

QUALIFICATIONS PACK - OCCUPATIONAL STANDARDS FOR GREEN JOBS

What are Occupational Standards (OS)?

- OS describe what individuals need to do, know and understand in order to carry out a particular job role or function
- OS are performance standards that individuals must achieve when carrying out functions in the workplace, together with specifications of the underpinning knowledge and understanding

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Introduction

Qualifications Pack - Solar PV Engineer (Option: Solar water pumping system)

SECTOR: GREEN JOBS

SUB-SECTOR: RENEWABLE ENERGY

OCCUPATION: DESIGN, INSTALLATION AND COMMISSIONING

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Brief Job Description: A solar PV engineer specializes in the design, installation and commissioning of the solar PV power plant, its quality assurance and HSE issues. He/she also specializes in designing, installation and commissioning of solar water pumping systems.

Option

Solar water pumping system: To cater to the emerging market for Solar Water Pumping Systems, this optional NOS will skill the learner to Design, Install and Commission these systems.

Personal Attributes: This job requires the individual to oversee the complete installation, testing and commissioning of solar PV power plants and ensure no accidents occur at site, so diligence and hardworking are desired attributes for individuals performing this role. He must also demonstrate strong work ethics, an ability to communicate courteously with co-workers and sub-ordinates

Qualifications Pack Code	SGJ/ Q0112		
Job Role	Solar PV Engineer		
	[This job role is applicable in both national and international scenarios]		
Credits (NSQF)	TBD	Version number	1.0
Sector	Green Jobs	Drafted on	01/09/2016
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Job Role	Solar PV Engineer
Role Description	Solar PV Engineer is responsible for design, installation and commissioning of solar power plant at site including the QA and HSE issues. S/he is also responsible for design, installation and commissioning of solar pumping systems
NSQF level	5
Minimum Educational Qualifications	Diploma (Electrical/Electronics/ Civil/ Mechanical) or Pre-final engineering and technology candidate with 3 years of formal engineering education
Maximum Educational Qualifications	NA
Prerequisite License or Training	N/A
Minimum Job Entry Age	20 years
Experience	Diploma holder with 1 year of relevant experience
Applicable National Occupational Standards (NOS)	<p>Compulsory:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> SGJ/N0109: Prepare site feasibility study report SGJ/N0146: Design of solar PV power plant SGJ/N0132: Installation and commissioning of solar PV power plant SGJ/N0133: Quality Assurance of solar PV power plant & components SGJ/N0106: Maintain personal health & safety at project site SGJ/N0120: Work effectively with others <p>Option:</p> <p>Solar water pumping system:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> SGJ/N0134: Design, Installation and Commissioning of Solar Water Pumping System
Performance Criteria	As described in the relevant OS units



Keywords /Terms	Description
Sector	Sector is a conglomeration of different business operations having similar business and interests. It may also be defined as a distinct subset of the economy whose components share similar characteristics and interests.
Sub-sector	Sub-sector is derived from a further breakdown based on the characteristics and interests of its components.
Occupation	Occupation is a set of job roles, which perform similar/ related set of functions in an industry.
Job role	Job role defines a unique set of functions that together form a unique employment opportunity in an organisation.
Occupational Standards (OS)	OS specify the standards of performance an individual must achieve when carrying out a function in the workplace, together with the knowledge and understanding they need to meet that standard consistently. Occupational Standards are applicable both in the Indian and global contexts.
Performance Criteria	Performance criteria are statements that together specify the standard of performance required when carrying out a task.
National Occupational Standards (NOS)	NOS are occupational standards which apply uniquely in the Indian context.
Qualifications Pack (QP)	QP comprises the set of OSs, together with the educational, training and other criteria required to perform a job role. A QP is assigned a unique qualifications pack code.
Electives	Electives are NOS/set of NOS that are identified by the sector as contributive to specialization in a job role. There may be multiple electives within a QP for each specialized job role. Trainees must select at least one elective for the successful completion of a QP with Electives.
Options	Options are NOS/set of NOS that are identified by the sector as additional skills. There may be multiple options within a QP. It is not mandatory to select any of the options to complete a QP with Options.
Unit Code	Unit code is a unique identifier for an Occupational Standard, which is denoted by an 'N'
Unit Title	Unit title gives a clear overall statement about what the incumbent should be able to do.
Description	Description gives a short summary of the unit content. This would be helpful to anyone searching on a database to verify that this is the appropriate OS they are looking for.
Scope	Scope is a set of statements specifying the range of variables that an individual may have to deal with in carrying out the function which have a critical impact on quality of performance required.
Knowledge and Understanding	Knowledge and understanding are statements which together specify the technical, generic, professional and organisational specific knowledge that an individual need to perform to the required standard.
Organisational Context	Organisational context includes the way the organisation is structured and how it operates, including the extent of operative knowledge managers have of their relevant areas of responsibility.
Technical Knowledge	Technical knowledge is the specific knowledge needed to accomplish specific designated responsibilities.
Core Skills/ Generic	Core skills or generic skills are a group of skills that are the key to

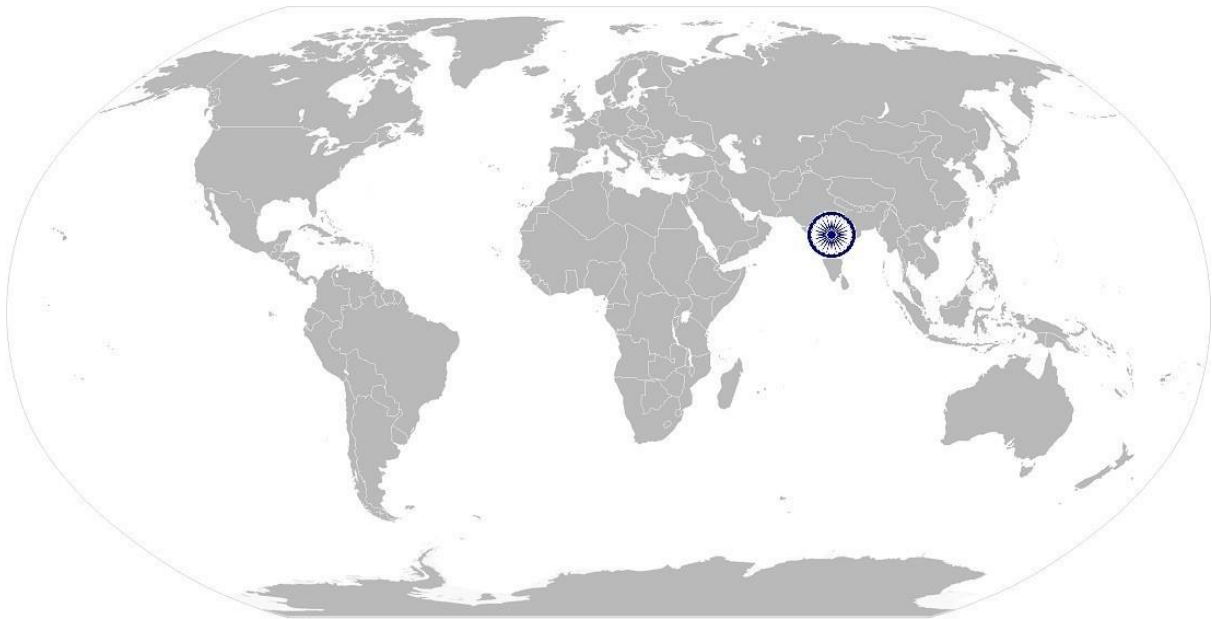
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Skills	learning and working in today's world. These skills are typically needed in any work environment in today's world. In the context of the OS, these include communication related skills that are applicable to most job roles.
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Acronym

Keywords /Terms	Description
SCGJ	Skill Council for green jobs
NOS	National Occupational Standards
NSQF	National Skills Qualification Framework
NVEQF	National Vocational Educational Qualification Framework
NVQF	National Vocational Qualification Framework
OS	Occupational Standards
PC	Performance Criteria
QP	Qualification Pack
SSC	Sector Skills Council
DC	Direct Current
AC	Alternating Current
SCADA	Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition
PV	Photovoltaic
GHI	Operation and Maintenance
ERP	Enterprise Resource Planning
QA	Quality Assurance
HSE	Health, Safety and Environment
OHS	Occupational Health and Safety
CERC	Central Electricity Regulatory Commission
SERC	State Electricity Regulatory Commission
LT	Low tension
MMPT	Maximum Power Point Tracker

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Overview

This unit is about the key steps involved in preparing a site feasibility report for rooftop solar PV power plant along with the assessment of client's requirement

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Prepare a site feasibility report

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Unit Code	SGJ/N0109
Unit Title (Task)	Prepare a site feasibility study report
Description	This unit is about the key steps involved in developing a site feasibility report for rooftop solar PV system along with assessing client requirement
Scope	This unit/ task covers the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • assess the rooftop condition • assess the client requirement • prepare site feasibility study report
Performance Criteria(PC) w.r.t. the Scope	
Element	Performance Criteria
Assess the rooftop condition	To be competent, the user/ individual must be able to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> PC1. identify optimum location of installations PC2. assess the site level pre-requisites for solar panel installation PC3. decide on the type of mounting to be constructed and place of mounting as per client requirement PC4. check for any shading obstacles PC5. prepare a site map of the location where installation has to be carried out
Assess the client requirement	To be competent, the user/ individual must be able to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> PC6. assess the load to be run on solar PV power Plant and prepare a load profile PC7. estimate the capacity of solar PV power plant PC8. decide on battery backup as per grid availability, loads and client expectation
Prepare a site feasibility study report	To be competent, the user/ individual must be able to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> PC9. assess or obtain the site specific major parameters of solar resource data like GHI, DNI, Temperature and Wind PC10. perform shading analysis PC11. estimate the energy generated from the rooftop solar PV power plant using solar design software like PV*SOL®, PVsyst, etc. PC12. identify the risks associated with the specific solar project PC13. prepare a site feasibility study report using specialized software like PV*SOL®, PVsyst, etc.
Knowledge and Understanding (K)	
A. Organizational Context	The individual on the job needs to understand: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> KA1. company's policies on: incentives, personnel management KA2. company's code of conduct KA3. importance of individual's role in the work flow KA4. company's documentation policy KA5. company's installation policy KA6. company's customer support policy
B. Technical Knowledge	The individual on the job needs to know and understand: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> KB1. perform simple calculations to derive the power and energy received from solar radiation in a given area KB2. solar resource assessment including Direct normal irradiation, diffuse horizontal irradiation, global horizontal irradiation and albedo KB3. understand ground based measurement and satellite derived data KB4. determine the building orientation KB5. types of roofs and suggestive mounting structure for that specific roof KB6. basic concepts of Trigonometry and coordinate geometry

