



Australian Government

Assessment Requirements for MARO010

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Release: 1

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Modification History

Release 1. This is the first release of this unit of competency in the MAR Maritime Training Package.

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 include:

- communicating required information in a timely manner
- identifying and reporting lights, buoys and sound signals
- monitoring communications equipment
- reporting other ships, objects, lights and navigation marks in relation to the ship's head correctly
- responding to helm and engine orders given by the Master.

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 include knowledge of:

- anchor watch
- communicating effectively with others on lookout issues and arrangements
- coverage, frequency and timing of checks and inspections
- hazards and risks that may arise during lookout duties
- navigation lights, shapes and sound signals
- typical emergency situations and appropriate action and solutions, including:
 - collision
 - fire
 - heavy weather
 - loss of engine or propulsion controls
 - loss of watertight integrity
 - person overboard
 - personal injury or other medical emergency
- watch in port.

Assessment Conditions

Assessors must satisfy applicable regulatory requirements, which include requirements in the Standards for Registered Training Organisations current at the time of assessment.

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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.

Practical assessment must occur in a workplace, or realistic simulated workplace, under the normal range of workplace conditions.

Simulations and scenarios may be used where situations cannot be provided in the workplace or may occur only rarely, in particular for situations relating to emergency procedures and adverse weather conditions where assessment would be unsafe, impractical or may lead to environmental damage.

Resources for assessment must include access to:

- applicable documentation, such as legislation, regulations, codes of practice, safety management system (SMS), workplace procedures and operational manuals
- tools, equipment, machinery, materials and personal protective equipment (PPE) currently used in industry.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guide can be found in VetNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=772efb7b-4cce-47fe-9bbd-ee3b1d1eb4c2>