



QUALIFICATIONS PACK - OCCUPATIONAL STANDARDS FOR TEXTILE SECTOR

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 – Knitting Machine Fitter

SECTOR: TEXTILE

SUB-SECTOR: KNITTING

OCCUPATION: MAINTENANCE

REFERENCE ID: TSC/ Q 4201

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Brief Job Description: Knitting machine fitters are responsibile for carrying out maintenance activities in knitting machinery such as weft knitting machine, flat knitting machines and warp knitting machines. He should carryout maintenance activities in all aspects such as install, maintain, repair, overhaul and set up in all kind of knitting machineries. This job requires the individual to have thorough knowledge of process flow and material flow in a knitting machine for fabric production and should have sound technical knowledge on erecting the different sequence of machines in knitting department.

Personal Attributes: A fitter should have good eyesight, hand-eye-leg coordination, motor skills and vision. He/she should alsohave good interpersonal skills.





Qualifications Pack Code	TSC/Q4201		
Job Role	Knitting Machine Fitter		
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Job Role	Fitter
Role Description	Knitting machinery mechanics and repairers install, maintain, repair, overhaul and set up knitting machinery such as weft knitting machine, flat knitting machines and warp knitting machines.
NSQF level	5
Minimum Educational Qualifications	5 th standard, preferably
Maximum Educational Qualifications	N/A
Training (Suggested but not mandatory)	Not Applicable
Experience	Preferably 1-2 years of work experience in a textile mill.
National Occupational Standards (NOS)	 TSC/ N4201 Taking charge of shift and handing over shift to fitter TSC/ N4202 General Maintenance Responsibilities TSC/ N4203 Preventive maintenance responsibilities TSC/ N4204 Break down maintenance TSC/ N4205 Maintaining records and ensuring availability of spares TSC/ N9001 Maintain work area, tools and machines TSC/ N9002 Working in a team TSC/ N9003 Maintain health, safety and security at workplace TSC/ N9004 Comply with industry and organizational requirement Optional: N/A
Performance Criteria	As described in the relevant OS units





Table 1: Glossary of Key Terms

Definitions

Keywords /Terms	Description
Sector	Sector is a conglomeration of different business operations having similar businesses 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.
Vertical	Vertical may exist within a sub-sector representing different domain areas or the client industries served by the industry.
Occupation	Occupation is a set of job roles, which perform similar/related set of functions in an industry.
Function	Function is an activity necessary for achieving the key purpose of the sector, occupation, or area of work, which can be carried out by a person or a group of persons. Functions are identified through functional analysis and form the basis of OS.
Sub-functions	Sub-functions are sub-activities essential to fulfill the achieving the objectives of the function.
Job role	Job role defines a unique set of functions that together form a unique employment opportunity in an organization.
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 Code	Qualifications Pack Code is a unique reference code that identifies a qualifications pack.
Qualifications Pack(QP)	Qualifications Pack comprises the set of OS, together with the educational, training and other criteria required to perform a job role. A Qualifications Pack is assigned a unique qualification pack code.
Unit Code	Unit Code is a unique identifier for an OS unit, which can be denoted with either an 'O' or an 'N'.
Unit Title	Unit Title gives a clear overall statement about what the incumbent should be able to do.



Qualifications Pack For Knitting Machine Fitter



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 the 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 the quality of performance required.
Knowledge and	Knowledge and Understanding are statements which together specify the
Understanding	technical, generic, professional and organizational specific knowledge that
	an individual needs in order to perform to the required standard.
Organizational	Organizational Context includes the way the organization is structured
Context	and how it operates, including the extent of operative knowledge
	managers have of their relevant areas of responsibility.
Technical	Technical Knowledge is the specific knowledge needed to accomplish
Knowledge	specific designated responsibilities.
Core Skills/Generic	Core Skills or Generic Skills are a group of skills that are key to learning
Skills	and working in today's world. These skills are typically needed in any work
	environment. In the context of the OS , these include communication
	L rolated skills that are applicable to most job roles
	related skills that are applicable to most job roles.
Keywords /Terms	Description
Keywords /Terms SSC	
	Description
SSC	Description Sector Skill Council
SSC OS	Description Sector Skill Council Occupational Standard(s)
SSC OS NOS	Description Sector Skill Council Occupational Standard(s) National Occupational Standard(s)
SSC OS NOS QP	Description Sector Skill Council Occupational Standard(s) National Occupational Standard(s) Qualifications Pack
SSC OS NOS QP NSQF	Description Sector Skill Council Occupational Standard(s) National Occupational Standard(s) Qualifications Pack National Skill Qualifications Framework
SSC OS NOS QP NSQF NCO	Description Sector Skill Council Occupational Standard(s) National Occupational Standard(s) Qualifications Pack National Skill Qualifications Framework National Classifications of Occupation
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Acronyms

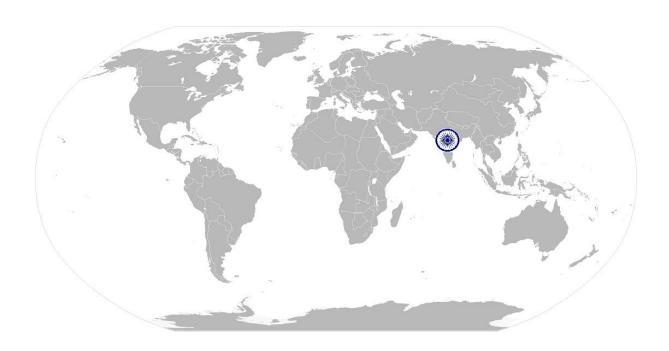






Taking charge of shift and handing over shift to fitter

National Occupational Standard



Overview

This unit is about taking charge of shift from previous shift fitter and relieving the responsibilities to the next shift fitter



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TSC/ N 4201

Taking charge of shift and handing over shift to fitter

Unit Title (Task) Description	Taking charge of shift and handing over shift to fitter This unit is about taking charge of shift from previous shift fitter and relieving the responsibilities to the next shift fitter This unit/task covers the following: Taking charge of shift
(Task) Description	This unit is about taking charge of shift from previous shift fitter and relieving the responsibilities to the next shift fitter This unit/task covers the following:
Description	responsibilities to the next shift fitter This unit/task covers the following:
1	responsibilities to the next shift fitter This unit/task covers the following:
Scope	
	Taking charge of shift
	- Taking charge of Shift
	 Handing over shift
Elements	Performance Criteria
	To be competent, you must be able to: PC1. come at least 10 - 15 minutes earlier to the work spot PC2. bring the necessary operational tools to the department PC3. meet the previous shift fitter and discuss with him/ her regarding the issues
	faced by them with respect to the quality or production or spare or safety or any other specific instruction etc. PC4. understand the count produced, colour coding, followed in the different knitting machines
	PC5. patrol around the knitting machineries and ensure the smooth functioning of all the machines in the department
	PC6. ensure with previous shift fitter regarding the issues faced in the machines if any PC7. ensure all the machines are running properly, machines which are not running and problems if any should be clarified with the fitter, supervisor and operator PC8. check the cleanliness of the machines & other work areas
	PC9. check whether any spare/raw material/ tool / yarn / any other material are thrown under the machines or in the other work areas. PC10. should question the previous shift maintenance people for any deviation in
	the above and should bring the same to the knowledge of his/ her shift superior as well that of the previous shift as well. PC11. ensure the work spot is clean
	PC12. hand over the shift to the incoming shift fitter in a proper manner PC13. ensure in providing the details regarding count produced, colour coding followed for his allocated number of machines in knitting department PC14. provide all relevant information regarding the count produced, idle machines,
	damaged machine parts if any get clearance from the incoming counterpart before leaving the work spot PC15. report to his shift superiors as well as that of the incoming shift fitter in case his/ her counterpart doesn't report for the incoming shift fitter PC16. ensure the shift has to be properly handed over to the incoming shift fitter PC17. report to his shift superior about the quality / production / maintenance issues / safety issues/ any other issue faced in his/her shift and should leave







TSC/ N 4201 Taking charge of shift and handing over shift to fitter superiors PC18. ensure the work spot is clean **Knowledge and Understanding (K)** A. Organizational You need to know and understand: Context KA1. standard operating procedures (SOP) and regulations in a knitting industry KA2. safe working practices to be adopted in knitting industry (Knowledge of the company/ KA3. quality systems and other processes practiced in the knitting industry KA4. reporting to the supervisor or higher authority in case of emergency organization and its processes) KA5. color coding adopted for different counts in the knitting industry You need to know and understand: Technical Knowledge KB1. Understanding the importance of Types of yarn • Types of yarn Yarn count Types of yarn defects • Types of knitted fabric defects KB2. Process flow and material flow in knitting industry KB3. Importance of knitting KB4. Functions of different parts of different types of knitting machines KB5. Importance of colour coding followed for different counts KB6. Guidelines for operating the knitting machine KB7. Understanding the functions of different signal lamps KB8. Guidelines for taking charge of shift from previous shift fitter KB9. Guidelines for handing over the shift to the next shift fitter KB10. Importance of material handling and types of material handling equipments used equipments KB11. Functions and methodology for operating different material handling tools KB12. Knowledge of waste collection system & equipments used KB13. Importance of cleanliness at workplace KB14. Safety procedures to be followed in knitting industry Skills (S) A. Core Skills/ **Writing Skills Generic Skills** You need to know and understand how to: SA1. write clear and short sentences **Reading Skills** You need to know and understand how to: SA2. comprehend written instructions Oral Communication (Listening and Speaking skills) You need to know and understand how to: SA3. communicate with supervisor appropriately SA4. talk to others to convey information effectively B. Professional Skills **Problem Solving**

