







Model Curriculum

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Training Parameters

Sector	Telecom
Sub-Sector	Network Managed Services
Occupation	Network (Active Components) Installation
Country	India
NSQF Level	4
Aligned to NCO/ISCO/ISIC Code	NCO-2015/NA
Minimum Educational Qualification and Experience	Class 10th + ITI (2 years in Electronics/Telecom /IT and other relevant fields) OR Class 10th with 2 years of relevant experience OR Class 8th + ITI (2 years in Electronics/Telecom /IT and other relevant fields) with 2 years of relevant experience OR Diploma after Class 10th (3 years in Electronics/Telecom /IT and other relevant fields) OR Certified in NSQF-L3 Last Mile - Active Network Comp Installer with 2 Years of relevant experience
Pre-Requisite License or Training	NA
Minimum Job Entry Age	17 Years
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Minimum Duration of the Course	510 Hours
Maximum Duration of the Course	510 Hours







Program Overview

This section summarizes the end objectives of the program along with its duration.

Training Outcomes

At the end of the program, the learner should have acquired the listed knowledge and skills to:

- Demonstrate the process of installing the relevant 5G network infrastructure.
- Demonstrate the process of maintaining the 5G network infrastructure.
- Describe the process of following the occupational health and safety instructions during tower climbing.
- Explain the importance of implementing effective communication and coordination at work.
- Explain the importance of managing work and resources, and ensuring health and safety at work.

Compulsory Modules

The table lists the modules and their duration corresponding to the Compulsory NOS of the QP.

NOS and Module Details	Theory Duration	Practical Duration	On-the-Job Training Duration (Mandatory)	On-the-Job Training Duration (Recommended)	Total Duration
Bridge Module	08:00	04:00	12:00	-	24:00
Module 1: Introduction to the role of a 5G Technician – Active Network Installation	08:00	04:00	12:00	-	24:00
TEL/N6104: Carry out rack-level installation NOS Version-1.0 NSQF Level- 4	56:00	64:00	36:00	-	156:00
Module 2: Process of carrying out rack-level installation	56:00	64:00	36:00	-	156:00
TEL/N6105: Carry out 5G active network installation Version-1.0 NSQF Level- 4	68:00	74:00	52:00	-	194:00
Module 3: Process of carrying out 5G active network installation	68:00	74:00	52:00	-	194:00
TEL/N6246: Follow the occupational health and	16:00	20:00	20:00	-	56:00







safety instructions during tower climbing					
Module 4: Process of following the occupational health and safety instructions during tower climbing	16:00	20:00	20:00	-	56:00
TEL/N9101: Organise Work and Resources as per Health and Safety Standards NOS Version-1.0 NSQF Level-5	16:00	24:00	00:00	-	40:00
Module 5: Process of organising work and resources as per health and Safety standards	16:00	24:00	00:00	-	40:00
TEL/N9102: Interact Effectively with Team Members and Customers NOS Version-1.0 NSQF Level-5	16:00	24:00	00:00	-	40:00
Module 6: Process of interacting effectively with team members and customers	16:00	24:00	00:00	-	40:00
Total Duration	180:00	210:00	120:00	-	510:00







Module Details

Module 1: Introduction to the role of a 5G Technician – Active Network Installation

Bridge Module

Terminal Outcomes:

- Discuss the job role of a 5G Technician Active Network Installation.
- Explain the scope of work for a 5G Technician Active Network Installation.

Duration: 08:00	Duration: 04:00
Theory – Key Learning Outcomes	Practical – Key Learning Outcomes
 Describe the size and scope of the Telecom industry and its sub-sectors. Discuss the role and responsibilities of a 5G Technician – Active Network Installation. Identify various employment opportunities for a 5G Technician – Active Network Installation. 	 Role play based on case studies, outlining the scope, responsibilities, and challenges of a 5G Technician – Active Network Installation. Analyse the requirements for the course and prepare for the prerequisites of the course.
 Discuss the organisational policies on workplace ethics, managing sites, quality standards, personnel management and public relations (PR). 	
 Describe the process workflow in the organization and the role of a 5G Technician — Active Network Installation in the process. 	
 List the various daily, weekly, monthly operations/activities that take place at the site under a 5G Technician — Active Network Installation. 	
Classus and Aids	

Classroom Aids

Training Kit - Trainer Guide, Presentations, Whiteboard, Marker, Projector, Laptop, Video Films

Tools, Equipment and Other Requirements

NA







Module 2: Process of carrying out rack-level installation Mapped to TEL/N6104, v1.0

- Describe the process of preparing for the installation.
- Demonstrate the process of carrying out the installation.

