



MASONRY

SCOPE

Contractor certified as having knowledge in the area of, and be limited to, the selection, cutting and laying of bricks, concrete block and any other unit masonry or clay products; and rough-cut and dress stone, artificial stone, precast blocks, structural glass brick or block, d_cor block and veneer, all of which may be laid at random or in course and with or without mortar; and applying tile to floors or exterior wall surfaces; and masonry or precast concrete fences, as well as all business and finance knowledge/skills associated therewith. A masonry specialty building contractor shall not pour, place or finish cast-in-place concrete.

EXAMINATION CONTENTS

Business and Finance Exam – 2 Hours

Subjects	Number of Questions
Financial Management	6
Estimating & Bidding	6
General Contract Management	7
General Project Management	6
Personnel Management	4
Tax Laws	5
Insurance & Bonding	3
Contracting Laws	5
OSHA Requirements	3
Business Organization & Management	5
Total Number of Questions	50

Trade Knowledge Exam – 4 Hours

Subjects	Number of Questions
Safety Issues	2
Basic Masonry Skills	10
Codes and Laws	5
Blueprint and specifications	8
Building Layout	5
Mortars and Concrete	5
Masonry Practice	15
Total Number of Questions	50

THIS EXAM MAY INCLUDE ADDITIONAL NONSCORED TRIAL QUESTIONS.

TO QUALIFY FOR A LICENSE, YOU MUST PASS BOTH THE BUSINESS AND FINANCE EXAM AND THE TRADE KNOWLEDGE EXAM.

EXAMINATION REFERENCES

The following references with an asterisk (*) indicate the books you may bring to the test site and use to assist you in answering the questions. These are the **ONLY** references you may bring with you.

- * Code of Federal Regulations, Title 29, Part 1926 (OSHA), 2005, US Government Bookstore 100 West Bay St. Ste. 100, Jacksonville, FL 32202 (904) 353.0569
- * Florida Building Code - Building, 2004, International Code Council, Inc. 5203 Leesburg Pike, Ste 600, Falls Church, VA 22041, www.iccsafe.org (800-786-4452)
- * Test Protocols for High Velocity Hurricane Zones, 2004, International Code Council, Inc. 5203 Leesburg Pike, Ste 600, Falls Church, VA 22041, www.iccsafe.org (800-786-4452)

No marks, highlighting, or notes of any sort may be made in the reference materials during the examination. Highlighting and permanent tabbing prior to the examination is acceptable. “Post it” notes are not permanent and will not be allowed. No handwritten notes may be made in the reference materials prior to or during the examination.

The following references may be used to help prepare you for the examination. **You are NOT required to purchase these reference books and they may NOT be brought to the examination. They are only suggested if you feel the need for additional study.**

AIA - A201, General Conditions of Contract, 1997, American Institute of Architects, 104 East Jefferson St., Tallahassee, FL 32301 (800) 365.2724

AIA - A401, Contractor - Subcontractor Agreement, 1997, American Institute of Architects, 104 East Jefferson St., Tallahassee, FL 32301 (800) 365.2724

Builder's Guide to Accounting, 2001, Craftsman Book Company, 6058 Corte Del Cedro, Carlsbad, CA 92009 (800) 829.8123

Contractors Manual, 3rd Ed., 2004, Association of Builders and Contractors Institute, Inc., 3730 Coconut Creek Pkwy., Ste., 200 Coconut Creek, FL 33066 (561) 432.9442

The Guide to Florida's Construction Lien Law, 1997, ProfitGuard, P.O. Box 10354, Tallahassee, FL 32302

Concrete Masonry Handbook for Architects, Engineers, and Builders, 5th Ed., 1991, Portland Cement Association Publications, 5420 Old Orchard Rd., Skokie, IL 60077 (800) 969.6733

Masonry and Concrete Construction, 1998, Craftsman Book Company, 6058 Corte Del Cedro, Carlsbad, CA 92009 (800) 829.8123

Modern Masonry, 6th, 2003, Goodheart-Wilcox Company, Inc., 18604 West Creek Dr., Tinley Park, IL 60477-6243

Local Licensing Ordinances

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Please refer to the Candidate Information Bulletin for this examination for any additional information or requirements.

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