

NC FIRE and RESCUE COMMISSION
Firefighter Level I
Practical Skill Scenarios

1 of 15: HOSE AND ADAPTERS / USE OF

NFPA 1001, 5.3.10(b)

Performance Objective: The candidate, given an in-service fire apparatus/pumper shall locate a fog nozzle and a solid stream nozzle, indicate the nozzle size, indicate the open and closed nozzle positions and any stream adjustments that are characteristic of the nozzle. The candidate shall then locate a pair of spanner wrenches and demonstrate their use on the corresponding size hose. The candidate shall locate a gated wye, Siamese or similar hose appliance, indicate the size, method of operation and purpose.

Performance Evaluation: The evaluator should utilize an in-service fire apparatus, if possible, that the candidate is familiar with or allow the candidate adequate time to locate equipment on the apparatus if he/she is unfamiliar with it. An alternative is to spread out a number of various hose tools & appliances and have the candidate locate & demonstrate the above listed equipment. Substitute hose equipment may be utilized if necessary. Have two sections of coupled hose on the ground for the candidate to demonstrate the use of spanner wrenches.

Instructor's Statement: The candidate shall, when prompted by the evaluator, locate each of the following items and indicate their size, all aspects of operation and their purpose: solid stream nozzle, fog nozzle, pair of spanner wrenches, gated wye, and Siamese. The candidate shall then locate a pair of spanner wrenches and demonstrate their use on the corresponding size hose.

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SCORING

YES

ADD

Nozzles:

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|---|--------------------------|----|
| a) Locates fog nozzle | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |
| b) Indicates the correct nozzle size | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |
| c) Indicates open and closed positions | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |
| d) Is able to adjust size and/or nozzle pattern | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| e) Locates solid stream nozzle | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |
| f) Indicates the correct nozzle size | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |
| g) Indicates open and closed positions | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |
| h) Is able to adjust nozzle size (stack tip) | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |

Spanner Wrenches:

- | | | |
|--|--------------------------|----|
| a) Locates spanner wrenches | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |
| b) Locates corresponding sized coupling | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |
| c) Tightens and loosens coupling with wrenches | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |
| d) Identifies an additional use for the wrench | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |

Gated Wye, Siamese or similar Appliance:

- | | | |
|---|--------------------------|----|
| a) Locates the indicated appliance | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |
| b) Identifies the appliance size | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |
| c) Identifies the purpose of the appliance | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| d) Is able to correctly apply hose to the appliance | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |

POINTS

Total points possible for this evaluation skill: 100

Total points needed to pass: 70

Total points scored by the candidate: _____

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2 of 15: HOSE LINES / ADVANCING DRY

NFPA 1001, 5.3.10, 5.3.13

Performance Objective: The candidate, given the necessary equipment, assistance, and wearing full protective clothing, shall advance a dry preconnected 1-1/2 - 1-3/4 in. hose line up the outside of a structure on a 24 ft. extension ladder into a second floor window. The candidate shall then advance a dry preconnected 1-1/2 - 3 in. hose line into a structure and up or down an interior stairway.

Performance Evaluation: Because of the complexity of this NFPA standard, the evaluator should meet the intent as much as possible with equipment and facilities available. Equipment should be readily available to the candidate. The candidate shall supervise ladder placement as necessary for task to be accomplished. The evaluator shall arrange for other firefighters to assist the candidate as needed.

Instructor's Statement: The candidate shall, perform two individual hoseline advancement evolutions. The candidate shall advance a 1 1/2 " or 1 3/4" dry hoseline into a second floor window using a 24' extension ladder; the candidate will be responsible for ladder placement. The candidate shall also advance an 1 1/2" or larger (up to 3") dry hoseline into a structure and up or down an interior stairway. Additional personnel are available to assist.

