

INFORMATION GUIDE FOR THE POWER PLANT MAINTENANCE SELECTION SYSTEM

TEST #5105

INTRODUCTION

The 5105 EEI MASS test is composed of 5 short aptitude tests designed and validated to aid in the selection of candidates for electric utility industry operations and maintenance occupations. Some of the job titles covered by the validation study include Mechanic, Machinist, Electrician, Welder, Pipefitter, Steelworker, Rigger, Instrument and Control Repairer, Helper, Painter, and Insulation worker.

TEST SESSION It is important that you follow the directions of the Test Administrator exactly. If you have any questions about the testing session, be sure to ask the Test Administrator before the testing begins. During testing, you may NOT leave the room, talk, smoke, eat, or drink. Since some tests take several hours, you should consider these factors before the test begins.

All cellular/mobile phones, pagers or other electronic equipment will NOT be allowed in the testing area.

The test will take approximately 2 hours. No study aids are allowed when taking this test.

INFORMATION GUIDE FEEDBACK

At the end of this Guide you have been provided with an Information Guide Feedback page. If a procedure or policy has changed, making any part of this Guide incorrect, your feedback would be appreciated so that corrections can be made.

MASS STUDY MATERIALS STEP-BY-STEP INSTRUCTIONS

To help you prepare for this test, Edison Electric Institute, the test developer, has prepared an informational brochure and detailed practice tests. We recommend that you read through all practice tests and the brochure. The materials are online and are accessible from any computer with internet access. From the websites you may read or print the materials.

***NOTE:** Pop-up blockers may not allow the website to run correctly. If you use Pop-up blockers, it is recommended that they be turned off prior to accessing the site.

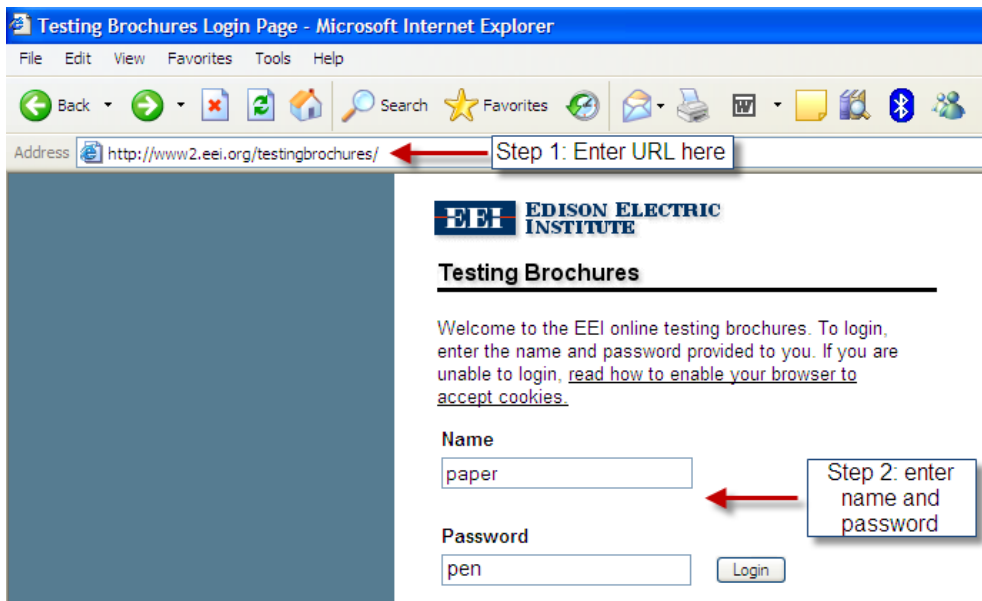
From any computer with internet access, type <https://secure.eei.org/eeitests/onlineproducts/> in the address bar to access the practice tests and test brochure. Type the above address exactly as written.

Both sites require the same username and password, assigned to Southern California Edison. To log in to the sites, enter the following information (case sensitive).

Name: paper

Password: pen

EXAMPLE:



Testing Brochures Login Page - Microsoft Internet Explorer

File Edit View Favorites Tools Help

Back Forward Stop Home Search Favorites Refresh Mail Print Word Pad Bluetooth

Address <http://www2.eei.org/testingbrochures/> Step 1: Enter URL here

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Welcome to the EEI online testing brochures. To login, enter the name and password provided to you. If you are unable to login, [read how to enable your browser to accept cookies.](#)

