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DATCP Conservation Engineering Practitioner Certification Master Skills Matrix

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560	Access Road	Eng	Eng	Surfacing material	Type	earth	stone	concrete	asphalt	All	560-01
		Eng	Eng	Length	Feet	1,500	3,000	5,000	10,000	All	560-02
309	Agrichemical Handling Facility	Eng	Eng	Storage volume	Gallons	500	1,000	2,000	5,000	All	309-01
591	Amendments for Treatment of Agricultural Waste	Eng	Eng	None	N/A	---	---	---	---	All	591-01
366	Anaerobic Digester	Eng	Eng	Animals	Animal Units	150	300	500	1,000	All	366-01
316	Animal Mortality Facility	Eng	Eng	Annual mortality	Animal Units	50	125	250	500	All	316-01
450	Anionic Polyacrylamide (PAM) Application	Eng	Eng	None	Acres	2	5	10	20	40	450-01
000	Any practice	Eng	CED-SCE	Hazard potential as defined in NEM 520.21 (1)	Class	---	---	---	---	Low	000-01
		Eng	CED-SCE	Alters the visual resources of beaches and shorelines on the Great Lakes	N/A	---	---	---	---	None	000-02
		Eng	CED-SCE	Embankment over active fault	N/A	None	None	None	None	None	000-03
397	Aquaculture Ponds	Eng	Eng	Same as Pond (378)	---	---	---	---	---	---	397-01
672	Building Envelope Improvement	Eng	Eng	Implementation of on-farm energy audit recommendations	N/A	---	---	---	---	All	672-01
584	Channel Bed Stabilization	Eng	Eng	(See Open Channel 582)		---	---	---	---	---	584-03
326	Clearing & Snagging	Eng	Eng	Length of reach	Feet	1,000	2,500	5,000	10,000	All	326-01
317	Composting Facility	Eng	Eng	Design volume	Cubic Feet	10,000	20,000	50,000	100,000	All	317-01
656	Constructed Wetland	Eng	Eng	Embankment - effective height	Feet	4	6	8	10	All	656-01
		Eng	Eng	Embankment - drainage area	Acres	10	20	40	80	160	656-02
		Eng	Eng	Embankment - storage volume (top of dam)	Acre Feet	5	10	15	30	50	656-03

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402	Dam	Eng	Eng	Same as Pond (378)	---	---	---	---	---	---	402-01
605	Denitrifying Bioreactor	Eng	Eng	Area Drained	Acres	20	40	80	160	All	605-01
356	Dike	Eng	Eng	Class III (minimal damage due to failure)	N/A	---	---	---	---	All	356-01
		Eng	Eng	Berm Soil	Type	---	---	Mineral	Organic	All	356-02
		Eng	Eng	Height	Feet	3	6	8	10	All	356-03
362	Diversion	Eng	Eng	Drainage area	Acres	10	20	40	100	All	362-01
554	Drainage Water Management	Eng	Eng	Area drained	Acres	20	40	80	160	All	554-01
373	Dust Control on Unpaved Roads and Surfaces	Eng	Eng	Length	Feet	1,500	3,000	5,000	10,000	All	373-01
374	Farmstead Energy Improvement	Eng	Eng	Implementation of on-farm energy audit recommendations	N/A	---	---	---	---	All	374-01
398	✓ Fish Raceway or Tank	Eng	ESD-AqEco & CED-DE	Raceway/tank size	Ft.2	---	---	---	---	All	398-01
410	Grade Stabilization Structure	Eng	Eng	Same as Pond (378)	N/A	---	---	---	---	---	410-01
		Eng	Eng	Embankment (1) - public road on structure	N/A	---	---	---	No	All	410-05
		Eng	Eng	Toewall or drop spillway - net drop	Feet	2*	4*	6*	3	4	410-07
		Eng	Eng	Toewall or drop spillway - weir capacity	CFS	100	200	300	400	500	410-08
		Eng	Eng	Box inlet - net drop	Feet	2*	3*	4*	4	6	410-09
		Eng	Eng	Box inlet - weir capacity	CFS	100	200	300	400	500	410-10
		Eng	Eng	Box inlet - within public road right-of-way	N/A	---	---	---	No	All	410-11
		Eng	Eng	Chute spillway (2) - concrete block or rock riprap - net drop	Feet	4	6	8	10	12	410-12
		Eng	Eng	Chute spillway (2) - concrete block or rock riprap - design capacity	CFS	50	100	150	200	300	410-13