You need to know and understand how to:

SB2.

refer anomalies to the supervisor

SB1. apply problem-solving approaches in different situations

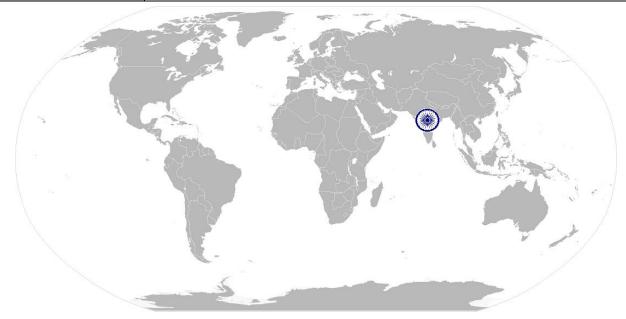






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	SB3. seek clarification on problems from others
	Attention to Detail
	You need to know and understand how to:
	SB1. apply good attention to detail
	SB2. check your work is complete and free from errors
C. Technical Skills	You need to know and understand how to:
	SC1. Procedure to patrol around the knitting department
	SC2. Procedure to operate the different mechanisms in knitting machine
	SC3. Procedure for patrolling around the knitting machine and identifying worn out
	or damaged machine parts
	SC4. Procedure to check the quality of cone package, fabric rolls, proper functioning
	of machine parts in knitting
	SC5. Procedure for operating different material handling tools and equipments
	SC6. Maintain neatness at work



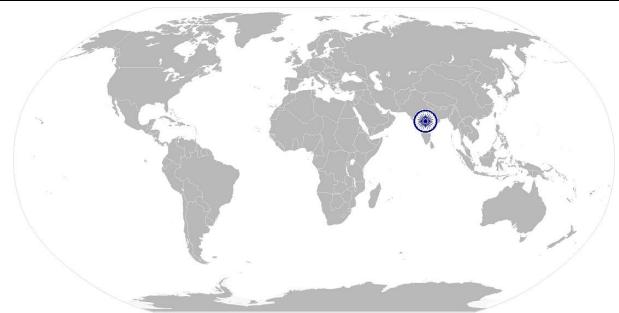






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General Maintenance Responsibilities

National Occupational Standard



Overview

This unit is about carrying out general maintenance activities in the knitting department.







General Maintenance Responsibilities

Unit Code	TSC/ N4202
Unit Title	
(Task)	General Maintenance Responsibilities
Description	This unit is about carrying out general maintenance activities in the knitting
	department.
Scope	This unit/task covers the following:
	general maintenance activities
Elements	Performance Criteria
General maintenance activities	You need to know and understand:
activities	PC1. taking round of the work area before the start of the shift and observing the working.
	PC2. Taking note of the machines stopped for repairs and the type of problem.
	PC3. dismantle and assemble different mechanisms in the machines on need basis.
	PC4. repair and overhaul electrical and mechanical systems of knitting machinery.
	PC5. adjust and set up complex machinery for new patterns or products
	PC6. perform maintenance, such as, cleaning and lubrication of knitting machinery,
	and replace and align moving parts as required
	PC7. recommend equipment changes or modifications and evaluate new equipment
	PC8. troubleshoot, test run and verify machine for proper operation.
	PC9. clean machines (before & after work).
	PC10. understand different fabric knitting structures
	PC11. differentiate the needs of single knit and double knit machines, etc.
	PC12. operate machines, handle fabric and control of each machine properly
	PC13. install yarn cones on machine, adjust colours to different feeders, choose and
	change knitting structures graph on the machine
	PC14. identify the yarn quality problems and easily knit with cotton / polyester and
	spandex.
	PC15. make various fabric structures jersey, pique, rib, interlock, fleece, etc.
	PC16. identify fabric order details
	PC17. ensure that the nature and extent of machine or knitting faults with operator
	PC18. knitting product is assessed to identify knit faults
	PC19. yarn is examined to assess possible impact on operational problems
	PC20. problems and faults are identified and analyzed to determine root cause
	PC21. fault diagnosis is established and strategy for repair including replacement of
	yarn or parts is determined
	PC22. knitting machine is returned to optimal performance through repair of faulty
	operation or replacement of yarn or machine parts
	PC23. test knitting machine and sample produced to ensure problems have been
	fixed
	PC24. identify quality standards and have knowledge of quality parameters







TSC/ N4202 General Maintenance Responsibilities PC25. quality concepts and implementation of process quality program PC26. identify the quality complaints in the machines. PC27. identify the works done till date and the works pending in the machines stopped for repairs or for maintenance works or modifications. PC28. identify the production plan, prepare maintenance plan and allocate people for different activities.

- PC29. ensure the machines allotted for various fabric and decide on the parameters to be checked while doing maintenance, like, condition of needles, loop settings, take-down mechanism.
- PC30. allocate the workers for different tasks considering their knowledge, skills, maturity and workloads agreed.
- PC31. refer to process parameters and work out the changes to be made for change in hank or product mix and getting the changes made by the concerned maintenance workers.
- PC32. ensure the use of safety gadgets like caps, masks, gloves and shoes by all maintenance workers.
- PC33. counsel and influencing a poor performing worker to produce as per norms

		PC33.	counsel and influencing a poor performing worker to produce as per norms	
Kn	Knowledge and Understanding (K)			
A.	Organizational	You need to know and understand:		
	Context	KA1.	standard operating procedures (SOP) and regulations in a textile mill	
	(Knowledge of	KA2.	safe working practices to be adopted in textile mill	
	the company/	KA3.	quality systems and other processes practiced in the textile mill	
	organization and	KA4.	reporting to the supervisor or higher authority in case of emergency	
	its processes)	KA5.	color coding adopted for different counts in the textile mill	
В.	Technical	You ne	ed to know and understand:	
	Knowledge	KB1.	plan maintenance activities and prepare date-wise plans for maintenance and replacement of parts considering their life.	
		KB2.	role of humidity and temperature in maintaining quality and productivity.	
			basic knowledge of operating a humidification plant.	
		KB3.	workloads, work allocation and standard working conditions for maintenance operatives.	
		KB4.	knitting methods and the various types of knit effects	
		KB5.	yarn twist and application	
		KB6.	fiber types and their method of production	
		KB7.	fiber parameters	
		KB8.	yarn counts	
		KB9.	pattern specifications	
		KB10.	factors affecting machine performance: yarn strength, sizing, ambient conditions	
		KB11.	machine manufacturer specifications	
		KB12.	common knitting machine faults and methods	
		KB13.	the knitting cycle	
		KB14.	the principal cams controlling the knitting cycle	







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	KB15. alterations to the cams to produce miss-knitting, and tucking		
	KB16. knock over timing		
	KB17. delayed knock over		
	KB18. the means of adjusting knitting quality		
	KB19. the correct positioning of yarns in the feeders		
	KB20. safety and environmental aspects of relevant enterprise activities		
	KB21. practices, including hazard identification and control measures		
	KB22. quality practices		
	KB23. workplace practices		
	KB24. recording and reporting practices		
	KB25. calculation of maintenance efficiency; time spent for maintenance, men		
	employed, cost of maintenance, costs of spares consumption, mean time		
	between breakdowns, and the industry norms		
	KB26. factors affecting maintenance.		
	KB27. roles and responsibilities of a maintenance supervisor		
	KB28. basic supervisory skills – listening and observing, communication, counseling,		
	taking charge, reporting and motivating.		
	KB29. general management knowledge of managing subordinates, co-coordinating		
	with workshop, electrical department, stores and production		
	KB30. standing orders and discipline in working		
	KB31. precautions to be taken while working		
	KB32. importance of cleanliness and personal safety		
	KB33. fire fighting and first aid		
	KB34. safety precautions and gadgets to be used in factory		
Skills (S)			
A. Core Skills/	Writing Skills		
Generic Skills	You need to know and understand how to:		
	SA1. write clear and short sentences		
	Reading Skills		
	You need to know and understand how to:		
	SA2. comprehend written instructions		
	Oral Communication (Listening and Speaking skills)		
	You need to know and understand how to:		
	SA3. communicate with supervisor appropriately		
	SA4. talk to others to convey information effectively		
B. Professional Skills	Problem Solving		
	You need to know and understand how to:		
	SB1. apply problem-solving approaches in different situations		
	SB2. refer anomalies to the supervisor		
	SB3. seek clarification on problems from others		
	Attention to Detail		
	You need to know and understand how to:		
	SB4. apply good attention to detail		
	SB5. check your work is complete and free from errors		







