

# **Engineering (GA)**

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#### General Assessment Information

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Specific Competencies Covered in the Test Sample Written Items

**Test Type:** The Engineering assessment was developed based on standards used in the state of Georgia and contains a multiple-choice and performance component. This assessment is meant to measure technical skills at the occupational level and includes items which gauge factual and theoretical knowledge.

**Revision Team:** The assessment content is based on input from Georgia educators who teach in career and technical education programs.



15.9999 Engineering Technologies/Technicians, Other



Career Cluster 15-Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathmatics



17-3027.00 Mechanical Engineering Technicians

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In the lower division baccalaureate/associate degree category, 3 semester hours in Environmental Conservation, Environmental and Forest Biology, or natural Resources Measurement and Sampling

# Written Assessment

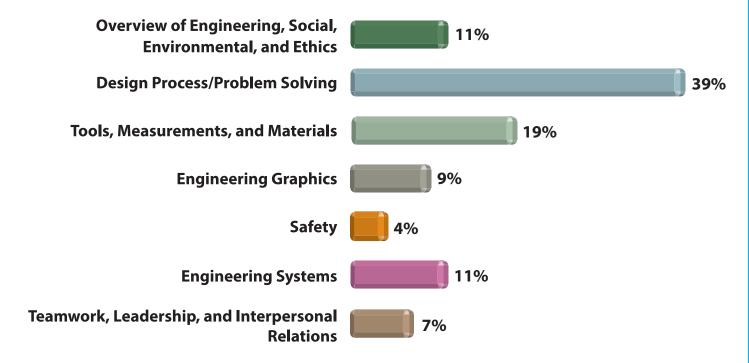
This written assessment consists of questions to measure an individual's factual theoretical knowledge.

**Administration Time:** 90 minutes

**Number of Questions: 93** 

**Number of Sessions:** This assessment may be administered in one, two, or three sessions.

#### Areas Covered



# Specific Standards and Competencies Included in this Assessment

#### **Tools, Measurements, and Materials**

- Identify appropriate modeling techniques
- Select and apply appropriate materials, tools, and processes for prototype development
- Use laboratory tools and equipment to determine the properties of materials
- Explain the criteria for selection of appropriate materials, tools, and processes
- Apply appropriate care and maintenance in the use of tools and machines
- Describe strategies for selecting materials and processes for developing a technical system or artifact
- Demonstrate fundamental materials processing and assembly techniques
- Apply analytical tools to the development of optimal solutions for technological problems
- Demonstrate techniques, skills, and knowledge necessary to use and maintain technical products and systems
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#### **Engineering Graphics**

- Demonstrate fundamentals of technical sketching
- Present a technical design using computer-generated visuals
- Use multi-view projection and pictorial drawings to communicate design specifications
- Apply described geometry and graphical vector analysis to the analysis of engineering design problems
- Apply accurate dimensions to a technical drawing, including size and geometric tolerances
- Prepare a proposal for an engineering design project
- Document engineering design processes using an engineering design notebook

# Safety

- Safely and effectively manipulate materials, tools, and processes
- Apply appropriate care and maintenance in the use of tools and machines

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#### **Engineering Systems**

- Describe the role of mathematics and science in technological development
- Construct a mathematical model for a known technological system
- Explain the scientific principles behind a basic machine
- Describe strategies, select materials and processes necessary to develop a technical system or artifact
- Evaluate interdependence of components in a technical system and identify elements critical to correct function
- Apply analytical tools to the development of optimal solutions for technological problems

#### Teamwork, Leadership, and Interpersonal Relations

- Explain engineer's responsibility as a team member in design and development of technical products and processes
- Demonstrate team approach in applying engineering design to solution of a technological problem
- Demonstrate effective communication skills
- Demonstrate cooperation and understanding with persons who are ethnically and culturally diverse
- Work cooperatively in multi-disciplinary teams
- Demonstrate oral communication skills in reporting results of an engineering design activity

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## Sample Questions

### The boundary of a property is shown on a plot plan with a \_\_\_\_\_ line.

- A. hidden
- B. center
- C. break
- D. phantom

### **Evaluation is an important step because**

- A. it helps determine if the product is of value
- B. it provides a cost analysis
- C. the product can be sold based on the outcome
- D. the product design is easier to reproduce after a good evaluation

# Which of the following actions should be taken if a prototype power supply is running hot in a test within the enclosure?

- A. remove the power supply from its enclosure
- B. redesign the circuit to increase the power drawn
- C. place an auxiliary fan to blow across the enclosure
- D. increase the fan capacity of the power supply

# **Engineering (continued)**

# What type of coating is best on an outdoor catwalk made of low carbon steel and used in a refinery?

- A. anodized
- B. galvanize
- C. oil based paint
- D. latex based paint

# Which of the following is a critical component of an Automatic Vehicle Identification (AVI) system?

- A. HOV lanes
- B. vehicle headlights
- C. AVI antennas
- D. interstate signs