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OTHER RELATED OCCUPATIONAL TITLES

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GUIDE TO ANALYSIS

DEVELOPMENT OF ANALYSIS

A draft analysis is developed by a knowledgeable consultant who, with the assistance of a committee of experts in the field, identifies all the tasks performed in the occupation.

STRUCTURE OF ANALYSIS

To facilitate the understanding of the nature of the occupation, the work performed is divided into the following divisions:

BLOCK	 is the largest division within the analysis and reflects a distinct operation relevant to the occupation.
TASK	 is the distinct activity that, combined with others, makes up the logical and necessary steps the worker is required to perform to complete a specific assignment within a "BLOCK."
SUB-TASK	 is the smallest division into which it is practical to subdivide any work activity and, combined with others, fully describes all duties constituting a "TASK."

Supporting Knowledge and Abilities

The element of skill and knowledge that an individual must acquire to adequately perform the task is identified under this heading.

Trends

Any shifts or changes in technology or the working environment which affect the block are identified under this heading.

VALIDATION METHOD

Sloped Roofers validated the sub-tasks and applied percentage ratings to blocks and tasks. This method for the validation assisted in the completion of the time weighting section of the position description.

DEFINITIONS

- **YES:** You perform this sub-task.
- **NO:** You do **not** perform this sub-task.
- **BLOCK %:** The percentage of time you spend on a monthly basis performing this component.
- **TASK %:** The percentage of time you spend on a monthly basis performing this task.

TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT (APPENDIX "A")

GLOSSARY (APPENDIX "B")

PIE CHART (APPENDIX "C")

The graph depicts the percentages the Committee assigned to blocks in the analysis during validation.

DACUM CHART (APPENDIX "D")

The listing of all the blocks, tasks and sub-tasks as established by the Industry Working Group and validated by several Sloped Pitch Roofers.

SCOPE OF THE OCCUPATION

This occupational analysis identifies the tasks performed by qualified Sloped Roofers across Manitoba. Sloped Roofers install, replace and repair sloped roofs (e.g., shingles, asphalt, metal, tile, wood, slate, composite and rolled product roofing) in order to shed water. Sloped Roofers also install attic ventilation systems and flashing. They can also install roof accessories, such as brackets and skylights.

Sloped Roofers generally work on residential buildings but also work on commercial buildings having sloped roofs. Besides installing sloped roofs, Sloped Roofers perform roof maintenance and diagnose issues with existing structures.

In general, Sloped Roofers perform the following main duties:

- Read blueprints and specifications to lay out the work
- Remove existing roof and prepare substrate
- Unload, stack and hoist materials
- Install watershed roofing systems including flashing and venting
- Maintain roofs and systems.

Most Sloped Roofers are employed by roofing companies, general contractors or may be selfemployed. In the construction industry, Sloped Roofers work on a short-term project basis and are required to frequently travel from job to job.

To be successful in the trade, Sloped Roofers need the ability to work at heights and to use good judgment with regards to safety equipment. The work is physically demanding and requires considerable effort in lifting, climbing, bending, kneeling and balancing on high, steep pitched and slippery surfaces. Sloped Roofers require the ability to work outdoors in extreme weather conditions and in teams or crews. The capability to travel and work with different crews is important.

OCCUPATIONAL OBSERVATIONS

Sloped Roofers are using more automated equipment to move roofing materials and install roofing systems. Newer, innovative roofing products, more ergonomic practices and automated equipment such as lifts, cranes and mechanical platforms help Sloped Roofers maintain safety, reduce daily fatigue and extend their physical capacity for this occupation.

Current housing trends influencing roofing systems include: the demand for more energy efficient, lower maintenance roofing systems; the urban trend for decorative roofs, and the increased supply of older homes that need retrofitting.

The increasing number of roof projections cause Sloped Roofers to spend more time detailing and accommodating features. Sloped Roofers are producing roofing systems with more uniform features. They must also consider the architectural design and esthetics of panels and siding.

Refuse material is often required to be separated and recycled, especially with regard to asphalt products, metals and other materials generated by Sloped Roofer trade projects.

The work of a Sloped Roofer, by its nature, possesses inherent hazards. Safe work procedures and job hazard analysis assist in eliminating jobsite injuries. The use of personal protective equipment, such as respirators or hand and eye-protection, is becoming more important. There is an increased use of fall protection and restraint equipment.

Sloped Roofers must possess physical ability, manual dexterity and balance. They must have basic mathematics, basic physics, problem solving skills communication skills. Sloped Roofers must maintain constant attention to the application of safety procedures.

ANALYSIS

BLOCK A

OCCUPATIONAL SKILLS

Trends:New tools and equipment have been introduced to make tasks easier for Sloped
Roofers. There are more cordless tools available to roofers. Safety equipment
and Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) are being used more consistently by
roofers. Worksite and public safety has become more important. Use of
documentation by roofers has increased in order to demonstrate due diligence
and compliance with regulations.

Task 1 Uses tools.

1.01	Inspect hand, power and pneumatic tools.	Supporting	Knowledge and Abilities
		1.01.01	knowledge of types of roofing hand tools such as measuring, cutting, ripping, fastening and applications
		1.01.02	knowledge of power and pneumatic tools such as caulking guns, nailers, drills, staplers and saws
		1.01.03	ability to select hand, power and pneumatic tools for specific jobs
		1.01.04	ability to store hand, power and pneumatic tools
		1.01.05	ability to recognize worn, damaged and defective hand, power and pneumatic tools
		1.01.06	ability to do minor repairs or recalibrate tools
Sub-ta	isk		
1.02	Maintains hand, power and pneumatic tools.	<u>Supporting</u>	Knowledge and Abilities
		1.02.01	knowledge of manufacturers' specifications and maintenance requirements
		1.02.02	ability to recognize worn, damaged and defective hand, power and pneumatic tools

1.02.03	ability to perform required maintenance
1.02.00	ability to perform required maintenance

1.03	Lock-out and tag-out tools.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities	
		1.03.01	knowledge of function of hand, power and pneumatic tools
		1.03.02	knowledge of tag out procedures
		1.03.03	ability to identify safe or unsafe tools
		1.03.04	ability to document the tag out ability to tag out unsafe equipment

Sub-task

1.04	Uses hand, power and pneumatic tools.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities	
		1.04.01	knowledge of types of hand, power and pneumatic tools
		1.04.02	knowledge of manufacturer specifications
		1.04.03	knowledge of safe operation
		1.04.04	ability to select hand, power and pneumatic tools
		1.04.05	ability to store hand, power and pneumatic tools
		1.04.06	ability to adjust tool to manufacturers' specifications for specific tasks

Task 2Uses specialty equipment.

