

“It’s essential that employers and technicians recognise the need for a professional approach to vehicle inspection. From a testing station perspective, current competence in inspection is key to both business performance and compliance.”

Alastair Peoples, VOSA Chief Executive

WHO IS IT DESIGNED FOR?

IMI Accreditation Light Vehicle Inspection, formerly ATA, is for technicians whose job role involves the inspection, maintenance and repair of light vehicles. Accreditation provides proof of current competence and recognition of your skills.

WHAT DOES IT DEMONSTRATE?

This accreditation will certify your ability to use emission-testing equipment for both petrol and diesel vehicles, as well as to accurately analyse the results of these emission tests. Achievement ensures that candidates meet the requirements to take the MOT tester course.

HOW DOES IT WORK?

To attain IMI Accreditation, you will be required to successfully complete a range of practical and knowledge-based assessments. IMI Accreditation is achieved through Full Assessment, which involves the completion of all practical and knowledge-based assessments at each level.

There is one band for IMI Accreditation Light Vehicle Inspection:

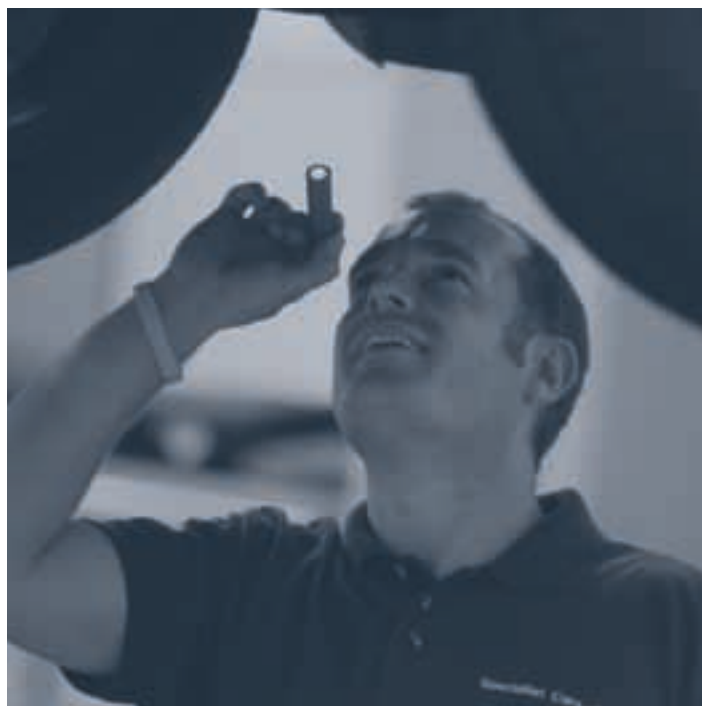
- Inspection Technician

INSPECTION TECHNICIAN

As an Inspection Technician you will be able to calibrate emission test equipment before testing a vehicle, accurately inspect a vehicle, diagnose faults and correct repair requirements. You will have knowledge of the appropriate wiring diagram required for the electrical systems of the vehicle being tested, and have the skill to apply it.

WHAT MODULES ARE INVOLVED?

- Emission System – Inspection
- Electrical Systems – Inspection
- Braking Systems – Inspection
- Steering and Suspension System – Inspection
- Vehicle Structure – Inspection
- Vehicle Appraisal – Inspection



HOW DO I APPLY?

Everything you need to know about IMI Accreditation Light Vehicle Inspection, including information on the assessment processes, modules and the location of your nearest IMI approved assessment centre, can be found at www.theimi.org.uk/ata-inspection.

ARE THERE ANY RELATED ACCREDITATIONS THAT MIGHT BE SUITABLE FOR ME?

If you are interested in Light Vehicle Inspection, you may also wish to consider:

- MET
- Light Vehicle Maintenance & Repair
- Fast Fit