



Australian Government

AURVNA006 Identify and value vehicle salvage

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Modification History

Release	Comment
Release 1	New unit of competency

Application

This unit describes the performance outcomes required to identify and value vehicle and component salvage. It involves inspecting a vehicle to identify and cost saleable items.

The unit applies to those identifying and valuing saleable salvage and components on a damaged vehicle in the loss assessment environment. Vehicles and components may include light vehicles, commercial vehicles, heavy vehicles, agricultural and plant equipment, recreational vehicles and motorcycles.

Licensing, legislative, regulatory or certification requirements may apply to this unit in some jurisdictions. Users are advised to check with the relevant regulatory authority.

Competency Field

Vehicle Body

Unit Sector

Loss Assessment and Repair Quoting

Elements and Performance Criteria

ELEMENTS	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA
Elements describe the essential outcomes	Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element. Where bold italicised text is used, further information is detailed in the range of conditions section
1. Prepare for work	1.1 Work instructions are used to determine job requirements 1.2 Vehicle to be inspected is located 1.3 <i>Workplace policies and procedures, legal requirements, and component specifications</i> are read and interpreted 1.4 Workplace requirements, <i>safety requirements</i> and <i>workplace environmental practices</i> and policies are identified 1.5 Safety equipment and tooling equipment are selected and

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	checked 1.6 Vehicle inspection methods are determined to minimise waste material and components
2. Inspect vehicle to identify saleable systems and components	2.1 Vehicle systems and components are dismantled and inspected without causing damage 2.2 Serviceable vehicle systems and components are identified 2.3 Saleable vehicle salvage , or vehicle systems and components, are determined and documented following legal requirements
3. Determine vehicle and component retail price	3.1 Value of identified saleable salvage, or vehicle systems and components is determined 3.2 Category of vehicle salvage is determined 3.3 Retail price of each saleable system and component is estimated 3.4 Details of total loss vehicle are reported to the relevant statutory body according to workplace policies and procedures
4. Clean up work area	4.1 Reusable material is collected and stored 4.2 Waste and scrap are removed according to workplace policies and procedures 4.3 Equipment and work area are cleaned and inspected to serviceable condition according to workplace procedures 4.4 Faults in unsaleable equipment are determined and tagged according to workplace policies and procedures

Foundation Skills

This section describes those language, literacy, numeracy and employment skills that are essential to performance and are not explicit in the performance criteria.

Skills	Description
Reading skills to:	- interpret manufacturer specifications - analyse information relating to workplace policies and procedures - understand common industry terminology, plans and safety procedures and follow Written-Off Vehicles Register (WOVR) requirements.
Writing skills to:	report on vehicle salvage saleable items and their value.
Numeracy skills to:	- use sources of information to work out value of saleable items, correctly entering data into salvage report - decide and check on estimation of retail prices.

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Digital literacy skills to:	use computerised technology and communications devices to research and report on vehicle salvage saleable items and their value.
Planning and organising skills to:	identify and avoid planning and scheduling problems.
Problem-solving skills to:	- avoid time and material wastage - identify technical and procedural problems.

Range of Conditions

This section specifies work environments and conditions that may affect performance. Essential operating conditions that may be present (depending on the work situation, needs of the candidate, accessibility of the item, and local industry and regional contexts) are included. Bold italicised wording, if used in the performance criteria, is detailed below.

<i>Workplace policies and procedures</i> must include:	- recording and reporting procedures - safe work procedures.
<i>Legal requirements</i> are to be in accordance with applicable commonwealth, state, or territory legislation, regulations, certification requirements and codes of practice, and must include:	- environmental regulations - intellectual property.
<i>Component specifications</i> must include at least one of the following:	- vehicle design specifications and drawings - repair instructions and procedures - component replacement instructions and procedures - inspecting vehicles for saleable components.
<i>Safety requirements</i> are to be in accordance with applicable commonwealth, state or territory Workplace Health and Safety Act or Occupational Health and Safety Act and must include:	- ensuring safe location of vehicle to be inspected - following workplace safety procedures - identifying potential safety hazards.
<i>Workplace environmental practices</i> must include:	- managing clean-up - managing waste

	• minimising dust and noise.
Vehicle inspection methods must include at least one of the following:	• aural, visual and operational checking of damage to vehicle and components • visually examining digital images of damage to vehicle and components.
Vehicle salvage must include at least one of the following:	• bumper bar • saleable items as listed on the policy • tow bar • vehicle components • vehicle system.
Category of vehicle salvage must include at least one of the following:	• repairable write-off • statutory write-off.

Unit Mapping Information

No equivalent unit.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=b4278d82-d487-4070-a8c4-78045ec695b1>

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Performance Evidence

Before competency can be determined, individuals must demonstrate they can perform the following according to the standards defined in this unit's elements, performance criteria and foundation skills:

- identify and value vehicle salvage on a minimum of two occasions, including:
 - accurately calculating vehicle salvage value
 - correctly identifying vehicle salvage category.

Knowledge Evidence

Individuals must be able to demonstrate knowledge of:

- motor vehicle mechanical, electrical, paint, panel and structural:
 - dismantling and repair methods
 - loss recovery methods and costs
 - inspection methods and procedures
- general insurance industry knowledge, including relevant sections of:
 - contract and insurance law
 - Insurance Contracts Act
 - Motor Vehicle Insurance and Repair Industry Code of Conduct
 - state or territory Fair Trading Act
- methods for sourcing original equipment manufacturer (OEM) or authorised agencies' repair procedures, and component supplier specifications, workshop manuals and repair guides
- methods for sourcing current retail costs of vehicles, vehicle components and materials
- methods for accessing independent sources with the required skills to value vehicle salvage
- salvage disposal contractors and auction houses
- applicable commonwealth, state or territory laws, regulations and standards relating to identifying vehicle salvage saleable items and determining their value, including:

- commercial-in-confidence practices
- environmental regulations
- intellectual property
- personal legal liability
- applicable Workplace Health and Safety Act or Occupational Health and Safety Act
- workplace policies and procedures relating to identifying vehicle salvage saleable items and determining their value, including:
 - recording and reporting procedures
 - work organisation and planning processes.

Assessment Conditions

Assessors must satisfy SNR/AQTF assessor requirements.

Competency is to be assessed in the workplace or a simulated environment that accurately reflects performance in a real workplace setting.

Where assessment of competency includes third-party evidence, individuals must provide evidence that links them to the vehicle salvage that they have valued, e.g. assessment reports.

Assessors must verify performance evidence through questioning on skills and knowledge to ensure correct interpretation and application.

The following resources must be made available:

- work instructions
- a range of total loss vehicles
- computer hardware and software, calculators and general office equipment
- internet access.

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