2.01	Drives trucks and hauls trailers.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities	
		2.01.01	knowledge of load restrictions
		2.01.02	knowledge of capacity of truck and trailer
		2.01.03	knowledge of transportation regulations

2.01.04	knowledge of <i>Manitoba Highway Traffic</i> Act
2.01.05	knowledge of maintenance of vehicles
2.01.06	knowledge of loading and unloading procedures
2.01.07	knowledge of hydraulics operation
2.01.08	ability to secure loads
2.01.09	ability to operate the truck and trailer with and without a load

2.02	Uses forklift and hoisting equipment.	<u>Supporting</u>	Knowledge and Abilities
		2.02.01	knowledge of types of hoists such as hand, ladder and forklift
		2.02.02	knowledge of safe work practices for hoisting and lifting
		2.02.03	knowledge of regulations for hoisting
		2.02.04	knowledge of manufacturer specifications
		2.02.05	knowledge of training and certification requirements
		2.02.06	knowledge of operating procedures
		2.02.07	knowledge of weight distribution when lifting
		2.02.08	ability to protect roof and substrate from counterweights and frame
		2.02.09	ability to maintain hoisting and lifting equipment
		2.02.10	ability to secure loads
		2.02.11	ability to recognize worn, damaged and defective hoisting and lifting equipment

Task 3Follows safety procedures.

Sub-task

3.01	Uses personal protective equipment.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities	
		3.01.01	knowledge of types of PPE such as harnesses, respirators, eye protections, safety boots, gloves and hearing protection
		3.01.02	knowledge of safety equipment such as warning lines, guard rails, fire extinguishers and first aid kits
		3.01.04	knowledge of operating procedures for PPE and safety equipment
		3.01.05	knowledge of company safety policies
		3.01.06	knowledge of safety regulations and legislation
		3.01.07	knowledge of training and certification requirements
		3.01.08	ability to select PPE for specific job
		3.01.09	ability to install safety equipment
		3.01.10	ability to maintain PPE and safety equipment
		3.01.11	ability to store PPE and safety equipment
		3.01.12	ability to recognize worn, damaged and defective PPE and safety equipment
		3.01.13	ability to document usage of PPE and safety equipment
Sub-ta	ask		
3.02	Installs safety barriers.	<u>Supporting</u>	Knowledge and Abilities
		3.02.01	knowledge of types of safety barriers

3.02.02 knowledge of workplace health and safety regulations

3.02.03	knowledge of safety fences and walkways for the public
3.02.04	knowledge of company safety policies
3.02.05	knowledge of equipment required to install safety barriers
3.02.06	ability to identify hazards in or to protect work crew, property and the public
3.02.07	ability to install and maintain safety barriers
3.02.08	ability to document use of safety barriers

3.03	Uses fall protection.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities		
		3.03.01	knowledge of types of fall protection	
		3.03.02	knowledge of workplace health and safety regulations	
		3.03.03	knowledge of company safety policies	
		3.03.04	knowledge of training and certification requirements	
		3.03.05	ability to select appropriate style of fall protection for the job	
		3.03.06	ability to inspect and maintain equipment	
		3.03.07	ability to identify worn, damaged or expired equipment	

3.04	Conducts hazard assessment.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities		
		3.04.01	knowledge of potential hazards	
		3.04.02	knowledge of documentation procedures	
		3.04.03	knowledge of company safe work procedures	
		3.04.04	knowledge of job requirements	

3.04.05	ability to work in confined spaces
3.04.06	ability to recognize hazards
3.04.07	ability to control or eliminate potential hazards
3.04.08	ability to communicate the hazards to the workforce, clients and other trades
3.04.09	ability to identify and protect onsite utilities such as electrical outlets and gas lines

Task 4Uses staging equipment.

4.01	Uses ladders.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities		
		4.01.01	knowledge of types of ladders	
		4.01.02	knowledge of capacities and restrictions of ladders	
		4.01.03	knowledge of safe work procedures	
		4.01.04	ability to erect a ladder	
		4.01.05	ability to select job specific ladder	
		4.01.06	ability to secure ladder to building	
		4.01.07	ability to recognize worn, damaged and	
		4.01.08	defective ladders ability to transport ladders	
		4.01.09 ability to ensure solid footing for ladders		
Sub-ta	ısk			
4.02	Installs scaffolding equipment.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities		
		4.02.01	knowledge of types and capacity of scaffolding	

	scattolding
4.02.02	knowledge of certification requirements for the operation or erection of scaffolding
4.02.03	knowledge of regulations for the use of scaffolding

4.02.04	knowledge of maintenance schedule
4.02.05	ability to ensure solid footing for scaffolding
4.02.06	ability to assemble scaffolding
4.02.07	ability to erect scaffolding
4.02.08	ability to level scaffolding
4.02.09	ability to secure scaffolding to building
4.02.10	ability to recognize worn, damaged and defective scaffolding
4.02.11	ability to maintain and erect scaffolding

Task 5 Uses trade documents.

5.01	Reads blueprints and job specifications.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities		
		5.01.01	knowledge of blueprint reading	
		5.01.02	knowledge of mathematical skills	
		5.01.03	knowledge of imperial and metric conversions	
		5.01.04	knowledge to identify trade specific sections	
		5.01.05	knowledge of codes and regulations	
		5.01.06	ability to translate blueprint information to practice	
		5.01.07	ability to measure dimensions such as area, length and volume	
Sub-ta	ask			
5.02	Estimates job and	Supporting	Knowledge and Abilities	

5.02	Estimates job and materials.	<u>Supportin</u>	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities		
		5.02.01	knowledge of types of materials and production capabilities		
		5.02.02	knowledge of manufacturer specifications		

5.02.03	knowledge of coverage rates of roofing materials
5.02.04	ability to measure dimensions such as area, length and volume
5.02.05	ability to minimize material waste
5.02.06	ability to perform basic mathematical calculations
5.02.07	ability to convert metric and imperial measurements
5.02.08	ability to apply manufacture specifications

Task 6 Organizes work.

Sub-task

6.01	Provides customer service.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities		
		6.01.01	knowledge of company public relations policies	
		6.01.02	knowledge of residential regulations	
		6.01.03	knowledge of contracts	
		6.01.04	knowledge of communication skills	
		6.01.05	ability to educate customer on roofing products and procedures	
		6.01.06	ability to communicate using various media	
Sub-ta	Sub-task			
6.02	Communicates with other	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities		

trades	and s	aqua	liers.

