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# **Assessment Requirements for MEM05003 Perform soft soldering**

**Release: 1**

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## Modification History

Release 1. Supersedes and is equivalent to MEM05003B Perform soft soldering

## Performance Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence in this unit must be relevant to and satisfy the requirements of the elements and performance criteria on at least two (2) occasions and include:

- following work instructions, standard operating procedures (SOPs) and safe work practices
- preparing to soft solder by selecting appropriate tools and preparing materials in accordance with SOPs
- applying soft solder to materials using appropriate techniques
- cleaning and checking solder joint for compliance to specifications.

## Knowledge Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate the required knowledge for this unit must be relevant to and satisfy the requirements of the elements and performance criteria and include knowledge of:

- safe work practices and procedures and use of personal protective equipment (PPE)
- effect of material to be soft soldered on the selection of consumables
- reasons for preparing surfaces prior to soldering
- procedures for rectifying defects in soldered joints.

## Assessment Conditions

- Assessors must:
  - have vocational competency in performing soft soldering at least to the level being assessed with relevant industry knowledge and experience
  - satisfy the assessor requirements in the *Standards for Registered Training Organisations 2015* or its replacement and comply with the *National Vocational Education and Training Regulator Act 2011*, its replacement or equivalent legislation covering VET regulation in a non-referring state/territory as the case requires
- Where possible assessment must occur in operational workplace situations. Where this is not possible or where personal safety or environmental damage are limiting factors, assessment must occur in a sufficiently rigorous simulated environment that reflects realistic operational workplace conditions. This must cover all aspects of workplace performance, including environment, task skills, task management skills, contingency management skills and job role environment skills

- Conditions for assessment must include access to all tools, equipment, materials and documentation required, including relevant workplace procedures, product and manufacturing specifications
- Assessment processes and techniques must be appropriate to the language, literacy and numeracy requirements of the work being performed and the needs of the candidate.

## **Links**

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=b7050d37-5fd0-4740-8f7d-3b7a49c10bb2>