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**CRAFT CERTIFICATE IN ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONIC  
TECHNOLOGY  
(POWER OPTION)  
(TELECOMMUNICATION OPTION)**

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

*Each candidate will carry out ALL the exercises as directed by the examiner.  
Performance of each candidate will be assessed during and at the end of every exercise.  
Candidates will dismantle their own work.  
No circuit should be connected to **POWER** without approval of the examiner  
All dimensions are in millimeters  
All electrical installations must be carried out in accordance with relevant regulations and practice.  
All questions are **COMPULSORY**.*

**This paper consists of 5 printed pages.**

**Candidates should check the question paper to ascertain that  
all the pages are printed as indicated and that no questions are missing.**

1. Figure 1 shows a domestic PV solar installation system layout. The solar module and its equipment are pre-installed.

- (a) Draw a wiring diagram
- (b) Complete the wiring of the control gear in correct sequence
- (c) Using PVC sheathed wiring system, install the circuit such that;
  - (i) Two lamps  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  are controlled by two two-way switches  $S_1$  and  $S_2$  from the A.C. supply.
  - (ii) Lamp  $L_3$  is controlled by a switch  $S_3$  from the D.C. supply.
  - (iii) The socket is wired from the C.C.U.
- (d) Carry out continuity and insulation tests. (25 marks)

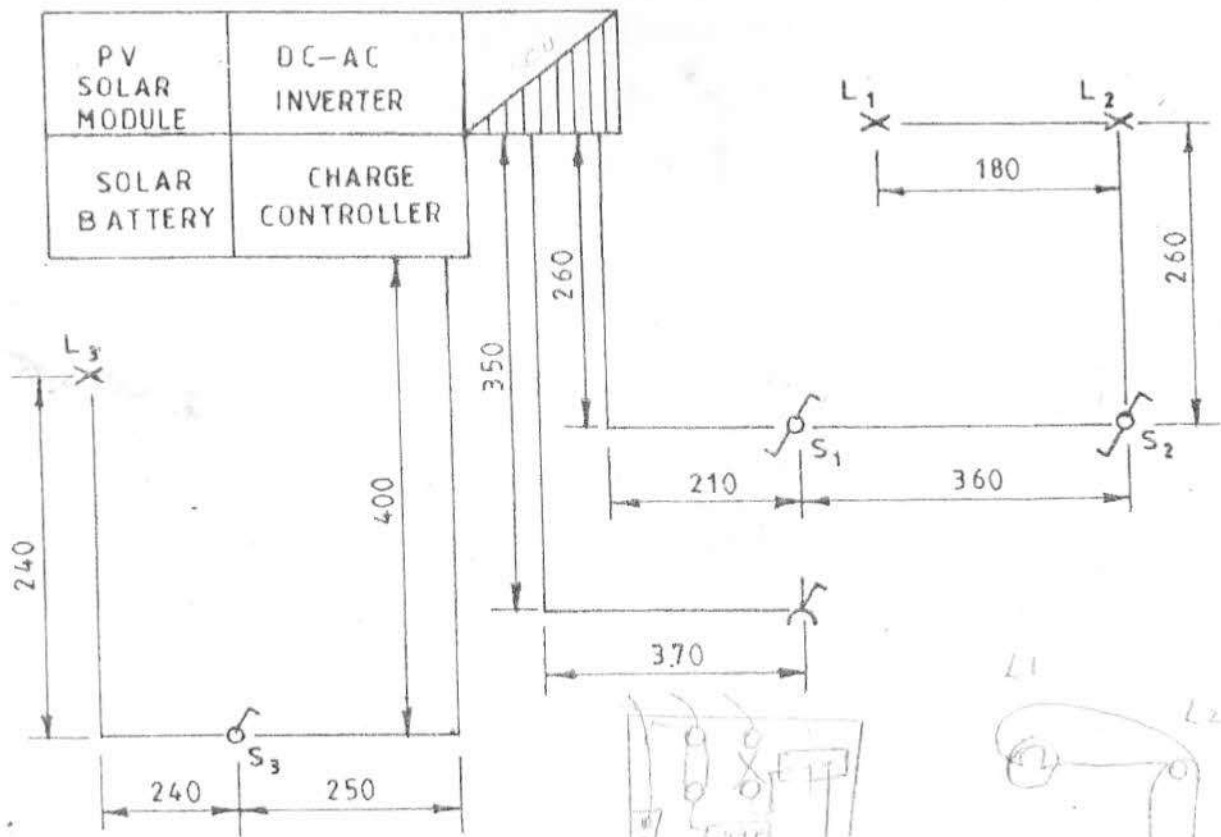
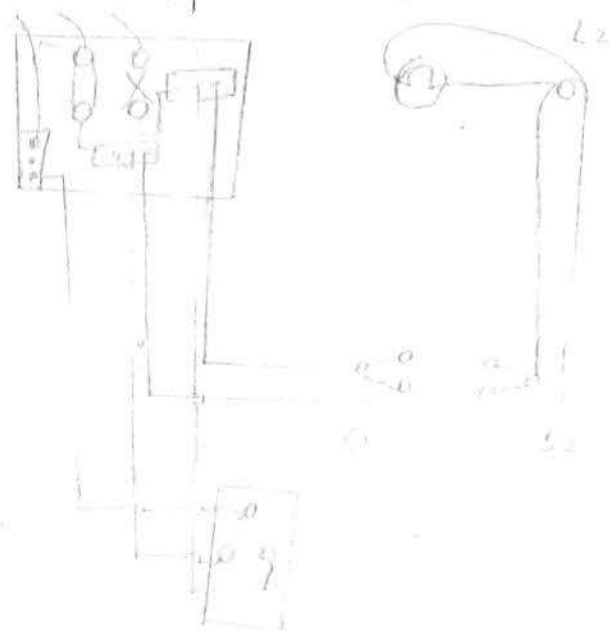


