



Australian Government

RIIHAN201D Operate a forklift

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Modification History

Release	Comment
1	This unit replaces RIIHAN201A Operate a forklift.
2	Amend reference to Licensing requirements in Unit Application Editorial corrections
3	Required frequency and volume of evidence amended in Performance evidence. Substantial amendments made in Assessment Conditions field, including: references to Industry Sectors, assessor and subject matter expert experience requirements, how assessment should be conducted and what it should confirm.

Application

This unit describes a participant's skills and knowledge required to operate a forklift in the Resources and Infrastructure Industries.

This unit is appropriate for those working in operational roles.

The work required in this unit relates to the National Standard for High Risk Work.

Licensing, legislative, regulatory and certification requirements that apply to this unit can vary between states, territories and Industry sectors. Relevant information must be sourced prior to application of the unit.

Elements and Performance Criteria

1. Plan and prepare for forklift operations	<p>1.1 Access, interpret and apply forklift and load handling documentation and ensure the work activity is compliant</p> <p>1.2 Obtain, interpret and clarify/confirm work requirements and briefings before proceeding</p> <p>1.3 Identify and address potential risks, hazards and environmental issues, and implement control measures</p> <p>1.4 Select and wear personal protective equipment appropriate for work activities</p> <p>1.5 Identify approved forklift attachments and comply with operating capacities of the allocated equipment</p> <p>1.6 Coordinate activities with others at the site prior to commencing, during and on completion of the work activity</p>
2. Operate forklift	<p>2.1 Carry out pre-start, start-up, park-up and shutdown procedures</p> <p>2.2 Monitor and anticipate traffic flow and work area conditions, facilitate safe operations and ensure the most efficient route of travel is selected and used</p> <p>2.3 Correctly fit, use and remove approved forklift attachments</p> <p>2.4 Manoeuvre and position forklift smoothly</p> <p>2.5 Secure, lift, transfer and place load correctly</p> <p>2.6 Act/report on monitoring systems and alarms</p> <p>2.7 Recognise and respond to site hazards and emergency situations</p> <p>2.8 Complete work correctly</p>
3. Carry out operator maintenance	<p>3.1 Carry out forklift inspections and fault finding techniques</p> <p>3.2 Carry out routine operational servicing, lubrication and housekeeping tasks</p> <p>3.3 Carry out minor maintenance</p>

	3.4 Process written records
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Foundation Skills

Foundation skills essential to performance are explicit in the performance criteria of this unit. Further information is available in the Resources and Infrastructure Industry Training Package Companion Volume.

Unit Mapping Information

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Links

SkillsDMC RII Companion Volumes - <http://www.skillsdmc.com.au/>