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C. Tecl	hnical Skills	You need to know and understand how to:	
		SC1. set and operate knitting machines	
		SC2. test, analyze and prepare samples	
		SC3. interpret and document a simple range of knit patterns	
		SC4. read, interpret and follow information on work specifications, standard	
		operating procedures and work instructions and other reference material	
		SC5. undertake preventative maintenance to circular knitting machines including	
		servicing, according to manufacturer instructions and regular checking for	
		worn or damaged parts.	
		SC6. maintain accurate records	
		SC7. communicate within the workplace	
		SC8. sequence operations	
		SC9. meet specifications	
		SC10. clarify and check task-related information	
		SC11. carry out work according to practices	
		SC12. skill to change the settings of different mechanisms	
		SC13. dismantle and assemble different mechanisms in machines	



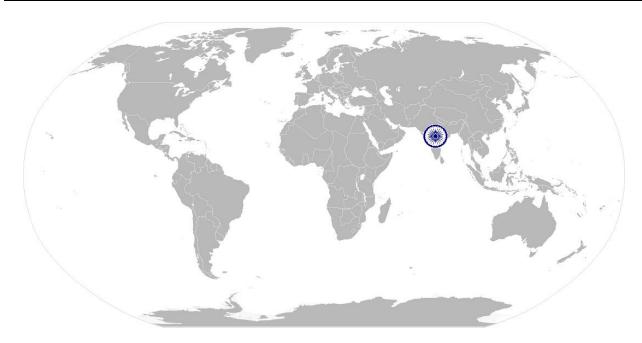






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Preventive maintenance responsibilities

National Occupational Standard



Overview

This unit is about carrying out preventive maintenance activities in the knitting department



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TSC/ N4203

Preventive maintenance responsibilities

Unit Code	TSC/ N4203
Unit Title (Task)	Preventive maintenance responsibilities
Description	This unit is about carrying out preventive maintenance activities in knitting department
Scope	 This unit/task covers the following: Inspecting the condition of machine parts Carrying out maintenance Oiling and greasing the machine parts
Performance Criteria (P	PC) w.r.t. the Scope
Elements	Performance Criteria
Inspecting the working condition of machine parts	To be competent, you must be able to: PC1. check the proper functioning of machines like cylinder, dial, positive feeder, takedown mechanism, stop motion and the ancillaries like trolleys, filters, and needles and soon. PC2. check the conditions of machine parts while they are being cleaned/scoured or overhauled
	PC3. ensure the use of safety gadgets like caps, masks, gloves and shoes by all maintenance workers.
Carrying out maintenance	 PC4. change the settings of the machines on need basis. PC5. give instructions to the machine operator about machine handling PC6. identify the worn out parts and get them replaced. PC7. verify the safety stop motions and get them attended PC8. monitor the stoppages due to breakdowns and analyse the reasons for breakdowns and take precautionary measures. PC9. monitor the cylinder change activities in knitting machines and fabric change PC10. monitor the cam and needles, draw, first landing, pressing, second landing, knock over, holding down, sinker action, threading-up PC11. carry out all changes to machine settings in accordance with workplace procedures and as directed by a supervisor PC12. conduct tool audits, i.e. the tools used for maintenance like spanners, gauge, lubricating and flushing pumps etc.
Oiling and greasing the machine parts	PC13. oil and grease the different machine parts at scheduled intervals for smooth functioning of machines PC14. schedule the oiling and greasing activities PC15. ensure correct oil and grease are taken PC16. ensure proper functioning of machines in preparatory department
Knowledge and Unders	tanding (K)







TSC/N4203 Preventive maintainance responsibilities

A.	Organizational	You need to know and understand:
	Context	KA1. standard operating procedures (SOP) and regulations in a textile mill
	(Knowledge of	KA2. safe working practices to be adopted in textile mill
	the company/	KA3. quality systems and other processes practiced in the textile mill
	organization and	KA4. reporting to the supervisor or higher authority in case of emergency
	its processes)	KA5. color coding adopted for different counts in the textile mill
В.	Technical	You need to know and understand:
	Knowledge	KB1. Importance and functions of various machines and mechanisms used in knitting machine
		KB2. Plan maintenance activities and prepare date-wise plans for maintenance and replacement of parts considering their life
		KB3. Role of humidity and temperature in maintaining quality and productivity. Basic knowledge of operating a humidification plant
		KB4. Workloads, work allocation and standard working conditions for maintenance
		operatives
		KB5. Calculation of maintenance efficiency; time spent for maintenance, men
		employed, cost of maintenance, costs of spares consumption, mean time
		between breakdowns, and the industry norms
		KB6. Factors affecting maintenance
		KB7. Roles and responsibilities of a maintenance supervisor
		KB8. Basic supervisory skills
		KB9. Importance of conducting the tool audits
		KB10. Importance of oiling and greasing
		KB11. General management knowledge of managing subordinates, coordinating with
		workshop, electrical department, stores and production.
		KB12. Standing orders and discipline in working and precautions to be taken while
		working.
		KB13. Safety precautions and gadgets to be used in factory
	lls (S)	
A.	Core Skills/	Writing Skills
	Generic Skills	You need to know and understand how to:
		SA1. write clear and short sentences
		Reading Skills
		You need to know and understand how to:
		SA2. comprehend written instructions Oral Communication (Listening and Speaking skills)
		Oral Communication (Listening and Speaking skills) You need to know and understand how to:
		SA3. communicate with supervisor appropriately
		SA4. talk to others to convey information effectively
В.	Professional Skills	Problem Solving
ъ.	i Totessional Skills	You need to know and understand how to:
		SB1. apply problem-solving approaches in different situations
		app., problem solving approaches in uniform structions

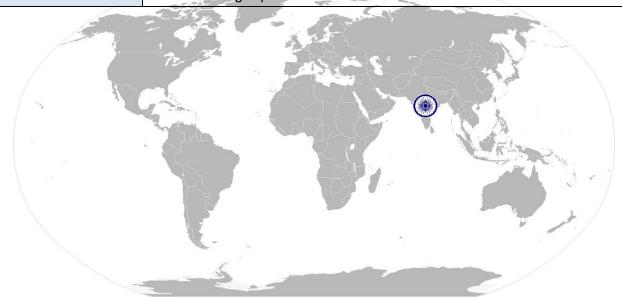






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	SB2. refer anomalies to the supervisor		
	SB3. seek clarification on problems from others		
	Attention to Detail		
	You need to know and understand how to:		
	SB4. apply good attention to detail		
	SB5. check your work is complete and free from errors		
C. Technical Skills	You need to know and understand :		
	SC1. skill to check the condition of different machine parts		
	SC2. procedure to replace worn-out parts		
	SC3. procedure for cylinder change, fabric change.		
	SC4. procedure to oil and grease the different machine parts		
	SC5. ensure correct oil and grease are taken		
	SC6. skill to change the settings of the different machine parts of all the machines		
	in knitting department.		



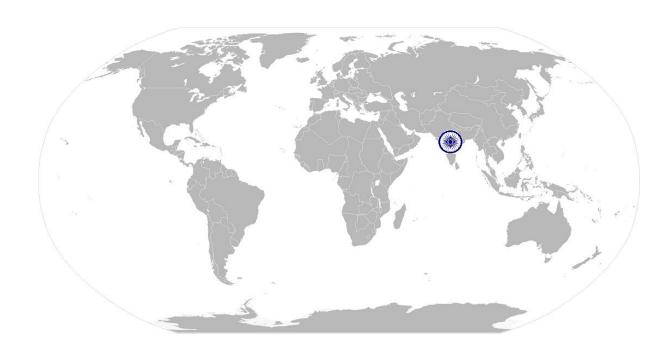






Preventive maintainance responsibilities

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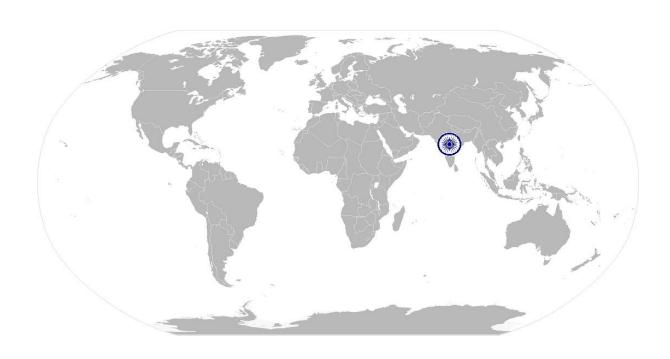






Breakdown maintenance

National Occupational Standard



Overview

This unit is about carrying out breakdown maintenance activities in the knitting department in case of emergency.