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410	Grade Stabilization Structure	Eng	Eng	Geotextile reinforced vegetated chute - net drop	Feet	3	4	5	6	8	410-14
		Eng	Eng	Geotextile reinforced vegetated chute - design capacity	CFS	10	25	50	100	200	410-15
		Eng	Eng	Side inlets (to drainage ditch) - net drop	Feet	6	8	10	12	16	410-16
		Eng	Eng	Side inlets (to drainage ditch) - pipe diameter	Inches	12	18	24	36	48	410-17
412	Grassed Waterway	Eng	Eng	Drainage area	Acres	50	200	600	1,300	All	412-01
355	Groundwater Testing	Eng	Eng	Well use	Type	Micro Irrigation	Sprinkler Irrigation	Livestock	Potable	All	355-01
561	Heavy Use Area Protection	Eng	Eng	Site surface area	Square Feet	5,000	10,000	43,560	80,000	All	561-01
		Eng	Eng	Surface protection	Type	earth	stone	concrete	asphalt	All	561-02
430	Irrigation Pipeline	Eng	Eng	Pipeline capacity < 50 psi maximum pressure	gallons per minute	250	500	1,000	1800	2500	430-01
		Eng	Eng	Pipeline capacity ≥ 50 psi operating pressure	gallons per minute	250	500	1,000	1800	2500	430-02
436	Irrigation Reservoir	Eng	Eng	Same as Pond (378)	---	---	---	---	---	---	436-01
441	Irrigation System, Microirrigation	Eng	Eng	Area irrigated	Acres	0.5	1	5	10	All	441-01
447	Irrigation System, Tailwater Recovery	Eng	Eng	Pump capacity	GPM	2,000	4,000	6,000	8,000	15,000	447-01
449	Irrigation Water Management	Eng	Eng	Area irrigated	Acres	40	80	160	320	All	449-01
527	Karst Sinkhole Treatment	Eng	Eng	None	N/A	---	---	---	---	All	527-01
670	Lighting System Improvement	Eng	Eng	Implementation of on-farm energy audit recommendations	N/A	---	---	---	---	All	670-01
468	Lined Waterway or Outlet	Eng	Eng	Design capacity	CFS	10	30	100	200	All	468-01
516	Livestock Pipeline	Eng	Eng	Total Length	Feet	1,000	3,000	5,000	10,000	All	516-01
		Eng	Eng	Pipe diameter	Inches	---	---	1	2	All	516-02
		Eng	Eng	Pipe design pressure	PSI	40	60	100	160	240	516-03

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576	Livestock Shelter Structure	Eng	Eng	Shelter area	Square Feet	500	2,500	10,000	25,000	40,000	576-01
457	Mine Shaft and Adit Closing	Eng	Eng	None	N/A	---	---	---	---	All	457-01
353	Monitoring Well	Eng	Eng	Each	N/A	---	---	---	---	All	353-01
500	Obstruction Removal	Eng	Eng	None	N/A	---	---	---	---	All	500-01
319	On-Farm Secondary Containment Facility	Eng	Eng	None	N/A	---	---	---	---	All	319-01
582	Open Channel	Eng	Eng	Capacity - Bankfull	CFS	150	300	500	750	1000	582-02
		Eng	Eng	Velocity - Bankfull	FPS	2	4	6	8	10	582-03
		Eng	Eng	Thalweg Depth - Bankfull	FEET	2	4	6	8	10	582-04
		Eng	Eng	Max Tractive Stress - Bankfull	PSF	---	0.7	1.1	1.7	2.2	582-05
		Eng	Eng	Inventoried Stream Type	Rosgen	---	---	C & E	C, B, E, & F	A - G	582-06
782	Phosphorous Removal System	Eng	Eng	Area Drained	Acres	20	40	80	160	All	782-01
378	Pond	Eng	Eng	Excavated - use	Type	livestock	fish & wildlife	recreation	fire	All	378-01
		Eng	Eng	Excavated - surface area	Acres	0.5	1	2	5	All	378-02
		Eng	Eng	Embankment (1) - drainage area	Acres	20	80	320	640	2,000	378-03
		Eng	Eng	Embankment (1) - effective height	Feet	6	10	15	25	35	378-04
		Eng	Eng	Embankment (1) - principal spillway diameter	Inches	12	18	24	36	48	378-05
		Eng	Eng	Embankment (1) - storage volume (top of dam)	Acre Feet	5	15	30	50	75	378-06
		Eng	Eng	Embankment (1) - plunge pool	N/A	---	---	---	---	All	378-07
520	Pond Sealing or Lining, Compacted Soil Treatment	Eng	Eng	Pond surface area	Acres	0.1	1	3	5	All	520-01
522	Pond Sealing or Lining, Concrete	Eng	Eng	Pond surface area	Acres	0.1	1	3	5	All	522-01

