1. Title	Install non-metallic (copper/aluminium) pipes and fittings
2. Code	EMCUIN218A
3. Range	Perform simple installation of typical copper or aluminum pipes and fittings, at general industrial plants, power plants, ship repair, fire & plumbing, gas engineering or work sites where installation work is involved.
4. Level	2
5. Credits	3
6. Competency	Performance Requirements
	<ul> <li>6.1 Types of pipes and fitting materials</li> <li>Know about the types of pipes, accessories and materials, including: <ul> <li>Types of pipes</li> <li>Bends and tees</li> <li>Expansion joints</li> <li>Joint accessories</li> <li>Fill materials</li> <li>Bedding and coating materials</li> <li>Heat preservation materials</li> </ul> </li> <li>6.2 Methods of installing and jointing pipes</li> <li>Capable to apply general repairing and bench fitting techniques, including marking, sawing, chiselling, drilling, scraping, grinding, jointing and sealing, in pipe installation according to requirements</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Capable to joint pipes by silver soldering, copper brazing, tin soldering, compressing, etc.</li> <li>Capable to apply common methods of cold or thermal bending in simple installation of pipes</li> <li>Place rubber gaskets or pads at proper positions to prevent leakage</li> <li>6.3 Professionalism in pipe overhaul</li> <li>Capable to use correct tools in simple installation of copper or aluminium pipes according to requirements</li> </ul>
	and installation <ul> <li>Perform pipe installation according to legal requirements and the code of safety; pass the leakage test</li> </ul>
7. Assessment Criteria	<ul> <li>The integrated outcome requirement of this unit of competency is:</li> <li>(i) Capable to install common copper or aluminum pipes and fittings correctly and safely according to pipe-laying and legal requirements and the code of safety; pass the leakage test.</li> </ul>
8. Remarks	The credit value of this unit of competency is set on the presumption that the person already possesses basic knowledge of mechanics and installation skills.