

CONSTRUCTION AND SKILLED TRADES (CAST) BATTERY



The Edison Electric Institute (EEI) *Construction and Skilled Trades Battery* (CAST) is timed and requires approximately 2.5 hours. The battery consists of 4 timed tests administered in a classroom setting while examinees are seated at individual testing stations. One ten minute break is included during the testing session. Examinees are required to darken circles in response to questions or problems. Speed and accuracy are equally important in answering these questions.

Each test consists of multiple pages and requires pages to be turned without sacrificing speed or accuracy during the test session. Instructions and sample problems are read aloud before each test to applicants. In addition, instructions are also printed on the test so applicants may follow along.

For more information about this test, do the following:

- 1. Go to <u>http://www.eei.org/testingbrochures</u>
- 2. Enter practice2005 in the "Name" field
- 3. Enter Ameren in the "Password" field
- 4. Click on "Construction and Skilled Trades" in the left-hand menu to access the CAST brochure.

To see sample items and practice tests, do the following:

- 1. Go to http://www.eei.org/practicetests
- 2. Enter practice2005 in the "Name" field
- 3. Enter Ameren in the "Password" field
- 4. Click on "Construction and Skilled Trades" in the left-hand menu
- 5. Read the introductory material and scroll down to access the practice tests