National Occupational Standards



TSC/ N4204

Breakdown maintenance

TSC/ N4204	Breakdown maintenance
Unit Code	TSC/N4204
Unit Title (Task)	Breakdown Maintenance
Description	This unit is about carrying out breakdown maintenance activities in the knitting department in case of emergency
Scope	 This unit/task covers the following: Attending the machine on breakdown Identifying the reason for breakdown and carryout maintenance activity Post maintenance activities
Performance Criteria (PC) w.r.t. the Scope
Elements	Performance Criteria
Attending the machine on breakdown	To be competent, you must be able to: PC1. attend the machine on a break down
	PC2. report to the maintenance in charge on a breakdown PC3. prepare the machine for carrying out breakdown maintenance
	PC4. ensure in bringing the proper tool and equipments required for carrying out maintenance
Identifying the reason for breakdown and carryout maintenance activity	PC5. analyze the machine which is under breakdown PC6. identify the reason for breakdown PC7. carryout maintenance activities PC8. replace worn out parts with new parts PC9. ensure safety while carrying out maintenance activity PC10. ensure proper material handling of maintenance tools
Post maintenance activities	PC11. check for proper functioning of machine after maintenance PC12. run the machine and check for smooth functioning of machine parts PC13. repair further if further fine tuning is needed PC14. ensure the output material quality is as per quality requirement. PC15. ensure the use of safety gadgets like caps, masks, gloves and shoes by all maintenance workers PC16. ensure minimum time is taken to attend the breakdown, identify the reason for breakdown and carryout the breakdown maintenance activities
Knowledge and Understa	
A. Organizational Context (Knowledge of the company/ organization and its processes)	You need to know and understand: KA1. standard operating procedures (SOP) and regulations in a textile mill KA2. safe working practices to be adopted in textile mill KA3. quality systems and other processes practiced in the textile mill KA4. reporting to the supervisor or higher authority in case of emergency KA5. color coding adopted for different counts in the textile mill
B. Technical	You need to know and understand:







Breakdown maintenance

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Knowledge	KB1. Importance and functions of various machines and mechanisms used in knitting	
	department machines	
	KB2. Workloads, work allocation and standard working conditions for maintenance	
	operatives.	
	KB3. Roles and responsibilities of a maintenance supervisor	
	KB4. Basic supervisory skills	
	KB5. General management knowledge	
	KB6. Standing orders and discipline in working and precautions to be taken while working	
	KB7. Factors affecting maintenance	
	KB8. Standing orders and discipline in working and precautions to be taken while	
	working.	
	KB9. Importance of time management	
	KB10. Safety precautions and gadgets to be used in factory	
Skills (S)		
SKIIIS (S)		
A. Core Skills/ Generic	Writing Skills	
• •	Writing Skills You need to know and understand how to:	
A. Core Skills/ Generic	You need to know and understand how to: SA1. write clear and short sentences	
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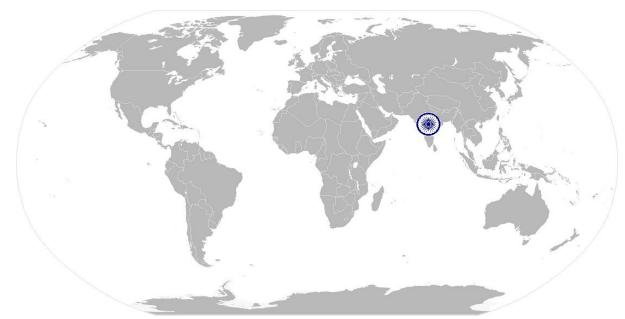






Breakdown maintenance

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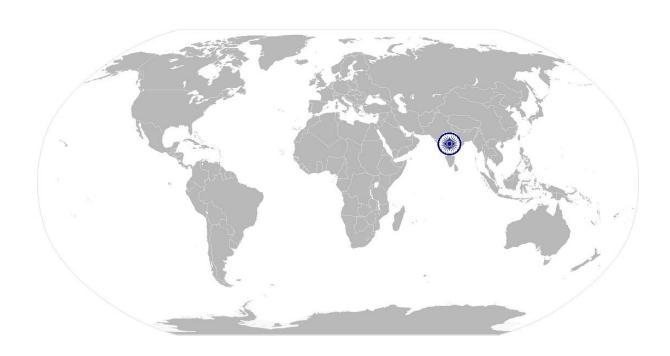






Maintaining records and ensuring availability of spares

National Occupational Standard



Overview

This unit is about the procedure of maintaining records of maintenance activities in the knitting department







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Unit Code	TSC/ N4205
Unit Title	Maintaining records and ensuring availability of spares
(Task)	, ,
Description	This unit is about the procedure of maintaining records of maintenance activities in
	the knitting department
Scope	This unit/task covers the following:
Performance Criteria (F	Maintaining records Column to the Scene
Elements	Performance Criteria
Maintaining records	To be competent, you must be able to:
Maintaining records	PC1. carryout maintenance auditing
	PC2. record the activities in the log book (report book) and update the machine
	history book
	PC3. verify the stock of various spares, accessories and lubricants and work out the
	indenting plan and place indents
	PC4. refer the machinery catalogues and identify the correct spares needed
	PC5. check the quality of materials received at stores, for e.g. bearings, wheels,
	machine spares, needles, belts, brush spanners and other tools, etc.
	PC6. carry out maintenance machine audit
	PC7. maintain records of maintenance
	PC8. ensure availability of spares and give requisitions on need basis
Knowledge and Unders	standing (K)
A. Organizational	You need to know and understand:
Context	KA1. standard operating procedures (SOP) and regulations in a textile mill KA2. safe working practices to be adopted
(Knowledge of the	KA2. safe working practices to be adopted KA3. quality systems and other processes practiced in the textile mill
company/	KA4. reporting to the supervisor or higher authority in case of emergency
organization and	
its processes)	
B. Technical	You need to know and understand:
Knowledge	KB1. plan maintenance activities and prepare date-wise plans for maintenance and
	replacement of parts considering their life.
	KB2. understand types and functions of different spares of different machines in
	knitting department
	KB3. calculate maintenance efficiency; time spent for maintenance, men employed,
	cost of maintenance, costs of spares consumption, mean time between
	breakdowns, and the industry norms
	KB4. understand roles and responsibilities of a maintenance foreman
	KB5. general management knowledge of managing subordinates, coordinating with







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	workshop, electrical department, stores and production.		
	workshop, electrical department, stores and production.		
	KB6. follow standing orders and maintain discipline at work		
Skills (S)			
A. Core Skills/	Writing Skills		
Generic Skills	You need to know and understand how to:		
	SA1. Write clear and short sentences		
	Reading Skills		
	You need to know and understand how to:		
	SA2. comprehend written instructions		
	Oral Communication (Listening and Speaking skills)		
	You need to know and understand how to:		
	SA3. communicate with supervisor appropriately		
	SA4. talk to others to convey information effectively		
B. Technical Skills	You need to know and understand how to:		
	SC1. procedure to carryout maintenance auditing		
	SC2. skill to verify the quality of different spares used		



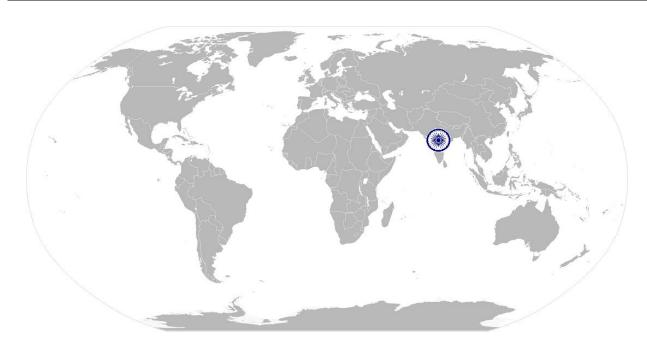






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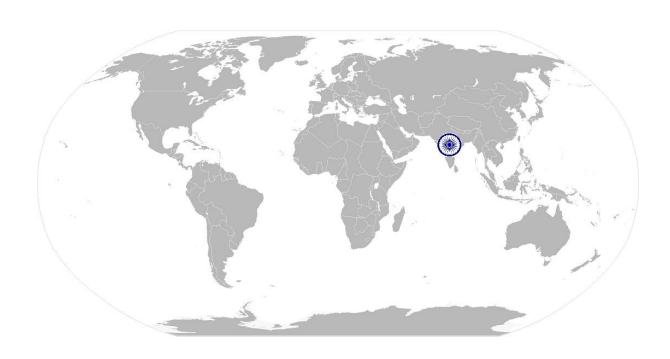






Maintaining work area, tools and machine

National Occupational Standard



Overview

This unit is about maintaining work areas and activities to ensure tools and machines are maintained as per norms.



