# **CHAPTER 16**



BUILDER (BU)

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# NAVY ENLISTED OCCUPATIONAL STANDARD

**FOR** 

BUILDER (BU)



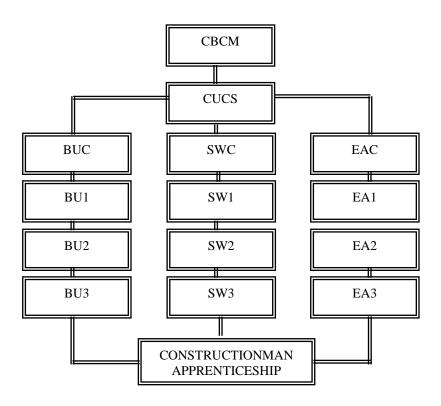
#### SCOPE OF RATING

<u>Builders (BU)</u> build and repair wood, metal, concrete and masonry structures; perform rough and finished carpentry; install interior and exterior finishes, perform paint and preservation; build and place forms; mix, place, and finish concrete; operate and maintain carpentry shops; build and repair airfields and waterfront structures; demolish existing structures; erect pre-engineered structures; plan and estimate material and labor in order to execute and manage construction projects; individual combat readiness; and perform tasks required in combat and Humanitarian Assistance Disaster Recovery (HADR) operations.

This Occupational Standard is to be incorporated in Volume I, Part B, of the Manual of Navy Enlisted Manpower and Personnel Classifications and Occupational Standards (NAVPERS 18068F) as Chapter 16.

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

#### **CAREER PATTERN**



Normal path of advancement to Chief Warrant Officer and Limited Duty Officer categories can be found in OPNAVINST 1420.1.

For rating entry requirements, refer to MILPERSMAN 1306-618.

## **SAFETY**

The observance of Operational Risk Management (ORM) and proper safety precautions in all areas is an integral part of each billet and the responsibility of every Sailor; therefore, it is a universal requirement for all ratings.

<sup>\*</sup>Career path updated to reflect rating name change to Seabee Master Chief (CBCM) - NAVADMIN 054/21 refers

#### Job Title Job Code Builder 002594

Job Family **Short Title (30 Characters) Short Title (14 Characters) NOC** TBD BUILDER BUILDER

Construction and Extraction

Pay Plan Career Field Other Relationships and Rules

Enlisted NEC BXXX series and other NECs as assigned

#### **Job Description**

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#### **DoD Relationship** O\*NET Relationship

Group Title DoD Code Occupation Title SOC Code Job Family Construction, General 171000 Carpenters 47-2031.00 Construction and Extraction

**Skills** Abilities

Critical Thinking Information Ordering Quality Control Analysis Deductive Reasoning Management of Personnel Resources Oral Expression Equipment Selection Problem Sensitivity Coordination Inductive Reasoning Management of Material Resources Manual Dexterity Operations Analysis Time Sharing Complex Problem Solving Spatial Orientation Reading Comprehension Selective Attention Installation Written Comprehension

#### **CARPENTRY**

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|-----------------|-----------|---|
| <b>Paygrade</b> | Task Type | Task Statements                             |
| E4              | NON-CORE  | Demolish carpentry                          |
| E5              | NON-CORE  | Develop carpentry demolition plans          |
| E4              | CORE      | Develop carpentry shop drawings             |
| E5              | CORE      | Fabricate finish carpentry                  |
| E4              | CORE      | Fabricate metal framing structures          |
| E4              | CORE      | Fabricate rough carpentry                   |
| E4              | CORE      | Install finish carpentry                    |
| E4              | CORE      | Install metal framing structures            |
| E5              | CORE      | Manage carpentry shop operations            |
| E5              | CORE      | Supervise carpentry construction operations |
| E5              | CORE      | Supervise carpentry shop operations         |

#### CONCRETE CONSTRUCTION

| <b>Paygrade</b> | Task Type | Task Statements                     |
|-----------------|-----------|-------------------------------------|
| E4              | CORE      | Construct concrete forms            |
| E5              | CORE      | Construct overhead and column forms |
| E4              | NON-CORE  | Demolish concrete construction      |