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 - knowledge of scope of work for trades 6.02.01
 - knowledge of scheduling requirements 6.02.02
 - ability to implement scheduling timelines 6.02.03
 - ability to coordinate material delivery 6.02.04
 - 6.02.05 ability to communicate with other trades using various media

6.03	Orders supplies.	<u>Supporting</u>	g Knowledge and Abilities
		6.03.01	knowledge of supplier products and capabilities
		6.03.02	knowledge to estimate take offs
		6.03.03	knowledge of supplier inventory and shipping practices
		6.03.04	knowledge of current pricing lists
		6.03.05	ability to communicate to supplier
		6.03.06	ability to document orders
		6.03.07	ability to adhere to timelines for shipping
Sub-ta	ask		
6.04	Arranges worksite scheduling.	<u>Supporting</u>	g Knowledge and Abilities
		6.04.01	knowledge of deadlines and contracts

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- 6.04.02 knowledge of labour force and capabilities
- 6.04.03 knowledge of daily weather conditions
- 6.04.04 knowledge of available transportation modes
- 6.04.05 knowledge of tools and equipment required
- 6.04.06 ability to adjust or alter schedule
- 6.04.07 ability to document schedules
- 6.04.08 ability to contact employees

BLOCK B

ROOF PREPARATIONS

Trends: There is an increased demand to sort materials for recycling and reuse. New technologies have been developed to assess the condition of the roof. More emphasis is placed on safety management, controlled debris management and protection of the environment.

Task 7Removes and demolishes watershed materials.

7.01	Arranges debris management.	<u>Supporting</u>	Knowledge and Abilities
		7.01.01	knowledge of types of existing materials
		7.01.02	knowledge of testing procedures
		7.01.03	knowledge of safe work procedures
		7.01.04	knowledge of approved disposal facilities
		7.01.05	knowledge of signage procedures
		7.01.06	knowledge of components of material disposal systems such as wheelbarrows, garbage bags, chutes and disposal bins
		7.01.07	knowledge of regulations regarding separation of materials such as waste and recyclable materials
		7.01.08	ability to erect and disassemble chutes and counterweights
		7.01.09	ability to arrange debris removal and cartage
		7.01.10	ability to place signage in suitable location

Protects job site.	te. <u>Supporting Knowledge and Abilities</u>	
	7.02.01	knowledge of protection equipment such as tarps, sheeting and barriers
	7.02.02	knowledge of proper signage procedures
	7.02.03	ability to identify areas of potential or previous damage
	7.02.04	ability to erect barriers to protect area of non-operation
	7.02.05	ability to place equipment and materials to prevent damage
	7.02.06	ability to use tarps for protection and hoarding
	Protects job site.	7.02.01 7.02.02 7.02.03 7.02.04 7.02.05

7.03	Removes existing materials.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities	
		7.03.01	knowledge of types of existing materials
		7.03.02	knowledge of testing procedures
		7.03.03	knowledge of safe work procedures
		7.03.04	knowledge of approved disposal facilities
		7.03.05	knowledge of signage procedures
		7.03.06	knowledge of components of material disposal systems such as wheelbarrows, garbage bags, chutes and disposal bins
		7.03.07	knowledge of regulations regarding separation of materials such as waste and recyclable materials
		7.03.08	ability to erect and disassemble chutes and counterweights
		7.03.09	ability to arrange debris removal and cartage
		7.03.10	ability to place signage in suitable location

Task 8Assesses project.

Sub-task

8.01	Evaluates substrate and structures.	<u>Supporting</u>	Knowledge and Abilities
		8.01.01	knowledge of vapour barriers
		8.01.02	knowledge of basic carpentry skills
		8.01.03	knowledge of types of deck substrates such as wood sheeting and dimensional lumber
		8.01.04	knowledge of substrate defects
		8.01.05	knowledge of structural defects
		8.01.06	ability to clean substrate
		8.01.07	ability to secure loose substrate components
		8.01.08	ability to conduct visual inspection
		8.01.09	ability to document evaluation

8.02	Assesses roofing components.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities	
		8.02.01	knowledge of roofing components such as flashings, stacks, chimneys and watershed materials
		8.02.02	knowledge of type and quality of insulation and existing venting
		8.02.03	ability to differentiate between reusable and expired materials
		8.02.04	ability to document assessment

8.03	Modifies job specifications.	<u>Supporting</u>	Knowledge and Abilities
		8.03.01	knowledge of different roofing systems
		8.03.02	knowledge of types of materials and production capabilities
		8.03.03	knowledge of manufacturer specifications
		8.03.04	knowledge of coverage rates of roofing materials
		8.03.05	ability to measure dimensions such as area, length and volume
		8.03.06	ability to minimize material waste
		8.03.07	ability to perform basic mathematical calculations
		8.03.08	ability to convert metric and imperial measurements
		8.03.09	ability to apply manufacturer's specifications
Task 9	Prepares decking.		
Sub-ta	ask		
9.01	Performs non-structural repairs.	<u>Supporting</u>	Knowledge and Abilities
		9.01.01	knowledge of basic carpentry skills
		9.01.02	knowledge of fasteners
		9.01.03	knowledge of restoration procedures
		9.01.04	knowledge of tools and equipment

- 9.01.05 ability to perform basic carpentry
- 9.01.06 ability to perform repairs in a timely fashion

9.02	Prepares substrate.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities	
		9.02.01	knowledge of types of deck substrates
		9.02.02	knowledge of substrate defects
		9.02.03	knowledge of structural defects
		9.02.04	ability to clean substrate
		9.02.05	ability to secure loose substrate components

Sub-task

9.03	Builds	cricket.
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Supporting Knowledge and Abilities

9.03.01	knowledge of crickets
9.03.02	knowledge of local building code and requirements
9.03.03	knowledge of basic carpentry skills
9.03.04	knowledge of problem solving
9.03.05	ability to design and build cricket

BLOCK C

ROOF CAVITY VENTILATION

Trends:Changes in building code regulations requires more specific venting. The trend
for more energy efficient homes has created more types of ventilation challenges.
The new venting systems create the need to retrofit older chkl;aracter homes.

Task 10 Installs Eave (Intake) Venting.