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TSC/ N9001

Maintaining work area, tools and machine

	Hait Code	TSC/N0001				
	Unit Code Unit Title	TSC/ N9001				
	(Task)	Maintaining work area, tools and machines				
	Description	This unit provides performance criteria, knowledge & understanding and skills &				
		abilities required to organize/ maintain work areas and activities to ensure tools and				
		machines are maintained as per norms				
	Scope	This unit/task covers the following:				
		 Maintain the work area, tools and machines 				
	Performance Criteria (PC) w.r.t. the Scope					
	Elements	Performance Criteria				
	Maintain the work	To be competent, you must be able to:				
	area, tools and	PC1. handle materials, machinery, equipment and tools with care and use them in				
	machines	the correct way				
		PC2. use correct lifting and handling procedures				
		PC3. use materials to minimize waste				
		PC4. maintain a clean and hazard free working area				
		PC5. maintain tools and equipment				
		PC6. carry out running maintenance within agreed schedules				
		PC7. carry out maintenance and/or cleaning within one's responsibility				
		PC8. report unsafe equipment and other dangerous occurrences				
		PC9. ensure that the correct machine guards are in place PC10. work in a comfortable position with the correct posture				
		PC11. use cleaning equipment and methods appropriate for the work to be carried				
		out				
		PC12. dispose of waste safely in the designated location				
		PC13. store cleaning equipment safely after use				
		PC14. carry out cleaning according to schedules and limits of responsibility				
Knowledge and Understanding (K)		WID.				
		You need to know and understand:				
	Context	KA1. personal hygiene and duty of care				
	(Knowledge of	KA2. safe working practices and organizational standard operating procedures				
	the company/	(SOP)				
	organization and	KA3. limits of your own responsibility				
	its processes)	KA4. ways of resolving with problems within the work area				
		KA5. the production process and the specific work activities that relate to the				
		whole process				
		KA6. the importance of effective communication with supervisors				
		KA7. the lines of communication, authority and reporting procedures				
		KA8. the organization's rules, codes and guidelines (including timekeeping)				
		KA9. the company's quality standards				
		KA10. the importance of complying with written instructions				
ŀ	D. Tachuical	KA11. equipment operating procedures / supervisor's instructions				
	B. Technical	You need to know and understand:				
KB1. work instructions and specifications and interpret them accurately						







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Knowledge	KB2. relation between work role and the overall manufacturing process			
	KB3. hazards likely to be encountered when conducting routine maintenance			
	KB4. the importance of taking action when problems are identified			
	KB5. different ways of minimizing waste			
	KB6. the importance of running maintenance and regular cleaning			
	KB7. effects of contamination on products i.e. machine oil, dirt, foreign materials			
	KB8. common faults with equipment and the method to rectify			
	KB9. maintenance procedures			
	KB10. different types of cleaning equipment and substances and their use			
	KB11. safe working practices for cleaning and the method of carrying them out			
Skills (S)				
A. Core Skills/				
Generic Skills	You need to know and understand how to:			
	SA1. Write clear and short sentences			
	Reading Skills			
	You need to know and understand how to:			
	SA2. comprehend written instructions			
	SA3. read any application sent by other colleagues			
	Oral Communication (Listening and Speaking skills)			
	You need to know and understand how to:			
	SA4. Communicate effectively in local language			
	SA5. communicate with supervisor appropriately			
	SA6. talk to others to convey information effectively			
B. Professional Skills	Problem Solving			
b. Troicssional skins	You need to know and understand how to:			
	SB1. identify the real reason of problem faced			
	SB2. apply problem-solving approaches in different situations			
	SB3. refer anomalies to the supervisor			
	SB4. seek clarification on problems from others			
	Attention to Detail			
	You need to know and understand how to:			
	SB5. apply good attention to detail			
	SB6. check your work is complete and free from errors			
	SB7. make sure every kind of communication is error free			
C. Technical Skills	You need to know and understand :			
	SC1. communicate effectively			
	SC2. apply leadership skills wherever required			
	SC3. take initiative at the right place			
	SC4. understand the requirement to be creative			
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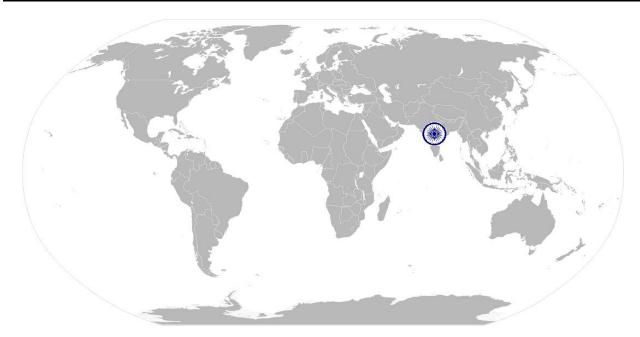






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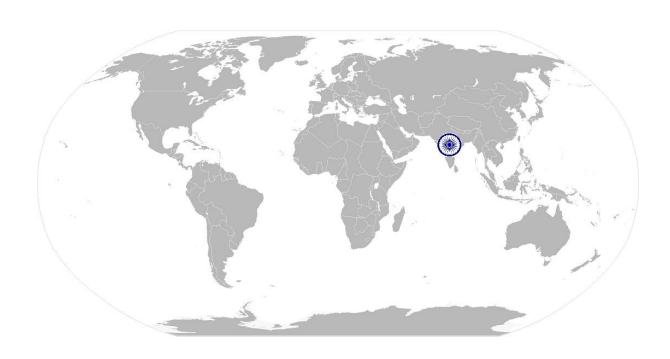






Working in a team

National Occupational Standard



Overview

This unit is about working as part of a team in the textile industry.







Working in a team

TSC/ N9002	working in a team
Unit Code TSC/ N9002	
Unit Title	Working in a team
(Task)	Working in a team
Description	This unit is about working as a team member in the textile industry
Scope	This unit/task covers the following:
	commitment and trust
	communication
	adaptability
	creative freedom
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Performance Criteria (F	
Elements	Performance Criteria
Commitment and	To be competent, you must be able to:
trust	PC1. be accountable to the own role in whole process
	PC2. perform all roles with full responsibility
	PC3. be effective and efficient at workplace
Communication	PC4. properly communicate about company policies
	PC5. report all problems faced during the process
	PC6. talk politely with other team members and colleagues
	PC7. submit daily report of own performance
Adaptability	PC8. adjust in different work situations
	PC9. give due importance to others' point of view
	PC10. avoid conflicting situations
Creative freedom	PC11. develop new ideas for work procedures
	PC12. improve upon the existing techniques to increase process efficiency
Knowledge and Unders	*
A. Organizational	You need to know and understand:
Context	KA1. standard operating procedures (SOP) and regulations in a textile mill
	KA2. procedure followed to get the final output in the mill
	KA3. safe working practices to be adopted in textile mill
	KA4. reporting to the supervisor or higher authority about any grievances faced
B. Technical	KB1. the importance of the previous and next step of the process
Knowledge	KB2. process flow in a textile mill and the concerned workers
	KB3. material flow in a textile mill and the required person
	KB4. functions of different parts of the machine
	KB5. tools and equipments used
	KB6. guidelines for operating the machine
	KB7. safety procedures to be followed in the machine
Skills (S)	
A. Core Skills/	Writing Skills
Generic Skills	You need to know and understand how to:
	SA1. write clear and short sentences
	SA2. write daily work report
	SA3. write grievance complaint application
	Reading Skills

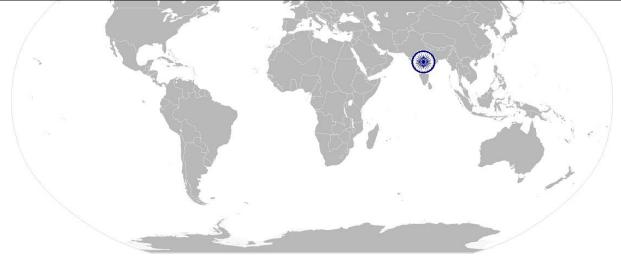






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SA4. comprehend written instructions			
SA5. read any application sent by other colleagues			
Oral Communication (Listening and Speaking skills)			
SA6. communicate with supervisor appropriately			
SA7. talk to co-workers to convey information effectively			
Skills Problem Solving			
You need to know and understand how to:			
SB1. identify the real reason of problem faced			
SB2. be able to find the most effective solution to the problems faced			
Attention to Detail			
SB3. apply good attention to detail			
SB4. ensure every kind of communication is error free			
You need to know and understand how to:			
SC1. communicate effectively			
SC2. apply leadership skills wherever required			
SC3. take initiative at the right place			
SC4. understand the requirement to be creative			









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Maintain health, safety and security at work place

National Occupational Standard



Overview

This unit is about maintaining health, safety, and security standards at workplace.



