

M504 Asbestos and Other Fibres – Revision questions

Section 5 – Asbestos in buildings and surveys

1. What types of products and applications has asbestos been used for in buildings?
(Pages 47, 48 and Appendix)
2. For the main types of asbestos products what is the typical asbestos content?
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3. What factors can influence the quality of an asbestos survey and what systems are available to help assure the quality of an asbestos survey?
(Pages 54 and 55)
4. What are the main types of asbestos survey? What are the differences between them?
(Pages 55 – 60)
5. What factors need to be considered when planning an asbestos survey of a building?
(Pages 60 – 61)
6. What information should be recorded during an asbestos survey?
(Pages 63 – 71)
7. Describe the procedures that should be used when sampling the following types of asbestos containing materials.
 - a. Pipe insulation
 - b. Insulating board
 - c. Asbestos cement roof sheeting
(Pages 73 – 76)
8. What factors are taken into account in the risk assessment algorithms commonly used in the United Kingdom?
(Pages 81 – 85)
9. What factors are taken into account in the risk assessment methodology commonly used in the United States of America?
(Pages 85 – 86)
10. What principles should be applied when developing an asbestos management plan?
(Pages 86 – 90)
11. What information should be included in an asbestos management plan?
(Pages 90 – 93)