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YES

ADD

Dry hose line up a ladder (1-1/2-1-3/4 in.):

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|---|--------------------------|----|
| a) Arranges necessary equipment in an organized fashion | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |
| b) Checks ladder for proper climbing angle, locks engaged and ladder secured with tip in proper location | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| c) Climbs ladder with both hands on rungs and hose draped diagonally across chest with nozzle over the shoulder and toward the rear | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| d) Enters window safely and effectively | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| e) Advances hose as necessary and indicates they are ready for water | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |

Dry hose line into structure (1-1/2-3-in.):

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|--|--------------------------|----|
| a) Effectively advances pre-connected hose line with partner to the front door | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |
| b) Both firefighters are on same side of hose | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| c) Feels the door with back of hand | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| d) Sets nozzle pattern | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| e) Stays low as he/she enters doorway | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| f) Advances hose up/down a stairway preventing kinks or Complications | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |

POINTS

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Total points needed to pass: 70

Total points scored by the candidate: _____

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3 of 15: HOSE LINES / ADVANCING CHARGED

NFPA 1001, 5.3.10(b)

Performance Objective: The Candidate given the necessary equipment and assistance while wearing full protective clothing, shall advance a charged 1 1/2-1 3/4 in. charged hose line to the roof. The candidate shall then advance a charged 2 1/2-3 in. hose line into a structure and up or down an interior stairway.

Performance Evaluation: Because of the complexity of this NFPA standard, the evaluator should meet the intent as much as possible with equipment and facilities available. Equipment should be readily available to the candidate. The evaluator should arrange for other firefighters to assist the candidate as needed.

Instructor's Statement: The candidate shall, perform two individual hoseline advancement evolutions. The candidate shall advance a 1 1/2 " or 1 3/4" charged hoseline to the roof of a structure using a hoisting rope; the candidate will be responsible for rigging the hoisting system. The candidate shall also advance an 1 1/2" or larger (up to 3") charged hoseline into a structure and up or down an interior stairway. Additional personnel are available to assist.

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HOSE LINES / ADVANCING CHARGED

SCORING

YES

ADD

Charged hose line to roof (1 1/2-1 3/4 in.):

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|---|--------------------------|----|
| a) Arranges necessary equipment in an organized manner | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |
| b) Safely advances charged hose line to the roof | <input type="checkbox"/> | 20 |
| c) Keeps rope and hitches next to building with nozzle away from the building | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |
| d) Raises hose & nozzle effectively and efficiently | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |

Charged hose line inside structure (1-1 1/2-3 in.):

- | | | |
|--|--------------------------|----|
| a) Effectively advances hose line with partner to door | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |
| b) Both firefighters are on same side of hose | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |
| c) Feels the door with back of hand | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| d) Sets nozzle pattern | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| e) Bleeds air out of line before entering door | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| f) Stays low as he/she enters doorway | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| g) Advances hose up or down a stairway preventing kinks or complications | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |

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4 of 15: HOSE LOADS

NFPA 1001, 5.3.10(b), 5.5.2(b)

Performance Objective: The candidate, given a fire apparatus and 2-1/2' or larger supply hose, with assistance shall demonstrate loading 200 feet using the flat load method of storage. The candidate shall then identify the purpose of the accordion load, minuteman load and the triple layer load.

Performance Evaluation: The evaluator will arrange for a fire apparatus to be available in order for the candidate to load the flat supply hose. Assistance from other firefighters should also be arranged. The candidate shall also verbally explain how the three listed hose loads are arranged and the purpose of each type.

Instructor's Statement: The candidate shall, perform a hose loading evolution with 200' of 2 1/2" or larger supply hose using the flat load method. The candidate shall then identify the purpose of the accordion load, minuteman load and the triple layer load.

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HOSE LOADS

SCORING

YES

ADD

Hose Load:

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|--|--------------------------|----|
| a) Positions each firefighter in a safe position to load the hose | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |
| b) Lays the hose flat to the front bringing it back at a slight diagonal | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| c) Staggers the folded ends at each tier level | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |
| d) Continues to load all 200 ft neatly & evenly | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| e) Uses a Dutchman where appropriate | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |
| f) Secures the end of the hose | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |

Accordion:

- | | | |
|--|--------------------------|----|
| a) Explains the hose is positioned on edge in an accordion fashion | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| b) Identifies purpose as having identical flake lengths | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |

Minuteman:

- | | | |
|--|--------------------------|----|
| a) Explains the attack hose is positioned in such a manner that the nozzle is between hose lengths | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| b) Identifies purpose as increasing the ease and efficiency of advancing the attack line | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |

Triple Layer:

- | | | |
|---|--------------------------|----|
| a) Explains the attack hose is positioned so the hose is folded back upon itself to form 3 layers | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| b) Identifies purpose as minimizing the amount of hose the firefighter must shoulder | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |

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5 of 15: HOSE ROLLS

NFPA 1001, 5.3.10(b), 5.5.2(b)

Performance Objective: The candidate, given a 50 ft. section of 1-1/2 in. or 3 in. hose shall demonstrate a straight roll, a donut roll, and a double roll and identify the purpose of each roll.