## CONCRETE CONSTRUCTION (CONT'D)

| <b>Paygrade</b> | Task Type | Task Statements  |
|-----------------|-----------|--|
| E4              | CORE      | Develop concrete construction shop drawings  |
| E5              | NON-CORE  | Develop concrete demolition plans  |
| E4              | CORE      | Establish building lines and elevations  |
| E4              | CORE      | Fabricate Reinforcing Steel (RST)  |
| E4              | CORE      | Finish concrete  |
| E4              | CORE      | Install concrete forms   |
| E4              | CORE      | Install embedment in form work   |
| E5              | CORE      | Install pre-cast concrete structures (e.g., columns, retaining walls, grade beams, etc.) |
| E4              | CORE      | Install Reinforcing Steel (RST)  |
| E6              | CORE      | Manage concrete operations   |
| E4              | CORE      | Mix concrete   |
| E4              | CORE      | Place concrete   |
| E5              | CORE      | Supervise concrete mixing operations   |
| E5              | CORE      | Supervise concrete placement and finishing   |
| E5              | CORE      | Supervise overhead and column form construction  |
| E6              | NON-CORE  | Supervise pre-cast concrete structure assembly operations                                |
|                 |           |  |

## CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT

| <b>Paygrade</b> | Task Type | Task Statements   |
|-----------------|-----------|---|
| E5              | CORE      | Conduct construction project turnovers  |
| E6              | NON-CORE  | Conduct Three-Phase Quality Control inspections   |
| E6              | NON-CORE  | Determine construction project contracts are executed in accordance with requirements       |
| E4              | CORE      | Develop construction activity summary sheets  |
| E4              | CORE      | Develop construction estimates  |
| E5              | CORE      | Develop construction project packages   |
| E4              | CORE      | Develop construction project shop drawings  |
| E4              | CORE      | Develop construction safety plans   |
| E4              | CORE      | Develop environmental protection plans  |
| E5              | CORE      | Develop master activities listing   |
| E5              | CORE      | Develop project Three-Phase Quality Control plans   |
| E5              | CORE      | Establish construction site layouts   |
| E4              | NON-CORE  | Input project data into construction management software and tools                          |
| E4              | CORE      | Inspect construction materials  |
| E4              | CORE      | Interpret construction project drawings and specifications                                  |
| E4              | CORE      | Inventory project tools and materials   |
| E4              | CORE      | Lead construction project crews   |
| E7              | CORE      | Manage construction project logistics and resources (i.e., tools, manpower, material, etc.) |
| E7              | CORE      | Manage construction projects  |
| E7              | NON-CORE  | Manage construction safety plans  |

## CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT (CONT'D)

| <u>Paygrade</u><br>E6 | <u>Task Type</u><br>CORE | <u>Task Statements</u> Manage job site construction operations (e.g., Quality Control (QC) and safety plan implementation, job site information board, level III chart, etc.) |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|---|
| E7                    | NON-CORE                 | Manage project Quality Control (QC) plans   |
| E7                    | NON-CORE                 | Manage Three-Phase Quality Control process (i.e., operations level)   |
| E6                    | CORE                     | Supervise construction project crews  |
| E5                    | NON-CORE                 | Supervise construction project safety operations  |
| E5                    | NON-CORE                 | Supervise demolition operations   |
| E5                    | NON-CORE                 | Supervise environmental protection plans  |
| E5                    | NON-CORE                 | Supervise erection of scaffolding to support construction activities  |
| E5                    | CORE                     | Supervise planning and estimating operations  |
| E6                    | CORE                     | Supervise project Three-Phase Quality Control process   |
| E6                    | CORE                     | Validate construction project packages  |
| E6                    | CORE                     | Validate project surveys and elevation data   |
|                       |                          |   |

## EXTERIOR FINISHES AND MOISTURE PROTECTION

| <b>Paygrade</b> | Task Type | Task Statements  |
|-----------------|-----------|--|
| E4              | NON-CORE  | Demolish exterior finishes and moisture protection   |
| E4              | NON-CORE  | Develop exterior finishes and moisture protection demolition plans                                   |
| E4              | CORE      | Install building insulation materials  |
| E4              | CORE      | Install exterior doors and hardware  |
| E4              | CORE      | Install exterior wall finishes   |
| E4              | CORE      | Install flashing   |
| E4              | CORE      | Install roof specialties and accessories (e.g., ridge vents, penetrations, sky lights, etc.)         |
| E4              | CORE      | Install roofing systems (i.e., metal roofing, rolled seamed roofing, architectural/asphalt shingles) |
| E4              | CORE      | Install windows and hardware   |
| E5              | CORE      | Supervise roofing system installations   |
|                 |           |  |

