

Operate Application Software Packages



Microsoft Word, Excel and PowerPoint 2010

Curriculum Series ICT11

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General Description The skills and knowledge acquired in Operate Application Software Packages are sufficient to identify, select and operate three commercial software packages, including a word processing and a spreadsheet application package.

Learning Outcomes

Target Audience

Prerequisites

Student Files

Formats Available

Pages

At the completion of this course you should be able to:

- work safely with your computer, consider your impact on the environment and manage files and folders efficiently.
- work with the basic features of Word
- > create a new document
- work with a document
- > apply formatting effects to a document
- work effectively with features that affect the page layout of your document
- understand and apply themes and styles to a document
- insert headers and footers into a document
- save documents in a variety of formats, locations and with different names
- print a document
- create new workbooks in Microsoft Excel
- > use formatting techniques to greatly enhance the look of a workbook
- insert pictures and create charts in a workbook
- > print your workbook data
- work with various elements of a worksheet
- work with the basic features of PowerPoint
- create a new presentation
- work with the various slide layouts
- insert text onto a slide and apply basic formatting
- > create animations in a presentation
- > navigate a slide show in PowerPoint
- use a range of printing techniques

Operate Application Software Packages applies to information and communications technology (ICT) personnel who need to use several different software applications to produce diverse documents within a small to large office environment.

Operate Application Software Packages ICAICT203A assumes little or no knowledge of the software. However, it would be beneficial to have a general understanding of personal computers and the Windows operating system environment.

272 pages

Many of the topics in *Operate Application Software Packages ICAICT203A* require you to open an existing file with data in it. These files can be downloaded free of charge from our web site at www.watsoniapublishing.com. Simply follow the student files link on the home page. You will need the product code for this course which is *INF910*.

Includes This Unit Workbook includes:

- ✓ Competency unit mapping
- ✓ Complete and comprehensive learning resources
- A4 Black and White, A5 Black and White (quantity order only), A5 Full Colour (quantity order only), Electronic licence
 - ❖ Available also as a Reference Booklet (Product Code: RB INF910)

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Product Information



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✓ Sending A Presentation Via Email

✓ Broadcasting A Slide Show

➤ Concluding Remarks

✓ Saving To A Storage Device

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