

**REPUBLIC OF KENYA** 

# COMPETENCY BASED CURRICULUM FOR

# **AUTOMOTIVE TECHNICIAN LEVEL 6**



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#### FOREWORD

The provision of quality education and training is fundamental to the Government's overall strategy for social economic development. Quality education and training will contribute to achievement of Kenya's development blueprint, Vision 2030 and sustainable development goals.

Reforms in the education sector are necessary for the achievement of Kenya Vision 2030 and meeting the provisions of the Constitution of Kenya 2010. The education sector had to be aligned to the Constitution of Kenya 2010 and this resulted to the formulation of the Policy Framework for Reforming Education and Training (Sessional Paper No. 4 of 2016). A key feature of this policy is the radical change in the design and delivery of the TVET training. This policy document requires that training in TVET be competency based, curriculum development be industry led, certification be based on demonstration of competence and mode of delivery allows for multiple entry and exit in TVET programmes.

These reforms demand that Industry takes a leading role in curriculum development to ensure the curriculum addresses its competence needs. It is against this background that these Occupational Standards were developed for the purpose of developing a competency-based curriculum for Automotive Technician. These Occupational Standards will also be the bases for assessment of an individual for competence certification.

It is my conviction that these Occupational Standards will play a great role towards development of competent human resource for the automotive sector's growth and development.

PRINCIPAL SECRETARY, VOCATIONAL AND TECHNICAL TRAINING MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

#### PREFACE

Kenya Vision 2030 aims to transform the country into a newly industrializing, "middle-income country providing a high-quality life to all its citizens by the year 2030". Kenya intends to create a globally competitive and adaptive human resource base to meet the requirements of a rapidly industrializing economy through life-long education and training. TVET has a responsibility of facilitating the process of inculcating knowledge, skills and attitudes necessary for catapulting the nation to a globally competitive country, hence the paradigm shift to embrace Competency Based Education and Training (CBET).

The Technical and Vocational Education and Training Act No. 29 of 2013 and Sessional Paper No. 4 of 2016 on Reforming Education and Training in Kenya, emphasized the need to reform curriculum development, assessment and certification. This called for a shift to CBET in order to address the mismatch between skills acquired through training and skills needed by industry as well as increase the global competitiveness of Kenyan labour force.

The TVET Curriculum Development, Assessment and Certification

Council (TVET CDACC), in conjunction with Automotive Sector Skills Advisory Committee (SSAC have developed these Occupational Standards for Automotive technicians. These standards will be the bases for development of competency based curriculum for automotive technician Level 6.

The occupational standards are designed and organized with clear performance criteria for each element of a unit of competency. These standards also outline the required knowledge and skills as well as evidence guide.

I am grateful to the Council Members, Council Secretariat, Automotive SSAC, expert workers and all those who participated in the development of these Occupational Standards.

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AC	Air conditioning
CDACC Council	Curriculum Development, Assessment and Certification
CI	Compression ignition
CV	Constant velocity joint
DTI	Dial test indicator
FOT	Fixed orifice tube
GPS	Global positioning system
ICT	Information and Communication Technology
KCSE	Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education
KNQA	Kenya National Qualification Authority
KNQF	Kenya National Qualification Framework
KPI	King Pin Inclination
OBD	On-board diagnostics
PPE	Personal protective equipment
SI	Spark ignition
TVET	Technical and Vocational Education and Training
TXV	Thermal expansion valve
UJ	Universal joint

# ACRONYMS

# **OVERVIEW**

# **1.** Brief description of the course

This course is designed to equip individuals with the competences required to practice as automotive technicians in the modern Kenyan motor vehicle service and repair sector. It reflects the employers' demand for qualified personnel, that would enable them to compete in an environment where the technical sophistication of vehicles is constantly evolving, and the expectations of clients are becoming ever more demanding.

The course consists of basic and core units of learning as indicated below

# 2. Units of Learning

Unit Code	Unit Title	Duration in Hours	Credit Factor
ENG/CU/AUT/BC/1/6	Demonstrate	40	4
	Communication Skills		
ENG/CU/AUT/BC/2/6	Demonstrate Digital Literacy	60	6
ENG/CU/AUT/BC/3/6	Demonstrate Entrepreneurial Skills	100	10
ENG/CU/AUT/BC/4/6	Demonstrate Employability Skills	80	8
ENG/CU/AUT/BC/5/6	Demonstrate Environmental Literacy	40	4
ENG/CU/AUT/BC/6/6	Demonstrate occupational Safety and Health Practices	40	4
]	Fotal	360	36

#### **Basic Units of Learning**

#### **Common Units of Learning**

Unit Code	Unit Title	Duration in Hours	Credit Factor
ENG/CU/AUT/CC/1/6	Engineering mathematics	150	15
ENG/CU/AUT/CC/2/6	Technical Drawing	150	15
ENG/CU/AUT/CC/3/6	Automotive engineering science principles	100	10
ENG/CU/AUT/CC/4/6	Workshop technology principles	100	10

Total	500	50
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#### **Core Units of Learning**

Unit Code	Unit Title	Duration in Hours	Credit Factor
ENG/CU/AUT/CR/1/6	Service and Maintain Motor Vehicles.	120	12
ENG/CU/AUT/CR/2/6	Service and Repair Motor Vehicle Engines.	170	17
ENG/CU/AUT/CR/3/6	Service Light Motor Vehicle Engine Auxiliary Systems.	100	10
ENG/CU/AUT/CR/4/6	Service Motor Vehicle Transmission Systems.	150	15
ENG/CU/AUT/CR/5/6	Service Motor Vehicle Braking Systems.	100	10
ENG/CU/AUT/CR/6/6	Service Motor Vehicle Suspension	120	12
ENG/CU/AUT/CR/7/6	Servicing vehicle steering systems	170	17
ENG/CU/AUT/CR/8/6	Servicing vehicle electrical systems	150	15
	Industrial attachment	480	48
Τ	otal	1560	156
Gran	d total	2420	242

The total duration for this course is 2420 hours.

# **3.** Entry Requirements

An individual entering this course should have any of the following minimum requirements:

a) Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (K.C.S.E.) with a minimum mean grade of C- (C minus)

Or

b) Automotive Engineering Technician Level 5 certificate with **one** year of continuous work experience

# Or

c) Equivalent qualifications as determined by Kenya National Qualifications Authority (KNQA)

# 4. Provision for Industrial attachment

It is envisaged that the trainee will have undergone an industrial training and assessment with a recognised motor vehicle service garage as a prerequisite for completion of this training course.

# 5. Assessment

The course will be assessed at two levels: internally and externally. Internal assessment is continuous and is conducted by the trainer who is monitored by an internal accredited verifier while external assessment is the responsibility of TVET CDACC. As part of the continuous internal assessment process, trainees will maintain a portfolio of evidence of their achievements.

# 6. Certification

On successful completion of a Unit of Learning, a trainee will be issued with a Certificate that acknowledges the achievement of that competence. On successful completion of **all** units of learning, a trainee will be awarded an Automotive Technician Diploma qualification. These certificates will be issued by TVET CDACC in conjunction with training provider.

# **BASIC UNITS OF LEARNING**

# **COMMUNICATION SKILLS**

#### UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/AUT/BC/1/6

#### **Relationship to Occupational Standards**

This unit addresses the unit of competency and meets the requirements specified by the Occupational Standards: **Demonstrate communication skills**.

#### **Duration of Unit:** 40 hours

#### **Unit Description**

This unit covers the competencies required in meeting communication needs of clients and colleagues and developing, establishing, maintaining communication pathways and strategies. It also covers competencies for conducting interview, facilitating group discussion and representing the organization in various forums.

#### **Summary of Learning Outcomes**

- 1. Meet communication needs of clients and colleagues.
- 2. Develop communication strategies
- 3. Establish and maintain communication pathways
- 4. Promote use of communication strategies
- 5. Conduct interview
- 6. Facilitate group discussion
- 7. Represent the organization

#### Learning Outcomes, Content and Suggested Assessment Methods

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested
		Assessment
		Methods

1. Meet communication	Communication process	•	Written
needs of clients and	Modes of communication	•	Oral
colleagues.	Medium of communication		
	Effective communication		
	Barriers to communication		
	Flow of communication		
	Sources of information		
	Organizational policies Organization		
	requirements for written and		
	electronic communication methods		
	Report writing Effective questioning		
	techniques (clarifying and probing)		
	Workplace etiquette		
	Ethical work practices in handling		
	communication		
	Active listening		
	Feedback		
	Interpretation Flexibility in		
	communication		
	Types of communication strategies		
	Elements of		
	communication strategy		
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Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested
		Assessment Methods
2. Develop communication strategies	Dynamics of groups Styles of group leadership Openness and flexibility in communication skills relevant to client groups	Observation Written
3. Establish and maintain communication pathways	Types of communication pathways	Written Observation
4. Promote use of communication strategies	Application of elements of communication strategies Effective communication techniques	Written Observation
5. Conduct interview	Types of interview Establishing rapport Facilitating resolution of issues	Written Observation

	Developing action plans	
6. Facilitate group	Identification of communication	Written
discussion	needs	Observation
	Dynamics of groups	
	Styles of group leadership	
	Presentation of information	
	Encouraging group members	
	participation	
	Evaluating group	
Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested
		Assessment
	communication strategies	Methous
	communication strategies	
7. Represent the	Presentation techniques	Observation
organization	Development of a presentation	• Written
	Multi-media utilization in	
	presentation	
	Communication skills relevant	
	to client groups	
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# Suggested Delivery Methods

- Interview
- Role playing
- Observation

- Desktop computers/laptops
- Internet connection
- Projectors
- Telephone

# DIGITAL LITERACY

# UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/AUT/BC/2/6

# **Relationship to Occupational Standards**

This unit addresses the unit of competency and meets the requirements specified by the Occupational Standards: **Demonstrate digital literacy** 

# Duration of Unit: 60 hours

# **Unit Description**

This unit describes competencies required to use a computer and other digital devices for the purposes of communication, work performance and management at the workplace.

# **Summary of Learning Outcomes**

- 1. Identify computer software and hardware
  - Apply security measures to data, hardware, software in automated environment
- 2. Apply computer software in solving tasks
- 3. Apply internet and email in communication at workplace
- 4. Apply desktop publishing in official assignments
- 5. Prepare presentation packages

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested	
		Assessment	
		Methods	
1. Identify	Concepts of ICT	Written tests	
computer hardware	Functions of ICT	• Oral	
and software	History of computers	presentation	
	Components of a computer	Observation	
	Classification of computers		
2. Apply security	Data security and control	Written tests	
measures to data,	• Security threats and control	• Oral	
hardware and software	measures	presentation	
	• Types of computer crimes	Observation	
	Detection and protection	• Project	
	against computer crimes		
	• Laws governing protection of		
	ICT		
3. Apply	Operating system	Oral	
computer software	Word processing	questioning	
in solving tasks	Spread sheets	Observation	

# Learning Outcomes, Content and Suggested Assessment Methods

	<ul> <li>Data base design and manipulation</li> <li>Data manipulation, storage and retrieval</li> </ul>	• Project
4. Apply internet and email in communication at workplace	<ul> <li>Computer networks</li> <li>Network configurations</li> <li>Uses of internet</li> <li>Electronic mail (e-mail) concept</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Oral questioning</li> <li>Observation</li> <li>Oral presentation</li> <li>Written report</li> </ul>

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested
		Assessment
		Methods
5. Apply desktop publishing in official assignments	<ul> <li>Concept of desktop publishing</li> <li>Opening publication window</li> <li>Identifying different tools and tool bars</li> <li>Determining page layout</li> <li>Opening, saving and closing files</li> <li>Drawing various shapes using DTP</li> <li>Using colour pellets to enhance a document</li> <li>Inserting text frames</li> <li>Importing and exporting text</li> <li>Object linking and embedding</li> <li>Designing of various publications</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Oral questioning</li> <li>Observation</li> <li>Oral presentation</li> <li>Written report</li> <li>Project</li> </ul>
	Printing of various publications	
<ul> <li>6. Prepare</li> <li>presentation</li> <li>packages</li> <li>Learning Outcome</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Types of presentation packages</li> <li>Procedure of creating slides</li> <li>Formatting slides</li> <li>Presentation of slides</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Oral questioning</li> <li>Observation</li> <li>Oral presentation</li> <li>Written report</li> <li>Suggested</li> </ul>
outcome		Assessment
		Methods
	Procedure for editing objects	Project

# Suggested Delivery Methods

- Instructor led facilitation of theory
- Demonstration by trainer
- Practical work by trainee
- Viewing of related videos
- Project
- Group discussions

- Desk top computers
- Laptop computers
- Other digital devices
- Printers
- Storage devices
- Internet access
- Computer software

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# ENTREPRENEURIAL SKILLS

# UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/AUT/BC/3/6

#### **Relationship to occupational standards**

This unit addresses the unit of competency and meets the requirements specified by the Occupational Standards: **Demonstrate entrepreneurial skills** 

#### **Duration of unit:** 60 hours

#### Unit description

This unit describes the competencies critical to demonstration of entrepreneurial aptitudes. It involves, developing business innovation strategies, developing new markets, customer base, expanding employed capital and undertaking regional/county expansion while retaining motivated staff.

