operation.
   i) equipment
      - expansion joints
- pumps
- heat transfer equipment
  - rooftop units
- heat exchangers
- tanks
- valves
- water treatment equipment

ii) control components
- operating and temperature controls
- safety controls

4. Identify heat recovery equipment, controls, supports and fasteners and describe their applications and procedures for use.

i) supports
- stands
- hangers
- plates
- housekeeping pads
- isolator pads
- concrete embeds

ii) fasteners
- expansion type inserts
- beam clamps
- nuts
- bolts
- screws

iii) different temperature controllers

iv) flow switches

v) motorized zone valves

vi) sensors

5. Identify sources of heat used in heat recovery systems.

i) gland seals

ii) refrigerant gases

iii) exhaust steam

iv) flash steam

v) waste water

vi) cooling water

vii) heat recovery ventilators (HRV)
  - pre-heat coils
  - exhaust steam coils
6. Identify types of isolation components and describe their characteristics and applications.

7. Identify types of heat transfer and heat recovery equipment and describe their characteristics, principles and operation.
   i) heat transfer equipment
      - radiators
      - con vectors
      - pipe coils
      - horizontal and vertical unit heaters
      - radiant panels
      - heat exchangers
   ii) principles of heat transfer
      - radiation
      - conduction
      - convection

8. Identify types of testing equipment and components and describe their characteristics and applications.

9. Identify test medium used in testing of heat recovery systems, and describe their characteristics and applications.

10. Identify method of filling, draining or purging test medium.

11. Identify types of piping and piping components for heat recovery systems, and describe their purpose and operation.
    i) piping components
       - heat exchangers
       - pump trim
       - manual and automatic valves
       - expansion joints
       - flexible connectors
       - strainers
       - check valves

12. Identify the considerations for selecting piping system components for heat recovery systems.
    i) insulation requirements
    ii) type of supports
    iii) shoes and sleeves
iv) expansion
v) contraction

13. Explain the effect of elevation and temperature on pressure when testing heat recovery systems.

14. Explain the effects trapped air in a heat recovery piping system and describe the procedures to prevent or correct it.

15. Explain the applications of heat recovery piping configurations.
   i) open loop
   ii) closed loop

16. Explain the effects of electrolysis when connecting dissimilar metals on heat recovery piping and components.

17. Explain the effects of expansion and contraction on piping in heat recovery systems.

18. Explain the applications and operation of heat recovery systems.

19. Describe the procedures used to install piping and components, equipment for heat recovery systems, their controls, supports and fasteners.

20. Describe the procedures used to troubleshoot, test, repair, and maintain heat recovery systems.

21. Describe the procedures used to complete documentation following heat recovery systems system repair or maintenance.

22. Describe the procedures used to reinstate system.

23. Describe the procedures used to protect and restrain heat recovery system piping and components.
   i) protection from mechanical damage
   ii) seismic activity
   iii) environmental conditions

24. Calculate pitch or grade in order to ensure system efficiency and functionality
Practical Objectives

N/A
STM-430  Geo-Exchange and Geothermal Systems

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of geo-exchange and geothermal piping configurations, their applications and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of geo-exchange and geothermal equipment, their applications and operations.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to install geo-exchange and geothermal system equipment and piping.
- Demonstrate knowledge of testing equipment and components for troubleshooting geo-exchange and geothermal systems.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to test, troubleshoot, repair and maintain geo-exchange and geothermal systems.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

21.01 Installs equipment for geo-exchange and geothermal systems.
21.02 Installs piping for geo-exchange and geothermal systems.
21.03 Tests geo-exchange and geothermal systems.
21.04 Maintains, troubleshoots and repairs geo-exchange and geothermal systems.
25.01 Secures commissioning area.

Suggested Hours:

12 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Interpret information pertaining to geo-exchange and geothermal equipment and piping found on drawings and specifications.

2. Interpret information pertaining to geo-exchange and geothermal system found on drawings, specifications and equipment manuals.
   i) testing
   ii) troubleshooting
   iii) repair
   iv) maintenance
3. Identify types of geo-exchange and geothermal equipment, supports and fasteners and describe their purpose, characteristics and operation.
   i) equipment
       - expansion joints
       - pumps
       - heat transfer equipment
       - steam traps
       - tanks
       - valves
       - water treatment equipment
   ii) supports
       - expansion tanks
       - pumps
       - outdoor controllers
       - control valves
       - stands
       - hangers
       - plates
       - isolator pads
       - embeds
   iii) fasteners
       - expansion type inserts
       - beam clamps
       - nuts
       - bolts
       - screws

