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Modification History

Release	TP Version	Comment
1	AMPv2.0	Initial release

Performance Evidence

The candidate must perform quality control and Meat Hygiene Assessment (MHA) checks (or equivalent) on carton meat or offal for contamination or defects as part of a Quality Assurance (QA) program.

The candidate must:

- inspect, identify and record defects
- identify defects and explain the relevant critical limits and specifications
- interpret information including details of out of tolerance samples
- take corrective action if defect tolerances are exceeded
- follow re-inspection procedures to workplace requirements
- apply communication and mathematical skills relevant to work instructions and Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs)
- follow relevant workplace health and safety, hygiene and sanitation and regulatory requirements

Knowledge Evidence

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

- defect tolerance
- relevant work instructions and SOPs
- procedures for reporting defects and samples outside tolerance
- sampling program and consequence of not following procedures
- relevant workplace health and safety requirements

Assessment Conditions

Assessment must take place in a meat processing plant under real working conditions.

Competency must be demonstrated while complying with:

- Australian Government - Agriculture and/or state meat authority regulations

- company procedures

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

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

Assessors must satisfy the current standards for RTOs.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

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