- (E) identify valve actuators;
- (F) explain how to properly store and handle valves;
- (G) explain valve locations and positions;
- (H) determine factors that influence valve selection; and
- (I) interpret valve markings and nameplate information.
- (5) The student applies knowledge and skills in algebraic and geometric mathematics and measurements as they relate to the basic operations of pipefitters. The student is expected to:
 - (A) demonstrate the use of measuring devices such as calculators, compasses, protractors, rulers, measuring tapes, transits and levels;
 - (B) interpret tables of weights and measurements;
 - (C) calculate mathematical piping problems such as fitting take-offs (90 degree, 45 degree and odd angles), equal spread offsets, unequal spread offsets, and rolling offsets;
 - (D) troubleshoot pipefitting problems, including problems with pressure, force, and medical advantage.
 - (E) solve mathematical problems in related pipefitting scenarios, including area, volume, circumference, and right triangles using the Pythagorean theorem.
- (6) The student describes the materials used in threaded piping systems. The student is expected to:
 - (A) identify and explain the materials used in threaded piping systems;
 - (B) identify and explain pipe fittings;
 - (C) read and interpret screwed fitting joint drawings;
 - (D) identify and explain types of threads;
 - (E) determine pipe lengths between joints; and
 - (F) perform threading and assembling piping and valves; and
 - (G) perform calculations for offsets.
- (7) The student describes the materials used in socket weld piping systems. The student is expected to:
 - (A) identify and explain types of socket weld piping materials;

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- (C) prepare pipe ends for fit-up;
- (D) determine pipe lengths between fittings;
- (E) select and install backing rings;
- (F) fabricate channel iron welding jigs;
- (G) demonstrate how to use and care for welding clamps; and
- (H) perform alignment procedures for various types 6 Td [(815 0 EMC /LBodes) 3(i)1342

Recommended Resources and Materials:

Textbook

NCCER (2006). Pipefitting Level 2 Trainee Guide (3rd ed.). Alachua, FL:Pearson.

Curriculum Resources, Materials, Course Planning Tools; performance Profiles, Course Maps, Equipment and Material Lists:

National Center for Construction Education & Research. (2017). *Pipefitting*. Retrieved from National Center for Construction Education & Research: https://www.nccer.org/workforce-development-programs/disciplines/craft-details/pipefitting

Recommended Course Activities:

Under the supervision of the instructor, the trainee should be able to do the following through worksheets, projects, reading assignments and exercises:

- 1. Identify the type of piping system designated by a red color-code.
- 2. Identify the type of piping system designated by a yellow color-code
- 3. Identify the type of piping system designated by a green color-code.
- 4. Identify the type of piping system designated by a bright blue color-code.
- 5. Identify parts of a drawing:
 - a. Title block
 - b. Scales and measurements
 - c. Symbols and abbreviations
 - d. Notes
 - e. Revision blocks
 - f. Coordinates
- 6. Interpret the

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- f. Isometric drawings
- g. Spool drawings
- h. Pipe support drawings and detail sheets
- i. Orthographic drawings
- Make field sketches:
 - a. Orthographic
 - b. Isometric
- 9. Identify valves that start and stop flow.
- 10. Identify valves that regulate flow.
- 11. Identify valves that relieve pressure.
- 12. Identify valves that regulate the direction of flow.
- 13. Identify valve actuators.
- 14. Given a select number of valves, match each valve to its given application.
- 15. Interpret valve markings and nameplate information.
- 16. Read and interpret screwed fitting joint drawings.
- 17. Determine pipe lengths between fittings, using the center-to-center method.
- 18. Determine pipe lengths between fittings, using the center-to-face method.
- 19. Determine pipe lengths between fittings, using the face-to-face method.
- 20. Given the length of travel of a 45-degree piping offset, calculate the length of the set.
- 21. Given the length of the set and the degree of the fittings, use the table of elbow constants to figure the travel and the run.
- 22. Calculate offsets, using the table of multipliers used to calculate offsets.
- 23. Calculate the travel of a rolling offset.
- 24. Thread pipe, using manual threaders.
- 25. Thread pipe, using a threading machine.
- 26. Apply pipe joint compound to the male threads of the pipe.
- 27. Make up the pipe and fittings.
- 28. Install a screwed valve.
- 29. Identify various socket weld fittings.
- 30. Interpret socket weld drawings.
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