## **FINISHES**

| <u>Paygrade</u><br>E4 | <u>Task Type</u><br>NON-CORE | Task Statements Demolish finishes                  |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|--|
| E4                    | NON-CORE                     | Develop finishes demolition plans                  |
| E4                    | CORE                         | Develop interior finish shop drawings              |
| E4                    | CORE                         | Finish drywall                                     |
| E4                    | CORE                         | Install acoustical treatments                      |
| E4                    | CORE                         | Install building fixtures and hardware accessories |
| E4                    | CORE                         | Install drywall                                    |
| E4                    | CORE                         | Install flooring materials                         |
| E4                    | CORE                         | Install interior doors and hardware                |
| E4                    | CORE                         | Install interior wall finishes                     |
| E5                    | CORE                         | Supervise finish material installations            |

## **HEAVY CONSTRUCTION**

| <b>Paygrade</b> | Task Type | Task Statements                             |
|-----------------|-----------|---|
| E4              | NON-CORE  | Construct heavy timber structures           |
| E4              | NON-CORE  | Demolish heavy construction                 |
| E5              | NON-CORE  | Develop heavy construction demolition plans |
| E7              | NON-CORE  | Manage heavy construction operations        |
| E6              | NON-CORE  | Supervise heavy construction projects       |
|                 |           |   |

## MASONRY CONSTRUCTION

| <b>Paygrade</b> | Task Type | Task Statements                               |
|-----------------|-----------|---|
| E4              | CORE      | Construct masonry structures                  |
| E4              | NON-CORE  | Demolish masonry construction                 |
| E4              | NON-CORE  | Develop masonry construction demolition plans |
| E4              | CORE      | Develop masonry construction shop drawings    |
| E4              | CORE      | Install masonry hardware                      |
| E4              | CORE      | Mix mortar                                    |
| E5              | CORE      | Supervise masonry construction operations     |
|                 |           |   |

## SPECIAL CONSTRUCTION

|                 |           | SPECIAL CONSTRUCTION   |
|-----------------|-----------|--|
| <b>Paygrade</b> | Task Type | Task Statements  |
| E5              | NON-CORE  | Assess airfield damages  |
| E4              | NON-CORE  | Construct bridging systems (i.e., Mabey Johnson, Medium Girder Bridge (MGB), heavy timber)   |
| E5              | NON-CORE  | Construct non-standard bridging (i.e., gap crossing)   |
| E4              | NON-CORE  | Demolish special construction  |
| E4              | NON-CORE  | Develop special construction demolition plans  |
| E4              | NON-CORE  | Erect K-Span structures  |
| E4              | CORE      | Erect pre-engineered structures (i.e., tension fabric, pre-engineered buildings (PEB), fabricated steel buildings, steel towers, and antennas)                 |
| E4              | CORE      | Erect scaffolding to support construction activities   |
| E4              | NON-CORE  | Erect waterfront piers   |
| E4              | NON-CORE  | Fabricate cold-formed steel floor, wall, and roof assemblies   |
| E4              | NON-CORE  | Install cold-formed steel framing components and prefabricated assemblies  |
| E4              | NON-CORE  | Install cold-formed steel wall and roof sheathing  |
| E5              | NON-CORE  | Launch bridging systems (i.e., Mabey Johnson, Medium Girder Bridge (MGB), heavy timber)  |
| E7              | NON-CORE  | Manage Airfield Damage Repair (ADR) operations   |
| E7              | NON-CORE  | Manage special construction assembly operations (i.e., tension fabric, pre-engineered buildings (PEB), fabricated steel buildings, steel towers, and antennas) |
| E7              | NON-CORE  | Manage waterfront pier construction operations   |
| E5              | NON-CORE  | Perform locksmith operations   |
| E6              | NON-CORE  | Plan Airfield Damage Repairs (ADR)   |
| E5              | NON-CORE  | Plan Pier Damage Repairs (PDR)   |
| E5              | NON-CORE  | Recover bridging systems (i.e., Mabey Johnson, Medium Girder Bridge (MGB), heavy timber)   |

## SPECIAL CONSTRUCTION (CONT'D)

| <b>Paygrade</b> | Task Type | Task Statements   |
|-----------------|-----------|---|
| E4              | NON-CORE  | Repair damaged airfields  |
| E4              | NON-CORE  | Repair damaged piers  |
| E6              | NON-CORE  | Supervise Airfield Damage Repair (ADR) operations   |
| E6              | NON-CORE  | Supervise assembly and erection operations (i.e., tension fabric, pre-engineered buildings (PEB), fabricated steel buildings, steel towers, and antennas) |
| E6              | NON-CORE  | Supervise K-span erection operations  |
| E6              | NON-CORE  | Supervise Pier Damage Repair (PDR) operations   |
| E6              | NON-CORE  | Supervise pile driving construction operations  |
| E6              | NON-CORE  | Supervise waterfront pier construction operations   |