Sub-task

10.01	Installs ventilation chutes.	Supporting I	Knowledge and Abilities
		10.01.01	knowledge of ventilation requirements
		10.01.02	knowledge of building codes
		10.01.03	knowledge of manufacturer specifications
		10.01.04	knowledge of types of chute products such as styrofoam
		10.01.05	knowledge of evidence of lack of ventilation
		10.01.06	knowledge of venting options
		10.01.07	ability to remove and re-install roof deck
		10.01.08	ability to cut, fit and fasten chute
		10.01.09	ability to install soffit vents as required such as cutting plywood and fitting
		10.01.10	ability to cut-in and install venting
Sub-ta	sk		
10.02	Installs soffit venting.	Supporting I	Knowledge and Abilities
		10.02.01	knowledge of ventilation requirements
		10.02.02	knowledge of building codes
		10.02.03	knowledge of manufacturer specifications
		10.02.04	knowledge of types of chute products

such as styrofoam

		10.02.05	knowledge of evidence of lack of ventilation
		10.02.06	knowledge of venting options
		10.02.07	ability to remove and re-install roof deck
		10.02.08	ability to cut, fit and fasten chute
		10.02.09	ability to install soffit vents as required (cutting plywood and fitting)
		10.02.10	ability to cut-in and install venting
Sub-ta	sk		
10.03	Installs eave venting.	Supporting I	Knowledge and Abilities
		10.03.01	knowledge of ventilation requirements
		10.03.02	knowledge of building codes
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		10.03.03	knowledge of manufacturer specifications

- knowledge of evidence of lack of 10.03.05 ventilation
- knowledge of venting options 10.03.06
- ability to remove and re-install roof deck 10.03.07
- ability to cut, fit and fasten chute 10.03.08
- ability to install soffit vents as required (cutting plywood and fitting) 10.03.09
- ability to cut-in and install venting 10.03.10

Task 11 Installs Roof Venting.

Sub-task

11.01	Calculates venting requirements.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities		
		11.01.01	knowledge of venting systems	
		11.01.02	knowledge of venting types	
		11.01.03	knowledge of building codes	

11.01.04	knowledge of manufacturer requirements
11.01.05	knowledge of mathematics and communication skills
11.01.06	ability to apply venting requirements, communicate number and type of venting needed
11.01.07	ability to calculate number of vents, type and location

11.02 Installs roof vents.		Supporting Knowledge and Abilities		
		11.02.01	knowledge of roof ventilation requirements, systems and products	
		11.02.02	knowledge of building codes	
		11.02.03	knowledge of manufacturer requirements	
		11.02.04	knowledge of roofing systems and installation procedures	
		11.02.05	knowledge of types of vents and products	
		11.02.06	ability to use basic carpentry to modify opening of roof deck to fit on vents	
		11.02.07	ability to cut, shape and modify shingles	
		11.02.08	ability to install and secure vents to ensure watershed	
Sub-ta	sk			
11.03	Installs power vents.	Supporting I	Knowledge and Abilities	
		11.03.01	knowledge of power ventilation requirements, systems and products	

- 11.03.02 knowledge of building codes
- 11.03.03 knowledge of manufacturer requirements
- 11.03.04 knowledge of roofing systems and installation procedures
- 11.03.05 knowledge of types of vents and products

11.03.04	ability to co-ordinate installation with electrician
11.03.06	ability to use basic carpentry to modify opening of roof deck to fit on vents
11.03.07	ability to cut, shape and modify shingles
11.03.08	ability to install and secure vents to ensure watershed

11.04	Installs ridge vents.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities	
		11.04.01	knowledge of ridge ventilation requirements, systems and products
		11.04.02	knowledge of building codes
		11.04.03	knowledge of manufacturer requirements
		11.04.04	knowledge of roofing systems and installation procedures
		11.04.05	knowledge of types of vents and products
		11.04.06	ability to use basic carpentry to modify opening of roof deck to fit on vents
		11.04.07	ability to cut, shape and modify shingles
		11.04.08	ability to install and secure vents to ensure watershed

BLOCK D

INSTALLATION OF SLOPED ROOF

Trends:Designs for shingles, tiles and metals have changed significantly. Roof
components are increasingly designed to meet architectural and longevity
concerns. Customer choice in these products has increased. Underlayment
materials and application methods have enhanced watershed capabilities.

Task 12Installs roofing accessories.

12.01	Installs skylights.	Supporting	Knowledge and Abilities
		12.01.01	knowledge of roofing systems, flashing system and membranes
		12.01.02	knowledge of basic carpentry, mathematics, physics and weather effect
		12.01.03	ability to read and follow installation procedures of manufacturer specifications
		12.01.04	ability to cut and fit membrane
		12.01.05	ability to cut and fit flashing
		12.01.06	ability to cut, shape and modify roofing materials
		12.01.07	ability to understand water flow, watershed principles and to calculate angles and volume
Sub-ta	sk		
12.02	Installs brackets.	Supporting	Knowledge and Abilities
		12.02.01	knowledge of types of brackets and bracket materials
		12.02.02	knowledge of types of fasteners and application to substrate
		12.02.03	knowledge of load demands of bracket and substrate
		12.02.04	ability to remove and re-install bracket
		12.02.05	ability to recognize when to use sealant

12.03	Installs eavestroughs.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities	
		12.03.01	knowledge of watershed principles
		12.03.02	knowledge of types of eavestrough materials and accessories
		12.03.03	knowledge of local building codes for drainage and downpipe directions
		12.03.04	knowledge of downpipe location and drain water management
		12.03.05	knowledge of the relation between the roofing system and eavestrough drainage
		12.03.06	knowledge of physics, mathematics and weather effect
		12.03.07	ability to cut, fit and install eavestrough
		12.03.08	ability to determine downpipe location
		12.03.09	ability to determine direction of drainage
		12.03.10	ability to understand water flow, watershed principles and to calculate angles and volume
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Task 13 Installs roofing materials.