#### **Summary of Learning Outcomes**

- 1. Develop business innovation strategies
- 2. Develop new products/ markets
- 3. Expand customers and product lines
- 4. Motivate all staff/workers
- 5. Expand employed capital base
- 6. Undertake regional/county business expansion

#### Learning Outcomes, Content and Suggested Assessment Methods

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested
		Assessment
		Methods

1. Develop business	Innovation in business	Observation
Innovation	Business innovation	Case studies
strategies	strategies	Individual/group
	Creativity for business	assignments
	development	<ul> <li>projects</li> </ul>
	• New technologies in	• Written
	entrepreneurship	• Oral
	• Linkages with other	
	entrepreneurs	
	Setting strategic directions	
	• New ideas and approaches	
	Entrepreneurial skills	
	development	
	• Market trends	
	• Monitoring and anticipating	
	market	
	trends	
	• Products and processes in	
	entrepreneurship	
	Business conventions ad	
	exhibitions	
	Business growth refocus	
2. Develop new	• Feasibility study for new	Observation
products/ markets	products	Case studies
	• Identifying new sources	

Learning	Content	Suggested
Outcome		Assessment
		Methods
	of raw material and resources	Individual/group
	• New target markets/customers	assignments
	• Increasing products and services	<ul> <li>projects</li> </ul>
	Marketing improvement	• Written
	• Entrepreneurship and business	• Oral
	growth	
3. Expand	Market demand	• Oral
customers and	Regulatory environment	Observation
product lines	Creating product and services	Case studies
	competitive advantages	<ul> <li>Individual/group</li> </ul>
	Creating royal client base	assignments
	• Identifying and maintain new	• projects
	customers and	• Written
	markets	

•	Advance product/ service	
	promotions	
•	Advance market expansion	
•	Small business records	
	management	
•	Book keeping and auditing for	
	small businesses	
•	Computer application	

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested
		Assessment
		Methods
	software and programmes	
	ICT in customer and product	
	diversification	
4. Motivate staff/workers	<ul> <li>Motivation of workers</li> <li>Communication at workplace for motivation purpose</li> <li>Problem solving</li> <li>Conflict resolution at place of work</li> <li>Good staff/workers relation</li> <li>Team building and team work</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Observation</li> <li>Case studies</li> <li>Individual/group assignments</li> <li>projects</li> <li>Written</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Staff development and enhancement</li> <li>Culture of continuous improvement</li> </ul>	
5. Expand employed capital base	<ul> <li>Employed capital in business</li> <li>Business share holdings</li> <li>Types of shares</li> <li>Shares diversification</li> <li>Role of shareholders</li> <li>Entrepreneurship</li> <li>Increasing products and services</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Observation</li> <li>Case studies</li> <li>Individual/group assignments</li> <li>projects</li> <li>Written</li> <li>Oral</li> </ul>
Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested
		Assessment
	/	Methods
6. Undertake county/	Region/ county     identification process	Observation
expansion	identification process	- Case studies

•	Regional/ county laws and	Individual/group
	regulation	assignments
•	Business regional/county	<ul> <li>projects</li> </ul>
	expansion	• Written
•	Regional/ County business	• Oral
	expansion	
•	Innovation in business	
•	Business expansion and	
	diversification	
•	Resources for	
	regional/county expansion	
•	Small business Strategic	
	Plan	
•	Computer software in	
	business development	
•	ICT and business growth	

# **Suggested Delivery Methods**

- Instructor led facilitation of theory
- Demonstration by trainer
- Practice by trainee
- Role play
- Case study

- Case studies for small businesses
- Business plan templates
- Laptop/ desktop computers
- Internet
- Telephone
- Writing materials

# **EMPLOYABILITY SKILLS**

#### UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/AUT/BC/4/6

#### **Relationship to Occupational Standards**

This unit addresses the unit of competency and meets the requirements specified by the Occupational Standards: **Demonstrate employability skills** 

#### **Duration of Unit: 50 hours**

#### Unit Description

This unit covers competencies required to demonstrate employability skills. It involves competencies for exuding self-awareness and ability to deal with everyday life challenges; demonstrating critical safe work habits and leading a workplace team; planning and organizing work activities; applying learning, creativity and innovativeness in workplace functions; pursuing professional growth and managing time effectively in the workplace.

#### **Summary of Learning Outcomes**

- 1. Develop self-awareness and ability to deal with life challenges
- 2. Demonstrate critical safe work habits for employees
- 3. Lead a workplace team
- 4. Plan and organize work
- 5. Maintain professional growth and development in the workplace.
- 6. Demonstrate learning, creativity and innovativeness in the workplace.

#### Learning Outcomes, Content and Suggested Assessment Methods

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
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1. Develop selfawareness and	• Self-awareness	Observation
ability to deal with life	• Formulating personal	• Written
challenges	vision, mission and	• Oral
	goals	interview
	Strategies for	Third party
	overcoming life	report
	challenges	
	Managing emotions	
	Emotional intelligence	
	Asserting one-self	
	Assertiveness versus	
	aggressiveness	
	• Expressing personal	
	thoughts foolings and	
	holiofa	
	benets	
	• Self esteem	
	• Developing and	
	maintaining high	
	selfesteem	
	• Developing and	
	maintaining positive	
	selfimage	
	Sharing personal	
	feelings	
	• Setting performance	
	targets	
	• Monitoring and	
	evaluating performance	
	Articulating ideas and	

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
	aspirations Accountability and responsibility	
2. Demonstrate critical safe work habits for employees	<ul> <li>Stress and stress management</li> <li>Time concept</li> <li>Punctuality and time consciousness</li> <li>Leisure</li> <li>Integrating personal objectives into organizational objectives</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Observation</li> <li>Written</li> <li>Oral interview</li> <li>Third party report</li> </ul>

	Resources mobilization	
	Resources utilization	
	Setting work priorities	
	• Developing healthy	
	relationships	
	• HIV and AIDS	
	• Drug and substance abuse	
	• Dealing with emerging	
	issues	
3. Lead a workplace	• Leadership	Observation
team	• Influence	Oral
	Team building	interview
	• Determination of team roles and	• Written
	objectives	Third party
	• Team parameters and	report

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested
		Assessment
		Methods
	<ul> <li>relationships</li> <li>Individual responsibilities in a team</li> <li>Forms of communication</li> <li>Business communication</li> <li>Complementing team activities</li> <li>Gender and gender mainstreaming</li> <li>Human rights protocols</li> <li>Developing healthy relationships</li> <li>Maintaining relationships</li> <li>Conflicts and conflict merchation</li> </ul>	
4. Plan and organize work	<ul> <li>Planning</li> <li>Organizing</li> <li>Schedules of activities</li> <li>Developing work plans</li> <li>Developing work goals/objectives and deliverables</li> <li>Monitoring work activities</li> <li>Evaluating work activities</li> <li>Resource mobilization</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Observation</li> <li>Oral interview</li> <li>Written</li> <li>Third party report</li> </ul>

•	Resource allocation	
•	Resource utilization	

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested
		Assessment
		Methods
4. Maintain professional growth	<ul> <li>Decision making</li> <li>Problem solving</li> <li>Negotiation</li> <li>Avenues for professional growth</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Observation</li> <li>Oral</li> </ul>
in the workplace	<ul> <li>Training and career opportunities</li> <li>Assessing training needs</li> <li>Mobilizing training resources</li> <li>Licenses and certifications for professional growth and development</li> <li>Pursuing personal and organizational goals</li> <li>Managing work priorities and commitments</li> <li>Recognizing career advancement</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Written</li> <li>Third party report</li> </ul>
6. Demonstrate learning, creativity and innovativeness in the workplace	<ul> <li>Managing own learning</li> <li>Mentoring</li> <li>Coaching</li> <li>Networking</li> <li>Variety of learning context</li> <li>Application of learning</li> <li>Safe use of technology</li> <li>Taking</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Observation</li> <li>Oral interview</li> <li>Written</li> <li>Third party report</li> </ul>
Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
	<ul> <li>initiative/proactivity</li> <li>Flexibility</li> <li>Identifying opportunities</li> <li>Generating new ideas</li> <li>Workplace innovation</li> <li>Performance improvement</li> </ul>	

Suggested Methods of Delivery

- Instructor lead facilitation of theory
- Demonstrations
- Simulation/Role play
- Group Discussion
- Presentations
- Projects
- Case studies
- Assignments

- Computers
- Stationery
- Charts
- Video clips
- Audio tapes
- Radio sets
- TV sets
- LCD projectors

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# ENVIRONMENTAL LITERACY

#### UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/AUT/BC/5/6

#### **Relationship to Occupational Standards:**

This unit addresses the unit of competency and meets the requirements specified by the Occupational Standards: **Demonstrate environmental literacy** 

#### Duration of Unit: 60 hours

#### Unit Description

This unit describes the competencies required to control environmental hazard, control environmental pollution, comply with workplace sustainable resource use, evaluate current practices in relation to resource usage, identify environmental legislations/conventions for environmental concerns, implement specific environmental programs, monitor activities on environmental protection/programs, analyze resource use and develop resource conservation plans.

#### **Summary of Learning Outcomes**

- 1. Control environmental hazard
- 2. Control environmental Pollution
- 3. Demonstrate sustainable resource use
- 4. Evaluate current practices in relation to resource usage
- 5. Identify Environmental legislations/conventions for environmental concerns
- 6. Implement specific environmental programs
- 7. Monitor activities on Environmental protection/Programs
- 8. Analyze resource use
- 9. Develop resource conservation plans

#### Learning Outcomes, Content and Suggested Assessment Methods

Learning Outcome		Content	Su	Iggested
			As	ssessment
			Μ	ethods
1. Control environmental	•	Purposes and content of	•	Written questions
hazard		Environmental Management	•	Oral
		and		questions
		Coordination Act	•	Observation of
		1999		work procedures
	•	Storage methods for		
		environmentally hazardous		
		materials		
	•	Disposal methods of		
		hazardous wastes		

	<ul> <li>Types and uses of PPE in line with environmental regulations</li> <li>Occupational Safety and Health Standards (OSHS)</li> </ul>	
2. Control environmental Pollution control	<ul> <li>Types of pollution</li> <li>Environmental pollution control measures</li> <li>Types of solid wastes</li> <li>Procedures for solid waste management</li> <li>Different types of noise pollution</li> <li>Methods for</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Written questions</li> <li>Oral questions</li> <li>Observation of work procedures</li> <li>Role play</li> </ul>

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested
		Assessment
		Methods
	minimizing noise pollution	
3. Demonstrate sustainable resource use	<ul> <li>Types of resources</li> <li>Techniques in measuring current usage of resources</li> <li>Calculating current usage of resources</li> <li>Methods for minimizing wastage</li> <li>Waste management procedures</li> <li>Principles of 3Rs (Reduce, Reuse, Recycle)</li> <li>Methods for economizing or reducing resource consumption</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Written questions</li> <li>Oral questions</li> <li>Observation of work procedures</li> <li>Role play</li> </ul>
4. Evaluate current practices in relation to resource usage	<ul> <li>Collection of information on environmental and resource efficiency systems and procedures,</li> <li>Measurement and recording of current</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Written questions</li> <li>Oral questions</li> <li>Observation of work procedures</li> <li>Role play</li> </ul>