4. Identify sources of heat and cooling used in geo-exchange and geothermal systems.
   i) heat
       - deep earth
       - ground source
   ii) cooling
       - ground source
       - cooling towers
       - chillers
       - refrigeration
       - heat exchangers

5. Identify hazards associated with heat transfer fluid.
6. Identify piping configurations for earth loops.

7. Identify purpose and functionality of reversing valve within heat pump.

8. Identify difference in operation of Direct Expansion (DX) system.

9. Identify types of isolation components and describe their characteristics and applications.

10. Identify types of tests, testing equipment and components and describe their applications.

11. Identify test medium used in testing of geo-exchange and geothermal systems, and describe their characteristics and applications.

12. Identify method of filling, draining or purging test medium.

13. Identify types of piping and piping components for geo-exchange and geothermal systems, and describe their purpose and operation.

   i) piping types
      - carbon steel
      - copper
      - HDPE
      - PEX
      - PEX-AL-PEX

   ii) piping components
      - heat exchangers
      - pump trim
      - manual and automatic valves
      - expansion joints
      - strainers
      - check valves

14. Identify the considerations for selecting piping system components for geo-exchange and geothermal systems.

   i) domestic hot water heating
   ii) hydronic heating and cooling
   iii) radiant heating
   iv) open loop
   v) closed loop
   vi) horizontal loop
vii) vertical loop

15. Identify types and principles of heat transfer equipment and controls and describe their characteristics and operation.

   i) evaporators
   ii) compressors
   iii) condensers
   iv) metering devices
   v) refrigerant controls
   vi) related piping

17. Explain the applications of geo-exchange and geothermal piping configurations.
   i) residential heating
   ii) Industrial heating
   iii) process

18. Explain the effects of electrolysis when connecting dissimilar metals on geo-exchange and geothermal piping and components.

19. Explain the effects of expansion and contraction on piping in geo-exchange and geothermal systems.

20. Explain the effects of elevation and temperature on pressure when testing geo-exchange and geothermal systems.

21. Explain the effects of trapped air in a geo-exchange and geothermal system will have on testing and describe the procedures to prevent it or correct it.

22. Explain the effects of pressure on elevation when troubleshooting geo-exchange and geothermal systems.

23. Describe the procedures used to reinstate system.

24. Describe the procedures used to protect and restrain geo-exchange and geothermal system piping and components.
   i) protection from mechanical damage
   ii) seismic activity
   iii) environmental conditions
25. Describe the procedures used to troubleshoot, test, repair, and maintain geo-exchange and geothermal systems.

26. Describe the procedures used to complete documentation following geo-exchange and geothermal systems repair or maintenance.

27. Describe the procedures used to install piping, components and equipment for geo-exchange and geothermal systems, their controls, supports and fasteners.

Practical Objectives

N/A
STM-435  Solar Heating Systems

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of solar heating systems, equipment, their components, applications and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of solar piping configurations, their applications and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to install piping and components for solar heating systems.
- Demonstrate knowledge of diagnostic and testing equipment for troubleshooting solar heating systems.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to install, test, troubleshoot, repair and maintain solar heating systems.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

22.01 Installs equipment for solar heating systems.
22.02 Installs piping for solar heating systems.
22.03 Tests solar heating systems.
22.04 Maintains, troubleshoots and repairs solar heating systems.
25.01 Secures commissioning area.

Suggested Hours:

15 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Interpret information pertaining to solar heating systems and equipment found on drawings, specifications and equipment manuals.
   i) troubleshooting
   ii) repair
   iii) maintenance

2. Identify types of solar heating systems and describe their characteristics and applications.
3. Identify types of testing equipment and components and describe their characteristics and applications.

4. Identify types of solar equipment, and describe their characteristics and operation.
   i) solar collectors
      - flat plate
      - evacuated tube
   ii) indirect water heats
   iii) heat dissipaters
   iv) controls expansion joints
   v) pumps
   vi) heat transfer equipment tanks
   vii) tanks
   viii) valves
   ix) water treatment equipment

5. Identify types of solar heating systems, and describe their characteristics and operation.
   i) domestic water heating
   ii) space heating
   iii) direct and indirect systems
   iv) closed loop systems

6. Identify solar control components and describe their applications and procedures for use.
   i) operating and temperature controls
   ii) safety control

