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# **TLID0015 Load and unload goods/cargo**

**Release: 1**

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## Modification History

**Release 1.** This is the first release of this unit of competency in the TLI Transport and Logistics Training Package.

## Application

This unit involves the skills and knowledge required to load and unload goods and/or cargo.

It includes loading and unloading goods and cargo, securing and protecting a load and completing all required documentation in accordance with relevant state or territory roads and traffic authority regulations and permit requirements.

Work is performed under general supervision within a team environment.

No licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to this unit at the time of publication.

## Pre-requisite Unit

Not applicable.

## Competency Field

D – Load Handling.

## Unit Sector

Not applicable.

## Elements and Performance Criteria

### ELEMENTS

Elements describe the essential outcomes.

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### PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.

- 1.1 Load characteristics are identified and taken into account when determining appropriate loading and unloading workplace procedures
- 1.2 Job hazards are identified and required actions taken to minimise, control or eliminate identified hazards

- 1.3 Dangerous or hazardous goods are identified and handled in accordance with the current Australian Dangerous Goods (ADG) Code and other relevant regulations and permit requirements, as required
  - 1.4 Load is packed and unpacked to make safe and effective use of available spaces
  - 1.5 Goods and/or cargo are loaded and unloaded in accordance with relevant mass and loading regulations and workplace procedures
  - 1.6 Lifting aids and appliances are selected and used to aid loading procedures in accordance with workplace procedures and safety legislation
  - 1.7 Unloading activities are conducted in a safe and efficient manner taking into account suitable locations, stowage, safe use of equipment and balance of remaining load
  - 1.8 Goods requiring special handling and/or documentation are identified, and workplace procedures are followed
  - 1.9 Relocated material is restacked appropriate for transport method, safe height, weight loading, size and crushability of goods
- 2 Secure, check and protect load**
  - 2.1 Load distribution is checked to ensure it is even, legal and within safe working capacity
  - 2.2 Load is checked to ensure dangerous goods and hazardous substances are appropriately segregated in accordance with current ADG Code
  - 2.3 Load is secured using correct load restraint and protection equipment for different loads, carrying and storage conditions
  - 2.4 Load is protected in accordance with legal and workplace safety requirements
- 3 Complete documentation**
  - 3.1 Load is inspected and checked for security to travel in accordance with relevant regulations and permit requirements and current ADG Code, as required
  - 3.2 All required goods documentation is completed in accordance with workplace requirements including current ADG Code, as required

## Foundation Skills

Foundation skills essential to performance are explicit in the performance criteria of this unit of competency.

## Range of Conditions

Range is restricted to essential operating conditions and any other variables essential to the work environment.

Non-essential conditions can be found in the TLI Transport and Logistics Training Package Companion Volume Implementation Guide.

## Unit Mapping Information

This unit replaces and is equivalent to TLID2004 Load and unload goods/cargo.

## Links

Companion Volume Implementation Guides are found in VETNet -  
<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=df441c6e-213d-43e3-874c-0b3f7036d851>