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521	Pond Sealing or Lining, Geomembrane or Geosynthetic Clay Liner	Eng	Eng	Pond surface area	Acres	0.1	1	3	5	All	521-01
533	Pumping Plant	Eng	Eng	Centrifugal Pump - Design Capacity	GPM	500	1000	1800	3000	3500	533-02
		Eng	Eng	Centrifugal Pump - Static Head	FEET	100	165	205	265	350	533-03
		Eng	Eng	Turbine Pump - Design Capacity	GPM	500	1000	1800	3000	3500	533-04
		Eng	Eng	Turbine Pump - Static Head	FEET	100	165	265	400	500	533-05
		Eng	Eng	Submersible Well Pump - Design Capacity	GPM	5	10	20	30	50	533-06
		Eng	Eng	Submersible Well Pump - Static Head	FEET	60	100	200	300	400	533-07
		Eng	Eng	Axial Flow Pump (Trailer/Prop) - Design Capacity	GPM	---	---	500	1000	50000	533-08
		Eng	Eng	Axial Flow Pump (Trailer/Prop) - Static Head	FEET	---	---	20	25	All	533-09
		Eng	Eng	Vertical Manure Pump - Total Pipeline Length	FEET	---	300	500	1500	All	533-10
		Eng	Eng	Vertical Manure Pump - Design Capacity	GPM	---	100	250	500	All	533-11
Eng	Eng	Vertical Manure Pump - Static Head	FEET	---	20	40	80	All	533-12		
Eng	Eng	Piston Manure Pump - Total Pipeline Length	FEET	---	150	300	600	All	533-13		
Eng	Eng	Piston Manure Pump - Design Capacity	GPM	---	50	100	150	All	533-14		
558	Roof Runoff Structure	Eng	Eng	Area of roof	Square Feet	500	1,000	2,000	5,000	All	558-01
367	Roofs and Covers	Eng	Eng	Covered area	Square Feet	500	2,500	10,000	25,000	All	367-01
604	Saturated Buffer	Eng	Eng	Area Drained	Acres	20	40	80	160	All	604-01
350	Sediment Basin	Eng	Eng	Drainage area (1)	Acres	5	10	50	100	500	350-01

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350	Sediment Basin	Eng	Eng	Effective height (1)	Feet	6	10	15	25	35	350-02
		Eng	Eng	Principal spillway diameter (1)	Inches	12	18	24	36	48	350-03
		Eng	Eng	Storage volume (top of dam) (1)	Acre Feet	2	5	15	30	50	350-04
318	Short Term Storage of Animal Waste and Byproducts	Eng	Eng	Stack volume	Cubic Feet	5,000	10,000	20,000	30,000	40,000	318-01
572	Spoil Spreading	Eng	Eng	Area	Acres	---	---	---	0.5	All	572-01
574	Spring Development	Eng	Eng	None	N/A	---	---	---	---	All	574-01
442	Sprinkler System	Eng	Eng	Area irrigated	Acres	40	80	160	320	All	442-01
570	Stormwater Runoff Control	Eng	Eng	Disturbed area	Acres	0.25	0.50	1	2	All	570-01
578	Stream Crossing	Eng	Eng	Culvert crossing - drainage area	Acres	50	200	600	1,300	All	578-01
		Eng	Eng	Culvert crossing - plunge pool	N/A	---	---	---	---	All	578-02
		Eng	Eng	Ford crossing - design velocity	FPS	4	6	8	10	All	578-03
580	Streambank and Shoreline Protection	Eng	Eng	Water Height Above Shoreline (3)	Feet	---	1	2	2.3	3	580-01
		Eng	Eng	Capacity - Bankfull	CFS	150	300	500	1,000	5,000	580-02
		Eng	Eng	Velocity - Bankfull	FPS	2	4	6	8	10	580-03
		Eng	Eng	Streambank - fish habitat	Feet	100	300	500	1,000	All	580-05
		Eng	Eng	Max Tractive Stress - Bankfull	PSF	---	0.7	1.1	1.7	2.2	580-06
		Eng	Eng	Distance from OHWM to Structural Property	feet	---	---	>40	20-40	<20	580-07
		Eng	Eng	Shoreline Raw Bank Height	feet	---	---	5	10	20	580-08
587	Structure for Water Control	Eng	Eng	Structure capacity	CFS	10	25	50	100	500	587-01
		Eng	Eng	Drainage area	Acres	10	50	100	250	500	587-02
		Eng	Eng	Effective height	Feet	5	10	15	20	35	587-03