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
	<ul> <li>resource usage</li> <li>Analysis and recording of current purchasing strategies.</li> <li>Analysis of current work processes to access information and data</li> <li>Identification of areas for improvement</li> </ul>	
5. Identify Environmental legislations/conventions for environmental concerns	<ul> <li>Environmental issues/concerns</li> <li>Environmental legislations /conventions and local ordinances</li> <li>Industrial standard /environmental practices</li> <li>International Environmental Protocols (Montreal, Kyoto)</li> <li>Features of an environmental strategy</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Written questions</li> <li>Oral questions</li> <li>Observation of work procedures</li> </ul>

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested
		Assessment
		Methods
6. Implement specific environmental programs	<ul> <li>Community needs and expectations</li> <li>Resource availability</li> <li>5s of good housekeeping</li> <li>Identification of programs/Activities</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Written questions</li> <li>Oral questions</li> <li>Observation of work</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Setting of individual roles /responsibilities</li> <li>Resolving problems /constraints encountered</li> </ul>	<ul><li>procedures</li><li>Role play</li></ul>

Consultation with	
stakeholders	
<ul> <li>7. Monitor activities on Environmental protection/Programs</li> <li>9. Periodic monitoring and Evaluation of activities</li> <li>9. Gathering feedback from stakeholders</li> <li>9. Analysing data gathered</li> <li>9. Documentation of recommendations and submission</li> <li>9. Setting of management support systems to sustain</li> </ul>	Oral questions Written tests Practical test Observation

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
<ul><li>8. Analyze resource use</li><li>9. Develop resource</li></ul>	<ul> <li>and enhance the program</li> <li>Monitoring and reporting of environmental incidents to concerned /proper authorities</li> <li>Identification of resource consuming processes</li> <li>Determination of quantity and nature of resource consumed</li> <li>Analysis of resource flow through different parts of the process.</li> <li>Classification of wastes for possible source of resources.</li> <li>Determination of efficiency of</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Written tests</li> <li>Oral questions</li> <li>Practical test</li> <li>Observation</li> <li>Written</li> </ul>
Conservation plans	use/conversion of resources • Causes of low efficiency of use of	tests <ul> <li>Oral questions</li> <li>Practical test</li> <li>Observation</li> </ul>
Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
	resources Plans for increasing the efficiency of resource use	

#### **Suggested Delivery Methods**

- Instructor led facilitation of theory
- Practical demonstration of tasks by trainer
- Practice by trainees
- Observations and comments and corrections by trainers

- Standard operating and/or other workplace procedures manuals
- Specific job procedures manuals
- Environmental Management and Coordination Act 1999
- Machine/equipment manufacturer's specifications and instructions
- Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)
- ISO standards
- Company environmental management systems (EMS)
- Montreal Protocol
- Kyoto Protocol

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# **OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH PRACTICES**

# UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/EI/BC/06/6

#### **Relationship to Occupational Standards**

This unit addresses the unit of competency and meets the requirements specified by the Occupational Standards: **Demonstrate occupational safety and health practices** 

#### **Duration of Unit:** 60 hours

#### **Unit Description**

This unit describes the competencies required to comply with regulatory and organizational requirements for occupational safety and health.

#### **Summary of Learning Outcomes**

- 1. Identify workplace hazards and risk
- 2. Identify and implement appropriate control measures to hazards and risks
- 3. Implement OSHA programs, procedures and policies/guidelines Learning Outcomes, Content and Suggested Assessment Methods

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested
	-O`	Assessment
		Methods
1. Identify workplace hazards and risks	<ul> <li>Identification of hazards in the workplace and/or the indicators of their presence</li> <li>Evaluation and/or work environment measurements of OSH hazards/risk existing in the workplace</li> <li>Gathering of OSH issues and/or concerns</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Oral questions</li> <li>Written tests</li> <li>Observation of trainees identify hazards and risks</li> </ul>
2. Identify and implement appropriate control measure to hazards and risks	<ul> <li>Prevention and control measures e.g. use of PPE</li> <li>Contingency measures</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Oral questions</li> <li>Written tests</li> <li>Practical tests</li> <li>Observation of implementatio n of control measures</li> </ul>
3. Implement OSH programs, procedures and policies/ guidelines	Organization OSH program, procedures and policies/guidelines	<ul> <li>Oral questions</li> <li>Written tests</li> <li>Practical test</li> <li>Observation</li> </ul>

	<ul> <li>Implementation of OSH procedures and policies/ guidelines</li> <li>Training of team members and advice on OSH standards and procedures</li> </ul>	
Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested
		Assessment
		Methods
	Implementation of procedures	
	for maintaining OSH-related	

# **Suggested Delivery Methods**

- Instructor led facilitation of theory
- Demonstration by trainer
- Practical work by trainee
- Viewing of related videos Recommended Resources
- Standard operating and/or other workplace procedures manuals Specific job procedures manuals
- Machine/equipment manufacturer's specifications and instructions Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) e.g.
- Mask
- Face mask/shield
- Safety boots
- Safety harness
- Arm/Hand guard, gloves
- Eye protection (goggles, shield)
- Hearing protection (ear muffs, ear plugs)
- Hair Net/cap/bonnet
- Hard hat
- Face protection (mask, shield)
- Apron/Gown/coverall/jump suit
- Anti-static suits
- High-visibility reflective vest

# **COMMON UNITS OF LEARNING**

# **TECHNICAL DRAWING**

#### UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/AUT/CC/1/6

#### **Relationship to Occupational Standards**

This unit addresses the unit of competency and meets the requirements specified by the Occupational Standards: **Prepare and interpret technical drawings** 

#### Duration of Unit: 150 hours

#### **Unit Description**

This unit covers the competencies required to prepare and interpret technical drawings. It involves competencies to select, use and maintain drawing equipment and materials. It also involves producing plain geometry drawings, solid geometry drawings, pictorial and orthographic drawings of components and application of Computer Aided Design (CAD) packages.

#### **Summary of Learning Outcomes**

- 1. Use and maintain drawing equipment and materials
- 2. Produce plane geometry drawings
- 3. Produce solid geometry drawings
- 4. Produce pictorial and orthographic drawings of components
- 5. Apply CAD packages

#### Learning Outcomes, Content and Suggested Assessment Methods:

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested
		Assessment
		Methods
1. Use and maintain drawing equipment and materials	<ul> <li>Identification and care of drawing equipment</li> <li>Identification and care of drawing materials</li> <li>Reference to manufacturer's instructions and work place procedures on use and maintenance of drawing equipment and materials</li> <li>Reference to relevant environmental legislations</li> <li>Use of Personal Protective Equipment</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Observation</li> <li>Oral questioning</li> <li>Written tests</li> </ul>
2 Produce plane	<ul><li>(FFES)</li><li>Types of lines in drawings</li></ul>	Oral
geometry drawings	<ul> <li>Construction of geometric forms e.g. squares, circles</li> </ul>	questioning

٠	Construction of different angles	•	Practical
•	Measurement of		tests
		•	Observation

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested	
		Assessment	
		Methods	
	different angles		
	• Bisection of different angles and lines		
	Standard drawing conventions		
3. Produce solid	• Interpretation of sketches and	Observation	
geometry	drawings of patterns	Practical	
drawings	e.g. cylinders, prisms and pyramids	tests	
	Sectioning of solids	• Oral	
	e.g. prisms, cones	questioning	
	Development and		
	interpenetrations of solids e.g.		
	cylinder to cylinder and cylinder to		
	triangular, prism		
4. Produce	• Meaning of pictorial and orthographic	Observation	
orthographic	drawings	Practical	
drawings	Meaning of sectioning	tests	
	Meaning of symbols and	• Oral	
	abbreviations	questioning	
	Drawing and		
	interpretation of orthographic		
	elevations		

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested
		Assessment
		Methods
	Dimensioning of orthographic elevations	
	<ul><li>Sectioning of views</li><li>Assembly drawing</li></ul>	
5. Produce pictorial drawings	<ul> <li>Meaning of pictorial drawings</li> <li>Drawing objects in isometric view</li> <li>Drawing objects in oblique view</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Observation</li> <li>Oral questioning</li> <li>Practical tests</li> </ul>

6. Produce	• Electrical symbols and abbreviations	Observation	
electrical	Meaning of electrical drawings	• Oral	
drawings	• Drawing of electrical diagrams e.g.	questioning	
	block, schematic, circuit, line and	Practical	
	wiring	tests	
7. Apply CAD	• Identification of CAD packages e.g.	Observation	
packages	AutoCAD, circuit maker	• Oral	
	• Use of CAD packages in drawing of:	questioning	
	Plane geometry	Practical	
	• Solid	tests	
	Orthographic		
Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested	
		Assessment	
		Methods	
	Pictorial		
	• Electrical e.g. block, schematic,		
	circuit, line and wiring		

# **Suggested Methods of Delivery**

- Projects
- Demonstration by trainer
- Practice by the trainee
- Discussions

- Drawing room
- Drawing instruments e.g. T-squares, set squares, drawing sets
- Drawing tables
- Pencils, papers, erasers
- Masking tapes
- Computers installed with relevant CAD packages
## **ENGINEERING MATHEMATICS**

## UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/AUT/CC/1/6

#### **Relationship to Occupational Standards**

This unit addresses the unit of competency and meets the requirements specified by the Occupational Standards: Apply engineering mathematics

#### Duration of Unit: 150 hours

#### **Unit Description**

This unit describes the competencies required by a technician in order to apply algebra apply trigonometry and hyperbolic functions, apply complex numbers, apply coordinate geometry, carry out binomial expansion, apply calculus, solve ordinary differential equations, carry out mensuration, apply power series, apply statistics, apply numerical methods, apply vector theory and apply matrix.

#### **Summary of Learning Outcomes**

- 1. Apply Algebra
- 2. Apply Trigonometry and hyperbolic functions
- 3. Apply complex numbers
- 4. Apply Coordinate Geometry
- 5. Carry out Binomial Expansion
- 6. Apply Calculus
- 7. Solve Ordinary differential equations
- 8. Carry out Mensuration
- 9. Apply Power Series
- 10. Apply Statistics
- 11. Apply Numerical methods
- 12. Apply Vector theory
- 13. Apply Matrix

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested		
		Assessment Methods		
1. Apply Algebra	Base and Index	Written tests		
	Law of indices	Oral questioning		
	Indicial equations	Assignments		
	Laws of logarithm	Supervised		
	Logarithmic equations	exercises		
	Conversion of bases			
	• Use of calculator			
	Reduction of equations			

٠	Solution of equations	
	reduced to quadratic	
	form	
•	Solutions of simultaneous	
	linear	
	equations in three unknowns	
•	Solutions of problems	
	involving AP and GP	

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested
		<b>Assessment Methods</b>
2. Apply Trigonometry and hyperbolic functions	<ul> <li>Half -angle formula</li> <li>Factor formula</li> <li>Trigonometric functions</li> <li>Parametric equations</li> <li>Relative and absolute measures</li> <li>Measures calculation</li> <li>Definition of hyperbolic equations</li> <li>Properties of hyperbolic functions</li> <li>Evaluations of hyperbolic functions Hyperbolic identities</li> <li>Osborne's Rule</li> <li>Ashx+bshx=C equation</li> <li>One-to-one relationship in functions</li> <li>Inverse functions for one-to- one relationship</li> <li>Inverse functions for trigonometric functions</li> <li>Graph of inverse functions</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Assessment Methods</li> <li>Written tests</li> <li>Oral questioning</li> <li>Assignments</li> <li>Supervised exercises</li> </ul>
	• Inverse hyperbolic functions	
3. Apply	Definition of complex	Assignments

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods	
complex numbers	numbers	• Oral questioning	