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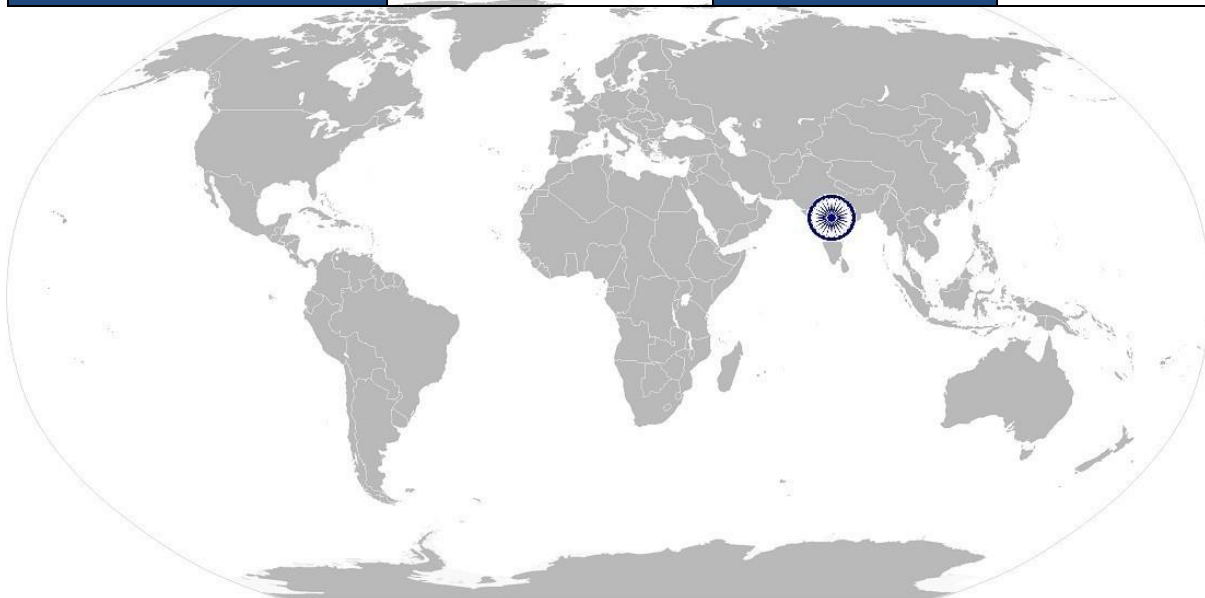
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	<p>KB7. effect on array output of current and voltage based on series / parallel connections of modules, tilt angle, orientation and shading</p> <p>KB8. determining whether any shading will occur and estimate its effect on the system using tools like Solar path finder and softwares like PV*SOL®, PVsyst, etc.</p> <p>KB9. determining the cabling route and estimate the length of cable required</p> <p>KB10. different types of tracking systems</p> <p>KB11. how to use a simulation software, such as PV*SOL®, PVsyst, etc., optimally</p> <p>KB12. risks associated with the solar project</p>
Skills (S)	
A. Core Skills/ Generic Skills	Reading and writing skills
	The individual on the job needs to know and understand:
	SA1. how to read warnings, instructions and other text material on product labels, components etc.
	Oral Communication skills
	The individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:
	SA2. express statements for information clearly so that customer can hear and understand
	SA3. participate in and understand main points of simple discussions with customer
	SA4. respond properly to any query of the customer
B. Professional Skills	Customer Centricity
	The individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:
	SB1. follow code of conduct
	SB2. manage relationships with customers with intent on satisfying its requirements for service delivery
	Interpersonal skills
	The individual on the job needs to know and understand:
	SB3. how to interact with client to analyse client exact requirement
	SB4. how to interact with workers in order to coordinate work processes

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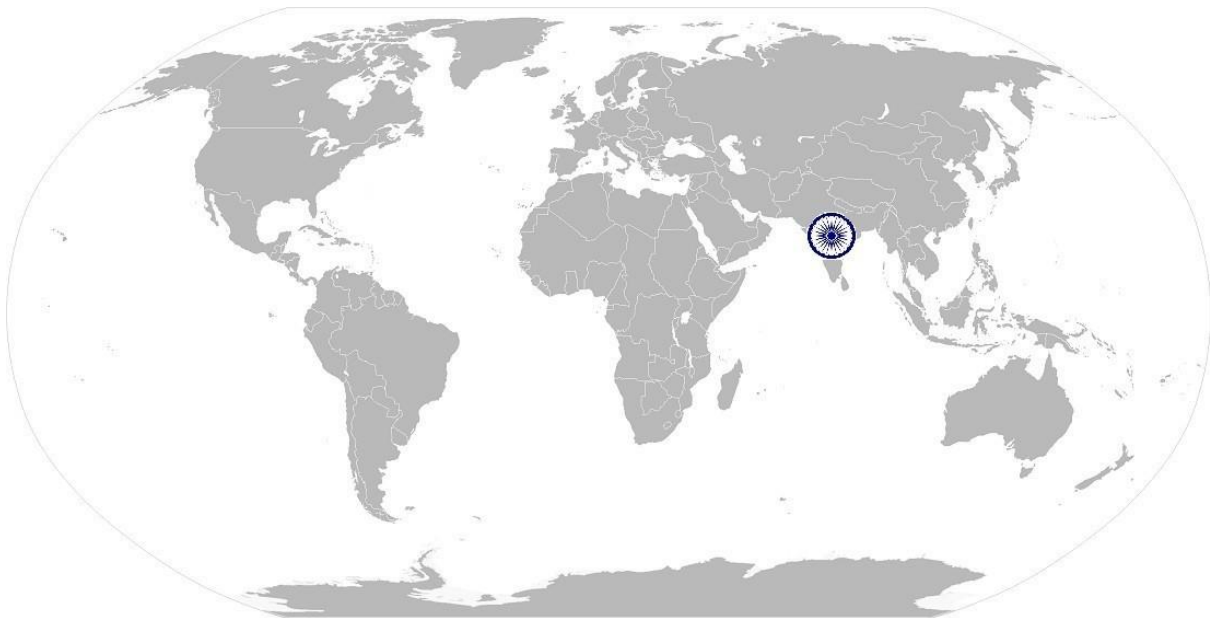
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Industry Sub-sector	Renewable energy	Last reviewed on	14/06/2017
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This unit is about review of structural design, preparing the electrical design and energy generation report of solar PV power plant

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Design of solar PV power plant

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Unit Code	SGJ/ N0146
Unit Title (Task)	Design of solar PV power plant
Description	This unit is about reviewing of structural design, preparing the electrical design of solar PV power plant
Scope	<p>This unit/task covers the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> review of structural design of solar PV power plant prepare the design and selection of solar modules prepare the design and selection of inverters prepare the design and selection of strings prepare the design and selection of combiner boxes and switchgear selection of batteries for rooftop off grid solar power plant
Performance Criteria(PC) w.r.t. the Scope	
Element	Performance Criteria
Review of structural design of solar PV power plant	<p>To be competent, the user/ individual must be able to:</p> <p>PC1. review and interpret of the mounting structure and foundation design drawings</p> <p>PC2. review the overall structural layout of the solar PV power plant</p>
Prepare the design and selection of solar modules	<p>To be competent, the user/ individual must be able to:</p> <p>PC3. select solar module technology and size, based on analysis of cost, power output, quality, climatic conditions of the site, global and diffused irradiance ratio at the site, etc.</p> <p>PC4. workout the total numbers of modules based on the total capacity of the plant and the capacity of selected modules</p> <p>PC5. prepare the earthing design of solar module arrays</p>
Prepare the design and selection of inverters	<p>To be competent, the user/ individual must be able to:</p> <p>PC6. select inverter, based on compatibility with module technology, compliance with grid code and other applicable regulations, reliability, system availability, serviceability, quality, cost, DC TO AC conversion efficiency</p> <p>PC7. in case of a roof top power plant, decide on specifications of the inverter to power the AC loads in the building</p> <p>PC8. decide on number of inverters to be used based on the capacity and specifications of the inverter selected</p> <p>PC9. finalize the inverter layout and inverter locations on the basis of total capacity</p> <p>PC10. prepare the earthing design of inverters</p>
Prepare the design and selection of strings	<p>To be competent, the user/ individual must be able to:</p> <p>PC11. workout number of modules in a string based on the input voltage and MPPT voltage range of the inverter</p> <p>PC12. workout number of strings connected to a combiner box based on minimum run of DC connecting cables to minimized DC losses</p> <p>PC13. finalize the inter row distance between the solar modules on the basis of minimum inter row shading, adequate space for cleaning and maintenance of solar modules and the tilted to south at an angle that optimizes the annual energy yield</p> <p>PC14. specify DC cabling material, size, type of PVC for cables connecting modules, junction boxes to the combiner boxes and combiner boxes to the inverter panels etc.</p>

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	PC15. prepare the specification of DC connectors (plugs and sockets) to be used
Prepare the design and selection of combiner boxes and switchgear	<p>To be competent, the user/ individual must be able to:</p> <p>PC16. prepare the design specifications for junction boxes/combiner including IP number</p> <p>PC17. prepare the specifications for disconnects/switches</p> <p>PC18. workout number of combiner boxes connected to one panel of the inverter based on the input current rating of the inverter</p> <p>PC19. prepare islanding facility for grid connected power plant, in case of non-availability of grid</p> <p>PC20. protect incorrect polarity, over-voltage and overload for the DC cables</p>
Selection of batteries for rooftop off grid solar power plant	<p>To be competent, the user/ individual must be able to:</p> <p>PC21. decide the battery storage capacity (AH) based on the number of days autonomy required (KWH/WH) and the depth of discharge of the battery bank</p> <p>PC22. decide on the specifications for the charge controller/ inverter to control the overcharging/discharging of the batteries, prepare energy generation report using simulation software</p>
Knowledge and Understanding (K)	
A. Organizational Context (Knowledge of the organization and its processes)	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand:</p> <p>KA1. government/corporate policies and guidelines on: workplace safety, identification and mitigation of safety hazards, work procedures and guidelines for working at height</p> <p>KA2. document information using appropriate corporate forms</p> <p>KA3. obtain authorization from specified field safety officer and supervisor</p> <p>KA4. legislative, organization, site requirements and procedures</p>
B. Technical Knowledge	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand:</p> <p>KB1. efficiency, cost and typical specifications, functioning and operating principle of different types of solar PV plants, commercially available PV cells and modules, inverters, transformers, charge controllers, battery, mounting structures, cables, junction boxes and other components</p> <p>KB2. site survey reports, availability of shadow free space for installation of solar power plant</p> <p>KB3. the survey equipment and the methodology of survey</p> <p>KB4. electrical designs for the module/ inverters and balance of system</p> <p>KB5. solar irradiation including GHI, DHI and DNI</p> <p>KB6. mechanical and electrical features necessary for the long life of the PV Power Plant under a wide range of operating conditions</p> <p>KB7. solar PV power plant design software such as PVSYST and PV*SOL etc.</p> <p>KB8. energy simulation report and its parameters and effect on solar PV plants</p>
Skills (S)	
A. Core Skills/ Generic Skills	Writing Skills
	The user/ individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:
	SA1. prepare documentation as per relevant industry standards
	Reading Skills
	The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand:
	SA2. read vernacular/English language
	SA3. how to read and understand manuals, health and safety instructions, memos, other company documents