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606	Subsurface Drain	Eng	Eng	Drain diameter	Inches	4	6	8	12	All	606-01
		Eng	Eng	Area drained	Acres	60	160	240	320	All	606-02
607	Surface Drain, Field Ditch	Eng	Eng	Design capacity	CFS	10	25	50	100	All	607-01
608	Surface Drain, Main or Lateral	Eng	Eng	Design capacity	CFS	10	25	50	100	500	608-01
		Eng	Eng	Design velocity	FPS	2	4	6	8	10	608-02
600	Terrace	Eng	Eng	Area controlled (total system)	Acres	10	20	50	100	All	600-01
		Eng	Eng	Embankment height	Feet	2	4	5	6	All	600-02
575	Trails and Walkways	Eng	Eng	Same as Access Road (560)	---	---	---	---	---	---	575-01
620	Underground Outlet	Eng	Eng	Acres drained per intake	Acres	5	10	15	40	All	620-01
		Eng	Eng	Diameter	Inches	6	8	12	18	All	620-02
635	Vegetated Treatment Area	Eng	Eng	Animals present at production site	Animal Units	100	300	500**	1,000**	All**	635-01
360	Waste Facility Closure	Eng	Eng	Earthen liner - storage volume	1,000 cu. ft.	25	50	100	500	2,000	360-01
		Eng	Eng	Concrete liner - storage volume	1,000 cu. ft.	25	50	100	500	2,000	360-02
632	Waste Separation Facility	Eng	Eng	Animals	Animal Units	250	500	750	1,000	All	632-01
		Eng	Eng	Livestock yard - wall height	Feet	2*	4*	6*	8*	All	632-02
		Eng	Eng	Livestock yard - contributing area (drainage area)	Square Feet	5,000	10,000	43,560	80,000	All	632-03
313	Waste Storage Facility	Eng	Eng	Sensitive Environmental Setting	N/A	---	---	No	SES Removed	All**	313-01
		Eng	Eng	Earthen embankment - effective height	Feet	10	15	20	25	All	313-02
		Eng	Eng	Impoundment - design storage volume	1,000 cu. ft.	100	200	500	1,000	2,000	313-03
		Eng	Eng	Structures - design storage volume	1,000 cu. ft.	25	50	100	500	2,000	313-07

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313	Waste Storage Facility	Eng	Eng	Prequalified structures (4)	N/A	---	---	---	---	All	313-08
		Eng	Eng	Structures - wall height	Feet	4*	6*	8*	10*	All	313-09
634	Waste Transfer	Eng	Eng	Gravity flow pipe - length	Feet	50	100	150	200	All	634-01
		Eng	Eng	Pressurized flow pipe - diameter	Inches	4	8	12	15	All	634-02
		Eng	Eng	Reception tank/trough - cast in place - wall height	Feet	4*	6*	8*	10*	All	634-03
		Eng	Eng	Prefabricated reception tank - sewage tank (5)	N/A	---	---	---	---	All	634-04
629	Waste Treatment	Eng	Eng	Prefabricated manhole/trough	N/A	---	---	---	---	All	634-05
		Eng	Eng	Milking center - design capacity	GPD	100	200	300	400	500	629-01
		Eng	Eng	Silage leachate - site surface area	Square Feet	5,000	10,000	43,560	80,000	All	629-02
		Eng	Eng	Silage leachate - surface protection (type)	N/A	earth	stone	concrete	asphalt	All	629-03
638	Water and Sediment Control Basin	Eng	Eng	Embankment height	Feet	4	6	8	10	All	638-01
642	Water Well	Eng	Eng	Casing diameter	Inches	4	6	8	12	All	642-01
		Eng	Eng	Estimated depth	Feet	100	200	300	400	All	642-02
614	Watering Facility	Eng	Eng	Animals	Animal Units	50	100	300	500	All	614-01
351	Well Decommissioning	Eng	Eng	Drilled well - estimated depth	Feet	100	200	300	400	All	351-01
		Eng	Eng	Driven well point - estimated depth	Feet	5	10	15	25	All	351-02
		Eng	Eng	Dug well	N/A	---	---	---	---	All	351-03
658	Wetland Creation	Eng	Eng	Same as Wetland Restoration (657)	---	---	---	---	---	---	658-01
659	Wetland Enhancement	Eng	Eng	Same as Wetland Restoration (657)	---	---	---	---	---	---	659-01
657	Wetland Restoration	Eng	Eng	Embankment - drainage area	Acres	10	20	40	80	160	657-01

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657	Wetland Restoration	Eng	Eng	Embankment - effective height	Feet	4	6	8	10	All	657-02
		Eng	Eng	Embankment - storage volume (top of dam)	Acre Feet	5	10	15	30	50	657-03
		Eng	Eng	Scrape - Surface area	Acres	---	---	0.5	1	All	657-04
		Eng	Eng	Tile break - drain diameter	Inches	---	---	6	12	All	657-05
		Eng	Eng	Ditch plug - ditch depth	Feet	---	---	4	6	All	657-06
		Eng	Eng	Ditch plug - drainage area	Acres	80	160	320	640	All	657-07