



B O A R D O F S T U D I E S
NEW SOUTH WALES

2012 HSC Metal and Engineering Marking Guidelines

Section I

Multiple-choice Answer Key

Question	Answer
1	C
2	B
3	C
4	A
5	A
6	C
7	A
8	D
9	C
10	C
11	A
12	D
13	C
14	B
15	C

Section II

Question 16 (a)

Criteria	Marks
• Correctly identifies the symbol	1

Question 16 (b)

Criteria	Marks
• Correct working out with correct answer	2
• Incorrect answer with correct data from drawing OR correct answer only	1

Question 16 (c)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides an example of a correct tolerance and justifies why this tolerance is needed	2
• Provides an example of a correct tolerance or justifies why this tolerance is needed	1

Question 16 (d)

Criteria	Marks
• Explains the reason for conforming to AS 1100 drawing standards	4
• Discusses the reason for the need to conform to drawing standards	3
• Names the reason for conforming to the drawing standard	2
• Names a feature of a drawing standard	1

Question 17 (a)

Criteria	Marks
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Proposes the steps required, in a logical sequence, to successfully mark out and efficiently manufacture the bracket prior to bendingNames all relevant tools involved	6
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Proposes the steps required, in a logical sequence, to mark out and manufacture the bracket prior to bendingNames most tools involved	5
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Proposes most steps in a logical sequenceLists some tools necessary	3–4
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Lists some steps of the marking out AND/OR the manufacturing processes AND/OR some tools	1–2

Question 17 (b)

Criteria	Marks
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Describes fully a range of quality checks that should be carried out	3
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Lists several quality checks OR describes a quality check	2
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Identifies a quality check	1

Question 18 (a)

Criteria	Marks
• Correctly names the hand-held power tool	1

Question 18 (b)

Criteria	Marks
• Describes TWO operations of the power tool	2
• Describes an operation of the power tool or lists operations.	1

Question 18 (c)

Criteria	Marks
• Identifies TWO or more faults and explains why the tool becomes unsafe	2
• Explains one or lists a range of possible faults	1

Question 18 (d)

Criteria	Marks
• Outlines an extensive range of emergency procedures that should be carried out in the emergency situation	4
• Outlines some emergency procedures that should be carried out in the emergency situation	3
• Lists some emergency procedures that should be carried out in the emergency situation	2
• Names an emergency procedure that should be carried out in the emergency situation	1

Question 19 (a)

Criteria	Marks
• Identifies that one method is more accurate than the other and describes the reasons why	2
• Identifies that one method is more accurate than the other	1

Question 19 (b)

Criteria	Marks
• Fully describes a range of considerations in the selection of a measuring device	3
• Identifies a range of considerations OR describes one consideration in the selection of a measuring device	2
• Identifies a consideration in the selection of a measuring device	1

Question 19 (c)

Criteria	Marks
• Explains an extensive range of benefits to the company	3
• Lists some benefits to the company	2
• Names a benefit to the company	1

Section III

Question 20

Criteria	Marks
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Using industry terminology, describes a substantial range of features of an effective induction programDemonstrates, in a well-reasoned and cohesive response, a thorough understanding of the impact of induction programs and the benefits to metal and engineering firms and their employees	13–15
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Using some industry terminology, describes a range of features of an effective induction programDemonstrates, in a clear and organised response, a sound understanding of the impact of induction programs and the benefits to metal and engineering firms and their employees	10–12
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Using some industry terminology, describes some features of an effective induction programDemonstrates a basic understanding of the impact of induction programs and the benefits to metal and engineering firms and their employees	7–9
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Briefly outlines some features of an induction programDisplays an elementary understanding of the impact of induction programs AND/OR the benefits to metal and engineering firms and their employees	4–6
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Briefly outlines some features of an induction programDisplays a minimal understanding of induction concepts	1–3

Section IV

Question 21 (a)

Criteria	Marks
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Demonstrates a sound knowledge and understanding of why safety signage is used in the workplace	2
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Displays a general knowledge of why safety signage is used in the workplace	1

Question 21 (b)

Criteria	Marks
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Describes fully the information contained on a substantial range of safety signs AND understands the impact they have on safety awareness	4
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Outlines fully the information contained on a range of safety signs AND understands the impact they have on safety awareness	3
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Partially outlines the information contained on a limited range of safety signs OR understands the impact they have on safety awareness	2
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Displays a limited knowledge and understanding of information contained on safety signs in the workplace	1

Question 21 (c)