7. Identify solar equipment controls, supports and fasteners and describe their applications and procedures for use.
   i) controls
      - differential temperature controllers
      - flow switches
      - motorized zone valves
      - sensors
   ii) supports
      - expansion tanks
      - pumps
      - collector rackings
      - outdoor controllers
- control valves
- hangers
- stands
- plates
- isolator pads
- embeds

iii) fasteners
- expansion type inserts
- beam clamps
- nuts
- bolts
- screws

8. Identify sources of heat used in solar heating systems.
   i) solar radiation

9. Identify types of isolation components and describe their characteristics and applications.

10. Identify test medium used in testing of solar heating systems, and describe their characteristics and applications.

11. Identify method of filling, draining or purging test medium.

12. Identify the considerations for selecting piping system components for solar heating systems.
   i) insulation requirements
   ii) types of supports
   iii) shoes and sleeves
   iv) expansion
   v) contraction

13. Identify systems that require grade.

14. Identify hazards related to heat transfer fluid.

15. Identify codes and standards for solar heating systems.

16. Identify types of heat transfer equipment and describe their characteristics and operation.
   i) radiators
ii) convecors
iii) pipe coils
iv) horizontal and vertical unit heaters
v) radiant panels
vi) solar collectors
   - flat plate
   - evacuated tube
vii) water heaters
viii) heat dissipaters
ix) heat exchangers

17. Identify types of piping and piping components for solar heating systems, and describe their purpose and operation.
i) piping types
   - carbon steel
   - copper
   - HDPE
   - PEX
   - PEX-AL-PEX
ii) piping components
   - heat exchangers
   - pump trim
   - manual and automatic valves
   - expansion joints
   - strainers
   - check valves

18. Explain the effects trapped air in a solar heating system will have on system operation and describe the procedures to prevent or correct it.

19. Explain the effect of elevation and temperature on pressure when testing solar heating systems.

20. Explain the effects of electrolysis when connecting dissimilar metals on solar piping and components.

21. Explain the effects of expansion and contraction on piping in solar heating systems.

22. Explain the applications and operation of solar heating systems.
23. Explain the principles of heat transfer.
   i) radiation
   ii) conduction
   iii) convection

24. Describe the procedures used to troubleshoot, test, repair and maintain solar heating systems and components.

25. Describe the procedures used to reinstate system.

26. Describe the procedures used to complete documentation following solar heating system repair or maintenance.

27. Describe the procedures used to install equipment, piping and components for solar heating systems, their controls, supports and fasteners.

28. Describe the procedures used to protect and restrain solar heating system piping and components.
   i) protection from mechanical damage
   ii) seismic activity
   iii) environmental conditions

Practical Objectives

N/A
STM-440 Process Piping Systems

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of process piping system equipment, their applications and operation.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to install piping and piping components for process piping systems.
- Demonstrate knowledge of testing equipment and components for troubleshooting process piping systems.
- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to test, troubleshoot, repair and maintain process piping systems.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

13.01 Installs equipment for process piping systems.
13.02 Installs piping for process piping systems.
13.03 Tests process piping systems.
13.04 Maintains, troubleshoots and repairs process piping systems.
25.01 Secures commissioning area.

Suggested Hours:

18 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Interpret jurisdictional codes and specifications for installation of process piping systems.

2. Interpret information pertaining to process piping systems and equipment found on drawings, specifications and equipment manuals.
   i) testing
   ii) troubleshooting
   iii) repair
   iv) maintenance

3. Identify types of process piping systems and describe their characteristics and applications.
i) gas/oil refining
ii) pulp production
iii) mining
iv) food processing
v) chemical production
vi) ship building
vii) sawmills
viii) manufacturing
ix) Industrial processes

4. Identify types of testing equipment and components and describe their characteristics and applications.

5. Identify test medium used in testing of process piping systems, and describe their characteristics and applications.

6. Identify method of filling, draining or purging test medium.

7. Identify types of isolation components and describe their characteristics and applications.

8. Identify the considerations for selecting piping system components for process piping systems.
   i) client requirements
   ii) insulation requirements
   iii) types of supports
   iv) shoes and sleeves
   v) expansion
   vi) contraction

9. Identify types of pipe and piping components for process piping systems, and describe their purpose and operation.
   i) piping
      - carbon steel
      - copper
      - chrome
      - plastic
      - fiberglass
      - titanium
      - copper-nickel
      - stainless steel
ii) piping components
   - manual and automatic valves
   - fittings
   - expansion joints
   - strainers
   - filters
   - check valves

10. Identify process piping system equipment supports and fasteners and describe their applications and procedures for use.
   i) supports
      - stands
      - hangers
      - plates
      - housekeeping pads
      - isolator pads
      - concrete embeds
   ii) fasteners
      - expansion type inserts
      - beam clamps
      - nuts
      - bolts
      - screws

11. Identify process piping system controls and describe their purpose and operation.
   i) operating and temperature controls
   ii) flow meters
   iii) liquid level controls
   iv) safety controls

12. Explain the effect of pressure on elevation when troubleshooting process piping systems.

13. Explain the effects trapped air in a process piping system will have on system operation and describe the procedures to prevent or correct it.

