WORKKSHOP TECHNOLOGY PRINCIPLES

UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/AUT/CC/ 4/06

Relationship to Occupational Standards:

This unit addresses the unit of competency and meets the requirements specified by the Occupational Standards: Apply workshop technology principles

Duration of Unit: 240 Hours

Unit description

This unit describes the competencies required by an automotive technician in order to apply a wide range of workshop technology skills in their work. It involves use of different methods to produce work pieces using basic tools while observing occupational safety and health legislations, regulations and safe working practices, interpret working drawings, select appropriate techniques for a given task to achieve specified results as well as perform housekeeping.

Summary of Learning Outcome

- 1. Use technical drawing to plan work operations
- 2. Choosing of appropriate tools and materials.
- 3. Measure and mark out dimensions on work pieces
- 4. Use hand tools to cut and file parts
- 5. Use drills to make holes
- 6. Thread using taps and dies
- 7. Produce components using a lathe machine
- 8. Assemble metal parts and sub-assemblies
- 9. Polish finished work
- 10. Perform housekeeping
- 11. Inspect finished work for accuracy and quality
- 12. Maintenance of tools and equipment

Learning Outcomes, Content and suggested assessment methods

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
1. Use technical drawing to plan work operations	 Reading and extraction of information (dimensions, tolerances, BS/ANSI Drawing Standards, geometric ISO symbols & abbreviations) Development of working procedure/ operational plan 	 Administration of written and oral tests Assessment of worksheet/ operation plans

2. Choosing of appropriate tools and materials	 Types of hand tools Using hand tools. Using machine tools Selection of tools as per the specific operation Inspection and/or recalibration of tools Demonstration of correct handling of tools. Selection of material for the given component 	 Observation of correct selection of tools for specific operation Observation of inspection and/or recalibration of tools Observation of appropriate handling of tools Administration of oral and written questions
3. Measure and	• Use of marking out tools	Observation of
	• Laying out work piece(s)	laying out of
dimensions on	• I ranster of dimensions	work piece(s)
work pieces	onto the work piece(s)	Assessment of
		transferred

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
	00	dimensions Administration of oral and written questions
4. Use hand tools to cut and file parts	 Types of hand tools Uses of hand tools Selection of tools as per the specific operation Inspection and/or recalibration of tools Demonstration of correct handling of tools 	 Observation of correct selection of tools for specific operation Observation of inspection and/or recalibration of tools Observation of appropriate handling of tools Administration of oral and

5. Use drills to	Marking and centre	Observation of
make holes	punching the hole	degree of surface
	• Selecting and mounting	finish
	drill bits	• Assessment of
	Mounting and clamping	finished
	work pieces	surface(s) using
	• Drilling hole to	inspection tools
	specification	• Assessment of
	• Inspecting the hole	finished
		surface(s)

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
6. Thread using taps and dies	 Selecting taps and dies based on operation plan Setting up the taps and dies Cutting threads to specifications 	 visually Observation of the joined or fitted parts Assessment of the joined or fitted parts Assessment of the functionality
7. Produce components using a lathe machine	 Cleaning of work environment (waste sorting and disposal) Cleaning and storing of tools and equipment Servicing and maintenance of machine (lubrication, inspection, alignment and adjustment) 	 Observation of servicing and maintenance of the machine Observation of clean working environment Observation clean and stored tools and equipment
8. Assemble metal parts and subassemblies	 fitting parts Quality control (Dimensions, Tolerances, surface finishing, 	 Observation of the joined or fitted parts Assessment of the

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	Alignment)	joined or fitted parts Assessment of functionality
9. Polish finished work	 Polishing Cleaning	Assessing polishing and cleaning of parts
10. Perform housekeeping	 Cleaning of work environment (waste sorting and disposal) Cleaning and storing of tools and equipment Servicing and maintenance of machine (lubrication, inspection, alignment and 	 Observation of cleaned working environment Observation of cleaned and stored sheet metal tools and equipment
11. Inspect finished work for accuracy and quality	 Measuring Surface finishing Functionality 	Assessing measurements, finishing and functionality of machined parts
12. Maintenance of tools and equipment	 Cleaning tools and equipment after operations Servicing and maintenance of tools and equipment (lubrication, inspection, alignment and adjustment, coolant, safety guard) 	 Observation of cleaning of lathe machine tool Observation of servicing and maintenance of tools and
Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
		equipment Administration of oral and written tests

Suggested Delivery Methods

- Demonstration by trainer
- Discussions

- Practical work by trainee(s)
- Exercises
- Industrials visits Internet.
- Simulation

List of Recommended Resources

Tools and equipment suggested but not limited to:

- Welding
- Drilling machines
- Vices
- Burnishing machine
- Cutting tools
- Combination square
- Centre punch
- Centre lathe
- scribers
- calipers
- Dies and taps
- Surface plate
- V-blocks
- Dial gauge Die stock
- Engineer's square
- File card
- Assorted Files
- Clamps
- Assorted hand tools
- Hammers
- Measuring tools
- Drill bits
- Assorted inspection tools and equipment
- Inspection and measuring tools, GO and NOT GO gauges

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- Jigs and fixture
- Pliers
- Rotary disc abrasive grinder
- Reamers
- Saw
- Screwdrivers
- Spiral lowering
- Tap wrench
- Vacuum cleaners
- V-block
- Workbenches
- Vacuum cleaners
- Mops/ Brooms and buckets
- Firefighting equipment

• First Aid kit

Materials and supplies suggested but not limited to:

- Personal safety gear:
- Goggles
- Safety shoes
- Overall
- Cap
- Ear Muffs
- Gloves
- Drawing papers
- Raw materials
- Mild steel plate
- Sheet metal
- Brass sheets
- Zinc sheets
- Aluminum sheets
- Bright Drawn Mild Steel

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- Carbon steel
- Brass rods
- Aluminum rods
- Abrasive materials
- Grinding paste
- Cotton wastes
- Cleaning detergents