	• Stating complex numbers in numbers	•	Supervised
	in terms of conjugate argument and		exercises
	• Modulus	•	Written tests
	• Representation of complex numbers on		
	the Argand diagram		
	• Arithmetic operation of complex		
	numbers Application of De		
	Moivre's theorem		
	• Application of complex numbers to		
	engineering		
4. Apply	Polar equations	•	Written tests
Coordinate	Cartesian equation	•	Oral
Geometry	Graphs of polar equations		questioning
	Normal and tangents	•	Assignments
	• Definition of a point	•	Supervised
	• Locus of a point in relation to a circle		exercises
	• Loci of points for given mechanism		
5. Carry out	Binomial theorem Power series using	•	Written tests
Binomial	binomial theorem Roots of numbers	•	Oral
Expansion	using		questioning
	S S	•	Assignments

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods			
	binomial theorem. Estimation of errors of small changes using binomial theorem.	Supervised exercises			
6. Apply Calculus	<ul> <li>Definition of derivatives of a function</li> <li>Differentiation from fist principle</li> <li>Tables of some common derivatives</li> <li>Rules of differentiation</li> <li>Rate of change and small change</li> <li>Stationery points of functions of two variables</li> <li>Definition of integration</li> <li>Indefinite and definite integral</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Written tests</li> <li>Oral questioning</li> <li>Assignments</li> <li>Supervised exercises</li> </ul>			

	•	Methods of integration application of integration. Integrals of hyperbolic and inverse functions		
7. Solve Ordinary differential equations	•	Types of first order differential equations Formation of first order differential equation	•	Written tests Oral questioning Assignments Supervised

Learning	Content	Suggested
Outcome		Assessment
		Methods
	• Solution of first order differential	exercises
	equations	
	Application of first order	
	differential equations	
	Formation of second	
	order differential equations for	
	various systems	
	Solution of second order	
	differential equations	
	• Application of second order	
	differential equations	
8. Carry out	• Units of measurements	• Written tests
Mensuration	• Perimeter and areas of regular	Oral questioning
	figures	<ul> <li>Assignments</li> </ul>
	Volume of regular solids	<ul> <li>Supervised</li> </ul>
	Surface area of regular solids	exercises
	• Area of irregular figures	
	• Areas and volumes using Pappus	
	theorem	
9. Apply Power	• Definition of the term power series	• Written tests
Series	• Taylor's theorem	Oral questioning
	Deduction of	Assignments
	McLaurin's theorem to obtain	• Supervised
	power series	exercises

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
	Application of Taylor's theorem and McLaurin's theorems in numerical work	

10. Apply Statistics	<ul> <li>Measures of central tendency mean, mode and median</li> <li>Measures of dispersion</li> <li>Variance and standard deviation</li> <li>Definition of probability</li> <li>Laws of probability</li> <li>Expectation variance and S.D.</li> <li>Types of distributions</li> <li>Mean, variance and SD of probability distributions</li> <li>Application of probability distributions</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Assignments</li> <li>Oral questioning</li> <li>Supervised exercises</li> <li>Written tests</li> <li>Simulation</li> <li>Data modelling</li> </ul>
11. Apply	• Definition of interpolation and	• Assignments
Numerical	extrapolation	• Oral
methods	Application of interpolation	Guestioning     Supervised
	• Application of interactive methods	exercises
	to solve equations	• Written tests
Learning Outcome	Content 🔨	Suggested
Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment
Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
Learning Outcome	Content Application of interactive methods to areas and volumes	Suggested Assessment Methods
Learning Outcome	Content Application of interactive methods to areas and volumes • Vectors and scalar in two and three	Suggested Assessment Methods • Assignments
Learning Outcome 12. Apply Vector theory	Content Application of interactive methods to areas and volumes <ul> <li>Vectors and scalar in two and three dimensions</li> </ul>	Suggested Assessment Methods • Assignments • Oral
Learning Outcome           12. Apply Vector           theory	<ul> <li>Content</li> <li>Application of interactive methods to areas and volumes</li> <li>Vectors and scalar in two and three dimensions</li> <li>Operations on vectors:</li> </ul>	Suggested Assessment Methods • Assignments • Oral questioning • Supervised
Learning Outcome	<ul> <li>Content</li> <li>Application of interactive methods to areas and volumes</li> <li>Vectors and scalar in two and three dimensions</li> <li>Operations on vectors: Addition and Solutions</li> </ul>	Suggested Assessment Methods • Assignments • Oral questioning • Supervised exercises
Learning Outcome 12. Apply Vector theory	<ul> <li>Content</li> <li>Application of interactive methods to areas and volumes</li> <li>Vectors and scalar in two and three dimensions</li> <li>Operations on vectors: Addition and Subtraction</li> <li>Desition vectors</li> </ul>	Suggested Assessment Methods • Assignments • Oral questioning • Supervised exercises • Written tests
Learning Outcome	<ul> <li>Content</li> <li>Application of interactive methods to areas and volumes</li> <li>Vectors and scalar in two and three dimensions</li> <li>Operations on vectors: Addition and Subtraction</li> <li>Position vectors</li> <li>Resolution of vectors</li> </ul>	Suggested Assessment Methods • Assignments • Oral questioning • Supervised exercises • Written tests
Learning Outcome 12. Apply Vector theory 13. Apply Matrix	<ul> <li>Content</li> <li>Application of interactive methods to areas and volumes</li> <li>Vectors and scalar in two and three dimensions</li> <li>Operations on vectors: Addition and Subtraction</li> <li>Position vectors</li> <li>Resolution of vectors</li> <li>Matrix operation</li> </ul>	Suggested Assessment Methods • Assignments • Oral questioning • Supervised exercises • Written tests • Assignments
Learning Outcome           12. Apply Vector           theory           13. Apply Matrix           methods	<ul> <li>Content</li> <li>Application of interactive methods to areas and volumes</li> <li>Vectors and scalar in two and three dimensions</li> <li>Operations on vectors: Addition and Subtraction</li> <li>Position vectors</li> <li>Resolution of vectors</li> <li>Matrix operation</li> <li>Determinant of 3x3 matrix</li> </ul>	Suggested         Assessment         Methods         • Assignments         • Oral         questioning         • Supervised         exercises         • Written tests         • Assignments         • Oral         questioning         • Supervised         exercises         • Written tests         • Oral         • Oral
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Learning Outcome           12. Apply Vector           theory           13. Apply Matrix           methods	<ul> <li>Content</li> <li>Application of interactive methods to areas and volumes</li> <li>Vectors and scalar in two and three dimensions</li> <li>Operations on vectors: Addition and Subtraction</li> <li>Position vectors</li> <li>Resolution of vectors</li> <li>Matrix operation</li> <li>Determinant of 3x3 matrix</li> <li>Inverse of 3x3 matrix</li> <li>Solution of linear simultaneous</li> </ul>	Suggested Assessment Methods• Assignments• Oral questioning• Supervised exercises• Written tests• Assignments• Oral questioning• Supervised
Learning Outcome           12. Apply Vector           theory           13. Apply Matrix           methods	<ul> <li>Content</li> <li>Application of interactive methods to areas and volumes</li> <li>Vectors and scalar in two and three dimensions</li> <li>Operations on vectors: Addition and Subtraction</li> <li>Position vectors</li> <li>Resolution of vectors</li> <li>Matrix operation</li> <li>Determinant of 3x3 matrix</li> <li>Inverse of 3x3 matrix</li> <li>Solution of linear simultaneous equations in 3 unknown</li> </ul>	Suggested         Assessment         Methods         • Assignments         • Oral         questioning         • Supervised         exercises         • Written tests         • Oral         questioning         • Supervised         • Supervised         • Questioning         • Supervised         • Questioning         • Supervised         • Supervised

# **Suggested Delivery Methods**

- Group discussions
- Demonstration by trainer
- Exercises by trainee

#### **Recommended Resources**

- Scientific Calculators
- Rulers, pencils, erasers
- Charts with presentations of data
- Graph books
- Dice
- Computers with internet connection

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## AUTOMOTIVE ENGINEERING SCIENCE PRINCIPLES UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/AUT/CC/3/06

#### **Relationship to Occupational Standards**

This unit addresses the unit of competency and meets the requirements specified by the Occupational Standards: Apply automotive engineering science principles

Duration of Unit: 160 hours

#### **Unit Description**

This unit describes the competencies required by a technician in order to apply a wide range of automotive science principles in their work. It includes using concepts of science, resolution of forces, determining effects of various loads on engineering systems, analyse properties of materials, determine parameters of a fluid system, describe the nature of friction and apply the gas laws. **Summary of Learning Outcomes** 

- 1. Resolution of forces
- 2. Determine effects of loads in automotive systems
- 3. Analyse properties of materials
- 4. Determine the nature of friction in automotive systems.
- 5. Solve problems related to motion
- 6. Apply simple machines concepts
- 7. Determine the effect of heat and apply the gas laws
- 8. Use the concept of density and pressure.

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested
		Assessment
		Methods
1. Resolve forces.	Define force	• Written tests
	• State and explain the	• Oral
	parallelogram, triangle and	questioning
	polygon of forces theorems	• Assignments
	• Determine the resultant of	<ul> <li>Supervised</li> </ul>
	coplanar forces	exercises
	• Application of force theorems	
2. Determine effects of	• Define moment of a force about	Written tests
loads in automotive	an axis	• Oral
systems	• Analysis of point loads and	questioning
	reaction Calculations.	Assignments
	• State the principle of moments	<ul> <li>Supervised</li> </ul>
		exercises.

	•	Determination of center of gravity Application of moments to automotive systems	•	Practical tests
3. Analyse properties of materials	•	Definition of mechanical properties of materials Draw the stress strain graph Carry out material testing Determine factors affecting choice of materials. Calculate direct, shear and torsion stress in materials	•	Assignments Oral questioning Supervised exercises Written tests. Practical tests

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested	
		Assessment	
		Methods	
4. Determine the nature of friction in automotive systems	<ul> <li>Definition of friction</li> <li>State the laws of friction</li> <li>State the effects of friction</li> <li>Calculate the force to overcome friction on horizontal and inclined planes, bearings, brakes, belts, and clutch</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Assignments</li> <li>Oral questioning</li> <li>Practical tests</li> <li>Observation</li> <li>Supervised exercises</li> </ul>	
5. Solve problems related to motion	<ul> <li>Definition of terms related to motion</li> <li>State newton's laws of motion, law of conservation of momentum</li> <li>Calculate: velocity, acceleration, momentum, impulse, inertia force and simple harmonic motion.</li> <li>Draw velocity time graphs.</li> <li>Determine relationship between linear and angular motion.</li> <li>Analyze motion of a vehicle on a curved and banked track</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Written tests</li> <li>Assignments</li> <li>Supervised exercises</li> <li>Written tests</li> <li>Practical test</li> </ul>	
5. Apply simple machines concepts in automotive	Definition of: work, power energy, mechanical advantage, velocity ratio and efficiency.	<ul> <li>Assignments</li> <li>Oral questioning</li> <li>Practical tests</li> <li>Observation</li> </ul>	

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested
		Assessment

		Methods
engineering	<ul> <li>Describe simple machines: gears, levers, pulleys, screw jack, and wheel and axle.</li> <li>Apply the law of machine.</li> <li>Determination of work, energy, power, mechanical advantage, velocity ratio and efficiency</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Supervised exercises</li> <li>Written tests</li> </ul>
6. Determine the effect of heat and apply the gas laws	<ul> <li>Definition of heat, temperature and heat capacity</li> <li>Explain the effect of heat on matter.</li> <li>Describe modes of heat transfer</li> <li>State the gas laws.</li> <li>Measure quantity of heat and temperature.</li> <li>Solve problems on heat and gases.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Assignments</li> <li>Supervised exercises</li> <li>Written tests</li> <li>Practical test</li> <li>Assignments</li> <li>Oral questioning</li> <li>Practical tests</li> <li>Observation</li> <li>Supervised exercises</li> <li>Written tests</li> </ul>
7. Use the concept of density and pressure.	<ul> <li>Define density, relative density and pressure.</li> <li>Measure density, relative density and pressure using appropriate instruments.</li> <li>State Archimedes principle and the law of floatation.</li> <li>Calculate problems on</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Written test</li> <li>Assignments</li> <li>Oral questioning</li> <li>Practical tests</li> <li>Observation</li> <li>Supervised exercises</li> <li>Written tests</li> </ul>
Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested
		Assessment Methods
	density, relative density and pressure. Application of pressure in brakes, pumps, jacks and other engineering systems.	