Fig. 1



2. Figure 2 shows the layout of control gear/equipment at consumers' intake point and two final circuits. The control gear and consumer units are pre-installed

- (a) Draw a wiring diagram of the installation
- (b) Complete the wiring of control gear at the consumer's intake point.
- (c) Using PVC mini-trunking wiring system, install the:
  - (i) Lighting circuit such that switch  $S_1$  controls lamp  $L_1$  and switch  $S_2$  control lamp  $L_2$ .
  - (ii) Cooker control unit
  - (iii) Water heater switch
- (d) Carry out the following tests:
  - (i) Polarity
  - (ii) Insulation resistance

(25 marks)

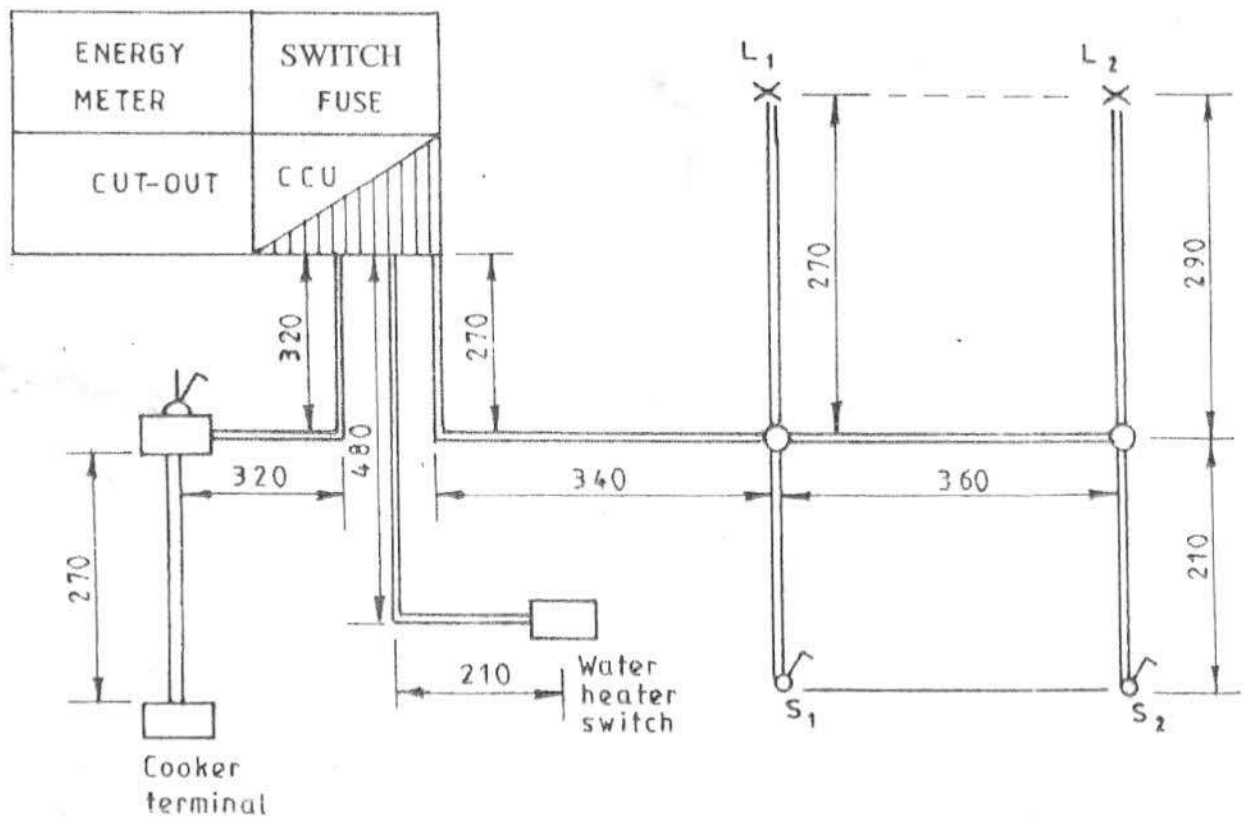