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	SA4. how to read from different sources- books, screens in machines and signage SA5. the various colour codes, as per standard electrical, mechanical and civil nomenclature
	Oral Communication (Listening and Speaking skills) The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to: SA6. express statements or information clearly so that others can hear and understand SA7. participate in and understand the main points of simple discussions SA8. respond appropriately to any queries SA9. communicate with peers, superiors and sub-ordinates
B. Professional Skills	Decision Making The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to: SB1. follow organization rule-based decision making process SB2. analyze critical points in day to day tasks and identify control measures to solve the issue SB3. handle issues in case the superior is not available with clear choice of procedures in familiar contexts (as per the authority matrix defined by the organisation)
	Plan and Organize The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to : SB4. plan and organize work to meet deadlines SB5. work constructively and collaboratively with others SB6. support the superiors in scheduling tasks
	Customer Centricity The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to: SB7. follow organisation code of conduct SB8. manage relationships with customers with intent on satisfying its requirements for service delivery
	Problem Solving The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to: SB9. recognize problems and provide solutions using a range of cognitive and practical skills SB10. approach relevant authority when required
	Analytical Thinking The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to: SB11. apply knowledge of facts, principles and processes to select the right course of action to perform tasks
	Critical Thinking The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to: SB12. use reasoning skills to identify and resolve basic problems SB13. use intuition to detect any potential problems which could arise during operations SB14. use acquired knowledge of the process for identifying and handling issues

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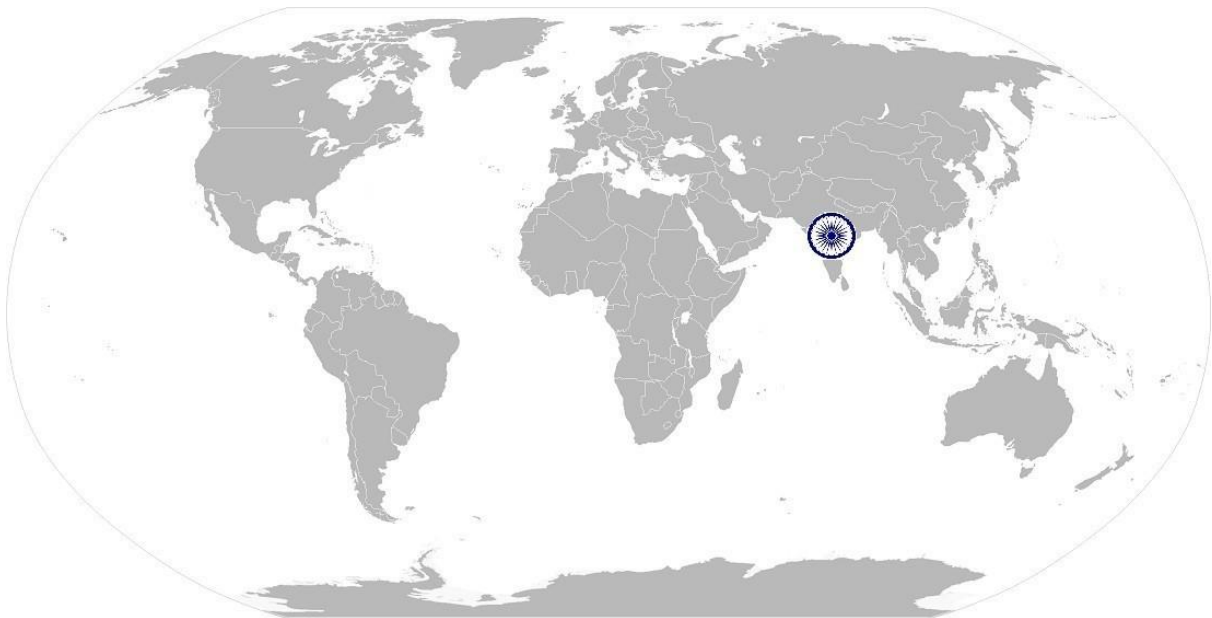
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This unit is about installation and commissioning of solar PV power plant

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Installation and Commissioning of solar PV power plant

Unit Code	SGJ/N0132
Unit Title (Task)	Installation and commissioning of solar PV power plant
Description	This unit is about installation and commissioning of solar PV power plant
Scope	<p>This unit/task covers the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • preparation before initiating construction at site • manage the installation schedule • test and commission the solar PV power plant
Performance Criteria(PC) w.r.t. the Scope	
Element	Performance Criteria
Preparation before initiating construction at site	<p>To be competent, the user/ individual must be able to:</p> <p>PC1. read and interpret the design and detailed drawings of the civil, mechanical and electrical works to be carried out at site</p> <p>PC2. ensure the marking of the complete layout of the plant as per design</p> <p>PC3. arrange for tools and consumable required for installation</p>
Manage the installation schedule	<p>To be competent, the user/ individual must be able to:</p> <p>PC4. follow the schedule for each of the civil and mechanical construction activity</p> <p>PC5. manage the schedule for installation of modules, inverters, transformers, power protection devices, lightning arresters, earthing systems, etc. and ensure installation as per the design documents</p> <p>PC6. ensure the installation of cables between different components including modules, inverter and other components as per design documents</p> <p>PC7. check cables for continuity</p> <p>PC8. manage the installation of communication and storage system with SCADA facility/ any monitoring system</p> <p>PC9. ensure installation of battery banks if required</p> <p>PC10. prepare, review and report progress on daily basis to the site in-charge for further action</p>
Test and commission the solar PV power plant	<p>To be competent, the user/ individual must be able to:</p> <p>PC11. visually inspect the plant after installation</p> <p>PC12. get pre connection connectivity and conductivity test done</p> <p>PC13. verify system grounding and get the insulation resistance measured</p> <p>PC14. confirm that electrical protections, disconnection and other provisions are fulfilled as per design documents</p> <p>PC15. get the DC voltage and current test done for each of the module strings</p> <p>PC16. measure and record all relevant parameters of energy storage system if present</p> <p>PC17. ensure calibration of SCADA/any monitoring system</p> <p>PC18. prepare inspection report and forward to site-in charge for further</p> <p>PC19. on getting the clearance from electricity inspector, initiate startup procedures as per manufacturer's instructions</p> <p>PC20. monitor the energy readings and voltages at regular intervals on start up</p> <p>PC21. record and report any anomalous condition to the site in-charge for further action</p> <p>PC22. prepare as-built drawings and document design changes, if any</p>

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Knowledge and Understanding (K)	
A. Organizational Context (Knowledge of the organization and its processes)	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand:</p> <p>KA1. government/corporate policies and guidelines on: workplace safety, identification and mitigation of safety hazards, work procedures and guidelines for working at height</p> <p>KA2. document information using appropriate corporate forms</p> <p>KA3. obtain authorization from specified field safety officer and supervisor</p> <p>KA4. legislative, organization, site requirements and procedures</p>
B. Technical Knowledge	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand the following aspects:</p> <p>KB1. definition of the terms: energy and power, cell, module, string, array, mono-crystalline, poly-crystalline, amorphous silicon</p> <p>KB2. efficiency, cost and typical specifications, functioning and operating principle of different types of solar photovoltaic plants, commercially available PV modules, inverters, charge controllers, battery, mounting structures, cables, junction boxes and other components</p> <p>KB3. fundamentals of solar resource like GHI, DNI etc. and measurement of solar irradiance with a pyranometer</p> <p>KB4. effect on array output of current and voltage based on series / parallel connections of modules, tilt angle, orientation and shading</p> <p>KB5. simple calculations to derive the power and energy received from solar radiation in a given area</p> <p>KB6. mechanical and electrical features necessary for the long life of the PV power plant under a wide range of operating conditions</p> <p>KB7. site survey reports, availability of shadow free space for installation of solar power plant</p> <p>KB8. structural designs and foundation plans of rooftop and ground mount systems</p> <p>KB9. do's and don'ts of DC wiring and installation of other electrical equipment</p> <p>KB10. do's and don'ts of material handling and storage</p> <p>KB11. basic functioning and operation of different types of inverters and other electrical equipment</p> <p>KB12. connection of solar power plant to LT panel and switchover along with precautions</p> <p>KB13. testing and commissioning activities and their interpretation- continuity of wiring, earthing, polarity check, insulation, voltage drop</p> <p>KB14. measurement of losses in a PV systems at different points and interpretation of results</p> <p>KB15. typical faults, their causes and resolution for all system components</p> <p>KB16. grid codes and other regulatory provisions</p>
Skills (S)	
A. Core Skills/ Generic Skills	Writing Skills
	<p>The user/ individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:</p> <p>SA1. prepare documentation as per relevant industry standards</p>
	Reading Skills
	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:</p> <p>SA2. read vernacular/English language</p> <p>SA3. read and understand manuals, health and safety instructions, memos, other company documents</p> <p>SA4. read and interpret data from various sources</p>

