

# CPCCPB3025A Store plasterboard and related products

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### **Modification History**

Not Applicable

# **Unit Descriptor**

**Unit descriptor** This unit of competency specifies the outcomes required to store

plaster and plaster products on site or in warehouses.

# **Application of the Unit**

**Application of the unit** This unit supports the attainment of skills and knowledge to safely

and efficiently store plasterboard products while working with

others as a member of a team.

## **Licensing/Regulatory Information**

Not Applicable

# **Pre-Requisites**

**Prerequisite units** 

CPCCOHS2001A Apply OHS requirements, policies and

procedures in the construction industry

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# **Employability Skills Information**

**Employability skills** This unit contains employability skills.

### **Elements and Performance Criteria Pre-Content**

Elements describe the essential outcomes of a unit of competency.

Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element. Where bold italicised text is used, further information is detailed in the required skills and knowledge section and the range statement. Assessment of performance is to be consistent with the evidence guide.

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#### **Elements and Performance Criteria**

#### **ELEMENT**

#### PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

- 1. Plan and prepare.
- 1.1. Work instructions and operational details are obtained using relevant *information*, confirmed and applied for *planning and preparation* purposes.
- 1.2. *Safety* (*OHS*) requirements are followed in accordance with safety plans and policies.
- 1.3. Signage and barricade requirements are identified and implemented.
- 1.4. *Tools and equipment* selected to carry out tasks are consistent with the requirements of the job, checked for serviceability and any faults are rectified or reported prior to commencement.
- 1.5. Material quantity requirements are calculated in accordance with plans and specifications and *quality requirements*.
- 1.6. *Materials* appropriate to the work application are identified, obtained, prepared, safely handled and located ready for use.
- 1.7. *Environmental requirements* are identified for the project in accordance with environmental plans and regulatory obligations and applied.
- 2. Identify products to be stored and appropriate stock records and inventory systems.
- 2.1. Products to be stored are identified.
- 2.2. Potential uses, frequency and order of use of materials, or frequency of dispatch to other parts of the job or to fill orders, are established.
- 2.3. Size, shape and special storage requirements of the storage space are determined.
- 2.4. Stock and inventory system requirements are identified.
- 2.5. Relevant product information, including instructions, care labels and product identification information are located.
- 3. Prepare storage area.
- 3.1. Requirements for safe storage are identified.
- 3.2. Storage arrangements take into account *potential damage to goods*.
- 3.3. Appropriate work site clearances for use of storage area are obtained.
- 3.4. Storage areas are cleared of waste and contaminants and required safety equipment is installed.
- 3.5. Storage areas are planned to safely and effectively store goods based on frequency and order of use, safe

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#### **ELEMENT**

#### PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

height, weight and size.

- 3.6. Access and working space for *safe handling* of materials are established with others working in the work site.
- 4. Store materials and goods.
- 4.1. Condition of materials and goods is observed on arrival and any product below specification is returned to source.
- 4.2. Materials and goods are stored and where appropriate, stacked appropriately for safe working load, size and crushability of goods.

# Required Skills and Knowledge

#### REQUIRED SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE

This section describes the skills and knowledge required for this unit.

#### Required skills

Required skills for this unit are:

- communication skills to:
  - follow instructions
  - read and interpret:
    - documentation from a variety of sources
    - · drawings and specifications
  - recognise procedures
  - report faults
  - enable clear and direct communication, using questioning to identify and confirm requirements, share information, listen and understand
  - use language and concepts appropriate to cultural differences
  - use and interpret non-verbal communication, such as hand signals
  - written skills to record results of checks and tests and relevant work completion procedures
- evaluate own actions and make judgments about performance and necessary improvements
- identifying and accurately reporting to appropriate personnel any faults in tools, equipment or materials
- organisational skills, including the ability to plan and set out work
- respond to change and contribute to workplace responsibilities, such as current

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#### REQUIRED SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE

work site environmental and sustainability frameworks and management systems

- teamwork skills to work with others to action tasks and relate to people from a range of cultural and ethnic backgrounds and with varying physical and mental abilities
- technological skills to:
  - use a range of mobile technology, such as two-way radio and mobile phones
  - voice and hand signals to access and understand site-specific instructions.

#### Required knowledge

Required knowledge for this unit is:

- application of product and process knowledge to identify problems and predict consequences
- identify dimensions and mass of items to be shifted or transported and compare with vehicle and building
- identify shape, load and balance characteristics of products and equipment used
- identify faults in operation of equipment or materials quality
- identify potential for health and safety risks from inappropriate storage of plasterboard and plaster products
- identify the purpose of tags and logs of use for equipment
- implications on product quality for instruction for storage to be followed
- job safety analysis (JSA) and safe work method statements
- manufacturer and supplier instructions for safe use of plant, equipment and storage systems
- names and functions of equipment, components and materials
- requirements to plan own work
- safely use equipment, shift and handle products and materials
- total weights of individual items to estimate overall load and compare with safe working loads for vehicles, scaffold, equipment and manual handling.

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#### **Evidence Guide**

#### **EVIDENCE GUIDE**

The evidence guide provides advice on assessment and must be read in conjunction with the performance criteria, required skills and knowledge, range statement and the Assessment Guidelines for the Training Package.

#### Overview of assessment

This unit of competency could be assessed in the workplace or a close simulation of the workplace environment, provided that simulated or project-based assessment techniques fully replicate construction workplace conditions, materials, activities, responsibilities and procedures.