Fig. 2

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4. Figure 4 shows a transistor series voltage regulator.
- (a) Using the components and equipment provided, mount and solder the circuit on a 40 mm x 50 mm printed circuit board. Leave a margin of 5 mm.
  - (b) Adjust the input voltage from the d.c. power supply until  $V_{in} = +15\text{ V}$  exactly.
  - (c) Measure the voltages at test points TP-1 to TP-3. Tabulate the results in table 1.

(25 marks)

Table 1

Test points	TP-1	TP-2	TP-3
Voltage (V)			

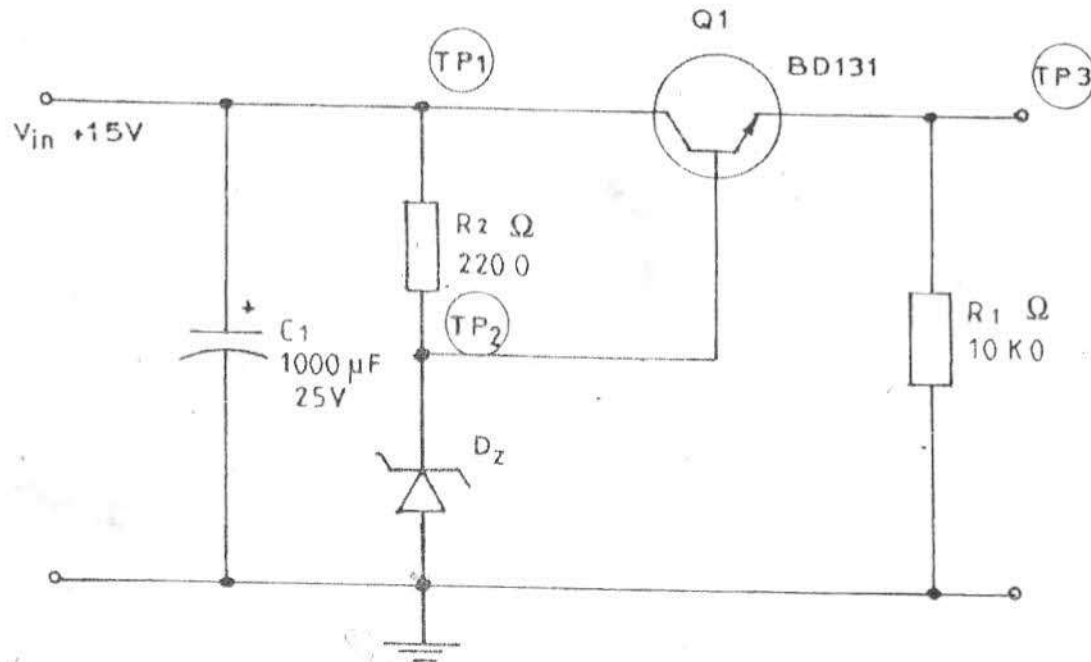


Fig 4

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