## **Suggested Delivery Methods**

- Group discussions
- Demonstration by trainer Online videos
- Power point presentation
- Exercises by trainee

## **Recommended Resources**

- Scientific Calculators
- Relevant reference materials
- Stationeries
- Automotive workshop
- Relevant practical materials
- Laboratories
- Internet

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

2. Choosing of appropriate tools and materials	<ul> <li>Types of hand tools Using hand tools.</li> <li>Using machine tools</li> <li>Selection of tools as per the specific operation</li> <li>Inspection and/or recalibration of tools</li> <li>Demonstration of correct handling of tools.</li> <li>Selection of material for the given component</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Observation of correct selection of tools for specific operation</li> <li>Observation of inspection and/or recalibration of tools</li> <li>Observation of appropriate handling of tools</li> <li>Administration of oral and written questions</li> </ul>
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	<ul> <li>Types of hand tools</li> <li>Uses of hand tools</li> <li>Selection of tools as per the specific operation</li> <li>Inspection and/or recalibration of tools</li> <li>Demonstration of correct handling of tools</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Observation of correct selection of tools for specific operation</li> <li>Observation of inspection and/or recalibration of tools</li> <li>Observation of appropriate handling of tools</li> <li>Administration of oral and</li> </ul>	

Marking and centre	Observation of
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
1 2	surface(s)
	<ul> <li>Marking and centre punching the hole</li> <li>Selecting and mounting drill bits</li> <li>Mounting and clamping work pieces</li> <li>Drilling hole to specification</li> <li>Inspecting the hole</li> </ul>

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

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

## CORE UNITS OF LEARNING PERFORMING VEHICLE BASIC MAINTENANCE

## UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/AUT/CR/1/6

### **Relationship to Occupational Standards**

This unit addresses the unit of competency and meets the requirements specified by the Occupational Standards: **Perform vehicle basic maintenance.** 

## **Duration of Unit:** 120hours

## Unit description

This unit specifies the competencies required to perform vehicle basic maintenance. It involves assessing vehicle mechanical and operational condition, carrying out diagnosis tests, replacing service parts, replenishing fluids and lubrications, conducting tests and complete the procedure.

## **Summary of Learning Outcomes**

- 1. Assess vehicle mechanical and operational condition
- 2. Carry out diagnostic tests
- 3. Service vehicle lubrication system
- 4. Replenish fluids and lubricants
- 5. Replace/service vehicle service parts
- 6. Conduct road tests
- 7. Carry out adjustments to vehicle components and systems
- 8. Service Vehicle Wheels and Tyres 9. Finalize service and repair procedures.

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
1. Assess vehicle	Preparing periodic maintenance	Observation
mechanical and	schedule	• Written
operational	Preparing work area	• Oral
condition.	Assessment methods	
	• OSHA 2007	
	Conducive working environment	
	e.g. appropriate ventilations, free	
	from fumes and poisonous gases	
	• use of personal protective	
	equipment and clothing	

	(PPE)	
•	selection and use of appropriate	
	tools and	
	equipment	
•	use of protective covering to	
	prevent damage to vehicles	
•	Draining and disposal of used oils	
•	Disposing of scrap components	
•	Preparing mechanical and	
	operational assessment report	

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
2. Carry out	Identifying sources of technical	Observation
diagnostic tests.	information and regulations	Written
	Identifying vehicle system codes	Oral
	Assessing condition and performance of	
	the vehicle system	
	Identifying defects using diagnostic	
	equipment Adhering to manufacturers'	
	specifications and guidelines	
	Proper use of diagnostic machine in the	
	vehicle Adhering to agreed timescales and	
	completion	
	times	
	Keeping customers informed of progress	
	Preparing diagnostic assessment report	
	Maintenance	
	documentation and records	
3. Service vehicle	Diagnosing vehicle lubrication system	Practical
lubrication	Replacing Engine	Oral
system		Observation

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
4 Poplanich	transmission and hydraulic filters Greasing vehicle components Testing lubrication system pressure	Written Practical avaraises with
4. Repletish fluids and lubricants.	Identification and selection of appropriate tools, equipment, vehicle and personal protective equipment; Assessment methods used to check for vehicle conformity; Identification of the different systems to be inspected including: Engine Chassis Brakes Wheels and tyres Steering and suspension Transmission and driveline Electrical and electronics Exterior vehicle body Vehicle interior Use of approved inspection checklists and	<ul> <li>Practical exercises with observation checklists conducted by trainer.</li> <li>Oral questioning with checklist conducted by trainer to assess underpinning knowledge.</li> <li>Short tests to assess underpinning knowledge.</li> <li>Learner</li> </ul>

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
	recording documentation.	portfolio of evidence.

5.	Replace/service	Identification of	Practical exercises
	vehicle service	appropriate diagnostic	with observation
	parts.	equipment and	checklists conducted
		instrumentation; The	by trainer.
		importance of equipment	
		calibration before use;	Oral questioning with
		Identification of systems to be	checklist conducted
		tested including:	by trainer to assess.
		Battery and charging;	Underpinning
		Fuel;	knowledge. Short
		Ignition;	answer written tests
		Engine management;	to assess
		Exhaust emission:	underpinning
		Lighting:	knowledge. Learner
		Electrical and electronics:	portfolio of evidence.
		Steering and suspension	
		geometry	
		Air conditioning Procedures	
		for carrying out diagnostic	
		tests and identification of	
		faults Carrying out	
		adjustments in accordance	
		with manufacturers	
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Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
6. Conduct road tests.	<ul> <li>specifications</li> <li>Rectification of identified faults to restore performance to original specifications</li> <li>The use of checklists and recording documentation.</li> <li>The use of manufacturers' specifications to identify the correct types and grades of lubricants and fluids for systems including:</li> </ul>	Practical exercises with observation checklists conducted by trainer. Oral questioning with checklist conducted by trainer to assess underpinning knowledge. Short answer written tests to assess underpinning knowledge. Learner portfolio of evidence

Brakes and clutch
operation;
• Power assisted steering;
Cooling system;
• Windscreen washers;
Diesel engine emission
control.
Lubricants and fluids
replenished to the levels
and quantities as specified
by the manufactures
Protective measures to
avoid spillage that may
damage the vehicle and
cause a safety and health

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
	hazard	
	Identification of service parts that should be replaced as part of routine maintenance including: Oil, fuel, air and diesel exhaust filters;	
	Wiper blades;	
	Spark plugs;	
	Brake pads/linings;	
	Drive belts;	
	Seals and gaskets.	
	The use of manufacturers' part numbers to verify that the parts are correct for the type of vehicle;	
	Use of appropriate tools for removal and replacement to ensure correct replacement without damage;	
	Tests to ensure that the replacement parts	
	Disposal of waste oil, fluids, and scrap parts in accordance with current	

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
	environmental regulations.	
7. Carry out adjustments to vehicle components and systems.	Use of manufacturers technical information to identify operating specifications and tolerances; Special tools and equipment for checking and carrying out adjustments; Identification of components and systems that are to be checked and adjusted including: Valve clearances; Spark plug gaps; Exhaust emission settings; Wheel, steering and suspension alignment; Headlight alignment; Drive belt tension; Engine idling speed; Lubricants and fluid levels; fuel pressure; Brake clearances; Tyre rotation;	Practical exercises with observation checklists conducted by trainer. Oral questioning with checklist conducted by trainer to assess underpinning knowledge. Short answer written tests to assess underpinning knowledge. Learner portfolio of evidence.

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
	Wheel balancing.	
	The use of approved checklists and documentation to record checks and adjustments carried out.	
8. Service	Identifying and repairing	Practical
Vehicle	tyre punctures Performing wheel	Observations
Wheels and	balancing	
Tyres		

	Performing tyre fitting on the rim Straightening bent wheel rims Replacing tyre pressure nozzles Maintaining tyre pressure	
9. Finalize service and repair procedures.	All maintenance activities completed within an agreed timescale; The vehicle interior and exterior clean and presentable in compliance with company policy; A report for the customer that includes all the work that was carried out during the routine maintenance,	Practical exercises with observation checklists conducted by trainer. Oral questioning with checklist conducted by trainer to
Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
	including results of assessments, rectifications and replaced parts; A report to advise the customer of any further defect(s) that were	assess underpinning knowledge.

## **Suggested Methods of Delivery**

- Presentations and practical demonstrations by trainer;
- Guided learner activities and research to develop underpinning knowledge;
- Supervised activities and projects in a workshop;
- The delivery may also be supplemented and enhanced by the following, if the opportunity allows:
- Visiting lecturer/trainer from the motor vehicle service and repair sector;
- Industrial visits.

### **Recommended Resources**

## Tools

Comprehensive set of hand tools for motor vehicle maintenance and repair.

## Equipment

- A fully equipped motor vehicle maintenance workshop;
- Fully functional light vehicle(s);
- Vehicle lift;
- Specialist tools and diagnostic equipment appropriate for the different makes of vehicles that are being maintained;
- Exhaust emission tester;
- Headlamp alignment equipment;
- Internet access to manufacturers' technical information;
- Torque setting tools;
- Personal protective equipment (PPE) and suitable coverings to protect vehicles;
- Facilities for the disposal of waste oil and used parts;
- Customer database and systems for recording maintenance records.

## Materials and supplies

Consumables for maintaining light vehicles including:

- Engine and transmission lubricants;
- Fluids for cooling systems, brakes, clutch, windscreen washer, hydraulic power assisted steering and diesel engine exhaust emission control;

Replacement parts including:

- Air, oil, exhaust, and air conditioning filters;
- Oil seals and gaskets;
- Brake pads and linings;
- Spark plugs;
- Screen wiper blades; Drive belts.
- Vehicle cleaning materials; Hand cleaner.

## **Reference materials**

• Manufacturers service manuals for vehicles that are being serviced; Appropriate automotive engineering text books available on numerous websites

## SERVICING AND REPAIRING VEHICLE ENGINE COMPONENTS

## UNIT CODE: ENG/AUT/CR/2/6

#### **Relationship to Occupational Standards**

This unit addresses the unit of competency and meets the requirements specified by the Occupational Standards: Service and repair vehicle engine components

#### Duration of Unit: 170 hours

#### Unit Description:

This unit describes the competencies required in service and repair vehicle engine components. It involves troubleshooting and servicing vehicle engine components, performing vehicle engine overhaul, servicing vehicle engine cooling system, servicing vehicle engine exhaust system and lubricating vehicle engine system

#### **Summary of Learning Outcomes:**

- 1. Troubleshoot and service vehicle engine components
- 2. Perform vehicle engine overhaul
- 3. Service vehicle engine cooling system
- 4. Service vehicle engine exhaust system
- 5. Lubricate vehicle engine system

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
1. Troubleshoot vehicle engine components conditions	Use of Personal protective equipment (PPE) Health and safety regulations Engine removal Dismantling of engine Engine parts Servicing engine parts Reassembling of engine parts Engine fitting Re-installation checks	<ul> <li>Practical</li> <li>Oral questioning</li> <li>Written test</li> </ul>

2. Perform vehicle engine overhaul	Replacement of Engine oil seals Replacement of Engine oil rings/ piston gudgeon pin Replacement of Timing belts/chains Replacement of Engine bearings Replacement of Engine pulleys Replacement of Engine V-belts Replacement of Engine gaskets Servicing Engine blocks Replacement of Water/oil pump Adjustment of Tappet clearance	•	Practical Observation Written tests Writing reports
	Adjustment of Tappet clearance Replacement of Engine		

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
	camshaft Grinding Valve seats	
	Replacement of Valve guides Replacement of Oil sump/strainer/PCV	
	Replacement of Engine mountings Performing Engine tune up	

