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Assessment Requirements for AMPA2063 Measure fat

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Modification History

Release	TP Version	Comment
1	AMPv2.0	Initial release

Performance Evidence

The candidate must measure fat for the purposes of carcass grading.

The candidate must:

- measure fat according to workplace requirements
- check and maintain equipment in accordance with work instructions
- observe relevant workplace health and safety requirements
- report equipment faults to supervisor
- read, record and report measurement information
- use communication skills relevant to work instructions

Knowledge Evidence

The candidate must demonstrate a basic factual, technical and procedural knowledge of:

- purpose of fat measurements and regulatory requirements
- relevant workplace health and safety requirements
- sites for possible damage including hide stripper, air knife, bruising, excessive trim, wavy finish and soft siding, and appropriate actions to ensure incorrect measurements are not recorded
- possible causes of error in measurement such as contact plate not flat, blunt blade, bent blade, wrong site, dirty light diode and incorrect measuring action

Assessment Conditions

Assessment must be conducted in a registered operating meat processing plant.

Competency must be demonstrated while complying with a set standard for fat measurement such as AUS-MEAT.

As a minimum, the following three forms of assessment must be used:

- quiz of underpinning knowledge
- workplace demonstration
- workplace referee or third-party report of performance over time

Assessors must satisfy the current standards for RTOs.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=5e2e56b7-698f-4822-84bb-25adbb8443a7>