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# **RIIMPO328D Conduct continuous bucket trencher operations**

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## Modification History

Release	Comment
1	This unit replaces RIIMPO328A Conduct continuous bucket trencher operations.
2	Removed repetition from Performance Criteria; amend reference to Licensing requirements in Unit Application.
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 conduct continuous bucket trencher operations in Civil construction.

This unit is appropriate for those working in operational roles.

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.

## Unit Sector

Civil construction

## Elements and Performance Criteria

1. Plan and prepare for continuous bucket trencher operations	<p>1.1 Access, interpret and apply continuous bucket trencher operations documentation and ensure the work activity is compliant</p> <p>1.2 Obtain, read, interpret, clarify and confirm work requirements</p> <p>1.3 Identify and address 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, obtain and implement traffic management signage requirements</p> <p>1.6 Select, and check for faults, equipment and/or attachments for work activities</p> <p>1.7 Obtain and interpret emergency procedures, and be prepared for fire/accident/emergency</p>
2. Operate continuous bucket trencher	<p>2.1 Carry out pre-start, start-up, park, shutdown and secure equipment procedures</p> <p>2.2 Coordinate activities with others at the site prior to commencement of, and during, the work activity</p> <p>2.3 Continually monitor hazards and risks, and ensure safety of self, other personnel, plant and equipment</p> <p>2.4 Drive and operate continuous bucket trencher, and modify the operating technique to meet changing work conditions</p> <p>2.5 Complete work plan within the operating capacity of the equipment</p> <p>2.6 Act on or report monitoring systems and alarms</p>
3. Select, remove and fit attachments	<p>3.1 Select attachment for the task</p> <p>3.2 Remove and fit attachment</p> <p>3.3 Test attachment and ensure correct fitting and operation</p> <p>3.4 Use attachment in accordance with recommendations and design limits</p> <p>3.5 Clean and store removed attachments in designated location</p>
4. Relocate continuous bucket trencher	<p>4.1 Prepare for relocation continuous bucket trencher</p> <p>4.2 Move continuous bucket trencher safely between worksites, observing relevant codes and traffic management requirements</p> <p>4.3 Load and unload machine from float/trailer</p>
5. Carry out machine	<p>5.1 Prepare machine for maintenance</p>

operator maintenance	5.2	Conduct inspection and fault finding
	5.3	Carry out scheduled maintenance tasks
	5.4	Process written maintenance records
6. Conduct housekeeping activities	6.1	Clean work area and dispose of or recycle materials
	6.2	Process records

## 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/>