

1. Title	Design complicated non-conventional fire services
2. Code	EMFSDE701A
3. Range	Capable to apply highly specialized design techniques, in the absence of complete or consistent data/information, to perform complicated, performance-based fire services design work at locations of large premises where sophisticated fire system design is involved.
4. Level	7
5. Credit	15
6. Competency	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Performance Requirements</u></p> <p>6.1 Master client needs and methods of designing highly complicated, non-conventional fire services</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Master the uses of large buildings, special architectural design requirements, project schedules and the design criteria of *non-conventional fire systems</li> <li>◆ Master the principles of fire dynamics</li> <li>◆ Understand the performance-based fire service design methods and their major codes, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Code of Practice for Fire Service Installations and Equipment, and relevant legislations</li> <li>• Recognized international standards</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>6.2 Tasks of designing complicated, *non-conventional fire services</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Plan and lead tasks of designing performance-based major fire services, in the absence of complete or consistent data/information, according to client needs, manufacturer guidelines, recognized standards and relevant local regulations, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Determining performance-based design goals and acceptable criteria</li> <li>• Assessing fire hazards</li> <li>• Analyzing feasibility design packages</li> </ul> </li> <li>◆ Formulate the system configurations and equipment specifications of complicated, *non-conventional fire service design in the absence of complete or consistent data/information</li> <li>◆ Master the application of CFD simulation software <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Apply highly specialized and innovative techniques in complicated fire simulation</li> <li>• Analyze results and modify the design for best performance</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

7. Assessment Criteria	<p>The integrated outcome requirements of this unit of competency are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Capable to apply highly specialized and innovative techniques, in the absence of complete or consistent data/information, to perform tasks of designing extremely complicated, performance-based fire services; and</li> <li>(ii) Capable to plan and lead tasks of designing performance-based major fire services, including the setting of performance-based design goals and acceptable criteria, and the analysis of feasibility design packages.</li> </ul>
8. Remarks	<p>The credit value of this unit of competency is set on the presumption that the person already possesses basic knowledge of non-conventional fire service design.</p> <p>*Non-conventional fire service design replaces the prescriptive provisions of the Code of Practice for Fire Service Installations and Equipment with fire engineering design methods that require highly specialized techniques and a set of designs acceptable to the Fire Services Department.</p>