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# **Assessment Requirements for MSTLG3004 Apply finishes to leather products**

**Release: 1**

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## Modification History

Release 1. Supersedes and is equivalent to LMTLG3004A Apply finishes to leather products

## Performance Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence in this unit must be relevant to and satisfy the requirements of the elements and performance criteria, and include:

- reading and following work instructions, standard operating procedures (SOPs), safe work practices, industry codes and standards
- confirming finishing requirements for leather product
- operating and monitoring tools and equipment for finishing process according to workplace procedures
- conducting at least five (5) different finishing processes to specifications on a variety of samples
- demonstrating all five (5) identified design features on one (1) or more samples
- recognising, rectifying and reporting faults or problems
- conducting finish testing and confirming compliance with design specifications
- completing production records and other documentation, and preparing finished product for customer.

## Knowledge Evidence

Evidence must be provided that demonstrates knowledge of:

- safe work practices and procedures and use of personal protective equipment (PPE)
- relevant Australian Standards
- working properties and characteristics of leather
- finishing processes and procedures
- finish tests:
  - strength
  - durability
  - colour fastness
  - fire retardation
- safe operation of finishing tools and equipment
- typical fault conditions and related fault finding procedures:
  - holes
  - creases and folds
  - marks or cuts
  - impressions

- inconsistent coverage
- faulty stitching
- equipment maintenance and repair techniques
- quality standards and practices
- relevant federal and state or territory legislative or regulatory requirements
- recording and reporting procedures.

## Assessment Conditions

- Assessors must:
  - satisfy the assessor competency requirements that are in place at the time of the assessment, as set by the VET regulator
  - have vocational competency in applying finishes to leather products, at least to the level being assessed, with relevant industry knowledge and experience.
- Assessment should 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 reflecting 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.
- 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.
- Conditions for assessment must include access to all tools, equipment, materials and documentation required, including relevant workplace procedures, product and manufacturing specifications associated with this unit.

## Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=a203ec5c-de7d-406b-b3e1-8f1a9b76e92e>