Performance Evaluation: The evaluator should provide hose to the candidate and have him/her perform the skill then identify what particular use each roll is used for.

Instructor's Statement: The candidate shall, perform three hose rolls with a 50' section of 1 ½" or 3" hose; a straight roll, a donut roll, and a double roll and identify the purpose of each roll.

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YES

ADD

Straight Roll:

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|---|--------------------------|----|
| a) Begins at the male coupling | <input type="checkbox"/> | 15 |
| b) Rolls the hose straight toward the female coupling | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| c) States this roll is typically used for storage | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |

Donut Roll:

- | | | |
|--|--------------------------|----|
| a) Lays the section of hose flat and starts the roll approximately 5 feet off center toward the male | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| b) Rolls toward the female coupling | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| c) Completes the roll with the male coupling well protected by hose roll | <input type="checkbox"/> | 15 |
| d) States that both coupling ends are now readily available for use if needed | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |

Double Donut:

- | | | |
|---|--------------------------|----|
| a) Places the male and female couplings together to form parallel lines | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| b) Rolls both lines together | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |

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6 of 15: HOSE CARRIES

NFPA 1001, 5.3.10(b)

Performance Objective: The candidate, given a 50 ft. section of 2-1/2 in. or 3 in. hose, shall demonstrate the accordion shoulder carry and the single section drain and carry.

Performance Evaluation: The evaluator should provide hose to the candidate for purpose of demonstrating the two hose carries.

Instructor's Statement: The candidate shall, perform the accordion shoulder carry and the single section drain and carry with a 50' section of 2 ½" or 3" hose.

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YES

ADD

Shoulder Carry:

- | | | |
|--|--------------------------|----|
| a) Stretches the hose in a straight line and carries one end to the section middle | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| b) Picks up the hose at center and advances toward the other end, placing both couplings on fold | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| c) Advances back toward other end and lines up all folds and couplings | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| d) Goes to center, lifts hose upon shoulder using the legs | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| e) Has hose controlled and secured well | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |

Single Section Drain & Carry:

- | | | |
|--|--------------------------|----|
| a) Picks up one end and allows water to flow forward | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| b) Places the coupling in front of body with hose looped over shoulder | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| c) Walks down the hose, placing loops on shoulder | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| d) Completely drains the hose | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| e) Has hose controlled and secured well | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |

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7 of 15: HOSE COUPLING AND UNCOUPLING

NFPA 1001, 5.3.10(b), 5.5.2(b)

Performance Objective: The candidate, given two lengths of fire hose, shall couple the two lengths of fire hose using two methods selected by the evaluator.

Performance Evaluation: The evaluator should arrange to have the necessary equipment available in order for the candidate to demonstrate **two** methods of coupling and uncoupling the hose of the four listed below.

Instructor's Statement: The candidate shall couple the two lengths of fire hose using two methods selected by the evaluator.

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**HOSE COUPLING AND UNCOUPLING
SCORING**

YES ADD

Foot-tilt method:

- | | | |
|--|--------------------------|----|
| a) Inspects all components, including gasket, for physical damage. | <input type="checkbox"/> | 20 |
| b) Tilts the male coupling upward with foot. | <input type="checkbox"/> | 20 |
| c) Brings couplings together and turns the swivel completely onto the male end and aligns flat side of hose in same plane. | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |

OR

Over-the-hip method:

- | | | |
|---|--------------------------|----|
| a) Inspects all components, including gasket, for physical damage | <input type="checkbox"/> | 20 |
| b) Brings female coupling over the hip | <input type="checkbox"/> | 20 |
| c) Aligns flat sides of hose | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |

OR

Knee-press method:

- | | | |
|--|--------------------------|----|
| a) Stands connections on male end | <input type="checkbox"/> | 20 |
| b) Keep thigh in vertical plane with coupling and apply body weight to connections | <input type="checkbox"/> | 20 |
| c) Turns swivel counter-clockwise | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |

OR

Two-Firefighter method:

- | | | |
|---|--------------------------|----|
| a) Inspects all components, including gasket for physical damage | <input type="checkbox"/> | 20 |
| b) Firefighter with male end looks away | <input type="checkbox"/> | 20 |
| c) Turns swivel connector clockwise and aligns flat sides of the hose | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |

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8 of 15: HOSE LINES / EXTENDING

NFPA 1001, 5.3.10(b), 5.5.2(b)

Performance Objective: The candidate, wearing full protective clothing and given 50 ft. of 2-1/2 or 3 in. charged hose line with nozzle and a hose clamp, shall extend the hose with an additional 50 ft. of hose.

