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FBPOPR3012 Operate and monitor a drying 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 drying process.

This unit applies to individuals who work in a food processing environment. It typically applies to the production worker responsible for applying basic operating principles to the operation and monitoring of a drying process and associated equipment.

All work must be carried out to comply with workplace procedures according to state/territory health and safety, environmental 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

Operational (OPR)

Elements and Performance Criteria

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<i>Elements describe the essential outcomes.</i>	<i>Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.</i>
1. Prepare the drying process for operation	1.1 Confirm materials are available to meet processing requirements 1.2 Identify and confirm cleaning and maintenance requirements and status according to health, safety and food safety requirements 1.3 Enter processing and operating parameters as required to meet

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	safety and production requirements 1.4 Carry out pre-start checks according to workplace health and safety and operating procedures
2. Operate and monitor the equipment	2.1 Start, operate and monitor the process for variation in operating conditions 2.2 Monitor the process to confirm that specifications are met 2.3 Identify, adjust and report out-of-specification equipment, product or process outcomes according to workplace requirements 2.4 Follow and apply workplace housekeeping and environmental procedures
3. Shut down the drying process	3.1 Identify the appropriate shutdown procedure 3.2 Shut down the process according to safe work procedures 3.3 Identify and report maintenance requirements according to workplace procedures 3.4 Maintain workplace records according to workplace procedures

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 workplace and standard operating procedures relevant to work task - Interpret production requirements
Writing	Record processing data using digital and/or paper-based formats
Numeracy	- Monitor and interpret production and process control indicators and data, including temperature (°C), weight (g, kg), time, speed, pressure, moisture - Monitor supply and flow of materials to and from the process

Unit Mapping Information

Code and title current version	Code and title previous version	Comments	Equivalence status
FBPOPR3012 Operate and monitor a drying process	FBPOPR2042 Operate a drying process	Unit code and title updated to match complexity of task Minor changes to Performance Criteria to clarify task Foundation Skills refined Performance Evidence clarified Minor changes to Knowledge Evidence and Assessment Conditions	Equivalent

Links

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<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=78b15323-cd38-483e-aad7-1159b570a5c4>