



Study Guide for Transmission Lineman Knowledge Test (Verbal)

Verbal Knowledge Test: 8303

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Introduction

The **8303 Transmission Lineman** Knowledge Test (Verbal) was designed to assess technical knowledge necessary to perform the job. This guide contains strategies and study references to prepare for the interview.

Interview Session

It is important that you follow the directions of the interviewers exactly. During the interview, you may **NOT** leave the interviewing area, smoke, eat, or drink. Since this interview will take approximately one hour, you should consider these factors before the interview begins.

All cellular/mobile phones, pagers or other electronic equipment will NOT be allowed in the interviewing area.

You will receive a Test Comment form so that you can make comments about technical interview. Write any comments you have and turn it in immediately following your technical interview.

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Interview Strategies

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Your emotional and physical state during the interview may determine whether you are prepared to do your best. The following list provides common sense techniques you can use before the interview begins.

Technique	Remarks
<i>Be confident</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - If you feel confident about passing this interview, you may lose some of your anxiety. - Think of the interview as a way of demonstrating how much you know, the skills you can apply, your abilities, the problems you can solve, and your good judgment capabilities.
<i>Be punctual</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Arrive early enough to feel relaxed and comfortable before the interview begins.
<i>Concentrate</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Try to block out all distractions and concentrate only on the interview. You will not only finish faster but you will reduce your chances of making careless mistakes. - If the interview area becomes noisy or there are other distractions or irregularities, mention them to the interviewers immediately.
<i>Understand the question</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Listen carefully to each of the questions and follow all directions provided by the interviewers.
<i>Answer interview questions-</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ensure your answers are precise, complete, unambiguous and succinct.

Remember the techniques described in this section are only suggestions. You should follow the methods that work best for you.

Study References

The **8303 Transmission Lineman** Knowledge Test (Verbal) requires you to answer technical questions that assess specific technical knowledge required to perform the job. They will require you to demonstrate your knowledge of technical concepts including tower components, tower types and applications, basic math, process for pole setting, stringing conductor procedures, clearance and switches, grounding procedures, safety, and response procedures for assisting to injured employees.

You can use the following references to guide your preparation.

- ✓ United States Bureau of Reclamation. Reclamation Safety and Health Standards. October 2009. Section 15 Control of Hazardous s Energy (Lockout/Tagout).

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