Level 3 Test and Measurement
(7267-524)

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Assignment guide for Candidates
Assignment A
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About this document
This assignment comprises all of the assessment for Level 3 Test and Measurement (7267-524).

Health and safety
You are asked to consider the importance of safe working practices at all times.

You are responsible for maintaining the safety of others as well as your own. Anyone behaving in an unsafe fashion will be stopped and a suitable warning given. You will not be allowed to continue with an assignment if you compromise any of the Health and Safety requirements. This may seem rather strict but, apart from the potentially unpleasant consequences, you must acquire the habits required for the workplace.

Time allowance
The recommended time allowance for this assignment is 3 hours.
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Assignment set up:

This assignment is made up of four tasks

- Task A – SMT component recognition and testing
- Task B – SMT measurements and board rework
- Task C – Basic electrical safety testing
- Task D – Multiple-choice questions

Task A – SMT component recognition and testing

You will be provided with a:

- surface mount board on which a number of components are mounted (diagrams shown below)
- some additional components
- digital test meter
- access to component reference data.

Warning:
This diagram is not drawn to scale.
1 State the case type and device type for each of the following components on the supplied board:

- D1
- D2
- Tr1

2 Identify the 100nF capacitor from the additional components provided, and secure it to your answer sheet using tape.

3 With reference to the integrated circuit on the supplied board, state how the correct pin orientation is identified.

4 Below is shown the SO23 case outline for the red LED used on the board. Sketch this on your answer sheet and correctly label the terminals.
Task B – SMT measurements and board rework

You will be provided with a:

- surface mount board with mounted components
- hand tools and test equipment to carry out the tasks listed
- additional components:

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<thead>
<tr>
<th>Component</th>
<th>Value</th>
<th>Package code</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Replacement resistor for R6</td>
<td>47k</td>
<td>0805</td>
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<tr>
<td>Print jumper (0Ω link)</td>
<td>0Ω</td>
<td>1206</td>
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<tr>
<td>Capacitor</td>
<td>22pF</td>
<td>0805</td>
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<td>Capacitor</td>
<td>22pF</td>
<td>1206</td>
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<tr>
<td>Capacitor *</td>
<td>100nF</td>
<td>1206</td>
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<td>Vero pins x 3</td>
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* This component will have been selected and removed in Task A.

1. List the tools and test equipment required to carry out Tasks B2 to B12.

2. Solder vero pins to each of the following points on the surface mount board:
   - +
   - –
   - TP1.

3. Connect the circuit to a 12V d.c. supply. Measure and record the voltage at Tp1 with respect to the negative supply terminal. Disconnect the 12V supply.

4. De-solder R5 from the board and extract any surplus solder from the pads, leaving them ready to accept a new component if required.

5. Re-solder R5 in the position marked ‘New site for R5’.

6. Measure and record the resistance between the copper strips of the new site for R5.

7. Reconnect the supply, measure and record the voltage at Tp1. Disconnect the supply.

8. Solder the 0Ω print jumper (0Ω link) in the indicated position.

9. Reconnect the supply and check that the LED is lit, then take necessary measurements and calculate the current flowing through the LED. Show all your working. Disconnect the supply.

11 Replace R6 with the additional resistor of the same value but different package coding (0805). The new resistor must be soldered onto the adjacent smaller pad.

12 Reconnect the supply, take necessary measurements and calculate the power dissipated by the new R6. Show your working. Disconnect the supply.

13 State with reasons whether the new R6 is a suitable replacement resistor.

**Task C – Basic electrical safety testing**

You will be provided with two portable appliances which you must test with regard to mains safety with the necessary test equipment.

1 The following symbol is shown on a portable electrical appliance. State the meaning of the symbol and how protection is achieved against electric shock.

2 Using appropriate test equipment, carry out safety tests on two portable appliances and complete a report form for each.

**Task D – Multiple-choice questions**

Your assessor will now give you a multiple-choice answer sheet containing 10 multiple-choice questions. Answer all of the questions and hand your answer sheet back to your assessor.

When you have finished working:

- Sign each document above your name and label all removable storage media with your name.
- Hand all paperwork and removable storage media to your assessor.

If the assignment is taken over more than one period, all paperwork and removable media must be returned to the test supervisor at the end of each sitting.

**End of assignment**