Criteria	Marks
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Provides a comprehensive description of the roles and regulations relating to employers and all levels of staff regarding safety signs• Exhibits an extensive understanding of how safety signage and procedures are successfully implemented	8-9
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Provides a thorough description of the roles and regulations relating to employers and all levels of staff regarding safety signs• Exhibits a sound understanding of how safety signage and procedures are successfully implemented	6-7
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Provides a basic description of the roles and regulations relating to employers and all levels of staff regarding safety signs• Exhibits a general understanding of how safety signage and procedures are successfully implemented	4-5
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lists some roles or regulations relating to any level of employers and staff regarding safety signs• Displays a limited understanding of how safety signage is successfully implemented	1-3

Metal and Engineering

2012 HSC Examination Mapping Grid

Section I

Question	Marks	Unit of competency/Element of competency	Employability skills (Please put an X where appropriate)							
			Communication	Teamwork	Problem-solving	Initiative and enterprise	Planning and organising	Self-management	Learning	Technology
1	1	MEM12023A Perform engineering measurements pg 24								
2	1	MEM18001C Use hand tools pg 83								
3	1	MEM12024A Perform computations pg 32								
4	1	INDUCTION Manufacturing, engineering and related services industries induction pg 13								
5	1	MEM18002B Use power tools/hand-held operations pg 89								
6	1	MEM18001C Use hand tools pg 83								
7	1	MEM09002B Interpret technical drawing pg 18								
8	1	MEM13014A Apply principles of workplace health and safety in the work environment pg 39								
9	1	MEM09002B Interpret technical drawing pg 17								
10	1	MEM13014A Apply principles of workplace health and safety in the work environment pg 46								
11	1	MEM18001C Use hand tools pg 83								
12	1	MEM15002A Apply quality systems pg 59								
13	1	MEM16007A Work with others pg 73 MEM15024A Apply quality procedures pg 66								
14	1	MEM12024A Perform computations pg 33								

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			Communication	Teamwork	Problem-solving	Initiative and enterprise	Planning and organising	Self-management	Learning	Technology
15	1	MEM15002A Apply quality systems pg 58, 60								

Section II

Question	Marks	Unit of competency/Element of competency	Employability skills (Please put an X where appropriate)							
			Communication	Teamwork	Problem-solving	Initiative and enterprise	Planning and organising	Self-management	Learning	Technology
16 (a)	1	MEM09002B Interpret technical drawing pg 17								
16 (b)	2	MEM09002B Interpret technical drawing pg 25 MEM12024A Perform computations pg 33								
16 (c)	2	MEM09002B Interpret technical drawing pg 25								
16 (d)	4	MEM09002B Interpret technical drawing pg 18 MEM15002A Apply quality systems pg 61								
17 (a)	6	MEM14004A Plan to undertake a routine task pg 52 MEM18001C Use hand tools pg 83 MEM09002B Interpret technical drawing pg 20								
17 (b)	3	MEM15024A Apply quality procedures pg 67								
18 (a)	1	MEM18002B Use power tools/hand-held operations pg 89								
18 (b)	2	MEM18002B Use power tools/hand-held operations pg 89								
18 (c)	2	MEM18002B Use power tools/hand-held operations pg 89 MEM13014A Apply principles of workplace health and safety in the work environment pg 37								

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			Communication	Teamwork	Problem-solving	Initiative and enterprise	Planning and organising	Self-management	Learning	Technology
18 (d)	4	MEM13014A Apply principles of workplace health and safety in the work environment pg 39								
19 (a)	2	MEM12023A Perform engineering measurements pg 27								
19 (b)	3	MEM12023A Perform engineering measurements pg 24								
19 (c)	3	MEM12023A Perform engineering measurements pg 25 MEM15002A Apply quality systems pg 62								

Section III

Question	Marks	Unit of competency/Element of competency	Employability skills (Please put an X where appropriate)							
			Communication	Teamwork	Problem-solving	Initiative and enterprise	Planning and organising	Self-management	Learning	Technology
20	15	INDUCTION Manufacturing, engineering and related services industries induction pg 13								

Section IV

Question	Marks	Unit of competency/Element of competency	Employability skills (Please put an X where appropriate)							
			Communication	Teamwork	Problem-solving	Initiative and enterprise	Planning and organising	Self-management	Learning	Technology
21 (a)	2	MEM16007A Work with others pg 73								
21 (b)	4	MEM13014A Apply principles of workplace health and safety in the work environment pg 44								
21 (c)	9	MEM13014A Apply principles of workplace health and safety in the work environment pg 41 MEM16007A Work with others pg 76								