3. Service	Checking and testing Radiator	Practical
vehicle	cap	• Oral
engine	Checking and testing cooling	• Short tests
cooling	radiator	• Learner
system	Checking and testing cooling	portfolio of
	system hoses	evidence.
	Checking and testing thermostat	
	operations	
	Checking and testing thermistor switches/ sensors	
	Checking and testing water	
	pump	
	Checking and testing cooling	
	fan operation	
	Checking and testing cooling	
	system	
	bleeding cooling system	
	reading vehicle engine coolant	
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Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
	replenishing coolant	
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4. Service	Checking leakage	Practical
vehicle	$C_{1}^{1}$ = 1-1 = 1.1 = 1-2 = 2.2	0 1
	Checking blockage	• Oral
engine	Checking and testing catalytic	<ul><li>Oral</li><li>Short tests</li></ul>
engine exhaust	Checking blockage Checking and testing catalytic converter/ particulate filters	<ul> <li>Oral</li> <li>Short tests</li> <li>Learner</li> </ul>
engine exhaust system	Checking blockage Checking and testing catalytic converter/ particulate filters Repairing exhaust system leaks	<ul> <li>Oral</li> <li>Short tests</li> <li>Learner portfolio of ovidence</li> </ul>
engine exhaust system	Checking blockage Checking and testing catalytic converter/ particulate filters Repairing exhaust system leaks Installing and mounting exhaust	<ul> <li>Oral</li> <li>Short tests</li> <li>Learner portfolio of evidence.</li> </ul>
engine exhaust system	Checking blockage Checking and testing catalytic converter/ particulate filters Repairing exhaust system leaks Installing and mounting exhaust system	<ul> <li>Oral</li> <li>Short tests</li> <li>Learner portfolio of evidence.</li> </ul>
engine exhaust system	Checking blockage Checking and testing catalytic converter/ particulate filters Repairing exhaust system leaks Installing and mounting exhaust system Checking and testing oxygen	<ul> <li>Oral</li> <li>Short tests</li> <li>Learner portfolio of evidence.</li> </ul>

5. lubricate vehicle engine system	Draining and replacing engine oil Replacing engine transmission and hydraulic filters Greasing light vehicle components Greasing heavy commercial vehicle components Greasing Heavy machinery Reading Lubricants	<ul> <li>Practical</li> <li>Oral</li> <li>Short tests</li> <li>Learner portfolio of evidence.</li> </ul>
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## **Suggested Methods of Delivery**

- Presentations and practical demonstrations by trainer;
- Guided learner activities and research to develop underpinning knowledge;
- Supervised activities and projects in a workshop;
- The delivery may also be supplemented and enhanced by the following, if the opportunity allows:
- Visiting lecturer/trainer from the motor vehicle service and repair sector;
- Industrial visits.

### **Recommended Resources**

### Tools

• Comprehensive set of hand tools for the service and repair of motor vehicle Engines.

## Equipment

- Engine instructional models;
- A fully equipped motor vehicle maintenance workshop;
- Fully functional vehicle(s);
- Functional engines;
- Engine components;
- Vehicle lift/inspection pit;
- Specialist tools and diagnostic equipment appropriate for the different makes and types of vehicle engines that are being maintained;
- Internet access to manufacturers' technical information/data
- Torque setting tools;
- Personal protective equipment (PPE) and suitable coverings to protect vehicles;
- Vehicle protective coverings;
- Facilities for the disposal of waste oil and used parts;
- Customer database and systems for recording maintenance records.

## Materials and supplies

- Digital instructional material including DVDs and CDs;
- Consumables for service and repair of vehicle engines including:
- Engine lubricants;
- Sealants, oil seals and gaskets;
- Cleaning materials;
- Hand cleaner;
- Cotton waste for cleaning

### **Reference materials**

- Manufacturers service manuals for the vehicles that are being serviced;
- Appropriate automotive engineering text books available on numerous websites e.g.

## SERVICING VEHICLE FUEL SYSTEM

## UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/AUT/CR/3/6

### **Relationship to Occupational Standards**

This unit addresses the unit of competency and meets the requirements specified by the Occupational Standards: Service vehicle fuel system

### Duration of Unit: 150hours

#### **Unit Description:**

This unit describes the competencies required to service vehicle fuel system. It involves servicing fuel components, replacing petrol fuel pump and diesel injector pump, performing injector timing, testing injectors for pressure and voltage.

### **Summary of Learning Outcomes:**

By the end of the unit, the trainee should be able to:

- 1. Service fuel components e.g. injectors, tank
- 2. Replace petrol fuel pump
- 3. Replace diesel injector pump, rail, pipes and nozzles.
- 4. Perform injector pump timing
- 5. Test fuel injectors for injection pressure and voltage

		Suggested
Learning Outcome	Content	Assessment
		Methods

1. Service fuel components e.g. injectors, tank.	The observance of Kenyan regulations concerned with health, safety and the environment; Disposal of faulty components The use of personal	Practical exercises Oral questioning Learner portfolio of
	Components of vehicle fuel system Tools and equipment for servicing fuel system Troubleshooting of fuel system Dismantling of the fuel system of the vehicle Use of technical data in servicing and repairing components.	
2. Replace petrol fuel pump	Functions of the petrol fuel pump. Principle of operation of	Observation Practical Projects

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
	the pump	
	Structure of the pump	
	Servicing and fitting of the pump in the vehicle fuel system	
	Precautions when handling petrol fuel pump.	

injector pump,	Functions of the Diesel injector pump	Practical exercises
njector pump, rail, pipes and nozzles.	Rail Fuel pipes Nozzles Principle of operation of the: Diesel injector pump Rail Fuel pipes Nozzles Structure of the pump Injector pump Rail Fuel pipes Nozzles Structure of the pump Structure of the pump Nozzles Servicing and fitting of the	Oral questioning Written tests Learner portfolio of evidence.
Learning Outcome	diesel pump components Content	Suggested Assessment
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	in the vehicle fuel system Precautions when handling petrol fuel pump	
4. Perform injector pump timing	<ul> <li>in the vehicle fuel system</li> <li>Precautions when handling petrol fuel pump</li> <li>Definition of the injector pump timing</li> <li>Importance of the injector pump timing</li> <li>Injector timing units Tools and equipment for injector pump timing</li> </ul>	Practical exercises Oral questioning

## **Suggested Methods of Delivery**

- Presentations and practical demonstrations by trainer;
- Guided learner activities and research to develop underpinning knowledge;
- Supervised activities and projects in a workshop;
- The delivery may also be supplemented and enhanced by the following, if the opportunity allows:
- Visiting lecturer/trainer from the motor vehicle service and repair sector;
- Industrial visits.

## **Recommended Resources**

### Tools

• Comprehensive set of hand tools for the service and repair of motor vehicle auxiliary systems

## Equipment

- A fully equipped motor vehicle maintenance workshop;
- Fully functional vehicle(s)
- Functional fuel system;
- Fuel system components and units;
- Vehicle lift/inspection pit;
- Specialist tools and diagnostic equipment appropriate for the different makes and types of vehicle that are being maintained;
- Internet access to manufacturers' technical information;
- Torque setting tools;
- Personal protective equipment (PPE) and suitable coverings to protect vehicles;
- Facilities for the disposal of waste oil and used parts;
- Customer database and systems for recording maintenance records.

### Materials and supplies

- Digital instructional material including DVDs and CDs; Consumables for service and repair of vehicle auxiliary systems including;
- Oil seals and gaskets;
- Coolants;
- Cleaning materials; Hand cleaner;
- Dusters.

### **Reference materials**

- Manufacturers service manuals for the vehicles that are being serviced;
- Appropriate automotive engineering text books available on numerous websites

## SERVICING VEHICLE TRANSMISSION SYSTEMS

## UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/AUT/CR/4/6

#### **Relationship to Occupational Standards**

This unit addresses the unit of competency and meets the requirements specified by the Occupational Standards: Service vehicle transmission systems.

#### Duration of Unit: 150hours

#### **Unit Description**

This unit specifies competencies required to service vehicle transmission system. It involves preparing to service vehicle transmission systems, removing, assessing, repairing/replacing and testing the vehicle transmission system.

#### **Summary of Learning Outcomes**

- 1. Organize to service vehicle
- 2. Troubleshoot vehicle transmission system
- 3. Overhaul gearbox (manual)
- 4. Overhaul gearbox (semi/ automatic)
- 5. Carry out hydraulic/ tiptronic system tests and measurements.

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Learning Outcome	Content	Assessment
		Methods

1. Organize to	The observance of Kenvan	Practical
service vehicle	regulations concerned	Oral
	with health, safety and the	questioning
	environment: The	Written tests
	adoption of safe working	Learner
	practices to avoid injury	portfolio of
	and the prevention of	evidence.
	damage to vehicles and	
	property;	
	The use of personal	
	protective equipment and	
	clothing (PPE) used	
	throughout work activities:	
	The selection and use of	
	appropriate tools and	
	equipment relevant to all	
	activities;	
	Steps taken to avoid	
	spillage of fluids that	
	may cause personal	
	injury and damage	
	vehicles; The use of	
	protective covering to	
	prevent damage to	
	vehicles; The disposal of	
	scrap 💛	

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
	components, waste oils and fluids in accordance with current legal requirements and company policy.	

2. Troubleshoot	How transmission systems	Written tests
vehicle	and their related units and	Observation
transmission	components are	Report writing
system	constructed and operate;	Practical
	The importance of using	
	appropriate technical	
	information for the	
	removal of units;	
	Cleaning of components to	
	facilitate inspection and	
	assessment	
	Correct methods and	
	procedures of inspecting	
	and assessing transmission	
	components including:	
	Damage;	
	Wear;	
	Fracture.	
	Troubleshooting	
	techniques	
	Evaluation of components	
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Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
	for:	
	Serviceability;	
	Unserviceability;	
	Need for replacement;	
	Need for adjustment	

3. Overhaul gearbox	How transmission units	Practical
unit	and components are	Oral
(manual)	removed and replaced for	questioning
	the type of vehicle worked	Short tests to
	upon. Units include:	assess
	Manual friction clutch;	underpinning
	Torque converter;	knowledge.
	Manual gearbox;	Learner
	Propeller shaft and centre;	evidence
	support bearing;	evidence.
	Drive shafts;	
	Final drive;	
	Differential;	
	Transaxle	
	Vehicle transmission	
	components	
	Bearings;	
	Wheel hubs;	
	Gears;	
	Synchronizer;	
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Learning Outcome	Contont	Suggested
Learning Outcome	Content	Methods
	Gearbox shafts and thrust plates; Gear selectors, sensors and	
	linkages; Constant velocity (CV) and universal joints (UJ);	
	Clutch assemblies release bearings;	
	Transmission unit mountings.	
	Correct methods and procedures for dismantling transmission units;	
	Importance of the use of manufactures' part numbers for replacement parts	
Assembling of components in accordance with manufacturers' procedures including: Torque setting;		
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Clearances;		
Adjustments;		
End-float;		
Tolerances.		
	Assembling of components in accordance with manufacturers' procedures including: Torque setting; Clearances; Adjustments; End-float; Tolerances.	

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
	Selection and use of gaskets, sealants, seals, fittings and fasteners	
4. Overhaul gearbox unit (semi/ automatic)	How transmission systems and their related units and components are constructed and operated Importance of the use of manufactures' part numbers for replacement parts; Reassembling components in accordance with manufacturers' procedures including: Torque setting; Clearances; Adjustments; End- float; Tolerances. Selection and use of gaskets, sealants, seals, fittings and fasteners; Transmission components Units include: Torque converter;	Practical exercises Oral questioning Learner portfolio of evidence.

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
	Semi/ automatic gearbox; Front clutch Rear clutch Front brake band Rear brake band Sun wheel gear Planetary gear Carrier gear Pressure pump	
5. Carry out hydraulic/ tiptronic system tests and measurements	Shift valve Types of post vehicle transmission system tests Importance of testing after reassembly. The importance of completing all service and repair activities within an agreed timescale.	Practical exercises Oral questioning Short tests to assess under knowledge. Learner portfolio of evidence.

