



Course Objectives for N304 Cable Avoidance Tool

It is envisaged that by the end of this course of training the trainee operator will be able to answer questions on and perform the following:

- Have a basic understanding of the industry, the dangers of working in the industry and their responsibilities as an operative
- Have a working knowledge of the manufacturer's handbook for the particular equipment to be used and be familiar with other sources of information and relevant legislation
- Be able to locate and identify the controls of the equipment and explain their functions
- Conduct all pre-operational checks in accordance with manufacturer's and legislative requirements
- Configure the equipment for use
- Define underground services
- Know how to identify the different types of underground services
- Identify risks that underground services can present and how people may be affected by them
- Causes of accidents from underground services
- Conduct all necessary safety checks at the work area
- Carry out detection tasks
- Identify the risks of excavating near to underground services, and the safe digging practices that should be adopted
- Carry out all end of shift and shut down procedures

Max Ratio Novice Course	Novice Course Duration	Max number of novice tests	Max number of refresher tests	Max number of experienced worker tests
6:1:1	1 Day	6	6	N/A