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Duration: Courses vary between 2 hours and 2 days

What is it? There are over 200 individual technical tests across 20 trades, all of which have been designed in consultation with industry to meet engineering construction industry requirements. Technical Tests confirm that an employee has the skill, ability, and sufficient job knowledge relevant to the work they are required to carry out.

Who is it for? Technical Tests are suitable for any individuals who may be in the process of completing vocational/apprenticeship training programmes, through to more experienced workers looking to demonstrate and validate their technical competence in particular skills.

What does it cover? Generally they comprise two elements: the knowledge testing and practical skills testing. A number of disciplines also have "knowledge only" tests available at Levels 2 and 3 for solely testing theory. All can be linked into either the ECITB's Connected Competence Framework (if in the UK) or the International Competence: Engineering Construction (ICE) Scheme (if outside the UK).

How is it delivered? Tests can be delivered through ECITB's Approved Training Providers who are located worldwide. Technical Tests typically comprise an online theoretical test followed by a practical assessment and have a 3 year validity.

How do I get started? Whether you are an employer, training provider or individual learner, more information is available on both our UK and Global websites, including links to "Contact Us".