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General information



- These test regulations apply to initial certification and recertification under the Siemens Low Voltage Certification Program
- A theory assessment verifies that participants possess the knowledge stipulated by Siemens AG for this level of certification
- A practical assessment verifies that participants possess the expertise and practical skills in the area of circuit breaker installation and available testing methods stipulated by Siemens AG for this level of certification
- The content of the assessments for recertification is the same as for the initial certification assessments

Test requirements



Completion of the LV-CBMAIN course entitles a participant to proceed to the certification test (LV-CERT)

Test organization



- There are two components to the test: first comes a theory component involving several different types of question
- and this is followed by a practical component that includes answering questions orally. Participants must demonstrate installation capabilities

The following general provisions apply for both components:

- The test questions may not be copied or removed from the test venue
- The test is hosted at a Siemens site and requires the participant to attend in person
- The tests administered under the Siemens Low Voltage Certification Program are the same worldwide
- The participant can choose to complete the test in German or English.

Test duration



- The theory component of the test has a time limit of 45 minutes.
- The practical component of the test, which is completed as a group activity, has a time limit of 120 minutes.
- Participants completing a test in a language other than their native tongue are allowed an extra 15 minutes for each test component and may use a dictionary.
- The test ends when the time allowed has elapsed or before this if the participant ends the test unilaterally

Performance of the test



- The test is based on the content of the LV-CBMAIN course. There are two components to the test.
- The participant must confirm his/her identity prior to the start of the test by presenting a valid photographic ID.
- The test must be completed by the participant alone with no external aids and no assistance from other people. Participants are likewise not allowed to assist other participants with the test. Participants completing the test in a language that is not their native tongue are allowed to use a dictionary. The people tasked with supervising the test are in principle prohibited from answering questions put to them during the theory component.
- Any attempted deception in connection with the test will result in the participant concerned being automatically graded a fail.
- Test questions and answers must not be shared with third parties. This requirement applies for a period of ten years following the completion of the test.
- If technical or organizational factors make it impossible to host the test as originally scheduled, Siemens AG will notify you promptly of a new test date so that you can complete your certification. Any further claims against Siemens AG are excluded.

Test results (initial certification and recertification)



The test results will be determined and communicated to you straight away where possible. If you have passed the test, you will be presented with your certificate.

If you disagree with the test result determined, you can request that your result be reviewed by a Siemens Low Voltage employee.

Submit your request in writing to

tc-regensburg.de@siemens.com

The review then conducted by the Siemens Low Voltage employee is final and binding.

Further claims against Siemens are excluded insofar as such an exclusion is permitted under the law.

Repeat test



If you do not pass the test, you can take it again. The same rules apply as for the initial test. If a test consists of multiple components, you need only repeat the test components you did not pass. A charge applies for these repeat tests.