13.01	Installs eave protection.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities	
		13.01.01	knowledge of types of eave protection such as felt, peel and stick, membrane, mineral surface
		13.01.02	knowledge of compatibility of products
		13.01.03	knowledge of factors contributing to ice damming
		13.01.04	knowledge of product requirement and coverage based on different slopes and overhangs

13.01.05	knowledge of building code and/or manufacturer recommended installation
13.01.06	knowledge of basic mathematics, physics and weather effect
13.01.07	ability to apply types of eave protection, ensure product compatibility and follow installation procedure
13.01.08	ability to measure, cut and fit materials

13.02	Installs underlay.	Supporting	Knowledge and Abilities
		13.02.01	knowledge of types of underlay
		13.02.02	knowledge of product requirements for coverage based on different slopes and angles
		13.02.03	knowledge of compatibility of products based on different slopes and overhangs
		13.02.04	knowledge of basic mathematics, physics and weather effect
		13.02.05	knowledge of building code and/or manufacturer recommendation for installation
		13.02.06	ability to apply types of underlay, ensure product compatibility and follow installation procedure
		13.02.07	ability to measure, cut and fit materials
Sub-ta	isk		
13.03	Installs asphalt shingles.	<u>Supporting</u>	Knowledge and Abilities
		13.03.01	knowledge of watershed principles and techniques
		13.03.02	knowledge of asphalt shingles, fasteners and flashing, and compatibility of underlay and eave protection

13.03.03	knowledge of roofing accessory requirements and installation of asphalt shingles
13.03.04	knowledge of flashing requirements
13.03.05	knowledge of venting requirements
13.03.06	knowledge of installation procedures
13.03.07	ability to cut, shape, modify and fasten asphalt shingles based on product specifications
13.03.08	ability to fasten or secure asphalt shingles
13.03.09	ability to use and install flashing components
13.03.10	ability to use and install venting components

13.04	Installs metal roofing.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities	
		13.04.01	knowledge of watershed principles and techniques
		13.04.02	knowledge of metal roofing, fasteners and flashing, and compatibility of underlay and eave protection
		13.04.03	knowledge of roofing accessory requirements and installation of metal roofing
		13.04.04	knowledge of flashing requirements
		13.04.05	knowledge of venting requirements
		13.04.06	knowledge of installation procedures
		13.04.07	ability to cut, shape, modify and fasten metal roofing based on product specifications
		13.04.08	ability to fasten or secure metal roofing
		13.04.09	ability to use and install flashing components

13.04.10 ability to use and install venting components

13.05	Installs tile shingles.	<u>Supporting</u>	Knowledge and Abilities
		13.05.01	knowledge of watershed principles and techniques
		13.05.02	knowledge of tile shingles, fasteners and flashing, and compatibility of underlay and eave protection
		13.05.03	knowledge of roofing accessory requirements and installation of tile shingles
		13.05.04	knowledge of flashing requirements
		13.05.05	knowledge of venting requirements
		13.05.06	knowledge of installation procedures
		13.05.07	ability to cut, shape, modify and fasten tile shingles based on product specifications
		13.05.08	ability to fasten or secure tile shingles
		13.05.09	ability to use and install flashing components
		13.05.10	ability to use and install venting components
Sub-task			
13.06	Installs slate shingles.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities	
		13.06.01	knowledge of watershed principles and techniques
		13.06.02	knowledge of slate shingles, fasteners and flashing, and compatibility of underlay and eave protection

- 13.06.03 knowledge of roofing accessory requirements and installation of slate shingles
- 13.06.04 knowledge of flashing requirements

13.06.05	knowledge of venting requirements
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- 13.06.06 knowledge of installation procedures
- 13.06.07 ability to cut, shape, modify and fasten slate shingles based on product specifications
- 13.06.08 ability to fasten or secure slate shingles
- 13.06.09 ability to use and install flashing components
- 13.06.10 ability to use and install venting components

13.07	Installs wood shingles (shakes).	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities	
		13.07.01	knowledge of watershed principles and techniques
		13.07.02	knowledge of wood shingles, fasteners and flashing, and compatibility of underlay and eave protection
		13.07.03	knowledge of roofing accessory requirements and installation of wood shingles
		13.07.04	knowledge of flashing requirements
		13.07.05	knowledge of venting requirements
		13.07.06	knowledge of installation procedures
		13.07.07	ability to cut, shape, modify and fasten wood shingles based on product specifications
		13.07.08	ability to fasten or secure wood shingles
		13.07.09	ability to use and install flashing components
		13.08.10	ability to use and install venting components

13.08	Installs rolled products.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities	
		13.08.01	knowledge of watershed principles and techniques
		13.08.02	knowledge of rolled products, fasteners and flashing, and compatibility of underlay and eave protection
		13.08.03	knowledge of roofing accessory manufacturer requirements and installation of rolled products
		13.08.04	knowledge of flashing requirements
		13.08.05	knowledge of venting requirements
		13.08.06	knowledge of installation procedures
		13.08.07	ability to cut, shape, modify and fasten rolled products based on product specifications
		13.08.08	ability to fasten or secure rolled products
		13.08.09	ability to use and install flashing components
		13.08.10	ability to use and install venting components
BLOCK E

INSTALLATION OF FLASHING

- Trends: There has been an increase in new roofing products. These products require customized flashing or modification to existing structures, particularly for older character homes. Existing flashing is maintained where possible and replaced if not salvageable.
- Task 14 Installs perimeter flashing.
- Sub-task

14.01	Installs drip edge.	Supporting I	Knowledge and Abilities
		14.01.01	knowledge of types of drip edges such as low slope, standard and steep pitches
		14.01.02	knowledge of manufacturer specifications
		14.01.03	knowledge of building specifications
		14.01.04	knowledge of types of metal flashing for drip edges
		14.01.05	knowledge of types of fasteners
		14.01.06	knowledge of compatibility of fasteners and flashings
		14.01.07	knowledge of fitting methods
		14.01.08	knowledge of watershed design principles
		14.01.09	knowledge of expansion and contraction of flashings
		14.01.10	knowledge of basic physics principles of volume, velocity and inertia
		14.01.11	ability to cut, fit and fasten drip edge metal flashings
		14.01.12	ability to apply sealant

14.02	Installs rake edge.	Supporting I	Knowledge and Abilities
		14.02.01	knowledge of types of rake edges such as low slope, standard and steep pitches
		14.02.02	knowledge of manufacturer specifications
		14.02.03	knowledge of building specifications
		14.02.04	knowledge of types of metal flashing for rake edges
		14.02.05	knowledge of types of fasteners
		14.02.06	knowledge of compatibility of fasteners and flashings
		14.02.07	knowledge of fitting methods
		14.02.08	knowledge of watershed design principles
		14.02.09	knowledge of expansion and contraction of flashings
		14.02.10	knowledge of basic physics principles of volume, velocity and inertia
		14.02.11	ability to cut, fit and fasten rake edge metal flashings
		14.02.12	ability to apply sealant
Sub-ta	sk		
14.03	Installs peak flashing.	Supporting I	Knowledge and Abilities
		14.03.01	knowledge of types of peak flashing such as low slope, standard and steep pitches
		14.03.02	knowledge of manufacturer specifications
		14.03.03	knowledge of building specifications
		14.03.04	knowledge of types of metal flashing for peak edges
		14.03.05	knowledge of types of fasteners

14.03.06	knowledge of compatibility of fasteners and flashings
14.03.07	knowledge of fitting methods
14.03.08	knowledge of watershed design principles
14.03.09	knowledge of expansion and contraction of flashings
14.03.10	knowledge of basic physics principles of volume, velocity and inertia
14.03.11	ability to cut, fit and fasten peak edge metal flashings
14.03.12	ability to apply sealant
14.03.13	ability to communicate details for specific flashing requirements
14.03.14	ability to calibrate various pitch angles

Task 15Installs wall to roof intersection flashing.