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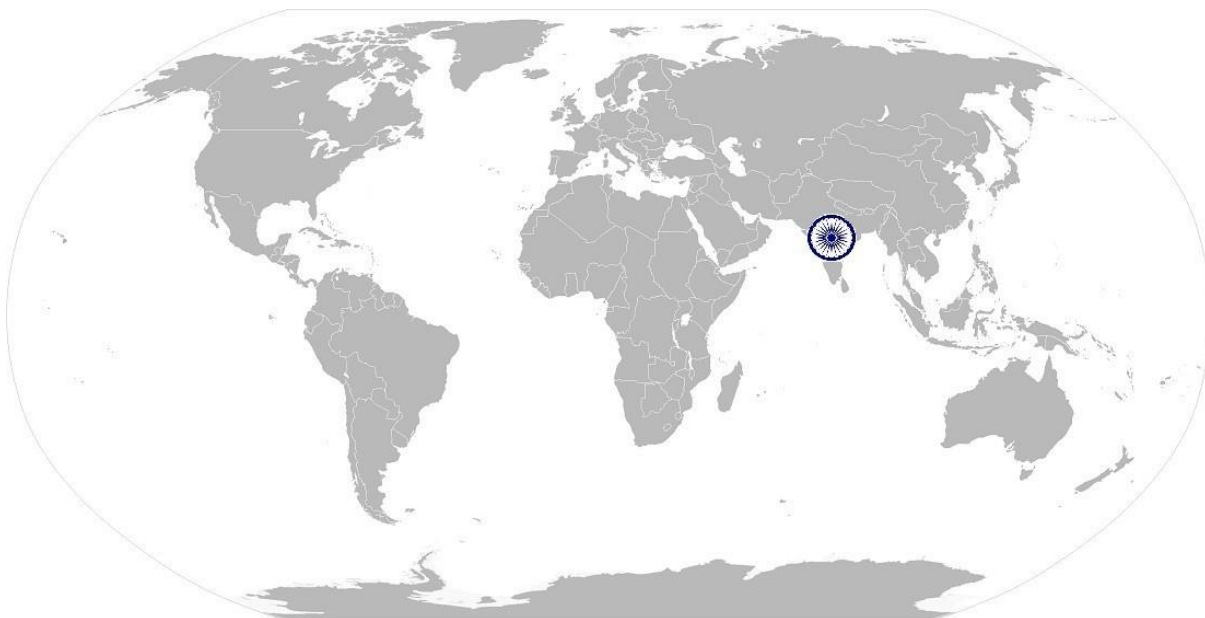
	SA5. understand the various colour codes, as per standard electrical, mechanical and civil nomenclature
	Oral Communication (Listening and Speaking skills)
	The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to: SA6. express statements or information clearly so that others can hear and understand SA7. participate in and understand the main points of simple discussions SA8. respond appropriately to any queries SA9. communicate with peers, superiors and sub-ordinates
B. Professional Skills	Decision Making
	The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to: SB1. follow organization rule-based decision making process SB2. take decision with systematic course of actions and/or response
	Plan and Organize
	The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand: SB3. plan and organize service work to meet deadlines SB4. organize raw materials and packaging materials required for site survey SB5. plan to utilize time and equipment's effectively SB6. work constructively and collaboratively with others
	Customer Centricity
	The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to: SB7. follow code of conduct SB8. manage relationships with customers with intent on satisfying its requirements for service delivery
	Problem Solving
	The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to: SB9. recognize problems and provide solutions using a range of cognitive and practical skills SB10. approach relevant authority when required
	Analytical Thinking
	The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to: SB11. apply knowledge of facts, principles and processes to select the right course of action to perform tasks
	Critical Thinking
	The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to: SB12. use reasoning skills to identify and resolve basic problems SB13. use intuition to detect any potential problems which could arise during operations SB14. use acquired knowledge of the process for identifying and handling issues

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Quality Assurance of solar PV power plant and its components

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Overview

This unit is about quality assurance of solar PV power plant and its components

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Quality Assurance of solar PV power plant and its components

Unit Code	SGJ/ N0133
Unit Title (Task)	Quality assurance of solar PV power plant
Description	This unit is about quality assurance of solar PV power plant and its components
Scope	<p>This unit/task covers the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • before receiving material at site • on receipt of material at site • during installation • after installation • preparing handing over documents
Performance Criteria(PC) w.r.t. the Scope	
Element	Performance Criteria
Before receiving material at site	<p>To be competent, the user/ individual must be able to:</p> <p>PC1. check modules earmarked for power plant using a random selection as per relevant IS/IEC standards</p> <p>PC2. visit manufacturing facility of inverter supplier and witness testing of a few inverters</p> <p>PC3. collect documentation related to each and every equipment and submit to site in-charge</p>
On receipt of material at site	<p>To be competent, the user/ individual must be able to:</p> <p>PC4. ensure proper delivery/off-load of solar equipment</p> <p>PC5. check all the material and equipment received at site for any physical damage</p> <p>PC6. ensure specifications of the equipment and components match with what has been ordered</p> <p>PC7. ensure all warranties by manufacturers are properly signed and are in order</p>
During installation	<p>To be competent, the user/ individual must be able to:</p> <p>PC8. inspect the foundations of structures</p> <p>PC9. inspect and verify cable routes and specifications as per design documents</p> <p>PC10. inspect module installation</p> <p>PC11. inspect the cable terminations and ensure tightness</p> <p>PC12. inspect the installation of inverters, protection devices and systems</p>
After installation	<p>To be competent, the user/ individual must be able to:</p> <p>PC13. carry out visual inspection of the plant to find out defects and deficiencies</p> <p>PC14. measure and record the circuit voltage and short circuit current of all the module strings and compare that with design values</p> <p>PC15. carry out thermography of doubtful strings and modules to know the defects</p> <p>PC16. carry out performance ratio test by continuous operation of the plant as per the industry norms and compare with designed values</p>
Preparing handing over documents	<p>To be competent ,the user/individual on the job must be able to:</p> <p>PC17. collect and compile conformity, warranty documentation, performance guarantees, calibration certificates and any other relevant documentation and handover to site in-charge, certificates</p>
Knowledge and Understanding (K)	
A. Organizational Context (Knowledge of the organization and	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand:</p> <p>KA1. government/corporate policies and guidelines on: workplace safety, identification and mitigation of safety hazards, work procedures and guidelines for working at height</p>

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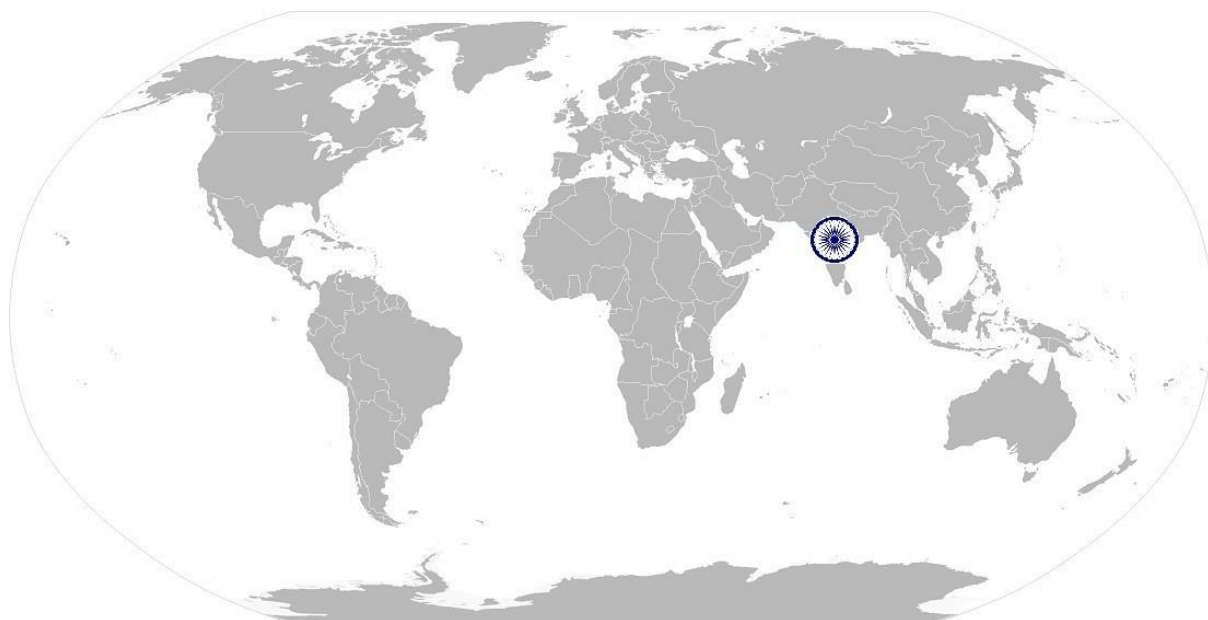
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its processes)	<p>KA2. document information using appropriate corporate forms</p> <p>KA3. obtain authorization from specified field safety officer and supervisor</p> <p>KA4. legislative, organization, site requirements and procedures</p>
B. Technical Knowledge	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand:</p> <p>KB1. relevant IEC/IS standards and MNRE guidelines</p> <p>KB2. all test and inspection documentation of various components</p> <p>KB3. testing and commissioning activities and their interpretation- continuity of wiring, earthing, polarity check, insulation, voltage drop</p> <p>KB4. measurement of losses in a PV systems at different interconnections and interpretation of the results</p> <p>KB5. typical faults, their causes and resolution for all system components</p> <p>KB6. IV curve and performance ratio tests</p>
Skills (S)	
A. Core Skills/ Generic Skills	Writing Skills
	<p>The user/ individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:</p> <p>SA1. prepare documentation as per relevant industry standards</p>
	Reading Skills
	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:</p> <p>SA2. read vernacular/English language</p> <p>SA3. read and understand manuals, health and safety instructions, memos, other company documents</p> <p>SA4. ability to read from different sources- books, screens in machines and signage</p> <p>SA5. understand the various colour codes, as per standard electrical, mechanical and civil nomenclature</p>
	Oral Communication (Listening and Speaking skills)
	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:</p> <p>SA6. express statements or information clearly so that others can hear and understand</p> <p>SA7. participate in and understand the main points of simple discussions</p> <p>SA8. respond appropriately to any queries</p> <p>SA9. communicate with peers, superiors and sub-ordinates</p>
B. Professional Skills	Decision Making
	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:</p> <p>SB1. follow organization rule-based decision making process</p> <p>SB2. take decision with systematic course of actions and/or response</p>
	Plan and Organize
	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand:</p> <p>SB3. plan and organize service work to meet deadlines</p> <p>SB4. organize raw materials and packaging materials required for site survey</p> <p>SB5. plan to utilize time and equipment's effectively</p> <p>SB6. work constructively and collaboratively with others</p>
	Customer Centricity
	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:</p> <p>SB7. follow code of conduct</p> <p>SB8. manage relationships with customers with intent on satisfying its requirements for service delivery</p>

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	Problem Solving
	The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:
	SB9. recognize problems and provide solutions using a range of cognitive and practical skills
	SB10. approach relevant authority when required
	Analytical Thinking
	The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:
	SB11. apply knowledge of facts, principles and processes to select the right course of action to perform tasks
	Critical Thinking
	The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:
	SB12. use reasoning skills to identify and resolve basic problems
	SB13. use intuition to detect any potential problems which could arise during operations
	SB14. use acquired knowledge of the process for identifying and handling issues



