



NPORS N214 – Road Roller

Aims

The aim of the Road Roller course is to provide candidates with the basic knowledge and practical skills involved in operating a road roller to the NPORS (National Plant Operators Registration Scheme) standard.

Who Attends

Potential and existing operators who have received no formal instruction, and those requiring refresher training.

Course Content

- Have a basic understanding of the industry, the dangers of working in the industry and their responsibilities as an operator
- Have a working knowledge of the manufacturer’s handbook for the particular machine to be used
- Be able to locate and identify the major components of the machine and explain their functions
- Be able to locate and identify key controls and explain their functions
- Conduct all pre-operational checks in accordance with manufacturer’s and legislative requirements
- Identify and maintain PPE appropriate for roller use
- Prepare the roller for use and operate machinery safely and efficiently
- Conduct all necessary safety checks at the work area
- Operate machinery safely and efficiently
- Environmental considerations
- Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of loading and unloading procedures for machine transportation
- Carry out all end of shift and shut down procedures

Course Duration

The novice course is a 3 day course which includes training and testing. If the candidate is experienced and/or already holds a qualification for this machine, they can attend testing only or a refresher course.

Maximum Candidates

Maximum novices/refreshers: 3 candidates
Maximum experienced workers: 6 candidates

Qualification Obtained

Candidates will gain either a 5-year NPORS Traditional Operator card or a 2-year NPORS CSCS Trained Operator Card.

Entry Requirements

Candidates must have passed the CITB Health Safety & Environmental test (within the last 24 months) to gain the NPORS CSCS Trained Operator card. This is not required for a Traditional card, although can be added to the card if requested.

Additional Information

This course can be delivered onsite providing the onsite requirements are met.