- Presentations and practical demonstrations by trainer;
- Guided learner activities and research to develop underpinning knowledge;
- Supervised activities and projects in a workshop;
- The delivery may also be supplemented and enhanced by the following, if the opportunity allows:
- Visiting lecturer/trainer from the motor vehicle service and repair sector;
- Industrial visits.

#### **Recommended Resources**

## Tools

• Comprehensive set of hand tools for the service and repair of motor vehicle transmission systems.

## Equipment

- Transmission Instructiona
- A fully equipped motor vehicle maintenance workshop;
- Fully functional light vehicle(s);
- Transmission units;
- Vehicle lift/inspection pit;
- Gearbox jack;
- Specialist tools and diagnostic equipment appropriate for the different makes and types of vehicle transmission systems that are being maintained;
- Automatic transmission test equipment;
- Internet access to manufacturers' technical information;
- Torque setting tools;
- Personal protective equipment (PPE) and suitable coverings to protect vehicles;
- Facilities for the disposal of waste oil and used parts;
- Customer database and systems for recording maintenance records

## Materials and supplies

- Digital instructional material including DVDs and CDs
- Consumables for service and repair of vehicle transmission systems including:
- Transmission lubricants
- Oil seals and gaskets
- Cleaning materials
- Hand cleaner
- Dusters

## **Reference materials**

- Manufacturers service manuals for the vehicles that are being serviced
- Appropriate automotive engineering text books available on numerous websites

# SERVICING VEHICLE STEERING SYSTEMS

# UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/AUT/CR/5/6

## **Relationship to Occupational Standards**

This unit addresses the unit of competency and meets the requirements specified by the Occupational Standards: Service vehicle steering system.

## **Duration of Unit:** 120 hours

## **Unit Description:**

This unit specifies competencies required to service vehicle steering system. It involves assessment, removal, servicing and replacement of vehicle steering components. It also involves fitting and testing vehicle steering components and documenting vehicle steering service.

## **Summary of Learning Outcomes:**

- 1. Assess vehicle steering system
- 2. Remove steering components
- 3. Assess serviceability of vehicle.
- 4. Replace/service vehicle steering.
- 5. Fit and test vehicle steering components.
- 6. Document vehicle steering system service

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Method
6. Assess vehicle steering system	The observance of Kenyan regulations concerned with health, safety and the environment; The use of personal protective equipment and clothing (PPE) used throughout work activities; The disposal of scrap components, waste oils and fluids in accordance with current legal requirements and company policy. Functions of steering system in the vehicle Types of steering systems Conventional Twin-axle	Practical exercises Oral questioning Written test Learner portfolio of evidence.

7. Remove	Functions of steering	Practical
steering	system	exercises
components	Components of steering	Oral
	system	questioning
	Layout of various steering	Written test

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Method
	systems Tools and equipment for servicing steering system Dismantling of the steering system Safety precautions in servicing steering system Disposal of faulty components	Learner portfolio of evidence.
8. Assess serviceability of vehicle.	Diagnosis and servicing of steering gearbox Worm and wheel Worm and sector Worm and nut Worm and roller Recirculating Rack and pinion Diagnosis, service and replacement of steering systems Conventional Power assisted Leakages Over steering Under steering	Practical exercises Oral questioning Written test Learner portfolio of evidence.

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Method
	Power	

	Components of four wheel steering system	
9. Replace/service vehicle steering.	The importance of using appropriate technical information as a guide for assessment; Correct methods and procedures for dismantling steering units; Cleaning of components to facilitate inspection and assessment of components; Using visual and measurement methods and procedures for inspecting and assessing components for: Damage; Wear; Corrosion; Fracture; Distortion. Evaluate components for: Serviceability; Unserviceability;	Practical exercises Oral questioning Written test Learner portfolio of evidence.

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Method
	Tolerances;	
	Need for replacement;	
	Need for adjustment.	
	Importance of the use of manufactures' part numbers for replacement parts;	
	Selection and use of gaskets, seals, shims, fittings and fasteners;	

	Steering wheel centralisation; Test and evaluate the performance of the steering units and components after reassembly.	
10. Fit and test vehicle steering components.	The selection and use of appropriate tools and equipment for the replacement of suspension and steering units; Replacement of steering units and components. Securing and adjusting external linkages,	Practical exercises Oral questioning Written test Learner portfolio of evidence
Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Method
	connections and energing	
	mechanisms; Replenish lubricants and fluids as prescribed; Testing and components for satisfactory operation; Setting steering geometry	

- Presentations and practical demonstrations by trainer;
- Guided learner activities and research to develop underpinning knowledge;
- Supervised activities and projects in a workshop;
- The delivery may also be supplemented and enhanced by the following, if the opportunity allows:
- Visiting lecturer/trainer from the motor vehicle service and repair sector;
- Industrial visits.

## **Recommended Resources**

## Tools

Comprehensive set of hand tools for the service and repair of motor vehicle suspension and steering systems.

## Equipment

- Steering systems instructional models
- A fully equipped motor vehicle maintenance workshop
- Fully functional light vehicle(s)
- Steering units
- Vehicle lift/inspection pit,
- Specialist tools and diagnostic equipment appropriate for the different makes and types of vehicle that are being worked on;
- Steering geometry measurement equipment;
- Internet access to manufacturers' technical information
- Torque setting tools
- Personal protective equipment (PPE) and suitable coverings to protect vehicles.
- Facilities for the disposal of waste oil and used parts;
- Customer database and systems for recording maintenance records

## Materials and supplies

Digital instructional material including DVDs and CDs

Consumables for service and repair of suspension and steering systems including:

- Steering and suspension lubricants including grease
- Power assisted steering fluid
- Oil seals and gaskets
- Cleaning materials
- Hand cleaner
- Dusters

## **Reference materials**

• Manufacturers service manuals for the vehicles that are being serviced

• Appropriate automotive engineering text books available on numerous websites e.g.

## SERVICING VEHICLE SUSPENSION SYSTEMS

## UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/AUT/CR/6/6

#### **Relationship to Occupational Standards**

This unit addresses the unit of competency and meets the requirements specified by the Occupational Standards: Service vehicle suspension.

#### Duration of Unit: 120 hours

## Unit Description:

#### Unit description:

This unit specifies competencies required to service vehicle suspension system. It involves assessment, removal, servicing and replacement of vehicle suspension components. It also involves fitting and testing vehicle suspension components and documenting vehicle suspension service.

#### **Summary of Learning Outcomes:**

- 1. Assess vehicle suspension system.
- 2. Remove vehicle suspension components.
- 3. Assess vehicle suspension components serviceability.
- 4. Replace/service vehicle suspension components.
- 5. Fit and test vehicle suspension components.
- 6. Vehicle suspension system service documentation

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested
		Assessment
		Method

1. Assess vehicle	The observance of Kenyan	Practical
suspension	regulations concerned with	exercises
system.	health, safety and the	Oral
	environment; The use of	questioning
	personal protective	Written test
	equipment and clothing	• Learner
	(PPE) used throughout	portfolio of
	work activities; The	evidence.
	disposal of scrap	
	components, waste oils	
	and fluids in accordance	
	with current legal	
	requirements and company	
	policy.	
	Functions of suspension	
	system in the vehicle	
	Types of suspension	
	systems	
	MacPherson strut	
	Wishbone	
	Construction	
	Operation	
	Suspension units in a	
	vehicle	

	vehicle	
Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Method
	Springs	
	Arms	
	Dampers	
	Air suspension	
	Hydra gas	
	Hydro pneumatic	
	Hydraulic suspension	
	Rubber suspension	
	Hydrolastic	

2. Remove vehicle	The importance of using	Practical
suspension	appropriate technical	exercises
components.	appropriate technical information throughout servicing and repair activities; Identification and selection of appropriate tools, equipment, and personal protective when removing suspension units and components; Correct methods and procedures for the removal of suspension units. The layout and operation of suspension systems; The construction and	Oral questioning Written test Learner portfolio of evidence.

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Method
	operation of suspension	
	systems units including:	
	Suspension coil and leaf	
	springs;	
	Torsion bar spring;	
	Suspension dampers;	
	Suspension struts;	
	Control arms;	
	Tie rods;	
	Anti-roll bar;	
	Hydro-Pneumatic and control unit;	

3. Assess vehicle	Troubleshooting vehicle	Practical
suspension	suspension components	exercises
suspension components serviceability.	suspension components Tools and equipment for troubleshooting vehicle suspension system Using visual and measurement methods and procedures for inspecting and assessing components for: Damage; Wear; Corrosion; Fracture;	oral questioning Written test Learner portfolio of evidence.

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Method
	Distortion. Servicing vehicle suspension system Materials used in servicing vehicle suspension system Disposal of faulty vehicle suspension system	

4. Replace/service	Cleaning of components to	Practical
vehicle	facilitate inspection and	exercises
suspension	assessment of components	Oral
components.	Evaluate components for:	questioning
	Serviceability;	Written test
	Unserviceability;	Learner
	Tolerances;	evidence
	Need for replacement;	evidence.
	Need for adjustment.	
	Components reassembled	
	in accordance with	
	manufacturers' procedures,	
	torque settings and	
	adjustments;	
	Importance of the use of	
	manufactures' part	
	numbers for replacement	
	parts;	
	Selection and use of	

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Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Method
	gaskets, seals, shims, fittings and fasteners;	
	Test and evaluate the performance of the suspension and steering units and components after reassembly.	

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5. Fit and test	The selection and use of	Practical
vehicle	appropriate tools and	exercises Oral
suspension	equipment for the	questioning
components.	replacement of suspension	Written test
<u>r</u>	and steering units:	Learner
	Procedure of replacing	portfolio of
	suspension	evidence
	Securing and adjusting	
	securing and adjusting	
	external linkages,	
	connections and operating	
	mechanisms;	
	Replenishing of lubricants	
	and fluids.	
	Setting of suspension	
	geometry.	
6. Vehicle	Importance of testing	Practical
suspension	vehicle suspension system.	exercises Oral
system service	Types of tests done on	questioning
documentation	suspension system.	
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Learning Outcome	Content 🗙 🦉	Assessment
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	Data analyzation and	Written test
	report writing. The	Learner
	importance of completing	portfolio of
	all service and repair	evidence
	activities within an agreed	
	timescale and keeping	
	others informed of	
	progress	

- Presentations and practical demonstrations by trainer;
- Guided learner activities and research to develop underpinning knowledge;
- Supervised activities and projects in a workshop;
- The delivery may also be supplemented and enhanced by the following, if the opportunity allows:
- Visiting lecturer/trainer from the motor vehicle service and repair sector;
- Industrial visits.

## **Recommended Resources**

Tools

Comprehensive set of hand tools for the service and repair of motor vehicle suspension and steering systems.

# Tools

Comprehensive set of hand tools for the service and repair of motor vehicle suspension and steering systems.

## Equipment

- Suspension systems instructi
- A fully equipped motor vehicle maintenance workshop
- Fully functional light vehicle(s)
- Suspension units
- Vehicle lift/inspection pit,
- Specialist tools and diagnostic equipment appropriate for the different makes and types of vehicle that are being worked on;
- Internet access to manufacturers' technical information
- Torque setting tools
- Personal protective equipment (PPE) and suitable coverings to protect vehicles.
- Facilities for the disposal of waste oil and used parts;
- Customer database and systems for recording maintenance records

## Materials and supplies

Digital instructional material including DVDs and CDs

Consumables for service and repair of suspension and steering systems including:

- Steering and suspension lubricants including grease
- Power assisted steering fluid
- Oil seals and gaskets
- Cleaning materials
- Hand cleaner
- Dusters

## Tools

Comprehensive set of hand tools for the service and repair of motor vehicle suspension and steering systems.

## **Reference materials**

- Manufacturers service manuals for the vehicles that are being serviced
- Appropriate automotive engineering text books available on numerous websites

# SERVICING VEHICLE BRAKING SYSTEMS

## UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/AUT/CR/7/6

#### **Relationship to Occupational Standards**

This unit addresses the unit of competency and meets the requirements specified by the Occupational Standards: Service vehicle braking systems.