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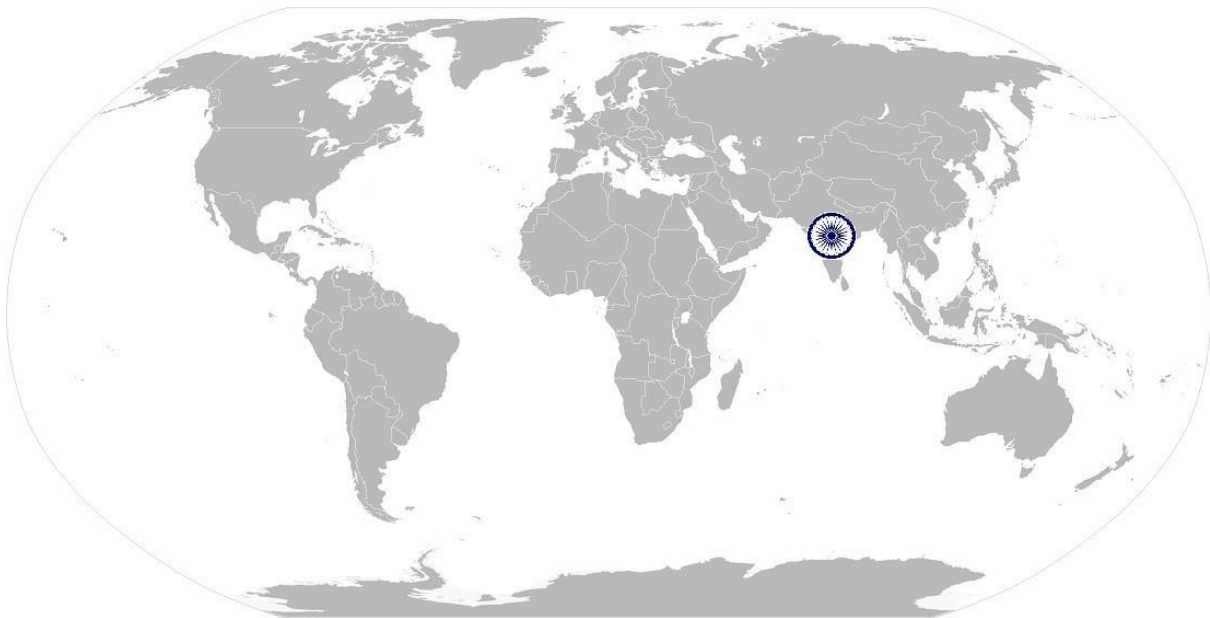


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Maintain Personal Health & Safety at project site

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Overview

This unit is about maintaining health & safety at project site

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Unit Code	SGJ/N0106
Unit Title (Task)	Maintain personal health & safety at project site
Description	This unit is about maintaining health & safety at project site
Scope	<p>This unit/task covers the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> establish and follow safe work procedure use and maintain personal protective equipment identify and mitigate safety hazards demonstrate safe and proper use of required tools and equipment identify work safety procedures and instructions for working at height
Performance Criteria(PC) w.r.t. the Scope	
Element	Performance Criteria
Establish and Follow safe work procedure	<p>To be competent, the user/individual on the job must be able to:</p> <p>PC1. identify corporate policies required for workplace safety</p> <p>PC2. identify requirements for safe work area and create a safe work environment</p> <p>PC3. identify contact person when workplace safety policies are violated</p> <p>PC4. provide information about incident/violation</p> <p>PC5. identify the location of first aid materials and administer first aid</p>
Use and maintain personal protective equipment	<p>To be competent, the user/individual on the job must be able to:</p> <p>PC6. identify the personal protection equipment required for specific locations on-site</p> <p>PC7. identify expiry dates and wear & tear issues of specified equipment</p> <p>PC8. demonstrate safe and accepted practices for personal protection</p>
Identify and mitigate safety hazards	<p>To be competent, the user/individual on the job must be able to:</p> <p>PC9. identify environmental hazards associated with the project site</p> <p>PC10. identify electrical hazards</p> <p>PC11. identify personal safety hazards or work site hazards and mitigate hazards</p>
Demonstrate safe and proper use of required tools and equipment	<p>To be competent, the user/individual on the job must be able to:</p> <p>PC12. select tools, equipment and testing devices needed to carry out the work</p> <p>PC13. demonstrate safe and proper use of required tools and equipment</p>
Identify work safety procedures and instructions for working at height	<p>To be competent, the user/individual on the job must be able to:</p> <p>PC14. check access from ground to work area to ensure it is safe and in accordance with requirements</p> <p>PC15. re-assess risk control measures, as required, in accordance with changed work practices and/or site conditions and undertake alterations</p> <p>PC16. inspect/install fall protection and perimeter protection equipment ensuring adequacy for work and conformance to regulatory requirements</p> <p>PC17. identify approved methods of moving tools and equipment to work area and minimize potential hazards associated with tools at heights</p> <p>PC18. select and install appropriate signs and barricades</p> <p>PC19. place tools and materials to eliminate or minimize the risk of items being knocked down</p> <p>PC20. dismantle plant safely in accordance with sequence and remove from worksite to clear work area</p>

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Knowledge and Understanding (K)	
A. Organizational Context (Knowledge of the organization and its processes)	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand:</p> <p>KA1. company's installation policy</p> <p>KA2. company's customer support policy</p> <p>KA3. company's documentation policy</p> <p>KA4. document information using appropriate corporate forms</p> <p>KA5. obtain authorization from specified field safety officer and supervisor</p> <p>KA6. company's reporting structure & organization culture</p> <p>KA7. company's different department and concerned authority</p>
B. Technical Knowledge	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand:</p> <p>KB1. relevant personal protective equipment's required for installation</p> <p>KB2. relevant standards and regulations for installation of solar photovoltaic power plant in India</p> <p>KB3. occupational health and safety (OHS) standards for installation of solar photovoltaic power plant</p> <p>KB4. risk identification and mitigation procedure for safe installation of solar photovoltaic power plant</p> <p>KB5. knowhow of tools & tackles required to carry out the work</p>
Skills (S)	
A. Core Skills/ Generic Skills	Writing Skills
	<p>The user/ individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:</p> <p>SA1. fill up documentation applicable to one's role</p>
	Reading Skills
	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:</p> <p>SA2. read vernacular/English language</p> <p>SA3. read and understand manuals, health and safety instructions, memos, other company documents</p> <p>SA4. ability to read from different sources- books, screens in machines and signage</p> <p>SA5. understand the various colour codes, as per standard electrical, mechanical and civil nomenclature</p>
B. Professional Skills	Oral Communication (Listening and Speaking skills)
	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:</p> <p>SA6. express statements or information clearly so that others can hear and understand</p> <p>SA7. participate in and understand the main points of simple discussions</p> <p>SA8. respond appropriately to any queries</p> <p>SA9. communicate with peers, sub-ordinates and superiors</p>
	Decision Making
	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:</p> <p>SB1. follow organization rule-based decision making process</p> <p>SB2. take decision with systematic course of actions and/or response</p>
	Plan and Organize
	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand:</p> <p>SB3. plan and organize service work to meet deadlines</p> <p>SB4. organize raw materials and packaging materials required for site survey</p> <p>SB5. plan to utilize time and equipment's effectively</p> <p>SB6. work constructively and collaboratively with others</p>

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	Customer Centricity
	The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to: SB7. follow code of conduct SB8. manage relationships with customers with intent on satisfying its requirements for service delivery
	Problem Solving
	The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to: SB9. think through the problem, evaluate the possible solution(s) and suggest an optimum /best possible solution(s) SB10. choose best methods to complete assigned tasks SB11. approach relevant authority when required
	Analytical Thinking
	The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to: SB12. apply domain knowledge, observations and data to select course of action to perform tasks related to solar photovoltaic systems
	Critical Thinking
	The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to: SB13. critically evaluate information obtained from customers, supervisor and co-workers to perform day to day activities SB14. ask questions for better understanding

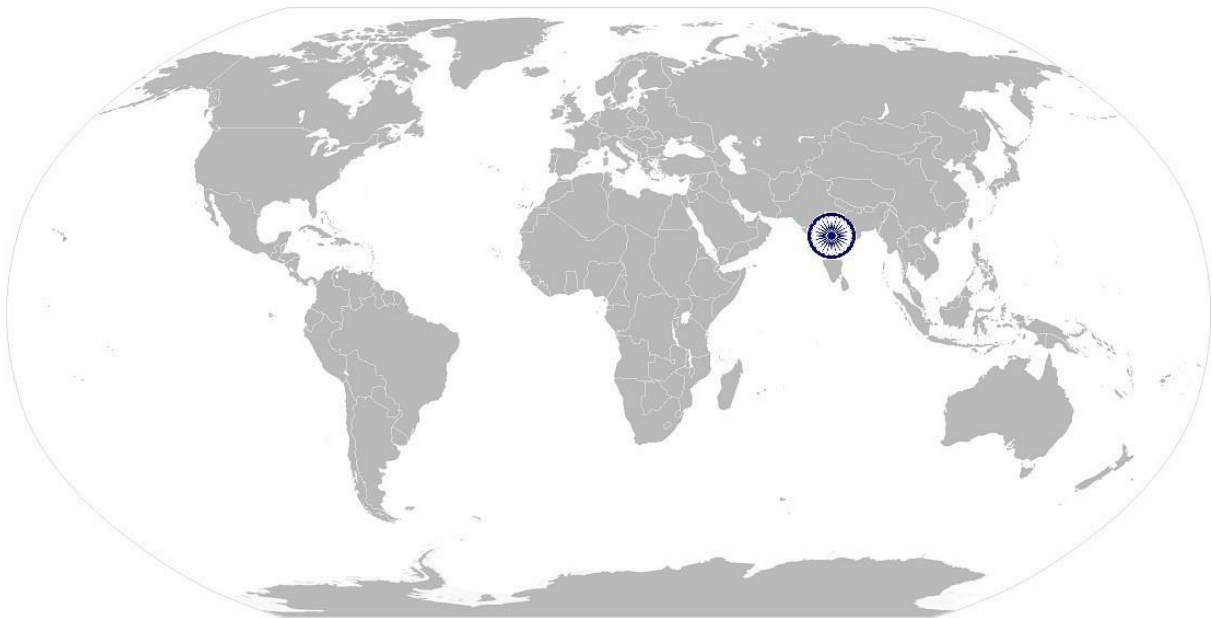


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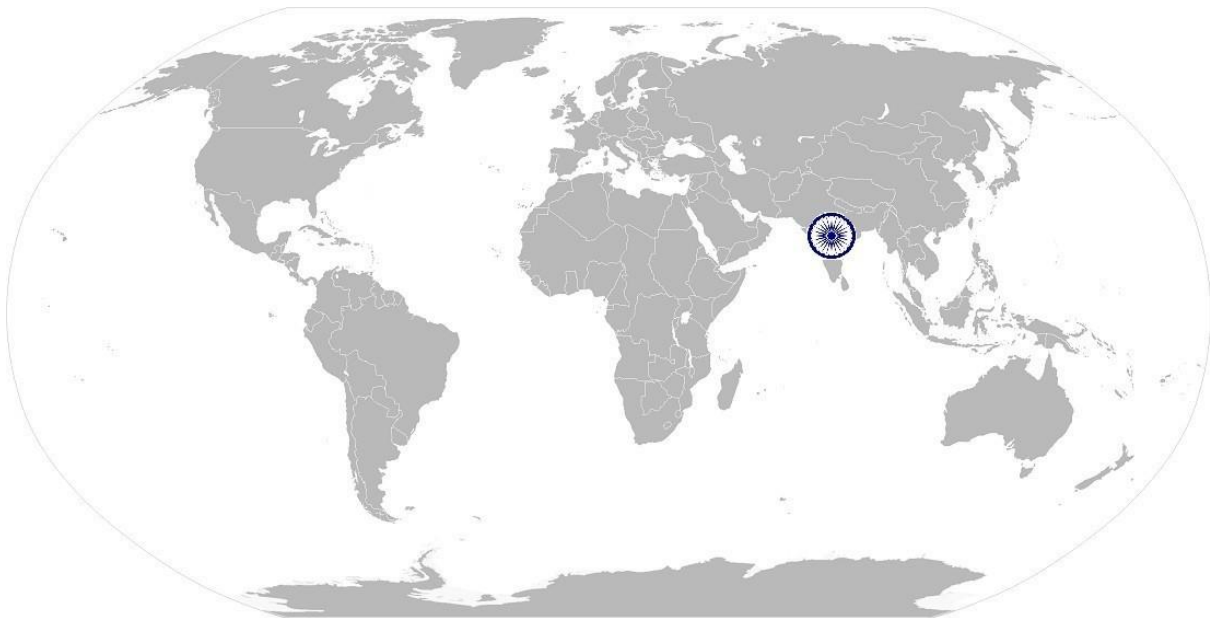
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Occupation	Health & Safety	Next review date	01/10/2018