Performance Evaluation: The evaluator should arrange for 50 ft. of hose to be charged to normal operating pressure and allow candidate to extend the hose an additional 50 ft. with equipment provided. Be sure that if the open coupling is flowing, that it is not dangerously thrashing about due to excessive pressure.

Instructor's Statement: The candidate shall extend the charged hoseline with an additional 50ft. of hose using the equipment provided.

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HOSE LINES / EXTENDING

YES

ADD

SCORING

- | | | |
|--|--------------------------|----|
| a) Brings additional 50 feet to the nozzle | <input type="checkbox"/> | 20 |
| b) Applies hose clamp correctly at approximately three feet behind nozzle and opens nozzle | <input type="checkbox"/> | 20 |
| c) Removes nozzle and attaches new line | <input type="checkbox"/> | 20 |
| d) Stretches line out and reattaches nozzle. | <input type="checkbox"/> | 20 |
| e) Slowly releases hose clamp | <input type="checkbox"/> | 20 |

POINTS

Total points possible for this evaluation skill: 100

Total points needed to pass: 70

Total points scored by the candidate: _____

Note: A break-apart nozzle may be used as an alternative method.

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9 of 15: HOSE LINES / REPLACING BURST SECTION

NFPA 1001, 5.3.10(b), 5.5.2(b)

Performance Objective: The candidate, wearing full protective clothing and given 50 ft. of 2-1/2 or 3 in. charged hose line with nozzle and a hose clamp, shall demonstrate replacing a burst section of hose.

Performance Evaluation: The evaluator should arrange for 50 ft. of hose to be charged to normal operating pressure. Have the candidate replace a simulated burst section of hose line. Be sure the open flowing coupling is not dangerously thrashing about because of excessive pressure. If possible, acquire an actual section of hose with a hole through the lining and jacket for this evolution.

Instructor's Statement: The candidate shall replace a burst section of charged hoseline with the equipment provided.

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HOSE LINES / REPLACING BURST SECTION

SCORING	YES	ADD
a) Applies a hose clamp approx. 3 feet behind coupling of damaged section	<input type="checkbox"/>	20
b) Brings two additional sections of hose	<input type="checkbox"/>	20
c) Replaces one defective section with two additional lengths	<input type="checkbox"/>	20
d) Flakes hose out avoiding kinks	<input type="checkbox"/>	20
e) Slowly releases hose clamp	<input type="checkbox"/>	20

POINTS

Total points possible for this evaluation skill: 100
Total points needed to pass: 70
Total points scored by the candidate: _____

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10 of 15: CHARGED LINE FROM LADDER

NFPA 1001, 5.3.10(b)

Performance Objective: The candidate, given a 24 ft. extension ladder in place, with full protective clothing (SCBA optional), shall advance a charged attack line, 1-1/2 in. or larger, up the ladder with assistance and operate the nozzle from the ladder. Before operating the nozzle, it will be secured in place and the candidate shall perform a leg lock.

Performance Evaluation: The evaluator should arrange for a 24 ft. extension ladder to be secured against a structure and locate one firefighter to butt the ladder with another firefighter assisting the candidate with the hose. The candidate shall advance the charged line up the ladder, secure the nozzle, perform a leg lock and flow the nozzle.

Instructor's Statement: The candidate shall advance a charged attack line, 1-1/2 in. or larger, up the ladder with assistance and operate the nozzle from the ladder.

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CHARGED LINE FROM LADDER

SCORING	YES	ADD
a) Positions himself on the ladder with a leg lock on opposite side nozzle will flow or uses a life belt	<input type="checkbox"/>	10
b) Has the another firefighter push the charged hose line up the ladder to him	<input type="checkbox"/>	10
c) Projects the nozzle through the ladder rungs	<input type="checkbox"/>	20
d) Secures the nozzle and hose with a rope or rope hose tool	<input type="checkbox"/>	20
e) Opens the nozzle and flows water in a controlled manner	<input type="checkbox"/>	20
f) Conducted the exercise in a safe and efficient way	<input type="checkbox"/>	20

POINTS

Total points possible for this evaluation skill: 100

Total points needed to pass: 70

Total points scored by the candidate: _____

Note: Additional firefighters can be used to advance the hose as necessary.