15.01	Installs step flashing.	<u>Supporting</u>	Knowledge and Abilities
		15.01.01	knowledge of roofing systems and flashing requirements
		15.01.02	knowledge of types of metal flashings such aluminum, copper and steel for wall to roof intersection flashing
		15.01.03	knowledge of types of fasteners
		15.01.04	knowledge of compatibility of fasteners and flashings
		15.01.05	knowledge of fitting methods
		15.01.06	knowledge of watershed design principles
		15.01.07	knowledge of expansion and contraction of flashings
		15.01.08	ability to cut, fit, finish and fasten metal flashings
		15.01.09	ability to apply sealants

15.02	Installs wall flashing.	Supporting	Knowledge and Abilities
		15.02.01	knowledge of roofing systems and flashing requirements
		15.02.02	knowledge of types of metal flashings such aluminum, copper and steel for wall to roof intersection flashing
		15.02.03	knowledge of types of fasteners
		15.02.04	knowledge of compatibility of fasteners and flashings
		15.02.05	knowledge of fitting methods
		15.02.06	knowledge of watershed design principles
		15.02.07	knowledge of expansion and contraction of flashings
		15.02.08	ability to cut, fit, finish and fasten metal flashings
		15.02.09	ability to apply sealants
Sub-ta	sk		
Sub-ta 15.03	Installs counter flashing.	<u>Supporting</u>	Knowledge and Abilities
		Supporting	<u>Knowledge and Abilities</u> knowledge of roofing systems and flashing requirements
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		15.03.01	knowledge of roofing systems and flashing requirements knowledge of types of metal flashings such aluminum, copper and steel for wall
		15.03.01 15.03.02	knowledge of roofing systems and flashing requirements knowledge of types of metal flashings such aluminum, copper and steel for wall to roof intersection flashing knowledge of types of fasteners and wall
		15.03.01 15.03.02 15.03.03	knowledge of roofing systems and flashing requirements knowledge of types of metal flashings such aluminum, copper and steel for wall to roof intersection flashing knowledge of types of fasteners and wall construction types knowledge of compatibility of fasteners
		15.03.01 15.03.02 15.03.03 15.03.04	 knowledge of roofing systems and flashing requirements knowledge of types of metal flashings such aluminum, copper and steel for wall to roof intersection flashing knowledge of types of fasteners and wall construction types knowledge of compatibility of fasteners and flashings
		15.03.01 15.03.02 15.03.03 15.03.04 15.03.05	 knowledge of roofing systems and flashing requirements knowledge of types of metal flashings such aluminum, copper and steel for wall to roof intersection flashing knowledge of types of fasteners and wall construction types knowledge of compatibility of fasteners and flashings knowledge of fitting methods

		15.03.08	knowledge of grout lines of exterior finishes
		15.03.09	ability to cut, fit, finish and fasten metal flashings
		15.03.10	ability to adapt flashing to accommodate exterior finish
		15.03.11	ability to apply sealants
Sub-ta	sk		
15.04	Installs cap flashing.	Supporting I	Knowledge and Abilities
		15.04.01	knowledge of roofing systems and flashing requirements
		15.04.02	knowledge of types of metal flashings such aluminum, copper and steel for wall to roof intersection flashing
		15.04.03	knowledge of types of fasteners
		15.04.04	knowledge of compatibility of fasteners and flashings
		15.04.05	knowledge of fitting methods
		15.04.06	knowledge of watershed design principles
		15.04.07	knowledge of expansion and contraction of flashings
		15.04.08	knowledge of fire code requirements regarding firewall cap flashing
		15.04.09	ability to cut, fit, finish and fasten metal flashings
		15.04.10	ability to apply sealants

Task 16Installs valley flashing.

16.01	Installs exposed valley flashing.	Supporting I	Knowledge and Abilities
		16.01.01	knowledge of building codes
		16.01.02	knowledge of installation procedures for valley flashing
		16.01.03	knowledge of types of valley options
		16.01.04	knowledge of types of fasteners
		16.01.05	knowledge of compatibility of fasteners and flashings
		16.01.06	knowledge of fitting methods
		16.01.07	knowledge of watershed design principles
		16.01.08	knowledge of expansion and contraction of flashings
		16.01.09	ability to cut, fit finish and fasten metal flashings
		16.01.10	ability to apply sealant
Sub-ta	sk		
16.02	Installs backpan flashing.	Supporting I	Knowledge and Abilities
		16.02.01	knowledge of building codes
		16.02.02	knowledge of installation procedures for backpan flashing
		16.02.03	knowledge of types of backpan options
		16.02.04	knowledge of types of fasteners
		16.02.05	knowledge of compatibility of fasteners and flashings
		16.02.06	knowledge of fitting methods
		16.02.07	knowledge of watershed design principles

16.02.08	knowledge of expansion and contraction of flashings
16.02.09	ability to cut, fit finish and fasten metal flashings
16.02.10	ability to apply sealant

16.03	Installs cricket flashing.	Supporting	Knowledge and Abilities
		16.03.01	knowledge of building codes
		16.03.02	knowledge of installation procedures for cricket flashing
		16.03.03	knowledge of types of cricket options
		16.03.04	knowledge of types of fasteners
		16.03.05	knowledge of compatibility of fasteners and flashings
		16.03.07	knowledge of fitting methods
		16.03.08	knowledge of watershed design principles
		16.03.09	knowledge of expansion and contraction of flashings
		16.03.10	ability to cut, fit finish and fasten metal flashings
		16.03.11	ability to apply sealant
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Task 17Installs protrusion flashing.

