

Drywall Finisher

CERTIFICATION OF QUALIFICATION EXAM BREAKDOWN

The following table shows the number of questions per General Area of Competency (GAC) and Competency on the *Drywall Finisher Certification of Qualification Exam*.

Number of questions on each exam: 105

Certification of Qualification GAC/Competency	#
A. USE SAFE WORK PRACTICES	10
A1. Control workplace hazard	4
A2. Locate OHS regulations and WCB standards	1
A3. Use WHMIS	2
A4. Use personal protective equipment	2
A5. Use fire safety procedures	1
B. USE TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT	12
B1. Use hand tools	2
B2. Use power tools	2
B3. Use ladders, scaffolds and lifts	3
B4. Use stilts	2
B5. Use mechanical taping and finishing machines	2
B7. Use airless paint machines	1
C. ORGANIZE WORK	10
C2. Use mathematics	4
C3. Read drawings and specifications	1
C6. Handle materials	1
C7. Plan a project	2
C8. Prepare the job site	1
C9. Identify mould issues	1
D. INSTALL BEAS AND TRIM	11
D1. Prepare areas for beading	5
D2. Attach beads and trim	6

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E. APPLY TAPE	13
E1. Prepare walls for taping	4
E3. Apply tape by hand	4
E4. Apply tape by machine	5
F. FILL DRYWALL	30
F1. Select filling compounds	3
F2. Mix compounds	5
F3. Apply filler by hand	9
F4. Apply filler by machine	5
F5. Finish filler	4
F6. Resolve filler problems	1
F7. Use fast-set materials	1
F8. Apply level 5 finish	2
G. APPLY TEXTURING	10
G1. Seal and prime surfaces	6
G3. Apply basic hand texture	2
G4. Apply basic machine texture	2
H. REPAIR SURFACES	9
H1. Troubleshoot and repair problems	3
H2. Seal stains	1
H3. Repair drywall	2
H4. Repair plaster	2
H5. Repair textured surfaces	1
Total:	105