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11 of 15: HOSE LINES TO STANDPIPE

NFPA 1001, 5.3.10(b)

Performance Objective: The candidate, wearing full protective clothing, given a standpipe connection and 150 ft. of 1-1/2 in. or larger hose and any additional equipment he/she needs, shall demonstrate carrying the hose into the building, connecting it to the standpipe and advancing the entire hose length.

Performance Evaluation: The evaluator will allow the candidate to utilize any special hose arrangement his/her department has for high-rise or standpipe purposes. If one does not exist, then the candidate shall arrange the 150 ft. of hose in an efficient load to carry. If an actual standpipe is not available a capped water discharge can simulate a standpipe. Although in a normal situation, an additional firefighter would be used, for test purposes the candidate shall perform this skill alone.

Instructor's Statement: The candidate shall select the necessary equipment and demonstrate carrying 100' of 1 1/2" or larger hoseline into the building, connecting it to the standpipe and advancing the entire hose length.

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HOSE LINES TO STANDPIPE

SCORING

	YES	ADD
a) Arranges the hose in an effective manner	<input type="checkbox"/>	20
b) Obtains additional needed equipment (possibly a spanner wrench)	<input type="checkbox"/>	20
c) Advances the hose carry into the structure without hesitation due to hose kinks or entrapment	<input type="checkbox"/>	20
d) Uncaps discharge and hooks hose up to standpipe	<input type="checkbox"/>	20
e) Advances the entire hose length avoiding kinks or complications	<input type="checkbox"/>	20

POINTS

Total points possible for this evaluation skill: 100
Total points needed to pass: 70
Total points scored by the candidate: _____

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12 of 15: ADVANCE SHOULDER LOAD FROM FLAT OR HORSESHOE LOAD

NFPA 1001, 5.3.14(a)

Performance Objective: The candidate, given a 2-1/2 inch flat or horseshoe hose load on an apparatus, shall demonstrate pulling and advancing the hose line from the pumper to a water source over a distance of 300 feet.

Performance Evaluation: The intent of this objective is to have the candidate demonstrate the techniques and steps for pulling and advancing 2-1/2 inch hose which is loaded in the flat or horseshoe load on an apparatus. The skill starts with the hose correctly loaded on an apparatus. The candidate must pull and advance at least 300 feet of hose. The hose may or may not have a nozzle attached. The skill starts when the candidate first touches the nozzle/hose and ends when the hose line is fully stretched, free of kinks and tangles. The candidate shall be required to demonstrate this skill while wearing full protective clothing excluding SCBA.

Instructor's Statement: The candidate shall demonstrate pulling and advancing the hose line from the pumper to a water source over a distance of 300 feet, starting from a 2 1/2" flat or horseshoe load.

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ADVANCE SHOULDER LOAD FROM FLAT OR HORSESHOE LOAD

SCORING	YES	ADD
a) Facing the hose bed, grabs the hose or nozzle and places it against the front of the body about stomach or chest high.	<input type="checkbox"/>	10
b) Passes the hose fold over the shoulder keeping the hose flat.	<input type="checkbox"/>	10
c) Extends the hose fold to an area just behind the knee.	<input type="checkbox"/>	10
d) Forms another hose fold which extends down the front of the body to about the waist/knee area.	<input type="checkbox"/>	10
e) Continues forming hose folds at the back and front of the body until approximately 50 feet of hose has been loaded on the shoulder.	<input type="checkbox"/>	10
f) Rotates toward the shoulder that has no hose. (Hose on right shoulder - rotate left. Hose on left shoulder - rotate right.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	20
g) Walks away from the apparatus, pulling an additional 25+ feet of hose from the hose bed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	10
h) Walks away from the apparatus, allowing the top hose fold to either pay off or drop to the side as the hose is advanced.	<input type="checkbox"/>	10
i) Lays the entire shoulder load of hose out with no kinks or tangles.	<input type="checkbox"/>	10

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Total points needed to pass: 70

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13 of 15: NOZZLES / OPERATION

NFPA 1001, 5.3.10(b)

Performance Objectives: The candidate, wearing full protective clothing and given a charged 1-1/2' to 1-3/4' hose line, shall open and close the nozzle, check all nozzle positions, and adjust the flow setting to every position.

