

SPECIALISED PLANT AND MACHINERY OPERATIONS

It is important that the instructors/trainers/assessors read all the information provided in the Guidance Notes prior to commencing any instruction, training and/or assessment.

TRAINING OUTCOMES

A module credit will be awarded to the candidate for the successful completion of this module. Instruction, training and/or assessment of mandatory modules MOD 1 and MOD 2 must be undertaken and the CITB Health and Safety Test must be successfully completed (after appropriate training) for the issue of the Specialised Plant and Machinery Operations Intermediate Certificate for Slinger/Signaller.

Module ICT 40 Slinger/Signaller

To successfully complete this module, the trainee with a crane, complete with hoist and qualified crane operator, must be able to:

1. Identify and explain relevant information relating to lifting accessories and match to certification.
2. Ensure that the area of operation is suitable for lifting activities.
3. Estimate weights and centres of gravity.
4. Select appropriate lifting accessories for different types of loads.
5. Sling various loads including balanced, unbalanced and loose.
6. Guide various loads and place accurately including to and from confined and 'blind' areas.
7. Carry out lifts according to given instructions.
8. Use different forms of communication.
9. Explain precautions to be taken for overhead services and other hazards.
10. Keep within safe working parameters.
11. Return lifting accessories to storage.
12. Recognise different types of lifting accessories and their applications.