

Burglar and Fire Alarm Electrical

License Information

Scope – Tests a candidate’s knowledge of the design, plan, installation, repair, alteration, and maintenance of intrusion detection, fire detection, and signaling systems.

Examination Outline

Open Book

50 Questions - 2-1/2 hour time limit

70% Correct required to pass

Exam Topic	%
General Electrical Knowledge	10
Fire Detection	24
Intrusion Detection	24
Power Supplies	10
Signaling Circuits	10
Grounding and Bonding	6
Raceways and Enclosures	6
Conductors and Cables	6
Special Occupancies	4

References

The following references **are allowed** in the testing center.

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2. *Low Voltage Wiring: Security/Fire-Alarm Systems*, 2002, McGraw-Hill Publishing, Inc., P.O. Box 182604, Columbus, OH 43272, books.mcgraw-hill.com.
3. *Mike Holt’s Illustrated Guide to Basic Electrical Theory*, Third Edition, 2008, Mike Holt Enterprises, Inc., 3604 Parkway Boulevard, Suite 3, Leesburg, FL 34748, www.NECcode.com.
4. *NFPA 70 National Electrical Code*, 2008 Edition, National Fire Protection Association, 1 Batterymarch Park, P.O. Box 9101, Quincy, MA 02269-9101, www.nfpa.org.
5. *NFPA 72 National Fire Alarm Code*, 2007 Edition, National Fire Protection Association, 1 Batterymarch Park, P.O. Box 9101 Quincy, MA 02269-9101, www.nfpa.org.

6. *Security: A Guide to Security System Design and Equipment Selection and Installation*, Second Edition, 1994, Butterworth-Heinemann/Elsevier Science, 11830 Westline Industrial Drive, St. Louis, MO 63146, www.bh.com.
7. *Understanding and Servicing Alarm Systems*, Third Edition, 1999, Butterworth-Heinemann/Elsevier Science, 11830 Westline Industrial Drive, St. Louis, MO 63146, www.bh.com.

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