Performance Evaluation: The evaluator shall provide the candidate with a charged hose line and have the candidate demonstrate that he/she can open and close the nozzle properly as well as adjust the nozzle patterns and flow settings.

Instructor's Statement: The candidate shall demonstrate the full operation of the nozzle provided.

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NOZZLES / OPERATION

SCORING

	YES	ADD
a) Opens the nozzle SLOWLY	<input type="checkbox"/>	25
b) Adjusts the nozzle through all patterns	<input type="checkbox"/>	25
c) Adjusts the nozzle through all flow settings	<input type="checkbox"/>	25
d) Closes the nozzle SLOWLY	<input type="checkbox"/>	25

POINTS

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Total points needed to pass: 70

Total points scored by the candidate: _____

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14 of 15: NOZZLES

NFPA 1001, 5.3.10(a)

Performance Objective: The firefighters given a selection of nozzles and tips, shall identify the type, design, operation, required nozzle pressure, and flow of each.

Performance Evaluation: The evaluator shall gather a 1 ½" and 2 ½" (or Master stream) nozzles and tips used by the authority having jurisdiction. The candidate shall identify each nozzle by its type, design, operation, required nozzle pressure, and flow of each.

Instructor's Statement: The candidate shall identify the type, design, operation, required nozzle pressure, and flow of each nozzle provided.

Recommended Equipment List:

NC FIRE and RESCUE COMMISSION
Firefighter Level I
Practical Skill Scenarios

STUDENT'S NAME _____

ID# _____

EVALUATOR _____

DATE _____

NOZZLES

SCORING

YES

ADD

1 ½" or 1 ¾":

- | | | |
|--|--------------------------|----|
| a) Identifies the type of nozzle | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| b) Identifies the design of the nozzle | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |
| c) Identifies the operation of the nozzle | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| d) Identifies the required nozzle pressure | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| e) Identifies the flow of the nozzle. | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| f) Conducts operation without causing water hammer | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |

2 ½" or Master Stream Device:

- | | | |
|--|--------------------------|----|
| a) Identifies the type of nozzle | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| b) Identifies the design of the nozzle | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |
| c) Identifies the operation of the nozzle | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| d) Identifies the required nozzle pressure | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| e) Identifies the flow of the nozzle. | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10 |
| f) Conducts the operation without causing water hammer | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 |

POINTS

Total points possible for this evaluation skill: 100

Total points needed to pass: 70

Total points scored by the candidate: _____

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15 of 15: HOSE AND APPLIANCE MAINTENANCE

NFPA 1001, 5.5.2

Performance Objectives: The candidate, when given a section of hose or a hose appliance, shall demonstrate the correct procedures for inspecting and cleaning of hose or appliance used by the authority having jurisdiction.

Performance Evaluation: The evaluator shall present the candidate with a section of hose, any size, used by the authority having jurisdiction to demonstrate proper cleaning and inspecting or the candidate may talk his/her way through the correct procedure.

Instructor's Statement: The candidate, when presented with a section of hose line shall describe and demonstrate each step of inspecting and cleaning the hose line.

Recommended Equipment List:

NC FIRE and RESCUE COMMISSION
Firefighter Level I
Practical Skill Scenarios

STUDENT'S NAME _____

ID# _____

EVALUATOR _____

DATE _____

HOSE AND APPLIANCE MAINTENANCE

SCORING

	YES	ADD
a) Checks hose for mechanical damage.	<input type="checkbox"/>	20
b) Checks for thermal damage.	<input type="checkbox"/>	20
c) Checks for mold or mildew.	<input type="checkbox"/>	10
d) Demonstrates an acceptable method of washing hose.	<input type="checkbox"/>	10
e) Demonstrates an acceptable method of drying hose.	<input type="checkbox"/>	10
f) Checks gasket in coupling.	<input type="checkbox"/>	10
g) Checks threads on coupling.	<input type="checkbox"/>	10
h) Places hose back in ready to use condition.	<input type="checkbox"/>	10

POINTS

Total points possible for this evaluation skill: 100

Total points needed to pass: 70

Total points scored by the candidate: _____