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AMPR319 Locate, identify and assess meat cuts

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1	AMPv1.0	Initial release

Application

This unit describes the skills and knowledge required to locate, identify and assess cuts on a carcass.

This unit is applicable to meat tradespersons who prepare and further process primal cuts.

All training must be conducted in accordance Australian meat industry standards and regulations.

All work should be carried out in accordance with workplace requirements and hygiene standards.

This unit applies to individuals who work under broad direction and take responsibility for their own work.

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

Pre-requisite Unit

Nil.

Unit Sector

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. Locate cuts on a carcass	1.1 Locate primal cuts on a carcass by cut name and species according to workplace requirements and specifications 1.2 Locate meat cuts on a carcass by cut name and species according to workplace requirements and customer specifications 1.3 Locate specialised cuts on a carcass by cut name and species

Element	Performance criteria
	according to workplace requirements and customer specifications
2. Identify cuts	2.1 Identify meat cuts on a carcass by cut name and species according to workplace requirements and customer specifications 2.2 Identify meat cuts on primals in cartons by cut name and species according to workplace requirements and customer specifications 2.3 Identify cutting lines for meat cuts on primals according to workplace requirements and customer specifications 2.4 Identify cutting lines for primal cuts on a carcass according to workplace requirements and customer specifications
3. Assess cuts	3.1 Assess meat cuts for quality to workplace requirements and customer specifications 3.2 Assess meat cuts against cut specifications to workplace requirements 3.3 Assess primal cuts for quality to workplace requirements and customer specifications 3.4 Assess primal cuts against cut specifications to workplace requirements

Foundation Skills

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

Range of Conditions

Unit Mapping Information

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Assessment Requirements for AMPR319 Locate, identify and assess meat cuts

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Performance Evidence

Evidence must demonstrate the candidate's consistency of performance over time at production speed.

The candidate must:

- demonstrate safe manual-handling techniques
- locate primal cuts on a carcass of beef, sheep and one other species
- assess primal cuts on a carcass of beef, sheep and one other species
- identify contaminated product and take the appropriate corrective action according to workplace requirements
- apply relevant communication skills
- apply relevant regulatory requirements

Knowledge Evidence

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

- hygiene and workplace health and safety requirements for breaking carcasses
- quality requirements for breaking carcasses
- principles of contamination in regard to primary cuts
- sequence for breaking carcasses
- relevant regulatory requirements
- acceptable cutting lines to produce primary cuts to workplace requirements
- primary cut specifications for beef, sheep and one other species
- major anatomical structures of the carcass of each species

Assessment Conditions

Competency must be demonstrated over time under typical operating conditions.

Assessment must occur in the workplace under normal enterprise or production conditions or in a simulated environment.

The following three forms of assessment must be used:

- quiz of underpinning knowledge
- demonstration in the workplace or simulated environment
- workplace referee or third-party report of performance over time

Assessors must satisfy current standards for RTOs.

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