

CBRN GENERAL OPERATIONS (74D) PRACTICE EXAM (SAMPLE)

STUDY GUIDE



**SAMPLE STUDY GUIDE
WITH LIMITED QUESTIONS**

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Introduction

Preparing for a certification exam can feel overwhelming, but with the right tools, it becomes an opportunity to build confidence, sharpen your skills, and move one step closer to your goals. At Examzify, we believe that effective exam preparation isn't just about memorization, it's about understanding the material, identifying knowledge gaps, and building the test-taking strategies that lead to success.

This guide was designed to help you do exactly that.

Whether you're preparing for a licensing exam, professional certification, or entry-level qualification, this book offers structured practice to reinforce key concepts. You'll find a wide range of multiple-choice questions, each followed by clear explanations to help you understand not just the right answer, but why it's correct.

The content in this guide is based on real-world exam objectives and aligned with the types of questions and topics commonly found on official tests. It's ideal for learners who want to:

- Practice answering questions under realistic conditions,
- Improve accuracy and speed,
- Review explanations to strengthen weak areas, and
- Approach the exam with greater confidence.

We recommend using this book not as a stand-alone study tool, but alongside other resources like flashcards, textbooks, or hands-on training. For best results, we recommend working through each question, reflecting on the explanation provided, and revisiting the topics that challenge you most.

Remember: successful test preparation isn't about getting every question right the first time, it's about learning from your mistakes and improving over time. Stay focused, trust the process, and know that every page you turn brings you closer to success.

Let's begin.

How to Use This Guide

This guide is designed to help you study more effectively and approach your exam with confidence. Whether you're reviewing for the first time or doing a final refresh, here's how to get the most out of your Examzify study guide:

1. Start with a Diagnostic Review

Skim through the questions to get a sense of what you know and what you need to focus on. Your goal is to identify knowledge gaps early.

2. Study in Short, Focused Sessions

Break your study time into manageable blocks (e.g. 30 – 45 minutes). Review a handful of questions, reflect on the explanations.

3. Learn from the Explanations

After answering a question, always read the explanation, even if you got it right. It reinforces key points, corrects misunderstandings, and teaches subtle distinctions between similar answers.

4. Track Your Progress

Use bookmarks or notes (if reading digitally) to mark difficult questions. Revisit these regularly and track improvements over time.

5. Simulate the Real Exam

Once you're comfortable, try taking a full set of questions without pausing. Set a timer and simulate test-day conditions to build confidence and time management skills.

6. Repeat and Review

Don't just study once, repetition builds retention. Re-attempt questions after a few days and revisit explanations to reinforce learning. Pair this guide with other Examzify tools like flashcards, and digital practice tests to strengthen your preparation across formats.

There's no single right way to study, but consistent, thoughtful effort always wins. Use this guide flexibly, adapt the tips above to fit your pace and learning style. You've got this!

Questions

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- 1. What form is used for a temporary hand receipt?**
 - A. DA Form 3749
 - B. DA Form 3161
 - C. DA Form 2062
 - D. DA Form 3160
- 2. What type of inventory takes place annually or as directed by the Property Book Office?**
 - A. Primary hand receipt holder inventory
 - B. Annual asset check
 - C. Annual inventory
 - D. Random sampling
- 3. TB 43-0134 and TB 43-0197 are what type of documents?**
 - A. Policies
 - B. Training Guides
 - C. Safety Notices
 - D. Technical Bulletins
- 4. During PMCS and checking for seams, which item should you examine?**
 - A. JSGPM
 - B. M61 filters
 - C. CBRN training guidelines
 - D. Mask carrier
- 5. Which timeframe aligns with shelf life item inspections?**
 - A. 60 days
 - B. 90 days
 - C. 120 days
 - D. 180 days