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Overview

This unit covers basic practices that improves the effectiveness of working with others in an organizational set-up

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Work effectively with others

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Unit Code	SGJ/ N0120
Unit Title (Task)	Work effectively with others
Description	This unit covers basic etiquette and competencies that a candidate is required to possess and demonstrate in their behavior and interactions with others at the workplace
Scope	This unit/task covers the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> working with others
Performance Criteria(PC) w.r.t. the Scope	
Element	Performance Criteria
Working with others	<p>The user/individual on the job should be able to:</p> <p>PC1. accurately pass on information to the authorized persons who require it and within agreed timescale and confirm its receipt</p> <p>PC2. assist others in performing tasks in a positive manner where required and possible</p> <p>PC3. consult and assist others to maximize effectiveness and efficiency in carrying out tasks</p> <p>PC4. display appropriate communication etiquette while working</p> <p>PC5. display active listening skills while interacting with others at work</p> <p>PC6. demonstrate responsible and disciplined behaviors at the project site</p> <p>PC7. escalate grievances and problems to appropriate authority as per procedure to resolve them and avoid conflict</p> <p>PC8. identify the need for common grounds with clients, team members, etc. and negotiate in an effective manner to achieve the same</p> <p>PC9. consider and respect the opinions, creativity, values, beliefs and perspectives of others</p> <p>PC10. ensure collaboration and group participation to achieve common goals</p> <p>PC11. promote a friendly, co-operative environment that is conducive to employee's sense of belonging</p> <p>PC12. facilitate an understanding and appreciation of the differences among team members</p>
Knowledge and Understanding (K)	
A. Organizational context (Knowledge of the company / organization and its processes)	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand:</p> <p>KA1. legislation, standards, policies, and procedures followed in the organization relevant to own employment and performance conditions</p> <p>KA2. reporting structure, inter-dependent functions, lines and procedures in the work area</p> <p>KA3. relevant people and their responsibilities within the work area</p> <p>KA4. escalation matrix and procedures for reporting work and employment related issues</p>
B. Technical Knowledge	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand:</p> <p>KB1. various categories of people that one is required to communicate and co-ordinate with in the organization</p> <p>KB2. importance of effective communication in the workplace</p> <p>KB3. importance of teamwork in organizational and individual success</p> <p>KB4. various components of effective communication</p> <p>KB5. key elements of active listening</p>

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	<p>KB6. value and importance of active listening and assertive communication</p> <p>KB7. barriers to effective communication</p> <p>KB8. importance of tone and pitch in effective communication</p> <p>KB9. importance of avoiding casual expletives and unpleasant terms while communicating professional circles</p> <p>KB10. how poor communication practices can disturb people, environment and cause problems for the employee, the employer and the customer</p> <p>KB11. key elements and importance of non-verbal communication</p> <p>KB12. importance of ethics for professional success</p> <p>KB13. importance of discipline for professional success</p> <p>KB14. what constitutes disciplined behavior for a working professional</p> <p>KB15. common reasons for interpersonal conflict</p> <p>KB16. importance of developing effective working relationships for professional success</p> <p>KB17. expressing and addressing grievances appropriately and effectively</p> <p>KB18. importance and ways of managing interpersonal conflict effectively</p> <p>KB19. importance of teamwork and collaboration</p>
Skills (S)	
A. Core Skills/ Generic Skills	Writing Skills
	<p>The user/ individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:</p> <p>SA1. note the information communicated</p> <p>SA2. record the readings of various parameters in the prescribed format</p> <p>SA3. note down observations related to the activity</p> <p>SA4. write information documents to internal departments/ internal teams</p>
	Reading Skills
	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:</p> <p>SA5. read vernacular/English language</p> <p>SA6. read and understand equipment manuals, health and safety instructions, memos, other company documents</p> <p>SA7. read from different sources- books, screens in machines and signage</p> <p>SA8. read internal information documents sent by internal teams</p>
	Oral Communication (Listening and Speaking skills)
	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:</p> <p>SA9. express statements or information clearly so that others can hear and understand</p> <p>SA10. participate in and understand the main points of simple discussions</p> <p>SA11. respond appropriately to any queries</p> <p>SA12. communicate effectively with supervisor, peers and subordinates</p>
B. Professional Skills	Decision Making
	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:</p> <p>SB1. follow organization rule-based decision making process</p> <p>SB2. analyze critical points in day to day tasks and identify control measures to solve the issue</p> <p>SB3. handle issues in case the superior is not available (as per the authority matrix defined by the organisation)</p>
	Plan and Organize
	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to :</p> <p>SB4. planning and organization of work to meet deadlines</p> <p>SB5. work constructively and collaboratively with others</p>

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	SB6. support the superiors in scheduling tasks
	Customer Centricity
	The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:
	SB7. follow organisation code of conduct
	SB8. manage relationships with customers with intent on satisfying its requirements for service delivery
	Problem Solving
	The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:
	SB9. recognize problems and search for solutions
	SB10. choose best methods to complete assigned tasks
	SB11. approach relevant authority when required
	Analytical Thinking
	The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:
	SB12. apply domain knowledge, observations and data to select course of action to perform tasks
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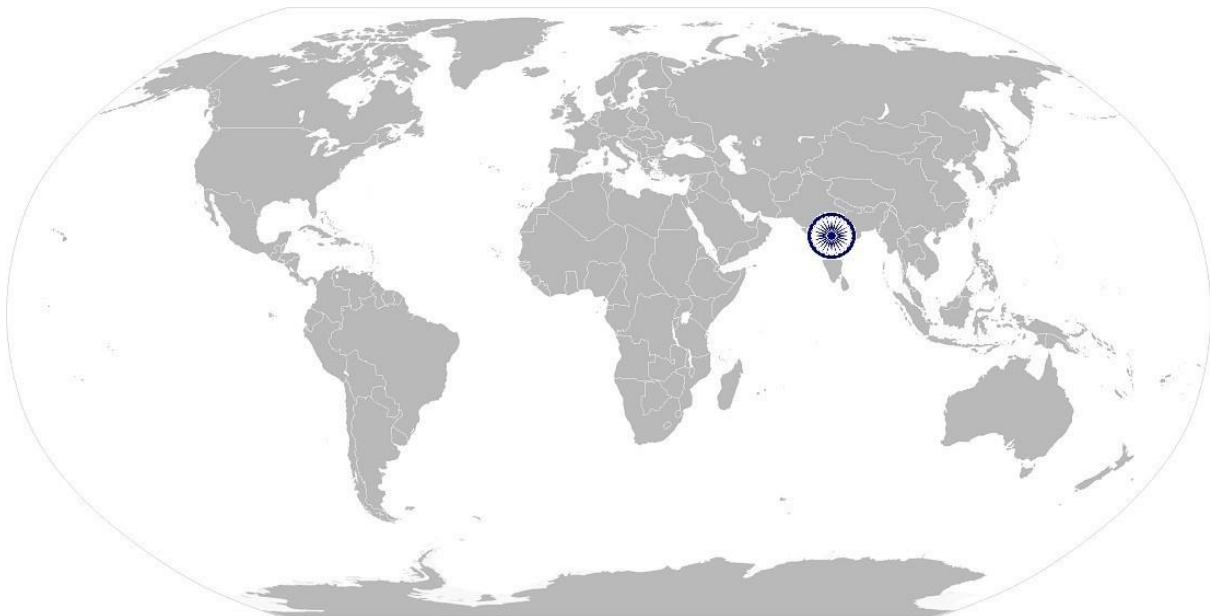


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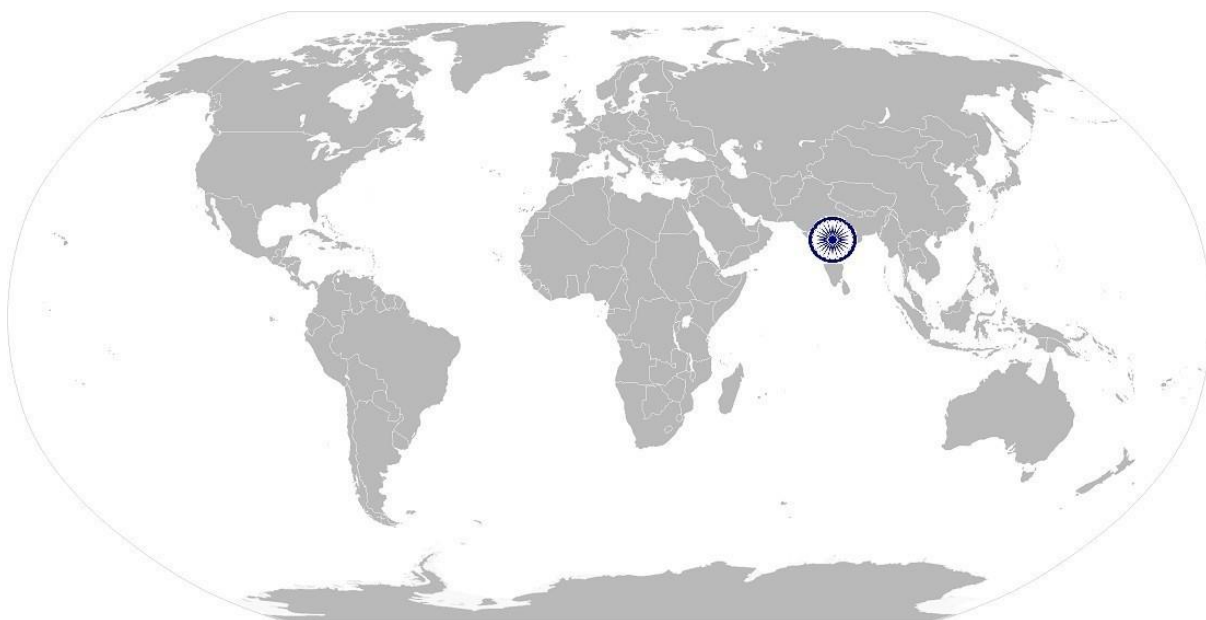
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Overview