14. Explain the effect of elevation and temperature on pressure when testing process piping systems.
15. Explain the effects of electrolysis when connecting dissimilar metals on process piping system piping and piping components.

16. Explain the effects of expansion and contraction on piping in process piping systems.

17. Explain the applications and operation of process piping systems.

18. Describe the procedures used to test, troubleshoot, repair and maintain process piping systems.

19. Describe the procedures used to complete documentation following process piping system repair or maintenance.

20. Describe the procedures used to reinstate system.

21. Describe the procedures used to install equipment for process piping systems, their controls, supports and fasteners.

22. Describe the procedures used to install piping and piping components for process piping systems.

23. Describe the procedures used to protect process piping and piping components.

Practical Objectives

N/A
STM-445  System Testing and Commissioning

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of system flushing and chemical treatment procedures.
- Demonstrate knowledge of system inspection, start-up and system commissioning and its associated procedures.
- Demonstrate knowledge of repair and replacement procedures.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

24.01 Flushes system.
24.02 Chemically treats system.
24.03 Pre-checks system for commissioning.
24.04 Selects and connects commissioning.
25.01 Secures commissioning area.
25.02 Pressurizes system.
25.03 Inspects system.
25.04 Corrects faulty conditions.
25.05 Participates in start-up and turnover procedures.

Suggested Hours:

12 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Identify piping and equipment in system being inspected.

2. Identify types of testing equipment and components and describe their characteristics and applications.
   i) test tree and components
   ii) pressure gauges
   iii) pumps
   iv) compressors
   v) test medium

3. Identify test medium used in testing of piping systems, and describe their characteristics and applications.
i) water
ii) water/glycol mix
iii) air
iv) inert gases

4. Identify types of testing equipment and components and describe their characteristics and applications.
   i) blind flanges
   ii) calibrated pressure gauges
   iii) test pumps
   iv) relief valves
   v) gate valves, recorders
   vi) testing trees.headers

5. Identify hazards and describe safe work practices pertaining to system commissioning and inspection, repair and start-up.
   i) system isolation
   ii) lock out procedures
   iii) testing medium
   iv) system re-energizing
   v) procedures for removal of lock-outs
   vi) safe handling of system medium

6. Identify sources of information pertaining to repair, flushing, commissioning, system inspection and start-up.
   i) specifications
   ii) drawings
   iii) operating conditions

7. Identify tools and equipment relating to system inspection, system flushing, system commissioning, repair and start-up and describe their applications and procedures for use.
   i) flushing
   ii) chemical treating
   iii) start-up and documentation
   iv) reinstatement after testing

8. Identify types of flushing medium and describe their applications.

9. Identify jurisdictional codes and specifications for chemical treatment and disposal of medium.
10. Identify methods for charging systems to operating design pressure.

11. Identify permits and approvals required to perform pressurization.

12. Identify piping and equipment in system being inspected, repaired and started up.

13. Identify method of filling, draining, removing or purging test medium.
   i) using hand pumps
   ii) centrifugal pumps
   iii) compressors
   iv) compressed gas cylinders

14. Identify types of isolation components and describe their characteristics and applications.
   i) blind flanges
   ii) plugs and caps
   iii) temporary spool pieces

15. Describe the procedures used to select and connect commissioning equipment.

16. Describe the procedures used to perform start-up, preform pre-checks, repairs, pressurization and system flushing.
   i) system isolation
   ii) check of equipment
   iii) piping for location and orientation
   iv) selection and connection of test equipment
   v) system pressurization
   vi) system inspection and correction of leaks
   vii) documentation
   viii) removal of test equipment
   ix) filling
   x) venting
   xi) increasing pressure in a controlled manner

17. Describe the procedures used to perform chemical treatments.
Practical Objectives

N/A
STM-450  

Job Planning

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of the procedures used to plan and organize work.
- Demonstrate knowledge of project costs and efficient trade practices.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

3.01 Plans work.

Suggested Hours:

6 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Identify sources of information relevant to work planning.
   i) documentation
   ii) drawings
   iii) related professionals
   iv) clients

2. Describe the considerations for determining job requirements.
   i) personnel
   ii) tools and equipment
   iii) materials
   iv) permits

3. Describe the procedures used to plan work.
   i) scheduling
   ii) estimating

4. Describe the procedures used to organize and maintain inventory.

5. Identify work methods and planning to maximize practices that are most efficient while maintaining commitment to safety.