Planning the safety





TSC/ N9003 Maintain health, safety and security at work place						
Unit Code	TSC/ N9003					
Unit Title (Task)	Maintain health, safety and security at work place					
Description	This unit provides performance criteria, knowledge & understanding and skills & abilities required to comply with health, safety and security requirements at the workplace and covers procedures to prevent, control and minimize risk to self and others.					
Scope	This unit/task covers the following: Comply with health, safety and security requirements at work Recognizing the hazards Planning the safety techniques Implementing the programs					
Performance Criteria (F Elements	Performance Criteria					
Comply with health,	To be competent, operator must be able to:					
Safety and security requirements at work	PC1. comply with health and safety related instructions applicable to the workplace PC2. use and maintain personal protective equipment such as "ear plug", " nose mask ", " head cap" etc., as per protocol PC3. carry out own activities in line with approved guidelines and procedures PC4. maintain a healthy lifestyle and gua to against dependency on intoxicants PC5. follow environment management system related procedures PC6. identify and correct (if possible) malfunctions in machinery and equipment PC7. report any service malfunctions that cannot be rectified PC8. store materials and equipment in line with organisational requirements PC9. safely handle and remove waste PC10. minimize health and safety risks to self and others due to own actions PC11. seek clarifications, from supervisors or other authorized personnel in case of perceived risks PC12. monitor the workplace and work processes for potential risks and threat PC13. carry out periodic walk-through to keep work area free from hazards and obstructions, if assigned PC14. report hazards and potential risks/ threats to supervisors or other authorized personnel					
	PC15. participate in mock drills/ evacuation procedures organized at the workplace PC16. undertake first aid, fire-fighting and emergency response training, if asked to do so PC17. take action based on instructions in the event of fire, emergencies or accidents PC18. follow organisation procedures for shutdown and evacuation when required					
Recognizing the hazards	To be competent, you must be able to: PC19. identify different kinds of possible hazards (environmental, personal, ergonomic, chemical) of the industry PC20. recognise other possible security issues existing in the workplace					

PC21. recognise different measures to curb the hazards







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Implementing the		PC22. communicate the safety plan to everyone				
programs	Ö	PC23. attach disciplinary rules with the implementation				
	e and Unders	i i				
A. Organi		You need to know and understand:				
Conte		KA1. standard operating procedures (SOP) and regulations in a textile mill				
(Know	ledge of	KA2. safe working practices to be adopted in textile mill				
-	mpany/	KA3. quality systems and other processes practiced in the textile mill				
	zation and	KA4. health and safety related practices applicable at the workplace				
•	cesses)	KA5. potential hazards, risks and threats based on nature of operations				
	,	KA6. organizational procedures for safe handling of equipment and machine				
		operations potential risks due to own actions and methods to minimize these environmental management system related procedures at the workplace layout of the plant and details of emergency exits, escape routes, emergency equipment and assembly points because the procedures and response to these scenarios reporting protocol and documentation required details of personnel trained in first aid, fire-fighting and emergency response actions to take in the event of a mock drills/ evacuation procedures or actual accident, emergency or fire ed to know and understand: occupational health and safety risks and methods personal protective equipment and method of use				
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B. Techni	ical	You need to know and understand:				
Knowl		KB1. occupational health and safety risks and methods				
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		KB3. identification, handling and storage of hazardous substances				
		KB4. proper disposal system for waste and by-products				
		KB5. signage related to health and safety and their meaning				
		KB6. importance of sound health, hygiene and good habits				
		KB7. ill-effects of alcohol, tobacco and drugs				
Skills (S)						
A. Core S	kills/	Writing Skills				
	ic Skills	You need to know and understand how to:				
		SA1. write clear and short sentences				
		Reading Skills				
		SA2. read and understand the company instructions				
		SA3. read and understand work instructions				
		SA4. read and understand the safety guidelines				
		Oral Communication (Listening and Speaking skills)				
		SA1. listen to others attentively				
		SA2. respond to emergencies, accidents or fire at the workplace				
		SA3. evacuate the premises and help others in need while doing so				
		SA4. the value of physical fitness, personal hygiene and good habits				
		SA5. talk with others politely				
		Decision Making				
		SB1. identify correct safety measure for particular hazard				
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	SB2. make required safety plans as and when required
	SB3. raise alarm in case of emergency
	Analytical Thinking
	SB4. know the use of correct safety measure whenever required
	Attention to Detail
	SB5. be attentive to details
	SB6. be careful to avoid occurrence of hazards
C. Technical Skills	You need to know and understand :
	SC1. maintenance of neatness at work
	SC2. procedure for reporting unwanted behavior





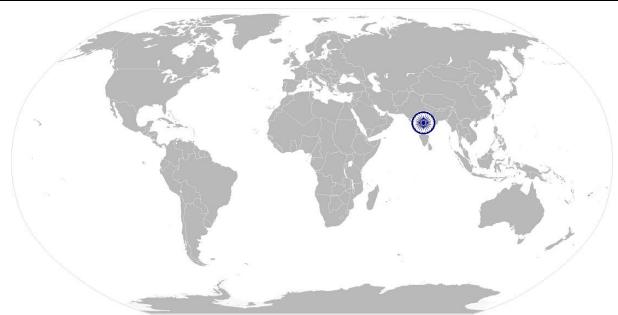




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Comply with industry and organizational requirements

National Occupational Standard



Overview

This unit is about knowing, understanding, and complying with the requirements of the organization and the textile industry.







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Unit Code	TSC/ N9004			
Unit Title	Comply with industry and organizational requirements			
(Task)	Comply with industry and organizational requirements			
Description	This unit is about knowing, understanding, and complying with the requirements of			
	the organization and the textile industry			
Scope	This unit/task covers the following:			
	self development			
	■ team work			
	organizational standards			
	industry standards			
Performance Criteria (I	PC) w.r.t. the Scope			
Elements	Performance Criteria			
Self- development	To be competent, you must be able to:			
	PC1. perform own duties effectively			
	PC2. take responsibility for own actions			
	PC3. be accountable towards the job role and assigned duties			
	PC4. take initiative and innovate the existing methods			
	PC5. focus on self-learning and improvement			
Team work	PC6. co-ordinate with all the team members and colleagues			
	PC7. communicate politely			
	PC8. avoid conflicts and miscommunication			
Organizational	PC9. know the organisational standards			
standards	PC10. implement them in your performance			
In division, at a mala mala	PC11. motivate others to follow them			
Industry standards	PC12. know the industry standards			
Knowledge and Unders	PC13. align them with organisation standards			
A. Organizational	You need to know and understand:			
Context	KA1. standard operating procedures (SOP) and regulations in a textile mill KA2. reporting to the supervisor or higher authority			
(Knowledge of	KA3. knowledge of organizational standards			
the company/	KA4. knowledge of industry standards			
organization and	10.44. Knowledge of madstry standards			
its processes)				
B. Technical	You need to know and understand:			
Knowledge	KB1. process and material flow in a textile mill			
	KB2. importance of complying with the standards			
	KB3. guidelines for cleaning the various parts of machine			
Skills (S)				
A. Core Skills/	Writing Skills			
Generic Skills	You need to know and understand how to:			
	SA1. write clear and short sentences			
	Reading Skills			

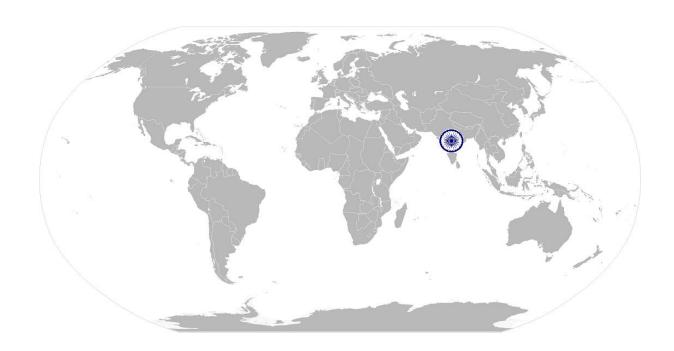






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	You need to know and understand how to:
	SA2. read the given instructions
	SA3. comprehend written instructions
	Oral Communication (Listening and Speaking skills)
	SA4. talk effectively with others
	SA5. put forward your point
	SA6. listen to others
B. Technical skills	you need to know and understand :
	SC1. Organizational requirements
	SC2. your responsibilities at the workplace
	SC3. procedure to comply with the industry standards





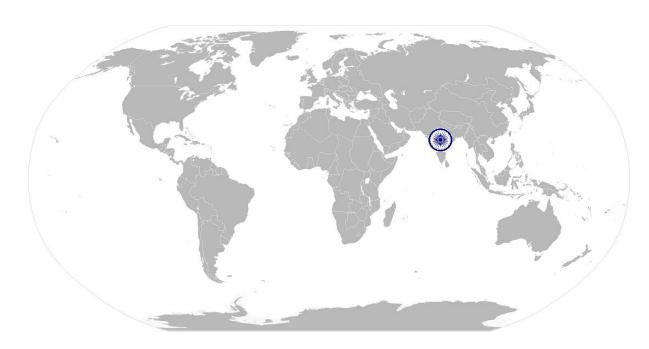




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Job Role: Knitting Machine Fitter

Qualification Pack: Knitting Machine Fitter Sector Skill Council: Textile Sector Skill Council

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 & skill practical for each PC.
- 2. The assessment for the theory part will be based on knowledge bank of question created by the SSC.
- 3. Individual assessment agencies will create unique evaluations for skill practical for every student at each examination/training centre (as per assessment criteria below).
- 4. To pass the qualification pack, every trainee should score a minimum of 80%.

