

BOOM TRUCK OPERATOR "A" Level One Examination Information

The **Boom Truck Operator "A"** subtrade level examinations are developed by the Apprenticeship and Trade Certification Commission in co-operation with a committee of worker and employer representatives selected from industry. The pass mark for all examinations is 70%. Examination content is based on the expectations and standards for Saskatchewan tradespeople as follows:

Subject	Percent
Safety	25%
Rigging	25%
Load weight calculations	10%
Load charts	10%
Boom truck operations	30%
	100%

***NOTE - to pass this examination you require an overall mark of at least 70%, along with a mark of at least 70% in the Load Chart section.**



Study all areas of the trade in preparing for the examination.

To assist you, a list of reference textbooks is provided below. Note that ISBN numbers are subject to change. Please consult with your supplier to access their most current version of the text you are acquiring. It is not necessary to use these specific textbooks; you may find others which will be equally beneficial. You are encouraged to seek additional reference materials in all test areas.

Rigging Manual, R M001 Construction Safety Assoc. of Ontario, ph. 1-800-781-2726.
www.csoa.org

IPT's Crane & Rigging Handbook, IPT Publishing and Training Ltd., Edmonton, ph. 1-888-808-6763. www.iptbooks.com

Mobile Craning Today, Operating Engineers Training Institute of Ontario, ph. 1-877-793-4863.
www.oetio.com

Mobile Cranes, by Headley, Crane Institute of America, ph. 1-800-832-2726.
www.craneninstitute.com

NOTE: Textbooks **are not** usually available from libraries. When texts are being purchased, candidates should allow several weeks for delivery and several weeks for studying.

Absolutely no cell phones, communication devices or PDAs are allowed in the examination facility. You will be required to leave immediately if any of these items are found on your person.

Important information regarding calculators – please note that due to increasing security issues, candidates are no longer permitted to bring their own calculators to the exam facility. Instead, we will be supplying each candidate with a calculator. Please refer to the “Forms” section of our web page for further information.

Please note that examinations and study information change frequently. The most recent information is available on our web site at www.saskapprenticeship.ca