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**Assessment Requirements for NWPSOU014
Develop and implement catchment
operational plans**

Release: 1

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Modification History

Release	Comments
1	<p>These Assessment Requirements were released in NWP Water Training Package release 1.0 and meet the Standards for Training Packages.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Assessment Requirements created drawing upon specified assessment information from superseded unit

Performance Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence must satisfy all of the requirements of the elements and performance criteria. If not otherwise specified the candidate must demonstrate evidence of performance of the following on at least one occasion.

- using safety equipment and personal protective equipment
- identifying water quality risks and preparing protection strategies
- coordinating and monitoring water storage catchment activities
- identifying catchment management requirements
- identifying stakeholder requirements and environmental factors that impact on water storage catchment areas
- implementing monitoring and testing programs
- monitoring usage
- investigating and reporting on breaches
- reporting on monitoring activities

Knowledge Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence must satisfy all of the requirements of the elements and performance criteria. If not otherwise specified the depth of knowledge demonstrated must be appropriate to the job context of the candidate.

- relevant historical records
- relevant legislation, policies, procedures
- relevant technical skills
- coordination processes
- system layout, processes
- environmental aspects of catchment areas

- hazardous substances handling
- communication systems
- risk management principles
- risk factors and potential hazards involved with catchment area processes equipment operation, capacity and limitations
- effects of weather and conditions on operation of catchment areas
- pumping and valving systems
- control systems
- pest control specifications
- customer expectations and requirements
- catchment management issues, including:
 - feral/native animals
 - transfer of noxious weeds
 - human interaction with the catchment including litter and waste
 - perimeter inspections
 - fire management
 - mimosa
 - policing role
 - conservation management
 - remote community catchment areas

Assessment Conditions

Competency should be assessed in an actual workplace or in a simulated environment, with access to equipment and infrastructure appropriate to the outcome. Competency should be demonstrated over time to ensure the candidate is assessed across a variety of situations.

Assessors must satisfy the NVR/AQTF mandatory competency requirements for assessors.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

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