



**Australian Government**

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marine environment**

**Release: 1**

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## Modification History

Release 1. Supersedes and is equivalent to MEM50003B Follow work procedures to maintain the marine environment

## 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 occasions and include:

- following work instructions, standard operating procedures (SOPs) and safe work practices
- locating and interpreting relevant workplace procedures and assessing work activities that can have an impact on the environment
- handling materials, including fuels, oils, protective coatings, and cleaning products
- identifying sources of potential pollution, minimising risks and containing pollution
- implementing appropriate workplace housekeeping methods
- demonstrating procedures for cleaning up spills and disposing of waste
- following business environmental policy and collecting and disposing of waste products in accordance with regulatory and legislative requirements.

## 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)
- pollutants and their sources
- procedures to minimise risk of pollution
- procedures for containment of pollution
- procedures for cleaning up spills and disposing of waste
- applicable environmental legislation and regulatory requirements.

## Assessment Conditions

- Assessors must:
  - have vocational competency in following work procedures to maintain the marine environment 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>