



Abrasive Wheel Mounter's Course for Handheld and Bench/Pedestal Grinders



Introduction

The Provision and Use of Work Equipment Regulations 1998 require that the correctly selected wheel must be properly mounted by a person who has been trained for this purpose and is considered competent by the employer.



Course Duration

SOG offer this course over a half day.



Who Should Attend

This course will be suitable for employees such as factory workers, construction workers, vehicle mechanics, panel beaters, mechanical and civil engineers and any person required to mount an abrasive wheel to a portable machine or to bench/pedestal grinders. There are no pre-requisites for delegates attending this course.



Course Programme

- Legislation overview to include HASAWA 1974, PUWER, CoSHH and PPE
- Main hazards and risks during use
- The storage and care of abrasive wheels including checks prior to, during and after use
- Wheel markings and types of wheels
- Truing and dressing bench grinder wheels (if applicable)
- Hands-on practical in changing wheels

Important note: This course contains information on the safe use of abrasive wheels. The content covers a practical demonstration on changing the wheel but does not provide actual information on how to use the equipment.



Certification and Assessment

Delegates will be assessed on their input during the practical exercise and their feedback. Course certification lasts three years.



Suggested Follow on and Complementary Courses

- CITB Health and Safety Awareness
- Fire Safety Awareness
- Manual Handling