- 6. Which statement describes the color coding on the map overlay for chemical contamination?**
- A. Yellow indicates safe zones
 - B. Yellow indicates contaminated areas
 - C. Yellow indicates water features
 - D. Yellow indicates administrative zones
- 7. Which two machines detect depleted uranium?**
- A. AN/PDR 77 and the AN/VDR 2
 - B. AN/VDR 2 and AN/PDR 78
 - C. AN/PDR 77 and AN/VDR 3
 - D. AN/PDR 76 and AN/VDR 2
- 8. CATS is used to help plan training.**
- A. To help plan training
 - B. To manage equipment
 - C. To evaluate safety drills
 - D. To record medical data
- 9. How many sizes are there with the M53A1 mask?**
- A. 3
 - B. 2
 - C. 5
 - D. 4
- 10. Which form documents maintenance faults and parts requested for equipment?**
- A. DA Form 2404
 - B. DA Form 5988-E
 - C. DA Form 2407
 - D. DA Form 2399

Answers

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1. B
2. C
3. D
4. D
5. B
6. B
7. A
8. A
9. D
10. B

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Explanations

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1. What form is used for a temporary hand receipt?

- A. DA Form 3749
- B. DA Form 3161**
- C. DA Form 2062
- D. DA Form 3160

Temporary hand receipts track equipment issued for a short period, keeping accountability tied to the holder until it's returned or formally transferred. The form used for this purpose is DA Form 3161 (Request for Issue or Turn-In). It documents exactly what item is issued, the quantity, any serial numbers, who is receiving it, where it's going, and when it should be returned. This creates a clear record of temporary possession and helps ensure property is accounted for during field operations or training. In contrast, DA Form 2062 (Hand Receipt/Annex) is used for items assigned on a more permanent basis or as an annex to a hand receipt, not for temporary transfers. The other forms serve different functions: maintenance requests and unrelated administrative processes, so they aren't used to establish a temporary hand receipt.

2. What type of inventory takes place annually or as directed by the Property Book Office?

- A. Primary hand receipt holder inventory
- B. Annual asset check
- C. Annual inventory**
- D. Random sampling

Annual inventory is the formal, comprehensive physical count of all property listed in the property book, conducted at least once a year or as directed by the Property Book Office. The goal is to verify that the actual items, their serial numbers, quantities, locations, and condition match what's recorded. This process helps uncover missing or unaccounted-for items, correct discrepancies in the property records, and maintain proper accountability for all unit assets. Since the timing is specified as annually or as directed by the PBO, this type of inventory aligns exactly with that requirement.

3. TB 43-0134 and TB 43-0197 are what type of documents?

- A. Policies
- B. Training Guides
- C. Safety Notices
- D. Technical Bulletins**

Technical Bulletins are concise documents issued to convey specific technical information, updates, or guidance about equipment, procedures, or technical standards. The designation TB in the titles—TB 43-0134 and TB 43-0197—signals they are Technical Bulletins, not broad policies, training materials, or safety notices. Policies present high-level rules, Training Guides are meant to teach or walk someone through procedures, and Safety Notices alert to hazards or safety-related actions. The purpose of these documents is to disseminate targeted technical instructions or updates, which is exactly what a Technical Bulletin provides.

4. During PMCS and checking for seams, which item should you examine?

- A. JSGPM
- B. M61 filters
- C. CBRN training guidelines
- D. Mask carrier**

During PMCS for CBRN gear, you focus on components that keep equipment secure and ready to use. The item whose seams you inspect is the mask carrier, because its stitching and fabric seams are common points of wear or damage. If a seam is torn, frayed, or the zipper/fasteners don't close properly, the mask may not be securely contained or readily accessible, which could compromise readiness or protection. While the mask itself and its filters also require checks for damage and expiry, the question specifically highlights seams, so the carrier is the part to examine to ensure the mask remains protected and a proper seal can be achieved when needed.

5. Which timeframe aligns with shelf life item inspections?

- A. 60 days
- B. 90 days**
- C. 120 days
- D. 180 days

Regularly inspecting shelf life items on a set cadence keeps you ahead of expirations and ensures stock remains usable. The standard cadence for shelf life item inspections is every three months, a quarterly cycle. This interval strikes a balance between catching items that are nearing or past their shelf life and not overloading the workflow with constant checks. It supports accurate inventory records, timely rotation of stock, and readiness by preventing expired items from remaining in inventory. Shorter intervals, like every two months, would add unnecessary workload without a proportional gain in risk reduction. Longer intervals, such as every four or six months, increase the chance that items reach or pass their expiration date before inspection, leading to waste or non-recoverable stock.