Name

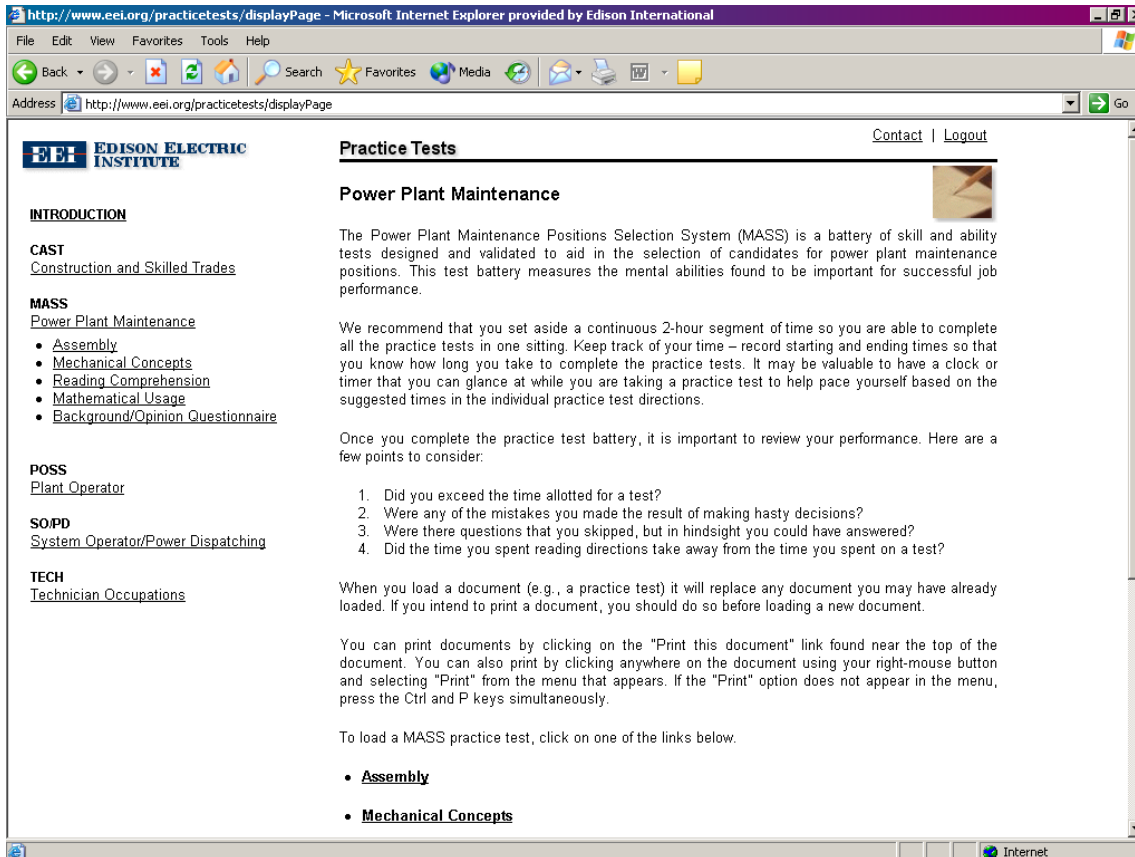
Password

Login

Step 2: enter name and password

Click on “Power Plant Maintenance” (found on the left hand side of the webpage). From there you will be able to access the specific practice test modules or test brochure. You may print the documents if you wish.

EXAMPLE:



The screenshot shows a Microsoft Internet Explorer browser window displaying the website <http://www.eei.org/practicetests/displayPage>. The page is titled "Practice Tests" and features a navigation menu on the left with categories: **INTRODUCTION**, **CAST** (Construction and Skilled Trades), **MASS** (Power Plant Maintenance), **POSS** (Plant Operator), **SOPD** (System Operator/Power Dispatching), and **TECH** (Technician Occupations). The main content area is titled "Power Plant Maintenance" and includes an introduction to the MASS system, a list of test components (Assembly, Mechanical Concepts, Reading Comprehension, Mathematical Usage, Background/Opinion Questionnaire), and a list of four reflective questions for candidates to consider after completing the tests. A "Print this document" link is visible near the top of the text. The browser's address bar and menu bar are also visible.

TROUBLESHOOTING GUIDE TO FREQUENTLY EXPERIENCED PROBLEMS

Pop-up blockers may interfere with your ability to access the study materials and practice tests. If you have pop-up blocker software installed, you may need to temporarily disable it. Contact your Internet Service Provider (America Online – AOL, Earthlink, MSN, Verizon Online, etc).

Anti-virus software (Norton Antivirus, Symantec, etc) may interfere with your ability to access the materials. If you are experiencing problems, you may want to consider temporarily adjusting the settings on your anti-virus software.

If you experience an error message, such as “Internal Server Error,” simply close your browser window, wait a few minutes, and try again.

If you are still having problems, please call EEI at the help number listed on the website.



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Please use this page to notify us of any changes in policies, procedures, or materials affecting this guide. Once completed, return to:

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Human Resources – Talent & Assessment Programs
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