DRAINAGE SYSTEMS INSTALLATION

UNIT CODE: CON/CU/PL/CR/03/5/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the Unit of Competency: Install Drainage systems

Duration of Unit: 150 hours

Unit Description

This unit specifies the competencies required to install drainage systems. It involves preparing working drawings, quantifying and cost drainage materials, using drainage tools and equipment setting out drainage systems, install above ground drainage system identifying drainage materials and installing below ground drainage system and testing. It applies in the construction industry.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Prepare working drawings
- 2. Quantify drainage materials
- 3. Use drainage tools and equipment
- 4. Setting out drainage systems
- 5. Install above ground drainage system
- 6. Install below ground drainage system

Learning Outcomes, Content and Suggested Assessment Methods

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
Prepare working drawing	Terms and ConceptsSymbols	ObservationOral questioning
	• Scales	Third party report
	Measurements	 Interviewing
	Reference points	• Written tests
	Types of drawings	
	✓ Details and sections	
	✓ Pictorial	
	✓ Line drawings	
	✓ Freehand sketching	
	✓ Isometric drawings	

2. Quantify and cost drainage materials	 Terms and concepts Drainage materials and supplies Material and supplies schedule Estimation and cost of quantities 	 Observation Written tests Oral questioning Interviewing Third party report
3. Use drainage tools and equipment	 Terms and concepts PPEs and their application Use of drainage tools and equipment Safety, care and maintenance of drainage tools and equipment Storage of drainage tools and equipment 	 Observation Written tests Oral questioning Interviewing Third party report
4. Set out drainage systems	 Terms and concepts Levelling Boning rods Hose pipe Dumpy level Drainage bends 	 Observation Written tests Oral questioning Interviewing Third party report
5. Install above ground drainage system	 Terms and concepts Installation procedure Types of pipes Pipe sizes Types of fittings Types of appliances Types of traps Types of piping systems Functionality test. Soundness test Fault checks 	 Observation Written tests Oral questioning Interviewing Third party report
6. Install below ground drainage system	 Terms and concepts Trench excavation Pipe sizes and pipe laying Construction of inspection chambers, manholes and traps Haunching 	 Observation Written tests Oral questioning Interviewing Third party report

Types of drainage systems
Private and public sewer
Functionality test.
Soundness test
• Fault checks
Occupational safety and
legal requirements

Suggested methods of instructions

- Discussions
- Demonstration
- visiting Lecturer/Expert
- Industrial Visits

Recommended Resources

Functional Workshop with the following:

Tools and Equipment

- Measuring tools
- Levelling equipment's
- Mason trowels
- Mason square
- Spirit level
- Hose Pipe
- Boning rods
- Floats
- Mallet
- Ball hammer
- Masonry chisel

Supplies and Materials

- Various types and sizes of fittings
- Caulking tools
- Various types of pipe support
- Clay pipes
- UPVC
- Cast iron
- Concrete

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