#### Duration of Unit: 240hours

#### **Unit Description**

This unit specifies competencies required to service motor vehicle braking system. It involves, assessing, servicing, replacing or repairing and maintaining vehicle braking units and components. It includes final testing to ensure satisfactory operation to the customer's specification.

#### **Summary of Learning Outcomes**

- 1. Assess vehicle braking system
- 2. Dismantle wheel brake assembly parts
- 3. Assess braking components
- 4. Replace brake units and components
- 5. Replace brake cylinders
- 6. Service brake system

Learning Outcome		Suggested
	Content	Assessment
		Method

7. Assess vehicle	Selection and use of	•	Observation
braking system	appropriate tools and	•	Written
	equipment	•	Oral
	<ul> <li>Kenyan health and safety regulations</li> <li>Safe working practices</li> <li>Conducive working environment e.g. Ventilation, dust and fumes free</li> </ul>		
	Personal protective equipment(PPE) and clothing		
	Work area cleaning     Motor vehicle cleaning.		
	Brake fluid draining and disposed		
	• Steps taken to avoid spillage of fluids and damage to vehicles		
8. Dismantle wheel brake assembly parts	The construction and operation of the following types of braking systems:	•	Observation Written Oral

Learning Outcome		Suggested
	Content	Assessment
		Method

Mechanical brakes;
• Hydraulic brakes;
Pneumatic brakes
Antilock brakes;
Traction control.
Using appropriate
technical information
Methods and procedures
for the removal of brake
units;
• The operation of the
following components:
• Master cylinders;
• Wheel cylinders;
• Brake lines;
• Brake servo units;
• Brake discs;
• Callipers;
• Brake pads;
• Brake pedal;
• Drum;
• Shoes and lining;
• Brake adjusters;
Brake sensors and
actuators;

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Method
	<ul><li>ABS unit;</li><li>Parking brake cable;</li><li>Hydraulic brake fluid.</li></ul>	

9. Assess braking	•	Methods and procedures	٠	Observation
components		for disassembling braking	•	Written
		system	•	Oral
	•	Cleaning braking		
		components for inspection		
		and assessment		
	•	Methods and procedures		
		of inspecting and assessing		
		braking components		
	•	Evaluating brake		
		components for:		
	•	Serviceability,		
	•	Unserviceability,		
	•	Need for replacement,		
	•	Need for adjustment		
	•	Replacing worn out and		
		damage components		
	•	Assembling of braking		
		components		
	•	Selection and use of seals,		
		fittings and fasteners;		
	•	Test and evaluate the		
		performance of brake units		
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Learning Outcome	<i>v</i>	Suggested	
	Content	Assessment	
		Method	
	and components after		
	reassembly.		

10. Replace brake units and components.	<ul> <li>Manufacturers' technical specification replacing braking units and components</li> <li>Replacing braking units and components</li> <li>Replacing brake pads and linings</li> <li>Replacing Brake callipers and drum</li> <li>Replacing Brake flexible pipes</li> <li>Replacing Brake adjusters/actuators (HCV)</li> <li>Servicing Parking brake</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Observation</li><li>Written</li><li>Oral</li></ul>
11. Replace brake cylinders	<ul> <li>Servicing Parking brake</li> <li>Replenishing brake fluids Use of manufactures' part numbers for replacement parts</li> <li>Testing braking units and components</li> <li>Replacing Brake master cylinder</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Observation</li> <li>Written</li> <li>Oral</li> </ul>
Learning Outcome	Servicing Brake booster	Suggested
	Content	Assessment Method

- Presentations and practical demonstrations by trainer
- Guided learner activities
- Research project assignments
- Supervised activities and projects in a workshop
- The delivery may also be supplemented and enhanced by the following, if the opportunity allows:
- Visiting expert worker from the motor vehicle service and repair sector
- Industrial visits.

## **Recommended Resources**

#### Tools

- Comprehensive set of hand and power tools for the service and repair of motor vehicle brake system **Equipment**
- Brake system A fully equipped motor vehicle maintenance workshop
- Fully functional vehicle(s)
- Brake units
- Vehicle lift/inspection pit
- Jack and stands
- Brake testers/platform /roller
- Specialist tools and diagnostic equipment appropriate for the different makes and types of vehicle braking systems that are being maintained
- Internet access to manufacturers' technical information
- Torque setting tools
- Personal protective equipment (PPE) and suitable coverings to protect vehicles
- Facilities for the disposal of waste brake fluid and used parts
- Customer database and systems for recording maintenance records

## Materials and supplies

- Digital instructional material including DVDs and CDs;
- Brake fluids;
- Lubricants;
- Seals, fasteners and fittings;

- Cleaning materials;
- Hand cleaner;
- Dusters;
- Vehicle protective covering

#### **Reference materials**

• Manufacturers service manuals for the vehicles

# SERVICING VEHICLE ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS

# UNIT CODE: ENG/CU/AUT/CR/8/6

## **Relationship to Occupational Standards**

This unit addresses the unit of competency and meets the requirements specified by the Occupational Standards: Service vehicle electrical systems

## Duration of Unit: 120 hours

#### **Unit Description:**

This unit specifies competencies required to service vehicle electrical systems. It involves diagnosing electrical systems and servicing ignition, electrical accessories, air conditioning, auxiliary, lighting and vehicle electrical motors systems.

#### **Summary of Learning Outcomes:**

- 1. Diagnose electrical systems
- 2. Service vehicle ignition system
- 3. Service vehicle electrical accessories
- 4. Service vehicle air conditioning system
- 5. Service vehicle charging systems
- 6. Service vehicle auxiliary system
- 7. Service vehicle lighting system
- 8. Service vehicle electrical motors
- 9. Install Vehicle safety systems

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
1. Diagnose electrical systems	<ul> <li>The importance of verifying electrical defect(s) with the client;</li> <li>The importance of referring to appropriate technical information throughout diagnostic and rectification activities;</li> <li>The use of relevant electrical diagnostic equipment including on</li> <li>multi meters scanners</li> <li>code readers</li> <li>board diagnostics</li> <li>The use of correct and systematic methods and procedures for the removal of components.</li> <li>Measures taken to prevent electrical hazards.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Practical exercises with observation checklist</li> <li>Oral questioning</li> <li>Written test</li> <li>Learner portfolio of evidence.</li> </ul>
2. Service vehicle ignition system	<ul><li>Types of ignition systems</li><li>Coil ignition</li><li>Magneto ignition</li></ul>	<ul><li> Practical</li><li> Project</li><li> Observation</li></ul>

		Suggested
Learning Outcome	Content	Assessment
		Methods

	Transistor assisted ignition	Written test
	Electronic ignition	
	Capacitor discharge ignition	
	• Operating principles of	
	ignition system	
	Coil ignition	
	Primary and secondary	
	Contact breaker points	
	• Condenser	
	Spark plugs	
	Distributor	
	• Battery	
	High tension leads	
	• Switch	
	Operation	
	• Construction components of	
	ignition systems	
	• Diagnosing and repair of	
	ignition system	
	• Diagnosing tools and	
	equipment	
	• Testing of ignition system	
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3. Service vehicle	The importance of confirming	Practical
electrical	replacement accessory	exercises
accessories	compatibility with	• Oral
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Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
	<ul> <li>the vehicle;</li> <li>Confirmed of the accessories with legislations in terms of legality and prohibition;</li> <li>Fitting of the accessories to the vehicle</li> <li>Accessory installed in accordance with prescribed guidelines;</li> <li>Accessory tested after fitting to confirm correct operation.</li> </ul>	questioning Written test

4. Service vehicle air conditioning systems	<ul> <li>Definition of vehicle air conditioning</li> <li>Construction and operation of air condition system</li> <li>Evaporator</li> <li>Heater blower motor</li> <li>Condenser</li> <li>Pump</li> <li>Drier</li> <li>Piping</li> <li>Electric control of vehicle air conditioning system</li> <li>Diagnosing of air conditioning system</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Practical exercises</li> <li>Oral questioning</li> <li>Learner portfolio of evidence.</li> </ul>

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
5. Service vehicle charging systems	<ul> <li>Vehicle charging circuit components</li> <li>Charging circuit principles</li> <li>Dynamo</li> <li>Alternator</li> <li>Parts of charging system</li> <li>Generator/dynamo/alternator</li> <li>Rectifier</li> <li>Regulator</li> <li>Stator</li> <li>Rotor</li> <li>Battery</li> <li>Switch</li> <li>Dismantle vehicle charging system</li> <li>Diagnose and repair faults in a charging system</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Practical exercises</li> <li>Oral questioning</li> <li>Written test</li> <li>Learner portfolio of evidence.</li> </ul>

6. Service vehicle	Auxiliary components of	Practical
auxiliary	vehicles	exercises
systems.	• Windscreen	• Oral
	Radio and television	questioning
	• Camera	Written test
	• GPRs	• Learner
	• Wipers	portfolio of
	Mirrors	evidence.

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods
7. Service vehicle lighting systems	<ul> <li>Central locking</li> <li>Windows and doors</li> <li>Gauges</li> <li>Horns</li> <li>Security alarms</li> <li>Air bags</li> <li>Principles of operations of auxiliary components</li> <li>Diagnosing and servicing of the components</li> <li>Installation of auxiliary components</li> <li>Definition of vehicle lighting system</li> <li>Lighting system layouts</li> <li>Construction and operation of different types of vehicles lamps</li> <li>Diagnosis and repair of vehicle lighting system</li> <li>Vehicle lighting circuits</li> <li>Types of lamps</li> <li>Beam setting</li> <li>Manual</li> <li>Optical</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Practical</li> <li>Oral</li> <li>Written test</li> </ul>
Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested Assessment Methods

	Switches	
8. Service vehicle electrical motors	<ul> <li>Definition of electrical motors</li> <li>Principles of operation of electrical motors</li> <li>Types of electrical motors</li> <li>Handling of vehicle electrical motors</li> <li>Servicing of motors</li> <li>Components of motors</li> <li>Uses of motors</li> <li>Fitting of electrical motors in vehicles</li> <li>Disposal of faulty electrical motors</li> <li>Electrical motor calculations</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Practical</li> <li>Oral</li> <li>Written test</li> <li>Project</li> </ul>
9. Install Vehicle safety systems	<ul> <li>Installing Airbags</li> <li>Connecting Safety belts</li> <li>Mounting electrical components related to vehicle</li> <li>Fitting anti-roll components</li> <li>Fitting vehicle tracker</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Practical</li> <li>Observation</li> <li>Oral questions</li> </ul>

- Presentations and practical demonstrations by trainer;
- Guided learner activities and research to develop underpinning knowledge;
- Supervised activities and projects in a workshop;
- The delivery may also be supplemented and enhanced by the following, if the opportunity allows:
- Visiting lecturer/trainer from the motor vehicle service and repair sector;
- Industrial visits.

## **Recommended Resources**

## Tools

Comprehensive set of hand and power tools for the diagnosis service and repair of motor vehicle electrical systems

## Equipment

- Electrical system instructional models;
- A fully equipped motor vehicle maintenance workshop;
- Fully functional light vehicle(s);

- Vehicle lift/inspection pit;
- Specialist tools and diagnostic equipment appropriate for the different makes and types of vehicle electrical systems that are being maintained including multi-meters, scanners and code readers;
- Internet access to manufacturers' technical information;
- Torque setting tools;
- Personal protective equipment (PPE);
- Vehicle protective coverings;
- Facilities for the disposal of used parts;

#### **Reference materials**

- Manufacturers service manuals for the vehicles that are being serviced;
- Appropriate automotive engineering text books available on numerous websites e.g.
- Vehicle Construction and Use Regulations;
- After-market manufacturer's manuals.

#### Tools

Comprehensive set of hand and power tools for the diagnosis service and repair of motor vehicle electrical systems

• Customer database and systems for recording maintenance records.

# Materials and supplies

Digital instructional material including DVDs and CDs

Consumables for service and repair of vehicle electrical systems including:

- Vehicle Electrical cables and connectors
- Seals, fasteners and fittings
- Cleaning materials
- Dusters
- Aftermarket accessories including GPS systems, dash cameras; radios and speakers, auxiliary lights.