This unit is about Design, Installation and Commissioning of Solar Water Pumping System

SGJ/N0134 Design, Installation and Commissioning of Solar Water Pumping System

Unit Code	SGJ/N0134
Unit Title (Task)	Design, installation and commissioning of solar pumping system
Description	This unit is about Design, Installation and Commissioning of Solar Pumping System
Scope	<p>This unit/task covers the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> design of solar pumping system installation, test and commissioning of solar pumping system operation and maintenance of solar pumping system
Performance Criteria(PC) w.r.t. the Scope	
Element	Performance Criteria
Design of solar pumping system	<p>To be competent, the user/individual on the job must be able to:</p> <p>PC1. analyze the water usage and level of water table at site</p> <p>PC2. decide on the specifications of the pumping set and motor</p> <p>PC3. decide on the capacity of PV modules</p> <p>PC4. design the plan of mounting structures and foundation</p>
Installation, testing and commissioning of solar pumping system	<p>To be competent, the user/individual on the job must be able to:</p> <p>PC5. oversee the preparation of the foundation for solar module mounting structure and motor pump set</p> <p>PC6. ensure structure is fixed on the foundations</p> <p>PC7. oversee the mounting of solar modules</p> <p>PC8. oversee the connection of solar module array to pump set in case of DC pumps</p> <p>PC9. oversee the installation of inverter in case of AC pumps</p> <p>PC10. ensure protection system are in place</p> <p>PC11. perform inspection and testing of equipment</p> <p>PC12. perform start-up procedures and measure output</p> <p>PC13. compare the output with design output and take corrective actions, if required</p> <p>PC14. ensure connection of the solar module array to motor pump set through a Maximum Power Point Tracker (MPPT) to get maximum power from the array</p> <p>PC15. install an inverter after MPPT to convert DC power to AC power in case an AC submersible motor pump set is used</p>
Operation and maintenance of solar pumping system	<p>To be competent, the user/individual on the job must be able to:</p> <p>PC16. ensure periodical cleaning of solar module array</p> <p>PC17. periodically ensure tightness of cable connections</p> <p>PC18. ensure periodic maintenance of motor pump set</p>
Knowledge and Understanding (K)	
A. Organizational Context (Knowledge of the organization and its processes)	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand:</p> <p>KA1. company's installation policy</p> <p>KA2. company's customer support policy</p> <p>KA3. company's documentation policy</p> <p>KA4. document information using appropriate corporate forms</p> <p>KA5. obtain authorization from specified field safety officer and supervisor</p> <p>KA6. company's reporting structure & organization culture</p> <p>KA7. company's different department and concerned authority</p>

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B. Technical Knowledge	<p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand:</p> <p>KB1. solar resource assessment including Direct normal irradiation, diffuse horizontal irradiation, global horizontal irradiation and albedo</p> <p>KB2. knowledge of Excel and Solar simulation software like PV*SOL®, PVsyst, etc.</p> <p>KB3. various type of tracking system like maximum PowerPoint Tracker (MPPT) system and their usage</p> <p>KB4. type of DC/AC pumping systems usage and their operating characteristics</p> <p>KB5. underground water levels, availability of water and recharging frequency of water</p> <p>KB6. efficiency, cost and typical specifications, functioning and operating principle of different types of solar photovoltaic plants, commercially available PV modules, inverters, charge controllers, battery, mounting structures, cables, junction boxes and other components</p>
Skills (S)	
A. Core Skills/ Generic Skills	<p>Writing Skills</p> <p>The user/ individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:</p> <p>SA1. fill up documentation applicable to one's role</p> <p>Reading Skills</p> <p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:</p> <p>SA2. read vernacular/English language</p> <p>SA3. read and understand manuals, health and safety instructions, memos, other company documents</p> <p>SA4. ability to read from different sources- books, screens in machines and signage</p> <p>SA5. understand the various colour codes, as per standard electrical, mechanical and civil nomenclature</p> <p>Oral Communication (Listening and Speaking skills)</p> <p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:</p> <p>SA6. express statements or information clearly so that others can hear and understand</p> <p>SA7. participate in and understand the main points of simple discussions</p> <p>SA8. respond appropriately to any queries</p> <p>SA9. communicate with peers, superiors and sub-ordinates</p>
B. Professional Skills	<p>Decision Making</p> <p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:</p> <p>SB1. follow organization rule-based decision making process</p> <p>SB2. take decision with systematic course of actions and/or response</p> <p>Plan and Organize</p> <p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand:</p> <p>SB3. plan and organize service work to meet deadlines</p> <p>SB4. organize raw materials and packaging materials required for site survey</p> <p>SB5. plan to utilize time and equipment's effectively</p> <p>SB6. work constructively and collaboratively with others</p> <p>Customer Centricity</p> <p>The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:</p> <p>SB7. follow code of conduct</p> <p>SB8. manage relationships with customers with intent on satisfying its requirements for service delivery</p>

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	Problem Solving
	The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:
	SB9. recognize problems and provide solutions using a range of cognitive and practical skills
	SB10. approach relevant authority when required
	Analytical Thinking
	The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:
	SB11. apply knowledge of facts, principles and processes to select the right course of action to perform tasks
	Critical Thinking
	The user/individual on the job needs to know and understand how to:
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Occupation	Design, Installation and Commissioning	Next review date	30/09/2019



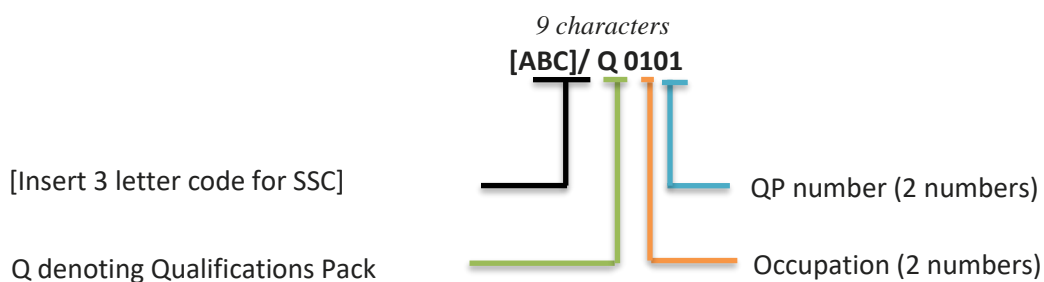
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Qualifications Pack for “Solar PV Engineer”

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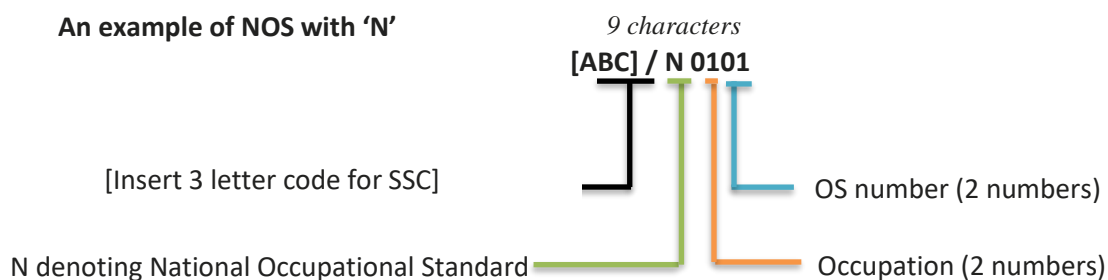
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An example of NOS with ‘N’



Qualifications Pack for “Solar PV Engineer”

The following acronyms/codes have been used in the nomenclature above:

Sub-sector		Range of Occupation numbers
Renewable Energy (01-35)	Solar Photovoltaic	01-05
	Solar Thermal	06-10
	Wind	11-15
	Hydro	16-20
	Biomass	21-25
	Geothermal	26-30
	All Renewables (Cross-cutting/ Enabling Activities)	31-35
Green Transportation (36 - 40)	Alternative Fuel Transportation	36-40
	Bio-fuels and Farming	40-45
	Other Green Transportation	46-50
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	Energy Efficiency	56-60
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CRITERIA FOR ASSESSMENT OF TRAINEES

Job Role Solar PV Engineer

Qualification Pack SGJ/Q0112

Sector Skill Council Green Jobs

Guidelines for Assessment

1. Criteria for assessment for each Qualification Pack will be created by the Sector Skill Council. Each Performance Criteria (PC) will be assigned marks proportional to its importance in NOS. SSC will also lay down proportion of marks for Theory and Skills Practical for each PC.
2. The assessment for the theory part will be based on knowledge bank of questions created by the SSC.
3. Assessment will be conducted for all compulsory NOS, and where applicable, on the selected elective/option NOS/set of NOS.
4. Individual assessment agencies will create unique question papers for theory part for each candidate at each examination/training center (as per assessment criteria below).
5. Individual assessment agencies will create unique evaluations for skill practical for every student at each examination/training center based on this criterion.
6. To pass the Qualification Pack, every trainee should score a minimum of 70% of aggregate marks to successfully clear the assessment.
7. In case of *unsuccessful completion*, the trainee may seek reassessment on the Qualification Pack.