Duration: 56:00	Duration: 64:00
Theory – Key Learning Outcomes	Practical – Key Learning Outcomes
safe placement of various 5G network	
 Explain the importance of ensuring that there are no sources of heat in and around the room selected for the installation of racks and equipment. 	
 Explain the importance of ensuring adequate active or passive ventilation 	







for the dissipation of heat generated by the equipment.

- Describe the process of planning the placement of racks in relation to the room and important resources, such as power circuits and cooling equipment.
- Describe the process of arranging racks in a hot-aisle/cold-aisle layout to reduce energy use.
- Describe the process of planning the installation of equipment on racks.
- Describe the process of checking gNodeB damages and faults.
- Explain the importance of ensuring to place the heavy equipment at the bottom of racks to prevent them from becoming top-heavy and prone to tipping over.
- Explain the importance of installing blade servers and other high-density and high-wattage loads in multiple racks to prevent problematic hot spots.
- List the common faults/malfunctions experienced with the 5G network equipment.
- Explain networking fundamentals, such as Transmission Control Protocol (TCP)/ Internet Protocol (IP), Domain Name System (DNS), Secure Shell (SSH), Secure Sockets Layer (SSL), Hypertext Transfer Protocol (HTTP)

Classroom Aids

Training Kit (Trainer Guide, Presentations). Whiteboard, Marker, Projector, Laptop

Tools, Equipment and Other Requirements

Fiber Cable Port, POE Switch, Optical Fiber Cable, Transceiver, Patch Panel







Module 3: Process of carrying out 5G active network installation Mapped to TEL/N6105, v1.0

- Demonstrate the process of carrying out a power, earthing and RF cabling.
- Demonstrate the process of installation and commissioning backhaul connectivity.







monitored in the network operation centre.

 Demonstrate the process of installing the appropriate Operating System (OS) and the Virtual Machine (VM) ware.

Classroom Aids

Training Kit (Trainer Guide, Presentations). Whiteboard, Marker, Projector, Laptop

Tools, Equipment and Other Requirements

Earthing Cable, Signal Analysis Software, 5G Multiband Transceiver, Centralised Unit–Distributed Unit (CU-DU), RF Cable, Fibre Optic Cable, RF Connectors, 5G Radio Unit.







Module 4: Process of following the occupational health and safety instructions during tower climbing

Mapped to TEL/N6246, v1.0

- Describe the process of performing the pre-climb tower inspection.
- Describe the process of checking the safety equipment and work site conditions.
- Demonstrate the process of carrying out tower operations following safety instructions.

Duration: 16:00	Duration: 20:00
Theory – Key Learning Outcomes	Practical – Key Learning Outcomes
 Explain the importance of getting adequate training and practice in tower climbing to minimise the injuries and untoward incidents during tower climbing. Explain the importance of ensuring the availability of well-maintained safety equipment before climbing towers. 	 Demonstrate how to use binoculars to check for loose or missing hardware. Show how to use a full-body harness tied off at appropriate spots on the tower to maintain complete tie-off while on the tower. Demonstrate the use of a safety cable
 List various PPE required for tower climbing. Explain the importance of ensuring the availability of a fully-equipped first aid kit at the work site. 	 climb or two or more lanyards. Demonstrate the use of the appropriate PPE while climbing up and down and working on towers. Demonstrate the process of
 Explain the benefit and importance of using two-way radio for telecom riggers to maintain communication with ground crew. 	administering first aid for different types of medical emergencies.
 Explain the importance of identifying unsafe conditions at the work site and reporting them promptly to the appropriate authority following the applicable reporting process. 	
 Explain the importance of checking the availability of relevant PPE and not undertaking any rigging work without PPE. 	
 Explain the importance and process of checking the PPE to ensure it is functioning properly and safe to use. 	
 Explain the importance of conducting comprehensive safety planning, including a Job Hazard Analysis (JHA) and an Emergency Action Plan (EAP) 	







for every job site.