National Occupational	Performance Criteria (PC)	Total Marks	Out Of	Ma	Marks Allocation	
Standards (NOS)				Theory	Skills Practical	Viva
1. TSC/N4201(Taking	PC1. come at least 10 - 15 minutes earlier to the work spot	100	4	1	2	1
charge of shift and handing over shift to fitter)	PC2. bring the necessary operational tools to the department	7	2	2	2	
	PC3. meet the previous shift fitter and discuss with him/ her regarding the issues faced by them with respect to the quality or production or spare or safety or any other specific instruction etc.		7	2	2	3
	PC4. understand the count produced, colour coding, followed in the different knitting machines		7	7	3	2
	PC5. patrol around the knitting machineries and ensure the smooth functioning of all the machines in the department		6	2	3	1
	PC6. ensure with previous shift fitter regarding the issues faced in the machines if any		6	1	3	2







Assessment Crit	eria				
PC7. ensure all the machines are		5	1	2	2
running properly, machines	1				
which are not running and	1				
problems if any should be	1				
clarified with the fitter,	1				
supervisor and operator	1				
PC8. check the cleanliness of the	,	6	2	1	3
machines & other work areas	1				
PC9. check whether any	1	4	1	2	1
spare/raw material/ tool / yarn /	1				
any other material are thrown	1				
under the machines or in the	1				
other work areas.	1				
PC10. should question the	1	5	2	2	1
previous shift maintenance	1				
people for any deviation in the	1				
above and should bring the same	1				
to the knowledge of his/ her	1				
shift superior as well that of the	1				
previous shift as well.	1				
PC11. ensure the work spot is	1	4	1	2	1
clean	1				
PC12. hand over the shift to the	1	7	2	2	3
incoming shift fitter in a proper	1				
manner	1				
PC13. ensure in providing the	1	6	2	2	2
details regarding count	1				
produced, colour coding	1				
followed for his allocated	1				
number of machines in knitting	1				
department	1				
PC14. provide all relevant	1	6	1	2	3
information regarding the count	1				
produced, idle machines,	1				
damaged machine parts if any	1				
get clearance from the incoming	1				
counterpart before leaving the	1				
work spot					
PC15. report to his shift		6	2	2	2
superiors as well as that of the					
incoming shift fitter in case his/					
her counterpart doesn't report					
for the incoming shift fitter					
PC16. ensure the shift has to be		6	2	1	3
properly handed over to the					







	Assessment Crit	eria				
	incoming shift fitter					
	PC17. report to his shift superior		5	1	2	2
	about the quality / production /					
	maintenance issues / safety					
	issues/ any other issue faced in					
	his/her shift and should leave					
	the department only after					
	getting concurrence for the same					
	from his/ her superiors					
	PC18. ensure the work spot is		4	1	2	1
	clean					
			100	29	36	35
	Total	Weigh		29%	36%	35%
		tage %				
2. TSC/N4202	PC1. taking round of the work	191	5	2	2	1
(General	area before the start of the shift					
Maintenance	and observing the working.					
Responsibilities)	PC2. Taking note of the machines		6	2	3	1
	stopped for repairs and the type					
	of problem.					
	PC3. dismantle and assemble		7	2	4	1
	different mechanisms in the					
	machines on need basis.					
	PC4. repair and overhaul		6	2	3	1
	electrical and mechanical					
	systems of knitting machinery.					
	PC5. adjust and set up complex		5	2	2	1
	machinery for new patterns or					
	products					
	PC6. perform maintenance, such		5	2	3	0
	as, cleaning and lubrication of					
	knitting machinery, and replace					
	and align moving parts as					
	required					
	PC7. recommend equipment		7	3	3	1
	changes or modifications and					
	evaluate new equipment					
	PC8. troubleshoot, test run and		5	2	1	2
	verify machine for proper					
	operation.					
	PC9. clean machines (before &		7	2	3	2
	after work).					
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Assessment Crit	eria				
PC10. understand different fabric		5	2	2	1
knitting structures					
PC11. differentiate the needs of		5	1	1	3
single knit and double knit					
machines, etc.					
PC12. operate machines, handle		6	2	3	1
fabric and control of each					
machine properly					
PC13. install yarn cones on		6	2	3	1
machine, adjust colours to					
different feeders, choose and					
change knitting structures graph					
on the machine					
PC14. identify the yarn quality		7	2	4	1
problems and easily knit with					
cotton / polyester and spandex.					
PC15. make various fabric		6	2	3	1
structures jersey, pique, rib,					
interlock, fleece, etc.					
PC16. identify fabric order		5	2	2	1
details					
PC17. ensure that the nature		5	2	3	0
and extent of machine or					
knitting faults with operator					
PC18. knitting product is		7	3	3	1
assessed to identify knit faults					
PC19. yarn is examined to assess		5	2	1	2
possible impact on operational					
problems					
PC20. problems and faults are		7	2	3	2
identified and analyzed to					
determine root cause					
PC21. fault diagnosis is	=	5	2	2	1
established and strategy for					
repair including replacement of					
yarn or parts is determined					
PC22. knitting machine is		5	1	1	3
returned to optimal performance					
through repair of faulty					
operation or replacement of					
yarn or machine parts					
PC23. test knitting machine and	-	6	2	3	1
sample produced to ensure					
problems have been fixed					
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Assessment Crit	eria		1	1	
PC24. identify quality standards		6	2	3	1
and have knowledge of quality					
parameters					
PC25. quality concepts and		7	2	4	1
implementation of process					
quality program					
PC26. identify the quality		6	2	3	1
complaints in the machines.					
PC27. identify the works done till		5	2	2	1
date and the works pending in					
the machines stopped for repairs					
or for maintenance works or					
modifications.					
PC28. identify the production		5	2	3	0
plan, prepare maintenance plan					
and allocate people for different					
activities.					
PC29. ensure the machines		7	3	3	1
allotted for various fabric and					
decide on the parameters to be					
checked while doing					
maintenance, like, condition of					
needles, loop settings, take-					
down mechanism.					
PC30. allocate the workers for		5	2	1	2
different tasks considering their					
knowledge, skills, maturity and					
workloads agreed.					
PC31. refer to process		7	2	3	2
parameters and work out the					
changes to be made for change					
in hank or product mix and					
getting the changes made by the					
concerned maintenance					
workers.					
PC32. ensure the use of safety		5	2	2	1
gadgets like caps, masks, gloves					
and shoes by all maintenance					
workers.					
PC33. counsel and influencing a		5	1	1	3
poor performing worker to					
produce as per norms					
		191	66	83	42
Total	Weigh		35%	43%	22%
	tage %				
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3 . TSC/N4203 (Preventive maintenance responsibilities)	PC1. check the proper functioning of machines like cylinder, dial, positive feeder, takedown mechanism, stop motion and the ancillaries like trolleys, filters, and needles and soon.	89	5	2	2	1				
	PC2. check the conditions of machine parts while they are being cleaned/scoured or overhauled		5	2	2	1				
	PC3. ensure the use of safety gadgets like caps, masks, gloves and shoes by all maintenance workers.		5	2	2	1				
	PC4. change the settings of the machines on need basis.		6	2	3	1				
	PC5. give instructions to the machine operator about machine handling		7	3	3	1				
	PC6. identify the worn out parts and get them replaced.		5	2	2	1				
	PC7. verify the safety stop motions and get them attended		5	2	2	1				
	PC8. monitor the stoppages due to breakdowns and analyse the reasons for breakdowns and take precautionary measures.		5	1	3	1				
	PC9. monitor the cylinder change activities in knitting machines and fabric change		7	3	3	1				
	PC10. monitor the cam and needles, draw, first landing, pressing, second landing, knock over, holding down, sinker action, threading-up		7	2	3	2				
	PC11. carry out all changes to machine settings in accordance with workplace procedures and as directed by a supervisor						5	1	3	1
	PC12. conduct tool audits, i.e. the tools used for maintenance like spanners, gauge, lubricating and flushing pumps etc.		7	3	3	1				







