

*Entry Level Assessment Blueprint*

*Industrial Electricity*



- Demonstrate knowledge of principles of DC theory
- Apply Ohm's Law and Kirchoff's Law
- Solve series and parallel circuits
- Calculate power formulas

- Calculate inductive reactance
- Calculate capacitive reactance
- Demonstrate knowledge of principles of AC theory
- Calculate waveforms and frequency

- Test circuits for opens and continuity
- Test circuits for voltage, current, and resistance
- Demonstrate proper care and use of test equipment

- Identify electrical symbols
- Interpret electrical wiring drawings
- Troubleshoot from electrical drawings

- Select, measure, and cut conduit
- Ream, thread, and bend conduit
- Install boxes, fixtures, and hardware
- Select proper enclosures
- Identify and use electrical fittings



## ***Specific Competencies and Skills continued:***

### **National Electrical Code**

- Define the purpose, intent, and jurisdiction of the NEC
- Identify proper conductor type and size
- Size pull boxes
- Demonstrate proper grounding and bonding procedures

### **Electrical Controls**

- Identify and connect switches, sensors, and relays
- Exhibit understanding of motor starters
- Understand principles of circuit protection

### **Generators**

- Determine the output of a generator
- Identify the internal components of a generator

### **Motors**

- Identify motor circuits
- Identify and define types of motors
- Identify and explain motor components
- Connect leads for operation
- Test for operation
- Troubleshoot and diagnose problems

### **Transformers**

- Identify types of transformers
- Identify leads and connections
- Calculate voltage
- Calculate amperage
- Calculate KVA capacity

### **Variable Frequency Drives (VFDs)**

- Demonstrate proper set up and installation
- Exhibit knowledge of basic programming
- Troubleshoot VFDs



*Specific Competencies and Skills continued:*

**Programmable Logic Controllers (PLCs)**

- Demonstrate proper set-up and installation
- Exhibit knowledge of basic programming
- Troubleshoot PLCs

**Safety**

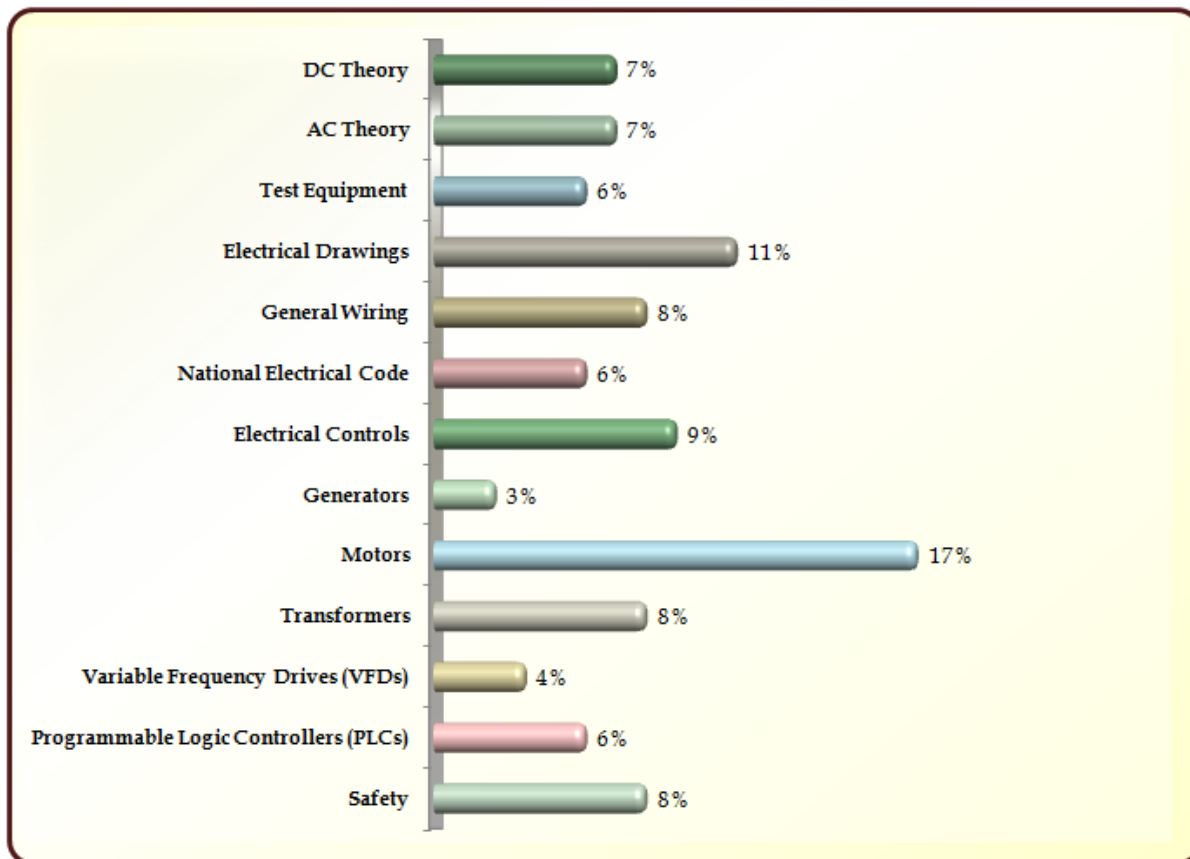
- Exhibit basic knowledge of OSHA standards
- Identify appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE)
- Demonstrate knowledge of correct scaffolding and ladder procedures
- Demonstrate proper selection and use of hand and power tools