- Explain the importance and process of checking weather conditions and avoiding any work at heights during adverse weather conditions.
- Explain the importance of not working at heights in case of impaired physical health, such as being under medication that may cause drowsiness affecting the ability to work with concentration at elevations.
- Explain the importance of continually enhancing safety skills and awareness through regular training.
- Describe the process of conducting inspections of tools, hoisting and rigging equipment, and other machinery.
- Explain the applicable electrical health and safety standards.
- State the appropriate climbing and working practices to be adopted for a range of telecom structures, such as towers, poles and other steel structures.
- Explain the applicable health and safety standards and regulations.
- Explain the importance and process of preparing and reviewing incident reports for tower climbing incidents to avoid any similar incidents in future.

Classroom Aids

Training Kit (Trainer Guide, Presentations). Whiteboard, Marker, Projector, Laptop

Tools, Equipment and Other Requirements

PPE Kit, Safety Kit, Carabiners Connectors, Harnesses, RF Safety, Two Way Radios, Tower Climbing Kits, Helmet, RF Monitor.







Module 5: Process of organising work and resources as per health and Safety standards

Mapped to NOS TEL/N9101 v1.0

- Explain the importance of performing work as per quality standards.
- Explain the importance of maintaining a safe, healthy and secure working environment.
- Explain the importance of conserving material/energy/electricity.
- Describe the process of using effective waste management/recycling practices.

Duration: 16:00	Duration: 24:00
Theory – Key Learning Outcomes	Practical – Key Learning Outcomes
 Explain various strategies pertinent to their field (such as internet searches, asking peers and managers, enrolling for courses and certifications, etc.) that can be used to pursue advancement in their skills. State key performance indicators for 	 Demonstrate how to record/document tasks completed as per the requirements within specific timelines. Show how to analyse problems accurately and communicate different possible solutions to the
 the new tasks. Describe feedback processes and formats. Explain timelines and goals as well as 	 Demonstrate how to report any identified breaches in health, safety, and security policies and procedures to the designated person.
 their relevance to work allocated. Explain the importance of quality and timely delivery of the product/service. 	 Demonstrate the process of using safety materials such as goggles, gloves, earplugs, caps, ESD pins, covers, shoes, etc.
 Explain the escalation matrix and its importance, especially in case of emergencies. Explain various ways of time and cost 	 Demonstrate the process of handling heavy and hazardous materials with care, while maintaining appropriate posture.
 State the rules/regulations for maintaining health and safety at the workplace. 	 Demonstrate the process of carrying out routine cleaning of tools, machines and equipment.
 Explain the meaning of hazard, different types of health and safety hazards found in the workplace, risks and threats based on the nature of work. Explain the relevant signage, warnings, labels or descriptions on equipment, etc. while carrying out 	 Demonstrate ways to optimise the use of electricity/energy in various tasks/activities/processes. Demonstrate the process of performing periodic checks of the functioning of the equipment/machine and rectify wherever required.







work activities.

- Describe the procedures to report breaches in health, safety and security.
- Describe the organisation's procedures for different emergency situations and the importance of following the same.
- Describe different methods of cleaning, disinfection, sterilisation, and sanitisation.
- Explain the significance of personal hygiene practice including hand hygiene.
- Explain the path of disease transmission.
- Describe the correct method of donning and doffing of PPE.
- Explain different ways of managing resources and material efficiently.
- Explain common electrical problems and common practices of conserving electricity.
- Explain categorisation of waste into dry, wet, recyclable, non-recyclable and items of single-use plastics and use of different colours of dustbins.
- Describe the organisation's procedures for minimising waste.
- Explain waste management and methods of waste disposal.
- State common sources of pollution and ways to minimise it.

- Demonstrate ways to use electrical equipment and appliances properly
- Demonstrate the process of disposing non-recyclable and hazardous waste as per recommended processes.

Classroom Aids:

Training Kit (Trainer Guide, Presentations). Whiteboard, Marker, Projector, Laptop

Tools, Equipment and Other Requirements

Relevant Stationery, First Aid Kit and Equipment used in Medical Emergencies.