6. Which statement describes the color coding on the map overlay for chemical contamination?

- A. Yellow indicates safe zones
- B. Yellow indicates contaminated areas**
- C. Yellow indicates water features
- D. Yellow indicates administrative zones

Yellow on the chemical contamination overlay marks areas that are contaminated and require protective actions. This warning color is used to signal hazard and prompt proper precautions, such as donning PPE and enforcing decontamination or exclusion zones. It helps responders quickly distinguish contaminated zones from safe areas, water features, or administrative boundaries, which are shown with other colors. Recognizing this color cue guides immediate decision-making and the implementation of appropriate control measures in the contaminated areas.

7. Which two machines detect depleted uranium?

- A. AN/PDR 77 and the AN/VDR 2**
- B. AN/VDR 2 and AN/PDR 78
- C. AN/PDR 77 and AN/VDR 3
- D. AN/PDR 76 and AN/VDR 2

Detecting depleted uranium in the field relies on radiological survey equipment that can register radiation signatures indicative of DU. The best combination to cover both personal and vehicle/area screening is a handheld radiac detector designed for depleted uranium and a vehicle-mounted radiological detector. The handheld unit is built to detect DU on or near a person or surface, giving immediate readings during a quick survey. The vehicle-mounted detector allows rapid screening of vehicles and larger areas from a distance, speeding up identification of DU presence over a wider area. Together, these two devices provide both portable and mobile screening capabilities specific to depleted uranium detection. The other options involve devices that aren't the standard DU-focused pairing, or are not configured for DU detection in this context.

8. CATS is used to help plan training.

- A. To help plan training**
- B. To manage equipment
- C. To evaluate safety drills
- D. To record medical data

CATS is used to organize and design training efforts. It helps planners define what needs to be taught, set learning objectives, determine prerequisites, and lay out a schedule that assigns instructors, facilities, and resources. It also supports tracking progress and ensuring training aligns with mission readiness. While other systems handle things like equipment management, safety drill evaluation, or medical data, CATS focuses on the planning and orchestration of the training itself. That's why it's the best fit for helping plan training.

9. How many sizes are there with the M53A1 mask?

- A. 3
- B. 2
- C. 5
- D. 4**

The main idea here is that protective masks must fit the wearer well to be effective. The M53A1 is produced in four sizes so a wide range of face shapes can achieve a proper seal around the edges of the mask. A good seal is essential because any gaps can let contaminated air in and undermine protection. Having four sizes lets most users find a size that fits snugly at the cheeks, nose, and chin without being too tight or loose, balancing protection with comfort and practical supply considerations. If you try a fit and can't get a reliable seal, you would switch to another size until the seal passes a fit check. Smaller or larger counts, like three or five, wouldn't reliably accommodate the variety of face shapes, and two would be insufficient for most users.

10. Which form documents maintenance faults and parts requested for equipment?

- A. DA Form 2404
- B. DA Form 5988-E**
- C. DA Form 2407
- D. DA Form 2399

The form used to document faults and parts requested is the DA Form 5988-E, the Maintenance Request/Work Order. This document is the official record that captures what failed, the system or component involved, and the exact parts needed to fix it. It's created to communicate the issue to the maintenance team and to trigger part ordering and scheduled repair, with fields that track the fault description, the parts requested, and the status of the work. While other forms capture different parts of the maintenance process, 5988-E is specifically designed to log faults and the corresponding parts necessary for the repair.

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Next Steps

Congratulations on reaching the final section of this guide. You've taken a meaningful step toward passing your certification exam and advancing your career.

As you continue preparing, remember that consistent practice, review, and self-reflection are key to success. Make time to revisit difficult topics, simulate exam conditions, and track your progress along the way.

If you need help, have suggestions, or want to share feedback, we'd love to hear from you. Reach out to our team at hello@examzify.com.

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We wish you the very best on your exam journey. You've got this!

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