

CSA W178.2 Level 1 CASTI Welding Inspector Training Program

Your Goal: pass the four CSA W178.2 Level 1 exams with a score of 70% or greater to become a Certified Welding Inspector. CASTI can help you do that.

CASTI's Goal: to train you to be the best welding inspector you can become, to build the foundation for a lifelong career, and reach far beyond "passing an exam". With the CASTI Learning Advantage, you are learning for life.

Compare CASTI to the Competition

CSA W178.2 Level 1 Training Program Comparison		
Training Time	CASTI	competitor
In-Classroom Days	5.5	10
Online Pre-classroom Training	5*	0
Online Post-classroom Training	2*	0
Total Days of Training	12.5**	10
Costs	CASTI	competitor
Course Registration Cost	\$2,695	\$2,250
Course Textbook	included	\$620
Exemption Exam/Tests Costs	included	included
Use of Inspection Tool Kit	included	\$200
Code document cost: ASME B31.3	\$700	\$858
Code document cost: ASME VIII-1 and IX; or	\$1698	\$2113.80
Total Costs (if using ASME B31.3)	\$3,395	\$3,928
Total Costs (if using ASME VIII-1 and IX)	\$4,393	\$5,183.80

* Based on the expected number of days it takes students to complete the online lessons.

** CASTI's exemption exam is given on the afternoon of the 6th classroom day.

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Number of Practice Exams	CASTI	competitor
Welding Inspection Exams	3	0
CSA W178.2 Open-Book Exams	3	0
Visual Detection Exams	3	0
ASME B31.3 Code Exams	3	0
Online Support	CASTI	competitor
Pre-classroom online training	✓	✗
Online lessons graded automatically	✓	✗
Post-classroom practice exams	✓	✗
e-Instructor Support for online content	✓	✗
Additional Course Features and Benefits	CASTI	competitor
Closed-book exam exemption	✓	✓
Practice questions	✓	✓
Assessment-based learning	✓	✓
Practice exams	✓	✗
Physical weld samples	✓	✓
Practice use of weld inspection tools	✓	✓***
High resolution illustrations and photographs for detailed practical examples	✓	✗
Comprehensive certification training, including Code/Standard exam training	✓	✗
Competitive pricing	✓	✗

*** Inspection tools are an additional cost of \$200 over course fee.