Critical aspects for assessment and evidence required to demonstrate competency in this unit A person who demonstrates competency in this unit must be able to provide evidence of the ability to:

- explain reasons for providing moisture protection
- protect the board from weather and moisture from slabs
- select and use appropriate storage methods
- operate from basic instruction without constant supervision
- execute work within agreed timeframes and standards
- interpret delivery documentation and work orders
- locate relevant materials
- explain warranty, guarantee and liability requirements for plastering work
- apply knowledge of industry products to identify:
  - warranty compliance issues that may arise from inappropriate storage
  - common faults in plasterboard and plaster products and problems that require reporting
- follow work instructions, operating procedures and inspection practices to:
  - prevent damage to goods, equipment or products
  - work effectively with, and minimise the risk of injury to self and other workers
  - modify work activities to cater for

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#### **EVIDENCE GUIDE**

- variations in work site procedures, contexts and environment
- identify and use appropriate behaviour for interactions with other workers, supervisors, clients and members of the public
- maintain workplace records in relation to materials, plant and equipment use
- use safe handling requirements, based on information provided for equipment, products and materials.

# Context of and specific resources for assessment

This competency is to be assessed using standard and authorised work practices, safety requirements and environmental constraints.

Assessment of essential underpinning knowledge will usually be conducted in an off-site context.

Assessment is to comply with relevant regulatory or Australian standards' requirements.

Resource implications for assessment include:

- work site
- materials
- plasterboard.

Assessment of this unit of competency may be in conjunction with assessment of other units commonly performed at the same time in normal job roles.

Reasonable adjustments for people with disabilities must be made to assessment processes where required. This could include access to modified equipment and other physical resources, and the provision of appropriate assessment support.

#### Method of assessment

#### Assessment methods must:

- satisfy the endorsed Assessment Guidelines of the Construction, Plumbing and Services Training Package
- include direct observation of tasks in real or simulated work conditions, with questioning to confirm the ability to consistently identify and correctly interpret the essential underpinning

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#### **EVIDENCE GUIDE**

- knowledge required for practical application
- reinforce the integration of employability skills with workplace tasks and job roles
- confirm that competency is verified and able to be transferred to other circumstances and environments.

Validity and sufficiency of evidence requires that:

- competency will need to be demonstrated over a period of time reflecting the scope of the role and the practical requirements of the workplace
- where the assessment is part of a structured learning experience the evidence collected must relate to a number of performances assessed at different points in time and separated by further learning and practice, with a decision on competency only taken at the point when the assessor has complete confidence in the person's demonstrated ability and applied knowledge
- all assessment that is part of a structured learning experience must include a combination of direct, indirect and supplementary evidence.

Assessment processes and techniques should as far as is practical take into account the language, literacy and numeracy capacity of the candidate in relation to the competency being assessed.

Supplementary evidence of competency may be obtained from relevant authenticated documentation from third parties, such as existing supervisors, team leaders or specialist training staff.

# **Range Statement**

#### RANGE STATEMENT

The range statement relates to the unit of competency as a whole. It allows for different work environments and situations that may affect performance. Bold italicised wording, if used in the performance criteria, is detailed below. Essential operating

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#### RANGE STATEMENT

conditions that may be present with training and assessment (depending on the work situation, needs of the candidate, accessibility of the item, and local industry and regional contexts) may also be included.

#### Information includes:

- diagrams or sketches
- instructions issued by authorised organisational or external personnel
- manufacturer specifications and instructions, where specified
- material safety data sheets (MSDS)
- memos
- regulatory and legislative requirements pertaining to plasterboard
- relevant Australian standards
- safe work procedures relating to plasterboard
- signage
- · verbal, written and graphical instructions
- work bulletins
- work schedules, plans and specifications.
- assessment of conditions and hazards
- determination of work requirements and safety plans and policies
- equipment defect identification
- work site inspection.
- emergency procedures, including extinguishing fires, organisational first aid requirements and evacuation
- hazard control
- hazardous materials and substances
- · organisational first aid
- PPE prescribed under legislation, regulations and workplace policies and practices
- safe operating procedures, including the conduct of operational risk assessment and treatments associated with:
  - concealed services (water, power and gas)
  - lighting
  - traffic control
  - restricted access barriers
  - trip hazards
  - work site visitors and the public
  - working at heights

**Planning and preparation** include:

Safety (OHS) is to be in accordance with state and territory legislation and regulations and project safety plan and may include:

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#### RANGE STATEMENT

- working in confined spaces
- working in proximity to others
- use of firefighting equipment
- use of tools and equipment
- workplace environmental requirements and safety.

#### *Tools and equipment* include:

- broad knives
- brooms
- electric screw guns
- hand and power drills
- hand saws
- keyhole saws
- measuring tapes and rules
- paintbrushes
- plasterboard hammers
- plasterer's trowels
- scaffold planks
- T squares
- taping knives
- trestles.

# *Quality requirements* include relevant regulations, including:

- Australian standards
- internal company quality policy and standards
- manufacturer specifications
- · workplace operations and procedures.

#### *Materials* include:

- beads
- · cement render
- fibre cement sheets
- finishing materials
- plaster compounds
- plasterboard
- plasterglass sheets
- water resistant plasterboard.

# Environmental requirements include:

- clean-up management
- dust and noise
- vibration
- waste management.

# Requirements for safe storage include:

- horizontal stacking where possible
- providing protection against moisture migration from below
- · risks of product falling or being damaged

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#### RANGE STATEMENT

• safe working loads for racks and floor

• storing product type and quantity

• weatherproof area.

Potential damage to goods

includes from:

handling

• moisture

other stored items

• other work activities on the site.

Safe handling includes:

forklifts

• manual handling equipment

• safe shifting by personnel

scissor lifts.

# **Unit Sector(s)**

**Unit sector** Construction

### **Functional** area

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