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Modification History

Release Number	TP Version	Comments
1	AHCv1.0	Initial release

Performance Evidence

The candidate must be assessed on their ability to integrate and apply the performance requirements of this unit in a workplace setting. Performance must be demonstrated consistently over time and in a suitable range of contexts.

The candidate must provide evidence that they can:

- monitor pasture health and condition
- assess herd/flock health and condition and live weight
- • identify livestock nutritional requirements
- order feed if requested in line with feeding plan
- identify feeding problems and animals that require individual treatment
- handle livestock humanely and monitor animal welfare
- respond to or report negative environmental impacts of feeding
- apply relevant biosecurity, animal welfare and environmental sustainability policies

Knowledge Evidence

The candidate must demonstrate knowledge of:

- nutrient and feeding requirements of a range of livestock
- different types of agricultural feeds
- factors that affect feed supply and demand for a grazing operation
- grazing practices which maximise pasture growth and quality to best match herd/flock feed requirements
- purpose of feed conservation in relation to enterprise feed supply and livestock requirements
- different types of pasture grazing systems, including rotation, strip and set stocked grazing
- ways of determining a feed surplus
- role of spelling subdivision in effective pasture and animal management
- different supplementary feeding options for livestock
- environmental controls and codes of practice applicable to the enterprise
- nutrient values of pasture and supplementary feedstuffs

- codes of practice with regard to animal welfare and environmental protection
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Assessment Conditions

Competency is to be assessed in the work place or workplace and simulated environments that accurately reflect performance in a real workplace setting.

Assessors must satisfy current standards for RTOs.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

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