17.01	Installs cone chimney flashing.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities	
		17.01.01	knowledge of types of metal flashings for cone flashing such as aluminum, copper and steel
		17.01.02	knowledge of types of fasteners
		17.01.03	knowledge of compatibility of fasteners and flashings

		17.01.04	knowledge of fitting methods
		17.01.05	knowledge of watershed design principles
		17.01.06	knowledge of expansion and contractions of flashings
		17.01.07	ability to cut, fit, finish and fasten metal flashings
		17.01.08	ability to apply sealant
Sub-ta	sk		
17.02	Installs plumbing flashing.	Supporting	Knowledge and Abilities
		17.02.01	knowledge of types of metal flashings for plumbing flashing such as aluminum, copper and steel
		17.02.02	knowledge of types of fasteners
		17.02.03	knowledge of compatibility of fasteners and flashings
		17.02.04	knowledge of fitting methods
		17.02.05	knowledge of watershed design principles
		17.02.06	knowledge of expansion and contractions of flashings
		17.02.07	knowledge of hazardous materials, specifically lead
		17.02.08	knowledge of plumbing ventilation
		17.02.09	ability to cut, fit, finish and fasten metal flashings
		17.02.10	ability to apply sealant
Sub-ta	sk		
17.03	Installs exhaust vents.	<u>Supporting</u>	Knowledge and Abilities
		17.03.01	knowledge of types of metal flashings for cone flashing such as aluminum, copper and steel

17.03.02 knowledge of types of fasteners

17.03.03	knowledge of compatibility of fasteners and flashings
17.03.04	knowledge of fitting methods
17.0305	knowledge of watershed design principles
17.03.06	knowledge of expansion and contractions of flashings
17.03.07	knowledge and basic understanding of mechanical exhaust systems
17.03.08	knowledge of expandable sealants
17.03.09	ability to cut, fit, finish and fasten metal flashings
17.03.10	ability to apply sealant
17.03.11	ability to air seal duct and vent

BLOCK F

INSPECTS ROOFING SYSTEMS

Trends: The demand for more energy efficient homes creates challenges with the new technology and older character homes. Roofing systems are being updated to new systems and components such as venting, underlay, eave protection and insulation. The industry is using a more holistic approach to assess roofing needs and to identify problems. This includes consideration of the client's lifestyle, furnace type, humidity levels, etc.

Task 18Diagnoses roofing problems.

18.01	Conducts visual inspection.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities	
		18.01.01	knowledge of PPE and safety procedures
		18.01.02	knowledge of types of roofing products, systems and vulnerabilities
		18.01.03	knowledge of compatible roofing systems such as asphalt, metal, tile, slate, wood and rolled products
		18.01.04	knowledge of effects of weather on the roofing system such as wind, snow, rain
		18.01.05	ability to access roof
		18.01.06	ability to work at heights
		18.01.07	ability to understand when to use PPE and safety procedures
		18.01.08	ability to understand roofing products and their vulnerabilities
		18.01.09	ability to diagnose the effects of the weather
		18.01.10	ability to document conditions and deficiencies

18.02	Disassembles roof components.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities	
		18.02.01	knowledge of PPE and safety procedures
		18.02.02	knowledge of types of roofing products, systems and vulnerabilities
		18.02.03	knowledge of compatible roofing systems such as asphalt, metal, tile, slate, wood and rolled products
		18.02.04	knowledge of effects of weather on the roofing system such as wind, snow, rain
		18.02.05	knowledge of hand, power and pneumatic tools required
		18.02.06	knowledge when to disassemble a roofing component
		18.02.07	knowledge of where to disassemble a roofing component
		18.02.08	ability to access roof
		18.02.10	ability to work at heights
		18.02.11	ability to understand when to use PPE and safety procedures
		18.02.12	ability to understand roofing products and their vulnerabilities
		18.02.13	ability to diagnose the effects of the weather
		18.02.14	ability to record and temporarily prevent water entry

18.03	Recommends repair solutions.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities	
		18.03.01	knowledge of PPE and safety procedures
		18.03.02	knowledge of types of roofing products, systems and vulnerabilities
		18.03.03	knowledge of compatible roofing systems such as asphalt, metal, tile, slate, wood and rolled products
		18.03.04	knowledge of effects of weather on the roofing system such as wind, snow, rain
		18.03.05	knowledge of roofing materials and resources
		18.03.06	knowledge of time management
		18.03.07	ability to access roof
		18.03.08	ability to work at heights
		18.03.09	ability to understand when to use PPE and safety procedures
		18.03.10	ability to understand roofing products and their vulnerabilities
		18.03.11	ability to diagnose the effects of the weather
		18.03.12	ability to prioritize repairs
		18.03.13	ability to provide estimate for materials, resources and time required
		18.03.14	ability to identify extent of damage

Task 19Roof maintenance.

Sub-task

19.01	Maintains sealants.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities	
		19.01.01	knowledge of roofing systems and products
		19.01.02	knowledge of sealant product, application and compatibility
		19.01.03	ability to use sealant and dispensing tools
		19.01.04	ability to identify sealant failure or when sealant is required

19.02	Replaces damaged or missing roofing products.	Supporting I	Knowledge and Abilities
		19.02.01	knowledge of roofing systems and products
		19.02.02	knowledge of manufacturer specifications and products
		19.02.03	knowledge of product compatibility
		19.02.04	knowledge of PPE and safety procedures
		19.02.05	knowledge of repair techniques
		19.02.06	knowledge of hand, power and pneumatic tools required
		19.02.07	ability to recognize roofing systems and products
		19.02.08	ability to recognize and assess extent of damage or missing product
		19.02.09	ability to complete repair according to extent of the damage
		19.02.10	ability to use of PPE and safety procedures

19.03	Cleans roofs and eavestroughs.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities	
		19.03.01	knowledge of characteristics of roofing systems and products
		19.03.02	knowledge of watershed principles
		19.03.03	knowledge of cleaning techniques for various roofing systems and troughs
		19.03.04	knowledge of PPE and safety procedures
		19.03.05	ability to apply watershed principles
		19.03.06	ability to use tools and equipment to clean roof
		19.03.07	ability to use PPE and safety procedures

19.04	Secures loose flashings.	Supporting Knowledge and Abilities	
		19.02.01	knowledge of roofing systems and products
		19.02.02	knowledge of manufacturer specifications and products
		19.02.03	knowledge of product compatibility
		19.02.04	knowledge of PPE and safety procedures
		19.02.05	knowledge of repair techniques
		19.02.06	knowledge of hand, power and pneumatic tools required
		19.02.07	knowledge of types of fasteners and application
		19.02.08	knowledge of types of sealants and application
		19.02.09	ability to recognize roofing systems and products

19.02.10	ability to recognize and assess extent of damage or missing product
19.02.11	ability to complete repair according to extent of the damage
19.02.12	ability to use of PPE and safety procedures
19.02.13	ability to secure loose flashing with fasteners
19.02.14	ability to apply sealant