Module 6: Process of interacting effectively with team members and customers

Mapped to TEL/N9102 v1.0

- Explain the importance of interacting effectively with superiors, colleagues and customers.
- Explain the need of respecting differences of gender and ability.

Duration: 16:00	Duration: 24:00
Theory – Key Learning Outcomes	Practical – Key Learning Outcomes
 Explain the organisation's policies on dress code, workplace timings, workplace behaviour, performance management, incentives, delivery standards, information security, etc. Explain the organisation's hierarchy and escalation matrix Explain the importance of establishing good working relationships with colleagues and superiors. 	 Demonstrate ways to communicate professionally using different techniques such as face-to-face, telephonic and written means. Demonstrate appropriate verbal and non-verbal communication while interacting with People with Disability (PwD).
 Explain the importance of helping colleagues with problems, in order to meet quality and time standards as a team. 	
 Describe different means and methods of communication. 	
 State different types of information that colleagues might need and the importance of providing this information in an appropriate manner. 	
 Describe the organization's policies and procedures for working with colleagues and superiors. 	
 Explain the importance of understanding the consequences of gender based behaviour. 	
 Describe gender based concepts, issues and legislation 	
 State the organization standards and guidelines to be followed for PwD and knowledge about laws, acts and provisions defined for PwD by the statutory bodies and the right way to 	







use them including various medical conditions associated with PwD

- Explain the health and safety requirements at a workplace for PwD.
- Describe the process of recruiting people for a particular job profile w.r.t PwD and gender.
- Explain various government / private schemes and benefits available for PwD and information about various institutes working for PwD to enable in providing livelihood opportunities for PwD.

Classroom Aids

Training Kit (Trainer Guide, Presentations). Whiteboard, Marker, Projector, Laptop

Tools, Equipment and Other Requirements

Personal Protective Equipment, Hygiene Equipment and Materials like Sanitizer, Soap, Mask, etc.







Module 7: On-the-Job Training

Mapped to Technician 5G – Active Network Installation

Mandatory Duration: 120:00 Recommended Duration: 00:00

Location: On-Site

- Explain the criteria for selecting a room/ space for the installation of racks to house 5G network equipment.
- 2. Set up gNodeB and other 5G network equipment on racks safely and secure them using nuts and screws, adhering to the load rating of racks.
- 3. Carry out the installation of blade servers and other high-density and high-wattage loads in multiple racks to prevent problematic hot spots.
- 4. Configure the operating system with the VM ware.
- 5. Install power cables between the equipment and power source to ensure power supply to the equipment.
- 6. Install earthing cables to the earth source.
- 7. Carry out the installation of RF cables between gNodeB/ other equipment and the antennas on the cell tower.
- 8. Establish high throughput ethernet/ fiber based backhaul connectivity on the Ethernet interface.
- 9. Terminate the backhaul connectivity to ensure gNodeB is configurable and connected to the central office.
- 10. Create a Centralised Unit-Distributed Unit (CU-DU) split base station.
- 11. Install the appropriate Operating System (OS) and the Virtual Machine (VM) ware.
- 12. Report any unforeseen disruptions or delays to superiors and/or concerned persons.
- 13. Create schedules and rosters for the team to ensure they understand individual work requirements.
- 14. Report any hazard outside the individual's authority to the relevant person in line with organizational procedures.
- 15. Carry out routine cleaning of tools, machines and equipment.







Annexure

Trainer Requirements

Trainer Prerequisites						
Minimum Educational	Specialization	Relevant Industry Experience		Trainir	ng Experience	Remarks
Qualification		Years	Specialization	Years	Specialization	
B.E./B.Tech	Electronics/Telecom/IT and other relevant fields	1	Telecom Infrastructure - 5G Networks	0	NA	Eligible for ToT Program

Trainer Certification			
Domain Certification	Platform Certification		
Certified for Job Role " Technician 5G – Active Network Installation" mapped to QP: "TEL/Q6213, v1.0", Minimum accepted score is 80%	Recommended that the Trainer is certified for the Job Role: "Trainer", mapped to the Qualification Pack: "MEP/Q2601, v1.0". The minimum accepted score as per MEPSC guidelines is 80%.		