Compulsory NOS				Marks allocation	
Total Marks: 465					
Assessment Outcomes	Assessment Criteria for outcomes	Total Marks	Out of	Theory	Skills Practical
SGJ/N0109 Prepare a site feasibility study report	PC1. identify optimum location of Installations	65	3	1	2
	PC2. assess the site level pre-requisites for solar panel installation		10	4	6
	PC3. decide on the type of mounting to be constructed and place of mounting as per client requirement		4	2	2
	PC4. check for any shading obstacles		3	1	2
	PC5. prepare a site map of the location where installation has to be carried out		3	1	2
	PC6. assess the load to be run on Solar PV power plant and prepare a load profile		3	1	2
	PC7. estimate the capacity of Solar PV power plant		5	2	3
	PC8. decide on battery backup as per grid availability, loads and client expectation		5	2	3
	PC9. assess or obtain the site specific major parameters of solar resource data like GHI, DNI, Temperature and Wind		3	1	2
	PC10. perform shading analysis		5	2	3
	PC11. estimate the energy generated from the rooftop solar PV power plant using software like PV*SQL®, PVSYST, etc.		10	3	7
	PC12. identify the risks associated with the specific solar project		5	2	3

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	PC13. prepare a site feasibility study report		6	3	3
		TOTAL	65	25	40
SGJ/N0146 Design of solar PV power plant	PC1. review and interpret of the mounting structure and foundation design drawings	100	4	1	3
	PC2. review the overall structural layout of the solar PV power plant		6	2	4
	PC3. select solar module technology and size, based on analysis of cost, power output, quality, climatic conditions of the site, global and diffused irradiance ratio at the site, etc.		6	2	4
	PC4. workout the total numbers of modules based on the total capacity of the plant and the capacity of selected modules		6	2	4
	PC5. prepare the earthing design of solar module arrays		4	2	2
	PC6. select inverter, based on compatibility with module technology, compliance with grid code and other applicable regulations, reliability, system availability, serviceability, quality, cost, DC TO AC conversion efficiency		6	2	4
	PC7. in case of a roof top power plant, decide on specifications of the inverter to power the AC loads in the building		4	2	2
	PC8. decide on number of inverters to be used based on the capacity and specifications of the inverter selected		6	2	4
	PC9. finalize the inverter layout and inverter locations on the basis of total capacity		4	2	2
	PC10. prepare the earthing design of inverters		2	1	1
	PC11. workout number of modules in a string based on the input voltage and MPPT voltage range of the inverter		2	1	1
	PC12. workout number of strings connected to a combiner box based on minimum run of DC connecting cables to minimized DC losses		4	2	2
	PC13. finalize the inter space between the solar modules on the basis of minimum inter row shading, adequate space for cleaning and maintenance of solar modules and the tilted to south at an angle that optimizes the annual energy yield		4	2	2
	PC14. specify DC cabling material, size, type of PVC for cables connecting modules, junction boxes to the combiner boxes and combiner boxes to the inverter panels etc.		6	2	4
	PC15. prepare the specification of DC connectors (plugs and sockets) to be used		4	2	2
	PC16. prepare the design specifications for junction boxes/combiner including IP number		4	2	2
	PC17. prepare the specifications for disconnects/switches		4	2	2
	PC18. workout number of combiner boxes connected to one panel of the inverter based		4	2	2

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	on the input current rating of the inverter				
	PC19. prepare islanding facility for grid connected power plant, in case of non- availability of grid		4	2	2
	PC20. protect incorrect polarity, over-voltage and overload for the DC cables		4	1	3
	PC21. decide on specification of charge controller/ inverter to the control the overcharging/ discharging of batteries		4	2	2
	PC22. decide the storage battery capacity (AH) based on the number of days autonomy required (KWH/WH) and the depth of discharge of the battery bank		4	1	3
	PC23. decide on the specifications for the charge controller/ inverter to control the overcharging/discharging of the batteries, prepare energy generation report using simulation software		4	1	3
		TOTAL	100	40	60
SGJ/N0132 Installation and commissioning of solar PV power plant	PC1. read and interpret the design and detailed drawings of the civil, mechanical and electrical works to be carried out at site	100	4	2	2
	PC2. ensure the marking of the complete layout of the plant as per design		2	1	1
	PC3. arrange for tools and consumable required for installation		2	1	1
	PC4. follow the schedule for each of the civil and mechanical construction activity		8	2	6
	PC5. manage the schedule for installation of modules, inverters, transformers, power protection devices , lightning arresters ,earthing systems, etc. and ensure installation as per the design documents		8	2	6
	PC6. ensure the installation of cables between different components including modules, inverter and other components as per design documents		6	2	4
	PC7. check cables for continuity		4	1	3
	PC8. manage the installation of communication and storage system with SCADA facility/ any monitoring system		8	2	6
	PC9. ensure installation of battery banks if required		4	2	2
	PC10. prepare, review and report progress on daily basis to the site in-charge for further action		4	2	2
	PC11. visually inspect the plant after installation		4	2	2
	PC12. get pre connection connectivity and conductivity test done		4	2	2
	PC13. verify system grounding and get the insulation resistance measured		4	2	2
	PC14. confirm that electrical protections, disconnection and other provisions are fulfilled as per design documents		4	2	2

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	PC15. get the DC voltage and current test done for each of the module strings		4	2	2
	PC16. measure and record all relevant parameters of energy storage system if present		4	2	2
	PC17. ensure calibration of SCADA/any monitoring system		4	2	2
	PC18. prepare inspection report and forward to site in-charge for further		8	2	6
	PC19. on getting the clearance from electricity inspector, initiate start up procedures as per manufacturer's instructions		4	2	2
	PC20. monitor the energy readings and voltages at regular intervals on start up		6	3	3
	PC21. record and report any anomalous condition to the site in-charge for further action		2	1	1
	PC22. Prepare as-built drawings and document design changes, if any		2	1	1
	TOTAL		100	40	60
SGJ/N0133 Quality Assurance of solar PV power plant and its components	PC1. visit the module manufacturing facility of the supplier	100	2	1	1
	PC2. check modules earmarked for power plant using a random selection as per relevant IS/IEC standards		6	3	3
	PC3. visit manufacturing facility of Inverter supplier and witness testing of a few inverters		4	1	3
	PC4. collect documentation related to each and every equipment and submit to site in-charge		4	2	2
	PC5. ensure proper delivery/off-load of solar equipment		6	2	4
	PC6. check all the material and equipment received at site for any physical damage		6	2	4
	PC7. ensure specifications of the equipment and components match with what has been ordered		6	3	3
	PC8. ensure all warranties by manufacturers are properly signed and are in order		6	3	3
	PC9. inspect the foundations of structures		4	1	3
	PC10. inspect and verify cable routes and specifications as per design documents		6	2	4
	PC11. inspect module installation		4	1	3
	PC12. inspect the cable terminations and ensure tightness		4	1	3
	PC13. inspect the installation of inverters, protection devices and systems		4	1	3
	PC14. carry out visual inspection of the plant to find out defects and deficiencies		6	4	2
	PC15. measure and record the circuit voltage and short circuit current of all the module strings and compare that with design values		8	3	5
	PC16. carry out thermography of doubtful strings and modules to know the defects		8	4	4

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	PC17. carry out performance ratio test by continuous operation of the plant as per the industry norms and compare with designed values		8	4	4
	PC18. collect and compile conformity, warranty documentation, performance guarantees, calibration certificates and any other relevant documentation and handover to site in-charge, certificates		8	2	6
	TOTAL		100	40	60
SGJ/N0106 Maintain personal health & safety at project site	PC1. identify corporate policies required for workplace safety	50	2	1	1
	PC2. identify requirements for safe work area and create a safe work environment		3	2	1
	PC3. identify contact person when workplace safety policies are violated		1	1	0
	PC4. provide information about incident/violation		1	1	0
	PC5. identify the location of first aid materials and administer first aid		2	1	1
	PC6. identify the personal protection equipment required for specific locations on-site		3	2	1
	PC7. identify expiry dates and wear & tear issues of specified equipment		2	1	1
	PC8. demonstrate safe and accepted practices for personal protection		3	2	1
	PC9. identify environmental hazards associated with the project site		2	1	1
	PC10. identify electrical hazards		4	2	2
	PC11. identify personal safety hazards or work site hazards and mitigate hazards		4	2	2
	PC12. select tools, equipment and testing devices needed to carry out the work		4	2	2
	PC13. demonstrate safe and proper use of required tools and equipment		4	2	2
	PC14. check access from ground to work area to ensure it is safe and in accordance with requirements		2	1	1
	PC15. reassess risk control measures, as required, in accordance with changed work practices and/or site conditions and undertake alterations		2	2	0
	PC16. inspect/install fall protection and perimeter protection equipment ensuring adequacy for work and conformance to regulatory requirements		4	2	2
	PC17. identify approved methods of moving tools and equipment to work area and minimize potential hazards associated with tools at heights		2	1	1
	PC18. select and install appropriate signs and barricades		2	1	1

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	PC19. place tools and materials to eliminate or minimize the risk of items being knocked down		1	1	0
	PC20. dismantle plant safely in accordance with sequence and remove from worksite to clear work area		2	1	1
		TOTAL	50	29	21
SGJ/N0120 Work effectively with others	PC1. accurately pass on information to the authorized persons who require it and within agreed timescale and confirm its receipt	50	4	2	2
	PC2. assist others in performing tasks in a positive manner where required and possible		4	2	2
	PC3. consult and assist others to maximize effectiveness and efficiency in carrying out tasks		4	2	2
	PC4. display appropriate communication etiquette while working		6	3	3
	PC5. display active listening skills while interacting with others at work		4	2	2
	PC6. demonstrate responsible and disciplined behaviours at the project site		4	2	2
	PC7. escalate grievances and problems to appropriate authority as per procedure to resolve them and avoid conflict		3	1	2
	PC8. identify the need for common grounds with clients, team members, etc. and negotiate in an effective manner to achieve the same		3	1	2
	PC9. consider and respect the opinions, creativity, values, beliefs and perspectives of others		4	2	2
	PC10. ensure collaboration and group participation to achieve common goals		6	3	3
	PC11. promote a friendly, co-operative environment that is conducive to employee's sense of belonging		4	2	2
	PC12. facilitate an understanding and appreciation of the differences among team members		4	2	2
		TOTAL	50	24	26

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OPTION					
Option: Solar water pumping system					
Total Marks: 100				Marks Allocation	
Assessment outcomes	Assessment Criteria for outcomes	Total Mark	Out Of	Theory	Skills Practical
SGJ/N0134 Design, installation and commissioning of solar water pumping system	PC1. analyze the water usage and level of water table at site	100	6	3	3
	PC2. decide on the specifications of the pumping set and motor		6	3	3
	PC3. decide on the capacity of PV modules		6	3	3
	PC4. design the plan of mounting structures and foundation		4	2	2
	PC5. oversee the preparation of the foundation for solar module mounting structure and motor pump set		4	2	2
	PC6. ensure structure is fixed on the foundations		4	2	2
	PC7. oversee the mounting of solar modules		4	2	2
	PC8. oversee the connection of solar module array to pump set in case of DC pumps		6	3	3
	PC9. oversee the installation of inverter in case of AC pumps		4	2	2
	PC10. ensure protection system are in place		8	4	4
	PC11. perform inspection and testing of equipment		8	2	6
	PC12. perform start-up procedures and measure output		8	3	5
	PC13. compare the output with design output and take corrective actions, if required		8	4	4
	PC14. ensure connection of the solar module array to motor pump set through a Maximum Power Point Tracker (MPPT) to get maximum power from the array		3	1	2
	PC15. install an inverter after MPPT to convert DC power to AC power in case an AC submersible motor pump set is used		3	1	2
	PC16. ensure periodical cleaning of solar module array		6	3	3
	PC17. periodically ensure tightness of cable connections		6	2	4
	PC18. ensure periodic maintenance of motor pump set		6	2	4
		TOTAL	100	44	56

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