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FBPBPG3010 Operate and monitor a carbonated beverage filling process

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Modification History

Release	Comments	
Release 1	This version released with FBP Food, Beverage and Pharmaceutical Training Package Version 6.0.	

Application

This unit of competency describes the skills and knowledge required to set up, operate, adjust and shut down a filling process for a carbonated beverage, including carbonated water, juice and beer.

This unit applies to individuals who are responsible for operating and monitoring a beverage filling process and associated services in a beverage processing environment.

All work must be carried out to comply with workplace procedures, in accordance with state/territory health and safety and food safety regulations, legislation and standards that apply to the workplace.

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

Pre-requisite Unit

Nil

Unit Sector

Bottling and Packaging (BPG)

Elements and Performance Criteria

Elements	Performance Criteria	
Elements describe the essential outcomes.	Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.	
1. Prepare for filling	1.1 Identify and confirm beverage carbonation and filling requirements1.2 Confirm availability of required product, containers and services	

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	to meet filling requirements		
	1.3 Identify health, safety and food safety hazards, and control risks associated with carbonation and filling		
	1.4 Wear appropriate personal protective equipment and clothing, and ensure correct fit		
	1.5 Maintain the work area to comply with good manufacturing practices (GMP)		
2. Carbonate beverage in	2.1 Carry out pre-start checks of equipment and product		
preparation for filling	2.2 Start up equipment and carbonate product to specification		
	2.3 Add additional ingredients as required, and record for traceability		
	2.4 Monitor levels of carbon dioxide and dissolved oxygen		
	2.5 Monitor equipment to identify any variation in operation, and adjust to ensure optimal performance		
	2.6 Sample beverage to ensure product specifications are met		
3. Operate and monitor filling	3.1 Carry out pre-start checks of filling equipment and product		
	3.2 Check containers against production order and container specifications		
	3.3 Start equipment and fill containers to specification		
	3.4 Maintain stock flow to and from filler process within production requirements		
	3.5 Monitor fill levels and container seals to ensure product meets specification		
	3.6 Monitor equipment to identify any variation in operation, and adjust to ensure optimal performance		
	3.7 Pasteurise product as required of product specification		
4. Shut down equipment	4.1 Shut down equipment according to safe work procedures		
and conduct housekeeping	4.2 Clean and maintain equipment to meet cleaning schedules and procedural requirements		
	4.3 Collect, treat and dispose of or recycle waste generated by both the process and cleaning procedures		
	4.4 Record filling activity to meet workplace and regulatory requirements		

Foundation Skills

This section describes those language, literacy, numeracy and employment skills that are essential for performance in this unit of competency but are not explicit in the performance criteria.

Skill	Description		
Reading	Interpret directions for the safe operation of equipmentOperate equipment using digital interface		
Writing	Record product and processing information using digital and/or paper-based formats		
Numeracy	 Monitor and interpret production and process control indicators and data Monitor supply and flow of materials to and from the process Measure volume of product (mL, L) 		

Unit Mapping Information

Code and title current version	Code and title previous version	Comments	Equivalence status
FBPBPG3010 Operate and monitor a carbonated beverage filling process	FBPOPR2005 Operate a beer filling process	Unit title and code updated to better match complexity of work task	Not equivalent
		References to beer removed for broader application	
		Element on carbonation added	
		Minor changes to Performance Criteria to clarify task	
		Foundation Skills refined	
		Performance Evidence clarified	
		Minor changes to Knowledge Evidence and Assessment Conditions	

Links

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