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Assessment Requirements for FWPFGM5216 Manage coupe planning

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Modification History

Release	Comment
1	<p>Replaces equivalent unit FPIFGM5216A Manage coupe planning, which was first released with FPI11 Forest and Forest Products Training Package Version 2.2. This is the first release of this unit in the new standards format.</p> <p>Assessment requirements now specify the performance and knowledge evidence, as well as assessment conditions for this unit of competency. These sections simplify and replace components used in the previous unit format, including 'Required Skills and Knowledge, Evidence Guide and Range Statement.</p>

Performance Evidence

A person demonstrating competency in this unit must satisfy all of the elements, performance criteria and foundation skills of this unit. If a specific volume or frequency is not stated below, then evidence must be provided that the following requirements have been performed on at least one occasion:

- follow organisational policies and procedures relevant to managing coupe planning
- plan for the establishment, harvest and regeneration of forest coupes
- select regeneration methods, create and schedule seeding processes or seedling regimes, and plan silviculture systems
- communicate effectively with the work team
- record and report workplace information, maintain documentation
- read and interpret maps
- estimate and calculate volume, gross and net areas
- manage risks and contingencies
- report on the outcomes of coupe planning

Knowledge Evidence

A person competent in this unit must be able to demonstrate knowledge of:

- environmental protection requirements relevant to coupe planning including limiting impact on:
 - selected forest vegetation
 - fauna
 - habitat

- soil and water features
- organisational policies and procedures for managing coupe planning
- coupe establishment and planning methods
- harvesting methodologies
- regeneration principles and methods
- hydrology and hydrological principles
- plant identification and classification skills
- ecology and ecological interactions
- soil types and structure
- types of tools and equipment, and procedures for their use, operation and maintenance, for coupe planning
- procedures for recording and reporting workplace information.

Assessment Conditions

The following resources must be made available:

- organisational policies and procedures relevant to coupe planning
- relevant personnel for the purposes of communicating information
- documents, spreadsheets and commonly used proforma documents
- PPE suitable to managing coupe planning
- a suitable forest area.

Competency is to be assessed in the workplace or a simulated environment that accurately reflects performance in a real workplace setting.

Assessor requirements

Assessors must:

- hold the appropriate assessor competency standards as outlined in regulations; and
- be able to demonstrate vocational competencies at least to the level being assessed; and
- be able to demonstrate how they are continuing to develop their VET knowledge and skills as well as maintaining their industry currency and assessor competence.

Links

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<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=0d96fe23-5747-4c01-9d6f-3509ff8d3d47>