



Australian Government

DEFMIL010 Operate a 22 gauge rifle

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Modification History

Release	Comments
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 DEFCM006B Operate a 22 gauge rifle. • Unit code updated • Content and formatting updated to comply with the new standards • All PC transitioned from passive to active voice • PC 1.1 removed • Elements 3 and 4 merged

Application

This unit describes the skills required to operate a single bolt action 22 calibre long rifle on a legal range. Operating a 22 gauge rifle involves the ability to safely handle, maintain, operate and fire the 22 gauge rifle. The operator must be familiar with the characteristics and capabilities of the rifle.

This unit applies to those required to operate a 22 gauge rifle.

The skills and knowledge described in this unit must be applied within the legislative, regulatory and policy environment in which they are carried out. Organisational policies and procedures must be consulted and adhered to.

Those undertaking this unit would work under supervision and will always operate under direct orders. They would perform specific tasks in a known context.

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

Competency Field

Military Skills

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. Safely handle a 22 gauge rifle	1.1 Handle and carry a 22 gauge rifle. 1.2 Identify, select and handle ammunition. 1.3 Secure a 22 gauge rifle.
2. Safely maintain a 22 gauge rifle	2.1 Strip and assemble a 22 gauge rifle. 2.2 Clean and service a 22 gauge rifle and associated equipment. 2.3 Identify and rectify defects within limits of authority or report to supervisor. 2.4 Complete documentation.
3. Safely operate a 22 gauge rifle	3.1 Conduct weapon drills. 3.2 Apply marksmanship principles. 3.3 Employ weapon equipment. 3.4 Fire a 22 gauge rifle 3.5 Comply with range safety brief and practice brief when firing a 22 gauge rifle. 3.6 Recognise problems and take actions. 3.7 Identify and engage targets.

Foundation Skills

The foundation skills demands of this unit have been mapped for alignment with the Australian Core Skills Framework (ACSF). The following tables outline the performance levels indicated for successful attainment of the unit.

ACSF levels indicative of performance:

1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Learning NA					Reading					Writing					Oral communication					Numeracy NA				

Performance variables

1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Support					Context					Text complexity					Task complexity				

Further information on ACSF and the foundation skills underpinning this unit can be found in the Foundation Skills Guide on the GSA website.

Unit Mapping Information

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Links

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Assessment Requirements for DEFMIL010 Operate a 22 gauge rifle

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1	These Assessment Requirements were released in DEF Defence Training Package release 1.0 and meet the Standards for Training Packages. • Assessment Requirements created drawing upon specified assessment information from superseded unit

Performance Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence must satisfy all of the requirements of the elements and performance criteria. If not otherwise specified the candidate must demonstrate evidence of performance of the following on at least one occasion.

- applying recognised safety precautions
- interpreting fire control orders
- conducting the following firearm drills:
 - degrees of weapon readiness
 - immediate action and stoppage
 - safety precautions including checking clearances
- recognising the limit of own authority

Knowledge Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence must satisfy all of the requirements of the elements and performance criteria. If not otherwise specified the depth of knowledge demonstrated must be appropriate to the job context of the candidate.

- characteristics, technical capabilities, effects, employment and limitations of the rifle and ammunition
- degrees of weapon readiness
- marksmanship principles
- safety precautions of the 22 gauge rifle
- types of targets

Assessment Conditions

Competency should be assessed in an actual workplace or in a simulated environment, with access to equipment and infrastructure appropriate to the outcome. Competency should be demonstrated over time to ensure the candidate is assessed across a variety of situations.

Competency should be assessed using live ammunition on a live firing range.

Assessors must satisfy the NVR/AQTF mandatory competency requirements for assessors.

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