



Australian Government

Assessment Requirements for DEFEXO087

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Release: 2

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Modification History

Release 2. Modifications made to Foundation Skills and Assessment Conditions.

Release 1. This unit was released in DEF Defence Training Package release 1.0 and meets the Standards for Training Packages.

This unit supersedes and is equivalent to DEFEO004 Assess the safety and suitability for service of explosive ordnance.

- Unit code updated
- Content and formatting updated to comply with the new standards
- All PC transitioned from passive to active voice
- PC 1.1 and 3.1 reworded

Performance Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence in this unit must be relevant to and satisfy all of the requirements of the elements and performance criteria on at least one occasion and includes:

- accessing and preparing information electronically or in hard copy
- applying risk management techniques
- communicating with stakeholders using a range of communication styles to suit different audiences and purposes
- scheduling multiple agencies
- writing recommendations and preparing plans requiring precision of expression
- conducting hazard and design assessments
- determining the requirements for trials or testing
- defining and documenting the Manufacture to Disposal Sequence (MTDS)
- providing technical advice to authorities

Knowledge Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence in this unit must be relevant to and satisfy all of the requirements of the elements and performance criteria and includes:

- Operational knowledge of:
 - integrated logistics support requirements for explosives
- In-depth knowledge of:
 - management tools suited to implementing safety and suitability for service evaluation processes
 - principles relating to the implementation of safety and suitability for service evaluation

processes

- explosive chemistry/physics/materials/design principles

Assessment Conditions

Assessors must hold credentials specified within the Standards for Registered Training Organisations current at the time of assessment.

Assessment must satisfy the Principles of Assessment and Rules of Evidence and all regulatory requirements included within the Standards for Registered Training Organisations current at the time of assessment.

Assessment must occur in workplace operational situations. Where this is not appropriate, assessment must occur in simulated workplace operational situations that reflect workplace conditions.

Assessment processes and techniques must be appropriate to the language, literacy and numeracy requirements of the work being performed and the needs of the candidate.

Resources for assessment must include access to:

- a range of relevant exercises, case studies and/or simulations
- acceptable means of simulation assessment
- applicable documentation, including workplace procedures, regulations, codes of practice and operation manuals
- relevant materials, tools, equipment and PPE currently used in industry.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=6bdbab1e-11ed-4bc9-9cba-9e1a55d4e4a9>