Focus Statement
The Basic Rigger safely uses and recognizes the limitations of chain, synthetic, metal mesh, and wire rope slings as well as specific rigging hardware, including hooks and similar attaching devices, shackles, wire rope clips, clamps, eyebolts, softeners, and taglines. The Basic Rigger identifies common load configurations and positioning and demonstrates specific knowledge of crane operations, including voice and radio communications (as defined in ASME B30.2, ASME B30.3, ASME B30.5, ASME B30.6), personal fall protection methods, emergency procedures, and hazards and restrictions with working in proximity to overhead electric lines and equipment.

Overview
This knowledge assessment is a two-hour closed-book examination.
- You will be permitted to use a basic function, non-printing calculator during the examination.
- No extra papers, books, notes or study material are allowed in the testing area.

Minimum passing score is 80.

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Practical Examination
A corresponding hands-on Practical Examination is available and required to earn a certified credential.

NCCER Curriculum
All NCCER knowledge assessments are referenced to NCCER’s curriculum modules as listed on this specification sheet. You may order books and modules from Pearson by visiting www.nccer.org/order-books-modules/.

Assessment Development
All questions are developed and approved by subject matter experts under the direction of NCCER.

Credentials
Upon successful completion of the knowledge assessment or performance verification, credentials can be viewed and printed by the individual or assessment program through their NCCER Account.

Score Report and Training Prescription
Each candidate will have online access to their assessment results including their overall score and recommended training through their NCCER Account.

Assessment References:
Basic Rigger Trainee Guide – Edition 3; NCCER
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