6. Calculate labour and time costs.
7. Calculate material costs and wastage.

*Practical Objectives*

N/A
STM-455 Quality Control

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of quality control and its applications.
- Demonstrate knowledge of procedures used to complete quality control documentation.

2015 Red Seal Occupational Standard Reference:

3.05 Performs quality control functions.

Suggested Hours:

6 Hours

Objectives and Content:

*Theoretical Objectives*

1. Identify hazards and safe work practices pertaining to quality control.

2. Interpret information pertaining to quality control found on drawings and specifications.

3. Identify tools and equipment relating to quality control.

4. Identify methods of NDE.
   i) hydrostatic
   ii) pneumatic
   iii) visual
   iv) dye penetrate
   v) magnetic particle
   vi) x-ray
   vii) ultrasonic

5. Identify methods of heat treatment and stress relief.

6. Identify types of QC documentation and describe their applications.
   i) manuals
   ii) daily reports
iii) mill test reports
iv) welders logs
v) torque sheet
vi) bolt tensioning sequence
vii) punch list
viii) valve charts

Practical Objectives

N/A
STM-460 Program Review

Learning Outcomes:

- Demonstrate knowledge of the Red Seal Occupational Standard and its relationship to the Interprovincial Examination.
- Demonstrate knowledge of overall comprehension of the trade in preparation for the Interprovincial Examination.

Entire Red Seal Occupational Standard (RSOS)

Suggested Hours:

30 Hours

Objectives and Content:

Theoretical Objectives

1. Define terminology associated with an RSOS.
   i) levels
   ii) tasks
   iii) sub-tasks

2. Explain how an RSOS is developed and the link it has with the Interprovincial Red Seal Examination.
   i) development
   ii) validation
   iii) level and task weighting
   iv) examination breakdown (pie-chart)

3. Identify Red Seal products and describe their use for preparing for the Interprovincial Red Seal Examination.
   i) Red Seal website
   ii) examination preparation guide
   iii) sample questions
   iv) examination counselling sheets

4. Explain the relationship between the RSOS and the AACS.
5. Review Common Occupational Skills for the Steamfitter/Pipefitter trade as identified in the RSOS.
   i) safety-related functions
   ii) tools and equipment
   iii) organizes job

6. Review process to perform layout, fabrication and piping installation for the Steamfitter/Pipefitter trade as identified in the RSOS.
   i) fabrication
   ii) piping, tubing and related components
   iii) test valves
   iv) heat tracing systems

7. Review process to perform common and complex rigging, hoisting and lifting positioning for the Steamfitter/Pipefitter trade as identified in the RSOS.

8. Review process to install, test, maintain, troubleshoot and repair low and high pressure steam and condensate system for the Steamfitter/Pipefitter trade as identified in the RSOS.

9. Review process to install, test, maintain, troubleshoot and repair heating, cooling and process piping systems for the Steamfitter/Pipefitter trade as identified in the RSOS.
   i) hydronic system
   ii) process piping system
   iii) industrial water and waste treatment systems
   iv) hydraulic systems
   v) heating, ventilation, air conditioning and refrigeration systems
   vi) fuel systems
   vii) medical gas systems
   viii) compressed air and pneumatic systems
   ix) fire protection (not common core)

10. Review process to install, test, maintain, troubleshoot and repair renewable energy systems for the Steamfitter/Pipefitter trade as identified in the RSOS.
    i) geo-exchange and geothermal systems
    ii) solar heating systems
    iii) heat recovery systems

11. Review process to perform commissioning, start-up and turnover for the Steamfitter/Pipefitter trade as identified in the RSOS.
**Practical Objectives**

N/A

**Suggested Learning Activities:**

1. Conduct a mock certification exam to be used for diagnostic purposes.
2. Review the National Occupational Analysis.
3. Review the Apprentice Logbook.
4. Review the Exam Preparation information found on the homepage at www.nsapprenticeship.ca
5. Conduct a final mock certification exam.

**Resources:**

These are the recommended resources to use in the delivery of this unit:

- Exam Preparation information, including videos, occupational analyses, exam counseling sheets, practice exams and sample questions, and other study materials and resources, can be found on the www.nsapprenticeship.ca homepage under Exam Preparation.
- Apprentice’s personal logbook
- Applicable codes and regulations
- Program texts

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