**Written Assessment:**

**Administration Time:** 3 hours

**Number of Questions:** 191

**Areas Covered:**

## Sample Questions:

Materials with a low resistance are called

- A. insulators
- B. potential
- C. emf
- D. conductors

Conductors at the junctions of switchpoints or outlets must have a minimum length of

- A. 3 inches
- B. 6 inches
- C. 9 inches
- D. 12 inches

Shaded-pole motors have \_\_\_\_\_ starting torque.

- A. very high
- B. very low
- C. medium
- D. maximum

The primary winding of a transformer is rated at 480V and 600 turns. If the secondary is rated at 120Vs, the secondary has \_\_\_\_\_ turns.

- A. 150
- B. 400
- C. 1600
- D. 2400

A \_\_\_\_\_ is a device used to safely remove cartridge fuses from electrical enclosures.

- A. insulated side cutter
- B. pulling pliers
- C. insulated cartridge pliers
- D. fuse puller

## Performance Assessment:

**Administration Time:** 3 hours and 20 minutes

**Number of Jobs:** 4

### Areas Covered:

**14% Tools and Materials Identification**

Tool and material identification, legibility and neatness, and time to complete Job 1.

**27% Conduit Bending**

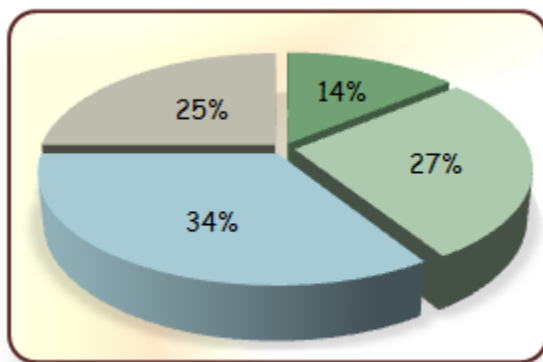
Safety, use of tools, reaming and threading, length accuracy, overall appearance of conduit, clean-up work area, and time to complete Job 2.

**34% Wiring a Motor Starter**

Safety, use of tools, selection of conductors, wiring diagram, workmanship, operation of motor, clean-up of work area, and time to complete Job 3.

**25% Replacing Ballast in a Fluorescent Fixture**

Safety, use of tools, installation of ballast, work professionalism, operations of fluorescent fixture, and time to complete Job 4.



**Sample Job:** Replacing Ballast in a Fluorescent Fixture

**Maximum Time:** 20 minutes

**Participant Activity:** The participants will go to a designated station, remove and replace the ballast in the fluorescent fixture that is provided, test for operation, and notify the evaluator so that the work can be inspected.