Assessor Requirements

Assessor Prerequisites							
Minimum Educational	Specialization	Relevant Industry Experience		Training/Assessme nt Experience		Remarks	
Qualification		Years	Specialization	Years	Specializati on		
B.E./B.Tech	Electronics/Telec om/IT and other relevant fields	1	Telecom Infrastructure - 5G Networks	0	NA	Eligible for ToT Program	

Assessor Certification					
Domain Certification	Platform Certification				
Certified for Job Role " Technician 5G – Active Network Installation ", mapped to QP: "TEL/Q6213, v1.0", Minimum accepted score is 80%	Certified for the Job Role: "Assessor", mapped to the Qualification Pack: "MEP/Q2701, v1.0", with a minimum score of 80%.				







Assessment Strategy

1. Assessment System Overview:

- Batches assigned to the assessment agencies for conducting the assessment on SDSM/SIP or email.
- Assessment agencies send the assessment confirmation to VTP/TC looping SSC.
- Assessment agency deploys the ToA certified Assessor for executing the assessment.
- SSC monitors the assessment process & records.

2. Testing Environment:

- Confirm that the centre is available at the same address as mentioned on SDMS or SIP.
- Check the duration of the training.
- Check the Assessment Start and End time to be as 10 a.m. and 5 p.m.
- If the batch size is more than 30, then there should be 2 Assessors.
- Check that the allotted time to the candidates to complete Theory & Practical Assessment is correct.
- Check the mode of assessment—Online (TAB/Computer) or Offline (OMR/PP).
- Confirm the number of TABs on the ground are correct to execute the Assessment smoothly.
- Check the availability of the Lab Equipment for the particular Job Role.

3. Assessment Quality Assurance levels / Framework:

- Question papers created by the Subject Matter Experts (SME).
- Question papers created by the SME verified by the other subject Matter Experts.
- Questions are mapped with NOS and PC.
- Question papers are prepared considering that level 1 to 3 are for the unskilled & semiskilled individuals, and level 4 and above are for the skilled, supervisor & higher management.
- Assessor must be ToA certified & trainer must be ToT Certified.
- Assessment agency must follow the assessment guidelines to conduct the assessment.

4. Types of evidence or evidence-gathering protocol:

- Time-stamped & geotagged reporting of the assessor from assessment location.
- Center photographs with signboards and scheme specific branding.
- Biometric or manual attendance sheet (stamped by TP) of the trainees during the training period.
- Time-stamped & geotagged assessment (Theory + Viva + Practical) photographs & videos.

5. Method of verification or validation:

- Surprise visit to the assessment location.
- Random audit of the batch.
- Random audit of any candidate.







- 6. Method for assessment documentation, archiving, and access:
 - Hard copies of the documents are stored.
 - Soft copies of the documents & photographs of the assessment are uploaded / accessed from Cloud Storage.
 - Soft copies of the documents & photographs of the assessment are stored in the Hard Drives.







References

Glossary

Term	Description
Declarative	Declarative knowledge refers to facts, concepts and principles that need to
Knowledge	be known and/or understood in order to accomplish a task or to solve a problem.
Key Learning	The key learning outcome is the statement of what a learner needs to know,
Outcome	understand and be able to do in order to achieve the terminal outcomes. A
	set of key learning outcomes will make up the training outcomes. Training
	outcome is specified in terms of knowledge, understanding (theory) and
	skills (practical application).
OJT (M)	On-the-job training (Mandatory); trainees are mandated to complete
	specified hours of training on-site
OJT (R)	On-the-job training (Recommended); trainees are recommended the
	specified hours of training on-site
Procedural	Procedural knowledge addresses how to do something, or how to perform a
Knowledge	task. It is the ability to work or produce a tangible work output by applying
	cognitive, affective or psychomotor skills.
Training Outcome	Training outcome is a statement of what a learner will know, understand
	and be able to do upon the completion of the training.
Terminal Outcome	The terminal outcome is a statement of what a learner will know,
	understand and be able to do upon the completion of a module. A set of
	terminal outcomes help to achieve the training outcome.







Acronyms and Abbreviations

Term	Description
NOS	National Occupational Standard (s)
NSQF	National Skills Qualifications Framework
OJT	On-the-job Training
QP	Qualifications Pack
PwD	People with Disability
PPE	Personal Protective Equipment