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Release 1	This version released with AHC Agriculture, Horticulture and
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Application

This unit of competency describes the skills and knowledge required to prepare test equipment, sample and perform receival tests on delivered grains and seeds, prepare samples for despatch for further tests and prepare for grains and seeds storage.

The unit applies to individuals who work under broad direction and take responsibility for own work including limited responsibility for the work of others. They use discretion and judgement in the selection and use of available resources and complete routine activities.

No licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to this unit at the time of publication.

Pre-requisite Unit

Nil

Unit Sector

Broad Acre Cropping (BAC)

Elements	Performance Criteria	
Elements describe the essential outcomes.	<i>Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.</i>	
1. Prepare sampling and testing equipment for use	1.1 Clean, maintain, test and calibrate testing and sampling instruments according to manufacturer instructions	
	1.2 Identify and report faulty sampling and testing equipment	
	1.3 Identify work health and safety hazards, assess the risk and implement controls according to workplace procedures	
2 Identify grains on	ains on 2.1 Inspect load to confirm commodity type	

Elements and Performance Criteria

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receival	2.2 Identify presence of contaminants	
	2.3 Record supplier information according to workplace procedures	
3. Collect grains samples for testing	3.1 Collect sample for testing according to workplace sampling procedures and industry standards	
	3.2 Prevent mixing or contamination of samples	
	3.3 Label and prepare samples for testing according to workplace procedures and industry standards	
	3.4 Record sample information according to workplace procedures	
4 Perform initial tests on	4.1 Handle samples during testing to prevent cross contamination	
samples	4.2 Operate testing equipment to perform required tests according to manufacturer instructions, workplace procedures and industry standards	
	4.3 Record results of test outcomes according to procedures	
	4.4 Determine the level of defects and contaminants from visual comparison with industry reference material	
	4.5 Compare test results with specifications to determine grade of sample	
	4.6 Accept or reject receipt of commodity according to workplace policies and procedures	
	4.7 Communicate outcome of tests and acceptance/rejection of delivery to client	
5 Despatch samples to	5.1 Pack and label samples according to sampling procedures	
esting facilities	5.2 Record testing requirements according to workplace procedures	
	5.3 Despatch samples to testing facility	
6. Prepare for storage of grains and seed	6.1 Conduct segregation arrangements of grain and seed according to storage plan and biosecurity policies and procedures	
	6.2 Complete required site transfer arrangements	
	6.3 Inspect conveying equipment and identify and report faulty equipment	

Foundation Skills

This section describes those language, literacy, numeracy and employment skills that are essential for performance in this unit of competency but are not explicit in the performance criteria.

Skill	Description	
Reading	• Interpret instructions, policies and procedures for sampling and testing of grains and seeds	
Writing	• Record and complete workplace records, sample labels and test results using clear language, and industry terminology	
Oral communication	• Participate in verbal exchanges using collaborative and inclusive techniques including active listening and questioning to convey outcome of receival process to client	
Numeracy	• Perform mathematical calculations for sample tests and interpret results to determine if product is to be received or rejected	

Unit Mapping Information

Code and title current version	Code and title previous version	Comments	Equivalence status
AHCBAC312 Test and grade grains and seeds on receival	AHCBAC304 Test grains and seeds on receival	Changed Title and edited Application for clarity Consolidated and re sequenced Performance Criteria for clarity Foundation Skills refined Performance Evidence and Knowledge Evidence clarified Amended structure of Assessment Conditions	Equivalent

Links

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