



**Australian Government**

# **AHC52116 Diploma of Permaculture**

**Release 3**

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### Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 3	This version released with AHC Agriculture, Horticulture and Land Management Training Package Version 4.0.
Release 2	This version released with AHC Agriculture, Horticulture and Land Management Training Package Version 1.1
Release 1	This version released with AHC Agriculture, Horticulture and Land Management Training Package Version 1.0.

### Qualification Description

This qualification provides occupation outcomes for individuals to work in a leadership capacity for organisations, groups or enterprises. They require a whole system approach to planning, designing, managing and implementing integrated permaculture projects and programs, permaculture community programs, and the operation of permaculture enterprises.

The qualification is suited to learners who wish to work within organisations and enterprises where skills in strategic planning and project management, natural system and land use planning, and specialist permaculture design are required. Work is likely to involve working with teams of people at the strategic level as well as working with people of diverse backgrounds and abilities.

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

### Entry Requirements

There are no entry requirements for this qualification.

### Packaging Rules

To achieve this qualification, competency must be demonstrated in:

- 12 units of competency:
  - 5 core units plus
  - 7 elective units.

Elective units must ensure the integrity of the qualification's Australian Qualification Framework (AQF) alignment and contribute to a valid, industry-supported vocational outcome. The electives are to be chosen as follows:

- Select 4 units from Group A
- Select 1 unit from Group A or B
- 2 units may be selected from Group B or from this or any other endorsed Training Package or Accredited Course
- Selected units must be relevant to job outcomes in Permaculture and must be chosen to ensure the integrity of the qualification outcome at AQF level 5.

### Core Units

AHCPER401	Provide advice on permaculture principles and practices
AHCPER502	Design an integrated permaculture system
AHCPER503	Develop a strategic plan for a permaculture project or enterprise
AHCPER504	Manage a permaculture project or enterprise
AHCPER507	Research and interpret requirements for a permaculture project

### Elective Units

#### Group A

AHCORG402	Manage organic livestock production
AHCORG403	Manage organic soil improvement
AHCPER413	Evaluate suitability of species as solutions for permaculture applications
AHCPER501	Carry out permaculture field research
AHCPER505	Plan and supervise the implementation of permaculture project works
AHCPER506	Develop a relocalisation or transition project
AHCPER508	Manage a permaculture aid and development project
AHCPER509	Design permaculture structures and features
AHCPER510	Prepare a sustainable community and bioregional development strategy
AHCPER511	Facilitate participatory planning and learning activities

AHCPER512	Plan community governance and decision making processes
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### Group B

AHCAGB518	Develop climate risk management strategies
AHCBUS513	Market products and services
AHCBUS514	Negotiate and monitor contracts
AHCBUS516	Develop and review a business plan
AHCCCF501	Evaluate project submissions
AHCCCF506	Manage the incorporation of a group
AHCILM506	Operate within Community cultures and goals
AHCNAR501	Manage natural areas on a rural property
AHCORG507	Develop an organic and biodynamic management plan
AHCORG508	Prepare the enterprise for organic and biodynamic certification
AHCSAW502	Plan erosion and sediment control measures
AHCWRK509	Provide specialist advice to clients
AHCWRK511	Develop workplace policies and procedures for sustainability
CHCCDE012	Work within organisation and government structures to enable community development outcomes
CHCVOL003	Recruit, induct and support volunteers

### Qualification Mapping Information

Code and title current version	Code and title previous version	Comments	Equivalence status
AHC52116 Diploma of	AHC52116 Diploma of	Updated elective unit codes	Equivalent qualification

Code and title current version	Code and title previous version	Comments	Equivalence status
Permaculture Release 2	Permaculture Release 1		

## Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=c6399549-9c62-4a5e-bf1a-524b2322cf72>