	Assessment Crit	eria				
	PC13. oil and grease the		5	2	2	1
	different machine parts at					
	scheduled intervals for smooth					
	functioning of machines					
	PC14. schedule the oiling and		5	2	2	1
	greasing activities					
	PC15. ensure correct oil and		5	1	3	1
	grease are taken			_		_
	PC16. ensure proper functioning	-	5	1	3	1
	of machines in preparatory			_	3	_
	department					
	department		89	31	41	17
			03			
	Total	Weigh		35%	46%	19%
		tage %				
		1	1	1		1
4 . TSC/N4204(Carry	PC1. attend the machine on a	70	4	1	2	1
out Breakdown	break down					
Maintenance	PC2. report to the maintenance		4	1	1	2
activities)	in charge on a breakdown					
	PC3. prepare the machine for		4	1	2	1
	carrying out breakdown					
	maintenance					
	PC4. ensure in bringing the		4	1	2	1
	proper tool and equipments					
	required for carrying out					
	maintenance					
	PC5. analyze the machine which	-	5	1	3	1
	is under breakdown					
	PC6. identify the reason for		5	1	3	1
	breakdown					
	PC7. carryout maintenance		5	1	3	1
	activities			_		
	PC8. replace worn out parts with		5	1	3	1
	new parts			_	3	_
	PC9. ensure safety while carrying	1	4	1	2	1
	out maintenance activity		7	1	_	-
	PC10. ensure proper material		4	2	2	0
	handling of maintenance tools		4	2	2	U
	PC11. check for proper	1	5	1	3	1
	functioning of machine after		9	1	3	1
	maintenance					
			4	1	2	
	PC12. run the machine and check		4	1	3	0
	for smooth functioning of					
	machine parts]				







	Assessment Crit	Cila				_
	PC13. repair further if further fine tuning is needed		4	1	3	0
	PC14. ensure the output material		5	1	3	1
	quality is as per quality					
	requirement.					
	PC15. ensure the use of safety		4	1	2	1
	gadgets like caps, masks, gloves					
	and shoes by all maintenance					
	workers					
	PC16. ensure minimum time is		4	1	2	1
	taken to attend the breakdown,					
	identify the reason for					
	breakdown and carryout the					
	breakdown maintenance					
	activities					
			70	17	39	14
	Total	Weigh		24%	56%	20%
		tage %				
5 . TSC/N4205	PC1. carryout maintenance	30	4	1	2	1
(Maintaining	auditing					
records and	PC2. record the activities in the		4	2	2	0
ensuring availability	log book (report book) and					
of spares)	update the machine history book					
	PC3. verify the stock of various		4	2	2	0
	spares, accessories and					
	lubricants and work out the					
	indenting plan and place indents					
	PC4. refer the machinery		3	2	1	0
	catalogues and identify the					
	correct spares needed					
	PC5. check the quality of		4	1	2	1
	materials received at stores, for					
	e.g. bearings, wheels, machine					
	spares, needles, belts, brushes,					
	spanners and other tools, etc.					
	PC6. carry out maintenance		4	1	2	1
	machine audit					
	PC7. maintain records of		3	1	1	1
	maintenance					
	PC8. ensure availability of spares		4	1	2	1
	and give requisitions on need					
	basis					
			30	11	14	5







	Total	Weigh		37%	47%	17%
		tage %				
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6.TSC/N9001(Maint	PC1. handle materials,	50	4	1	2	1
aining work area,	machinery, equipment and tools					
tools and machines)	with care and use them in the					
	correct way					
	PC2. use correct lifting and		4	1	2	1
	handling procedures					
	PC3. use materials to minimize		3	1	1	1
	waste					
	PC4. maintain a clean and hazard		3	1	1	1
	free working area					
	PC5. maintain tools and		4	2	1	1
	equipment					
	PC6. carry out running		4	1	2	1
	maintenance within agreed					
	schedules					
	PC7. carry out maintenance		4	1	2	1
	and/or cleaning within one's					
	responsibility					
	PC8. report unsafe equipment		4	1	2	1
	and other dangerous					
	occurrences					
	PC9. ensure that the correct		3	1	1	1
	machine guards are in place					
	PC10. work in a comfortable		3	1	1	1
	position with the correct posture					
	PC11. use cleaning equipment		3	1	1	1
	and methods appropriate for the					
	work to be carried out					
	PC12. dispose of waste safely in		4	1	2	1
	the designated location					
	PC13. store cleaning equipment		3	1	1	1
	safely after use					
	PC14. carry out cleaning		4	1	2	1
	according to schedules and limits					
	of responsibility					
			50	15	21	14
	Total	Weigh		30%	42%	28%
		tage %				
			1	1		
7.TSC/N9002	PC1. be accountable to the own	50	4	2	1	1
(Working in a team)	role in whole process					







	Assessment Crit	eria				
	PC2. perform all roles with full responsibility		4	2	1	1
	PC3. be effective and efficient at		5	2	2	1
	workplace			_	-	1
	PC4. properly communicate		4	1	1	2
	about company policies		1	-	1	-
	PC5. report all problems faced		4	1	1	2
	during the process		1	-	1	-
	PC6. talk politely with other		4	1	1	2
	team members and colleagues		1	-	1	-
	PC7. submit daily report of own		5	2	2	1
	performance			_	_	-
	PC8. adjust in different work		4	2	1	1
	situations		7	_	1	*
	PC9. give due importance to		4	2	1	1
	others' point of view		7	_	1	-
	PC10. avoid conflicting situations		4	2	1	1
			-			
	PC11. develop new ideas for work procedures		4	1	2	1
	PC12. improve upon the existing		4	1	2	1
	techniques to increase process					
	efficiency					
			50	19	16	15
	Total	Weigh		38%	32%	30%
		tage %				
8.TSC/N9003	PC1. comply with health and	100	5	2	2	1
(Maintain health,	safety related instructions					
safety and security	applicable to the workplace					
at work place)	PC2. use and maintain personal		5	2	2	1
	protective equipment such as "					
	ear plug" " nose mask " " head					
	cap" etc., as per protocol					
	PC3. carry out own activities in		4	2	1	1
	line with approved guidelines					
	and procedures					
	PC4. maintain a healthy lifestyle		4	2	1	1
	and guard against dependency					
	on intoxicants					
	PC5. follow environment		4	2	1	1
	management system related					
	procedures					
	PC6. identify and correct (if		5	2	2	1
	possible) malfunctions in					







Assessment Crit	eria				
machinery and equipment					
PC7. report any service		4	2	1	1
malfunctions that cannot be					
rectified					
PC8. store materials and		4	1	2	1
equipment in line with					
organisational requirements					
PC9. safely handle and remove		4	1	2	1
waste					
PC10. minimize health and safety		5	2	2	1
risks to self and others due to					
own actions					
PC11. seek clarifications, from		4	2	0	2
supervisors or other authorized					
personnel in case of perceived					
risks					
PC12. monitor the workplace		5	2	2	1
and work processes for potential					
risks and threat					
PC13. carry out periodic walk-		5	2	2	1
through to keep work area free					
from hazards and obstructions, if					
assigned					
PC14. report hazards and		4	1	2	1
potential risks/ threats to					
supervisors or other authorized					
personnel					
PC15. participate in mock drills/		4	2	2	0
evacuation procedures organized					
at the workplace					
PC16. undertake first aid, fire-		5	2	2	1
fighting and emergency response					
training, if asked to do so					
PC17. take action based on		5	2	2	1
instructions in the event of fire,					
emergencies or accidents					
PC18. follow organisation		4	2	1	1
procedures for shutdown and					
evacuation when required					
PC19. identify different kinds of		4	2	1	1
possible hazards (environmental,					
personal, ergonomic, chemical)					
of the industry					
or the madatry					







	Assessment Cri	.eria				
	PC20. recognise other possible security issues existing in the		4	2	1	1
	workplace					
	PC21. recognise different		4	2	1	1
	measures to curb the hazards					
	PC22. communicate the safety		4	2	1	1
	plan to everyone					
	PC23. attach disciplinary rules		4	2	1	1
	with the implementation	-	100			
			100	43	34	23
	Total	Weigh tage %		43%	34%	23%
0 TCC/N0004	DC1 manfarms arms duties	F0	4	1	2	1
9.TSC/N9004 (Comply with	PC1. perform own duties effectively	50	4	1	2	1
industry and	PC2. take responsibility for own	1	4	1	2	1
organizational	actions		-	1	_	-
requirements)	PC3. be accountable towards the	1	4	2	1	1
	job role and assigned duties					
	PC4. take initiative and innovate	1	3	1	1	1
	the existing methods					
	PC5. focus on self-learning and		4	1	2	1
	improvement		_			
	PC6. co-ordinate with all the team members and colleagues		4	1	2	1
	PC7. communicate politely	1	4	1	1	2
	PC8. avoid conflicts and	1	4	1	2	1
	miscommunication		4	1	2	1
	PC9. know the organisational		4	2	1	1
	standards		-			
	PC10. implement them in your		4	1	2	1
	performance					
	PC11. motivate others to follow them		3	1	1	1
	PC12. know the industry		4	3	1	0
	standards				_	
	PC13. align them with	1	4	2	1	1
	organisation standards					
			50	18	19	13
	Total	Weiht		40%	40%	20%
		age %				