



Australian Government

AHCBAC204 Prepare grain storages

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Modification History

Release	TP Version	Comment
1	AHCv1.0	Initial release

Application

This unit of competency describes the skills and knowledge required to safely prepare storages, surrounding areas and equipment in readiness for receiving grain at an acceptable level of hygiene. This unit applies to workers in specialist grain storages or on grain farms.

All work must be carried out to comply with workplace procedures, work health and safety and biosecurity legislation and codes, and sustainability practices.

This unit applies to individuals who work under general supervision and exercise limited autonomy with some accountability for own work. They undertake defined activities and work in a structured context.

No occupational licensing, legislative or certification requirements are known to apply to this unit at the time of publication. However, all work in confined spaces must comply with state and federal legislation requirements.

Pre-requisite Unit

Nil.

Unit Sector

Broad acre cropping (BAC)

Elements and Performance Criteria

Element	Performance criteria
Elements describe the essential outcomes.	Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.
1. Prepare to work in bulk material storage area	1.1 Follow the work program and clarify with supervisor 1.2 Identify work health and safety hazards in grain storage and report to supervisor and implement suitable controls 1.3 Select, use and maintain suitable personal protective equipment 1.4 Select, prepare and maintain appropriate equipment and tools

Element	Performance criteria
2. Prepare storage area	2.1 Clean the storage site of weeds, dust and spillage appropriately 2.2 Dispose refuse appropriately 2.3 Prepare and maintain the storage site appropriately
3. Prepare storages	3.1 Clean bulk material storages appropriately of all residues 3.2 Check bulk material storages for structural safety, damage or deterioration, and repaired or reported appropriately 3.3 Prepare and erect temporary storages appropriately
4. Prepare bulk material handling machinery	4.1 Clean bulk material handling machinery appropriately to be free of contamination and residues 4.2 Assist in the adjustment and setting bulk material handling equipment appropriately 4.3 Prepare bulk material handling equipment according to manufacturer's instructions and enterprise requirements
5. Complete maintenance operation	5.1 Record workplace information 5.2 Dispose of all waste and debris according to enterprise policies and minimising the impact on the environment 5.3 Clean and store tools and equipment appropriately 5.4 Apply enterprise biosecurity policies

Foundation Skills

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

Range of Conditions

Unit Mapping Information

This unit is equivalent to AHCBA204A Prepare grain storages.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=c6399549-9c62-4a5e-bf1a-524b2322cf72>