APPENDICES

Appendix "A" Tools and Equipment

Hand Tools

Adhesive spreader Air and material hoses Aviation snips (left, right handed) Broom Bucket/pail Caulking gun Chalk line Chisels Crowbar Drill (power, cordless) Fan rake Flashlight Folding pliers Gutter scoop Hacksaw Hammer Hammer stapler Hand roller Hand saw Hand seamer Hatchet Magnets Measuring tape Nail puller Pipe wrench Pitchfork

Power shears Pry bar Rake Riveting gun Roof jack Roof rake Roofer knife Roofing nail cutter Sawhorse Scissors Scoop shovel Scraper Screwdriver Seam roller Shingle remover Shovel Slate bar Slater punch Sliding T-bevel Spade Staple gun Tin snips Trowel Wheelbarrow Wrench

Power Tools, Pneumatic Tools and Equipment

Air compressor Backpack blower Concrete cutting tools Electrical cord Generator Hammer drill Hot air gun Industrial vacuum Nibbler Pneumatic caulking gun Power saws (quick-cut, reciprocating, circular) Primer machine Roller Screw gun Spray gun and nozel Tile cutter

Hoisting, Lifting and Staging Equipment

Crane Hand hoist Hydraulic hoist Ladder Ladder hoist Lifting form Mechanical lift Pump jacks Planks Scaffolding

Motorized Equipment

Forklift Man-lift Scissor lift

Skid steer loader Snow blower

Personal Protective Equipment and Safety Equipment

Anchor (permanent, removable) Communications device Ear muffs Eye wash bottle Face shield Fall arresters First aid kit Full body harness Gloves Guard rails Hard hat Kneepads Lanyard (retractable, non-retractable) Long sleeves Mask Portable fire extinguisher Respirator Rope grabs Safety boots Safety boots Safety fence Safety glasses, goggles Safety harness Safety vest

Disposal Equipment

Disposal bin and trailers Disposal chute Garbage bags Garbage chute Tarps Tray Wheelbarrow

Appendix "B" Glossary

ITEM	DESCRIPTION
Asphalt	Although there are natural occurring asphalts, those used in roofing in Canada are from the heavy end of petroleum distillation and can be obtained in a great range of viscosities and softening points.
Bitumen	A generic term describing any mixture of heavy hydrocarbons in viscous or solid form; in the roofing industry, the work covers both asphalt and coal tar pitch.
Caulking/sealant	Any of a wide range of bituminous, rubber, plastic or other materials suitable for filling seams or cracks to make them tight against water leakage and remain plastic for an extended time after application.
Cricket	A device that is used to divert water at the intersections of roofs or at the intersection of a roof and chimney (also called saddle).
Deck	The structural roof to the top surface of which a roof covering system is applied.
Drip edge	The formed edge on metal installed at the eaves of a roof.
Eave	The edge of a sloped roof.
Fabric	A woven cloth of organize or inorganic filaments treated with bitumen and being strong than felt, used in special flashing applications.
Fascia	Any cover board at the edge or eaves of a flat or sloping overhanging roof.
Felt	A mat of organic or inorganic fibres, in sheet form impregnated with asphalt or coal tar, and supplied in roll form.
Flashing – base flashing (metal)	Sheet metal covering the can and up the vertical surface, protecting the membranes.
Flashing – cap flashing	The covering, usually sheet metal, over the base flashing, or capping a higher wall, such as a parapet
Flashing – counter flashing	Sometimes used for the upper portion of the sheet metal flashing when the metal flashing is divided into two pieces (see also cap flashing).
Flashing – membrane flashing	A continuation of the roofing proper to cover any element of the roof structure departing from the roof deck incline.
Flashing – tep flashing	Individual pieces of flashing material used to flash the sides of chimneys and dormers and similar projections on sloping shingled roofs; the individual pieces are overlapped and stepped up the slope.
Flashing – thru-wall flashing	Flashing extending completely through a masonry wall to prevent water infiltrating behind lower elements of the flashing system and of the roofing system.
Нір	The high point where 2 sloped planes meet.
Insulation	See roof insulation.
Lap	The part of the shingles, roll roofing or felt covered in application by the following course or ply.
Edge lap	The overlap of the edge of a ply over the previous ply.
End lap	The overlap of the start of a roll over the end of the previous roll.
Membrane	A waterproof covering; it may be a single-ply system or a multi-ply system.

Glossary - continued

ITEM	DESCRIPTION
Plastic cement	Although all caulking cements could be called plastic cements, there is a commonly help acceptance in the roofing industry that plastic cement means bituminous cement; these can be either asphalt or coal tar base with the former much more common; these are a mixture of bitumen, asbestos fibres, filler and suitable solvent; see also caulking cement.
Plastic pan	Also called pitch pan, pitch pocket, gum box. These comprise a flanged collar placed around items that project through the roof systems; the flange is properly set into the roof membrane and the pan is well filled with plastic cement; these pans are a constant source of trouble and should only be used when no other solution can be found.
Primer	A thin liquid compound applied to a surface to improve the adhesion of a thicker liquid compound; the most commonly used is asphalt primer.
Ridge	The top of a sloped roof.
Saddle	A small false roof or the elevation of a part of the roof surface used to divert water from behind an obstacle, such as a chimney (also called cricket).
Slope	The incline of a roof surface (also called pitch).
Snow guards	A roofing projection that is installed on sloped roofs to ensure that large sheets of ice or snow do not fall; similar to snow rails.
Stapling	The use of a specially designed staple gun and staples instead of a hammer and roofing nails in roofing application.
Starter strip	A roofing material applied at the eaves and serving as a base for the first course of roofing.
Surfacing	Any aggregate or granular material used as a protective covering on the weather surface of a roof.
Underlayment	Material that is laid under the roofing and provides a secondary form of protection.
Valley	The low point where two sloped planes meet.
Vapour retarder	Material used to retard the passage of vapour or moisture into the roof system where harmful condensation of vapour within the system could take place.
Venting	In built-up roofing, the installation of special provisions to allow the roof insulation to vent to the outside; this can be done at roof edges, at parapet walls by installation of special roof vents and expedited by using roof insulation which will allow air and vapour movement.
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Appendix "C" Pie Chart

Titles o	Titles of Blocks		
Block A	Occupational Skills	15%	
Block B	Roof Preparation	15%	
Block C	Roof Cavity Ventilation	5%	
Block D	Installation of Sloped Roof	50%	
Block E	Installation of Flashing	10%	
Block F	Inspects Roofing Systems	_5%	
TOTAL:		100% ¹	

Percentages reflect the average amount of time workers within the occupation spend performing these tasks on a yearly basis.



Pie Chart

Appendix "D" DACUM Chart

Sloped Roofer





