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Modification History

Release	TP Version	Comment
1	AMPv2.0	Initial release

Performance Evidence

The candidate must cure and corn product in a meat processing plant.

The candidate must:

- activate processing equipment to assess its readiness for operational use
- perform running adjustments according to workplace requirements and manufacturer's specifications
- operate adjustment tools and equipment correctly
- report any equipment faults and adjustments required either verbally or in writing to supervisor, according to workplace procedures
- apply relevant workplace health and safety and regulatory requirements
- use mathematical applications relevant to the task
- use communication skills relevant to work instructions and Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs)

Knowledge Evidence

The candidate must demonstrate a basic factual, technical and procedural knowledge of:

- selection criteria for meat for curing or corning process
- the meat curing process
- the term 'osmosis' in relation to the curing process
- effects of curing on shelf life and taste of product
- purpose and effect of brine on meat
- purpose of correct water temperature and correct additive sequence
- purpose and use of processing equipment used in curing and corning products
- reasons for pickling to correct pump percentage and yield requirements
- safe and correct operation of processing equipment
- conditions under which equipment may need adjusting
- relevant workplace health and safety and regulatory requirements
- procedures for cleaning processing equipment

Assessment Conditions

Assessment must be conducted in an operating meat processing plant.

Competency must be demonstrated under typical production conditions and at the normal speed of production.

As a minimum, the following three forms of assessment must be used:

- workplace demonstration
- quiz of underpinning knowledge
- workplace referee or third-party report of performance over time

Assessors must satisfy the current standards for RTOs.

Links

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<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=5e2e56b7-698f-4822-84bb-25adbb8443a7>