



Australian Government

Assessment Requirements for MSTGN5008

Identify opportunities in the TCF market

Release: 1

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Modification History

Release 1. Supersedes and is equivalent to LMTGN5008A Identify opportunities in the textiles, clothing and footwear market

Performance Evidence

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

- reading and following work instructions, standard operating procedures and safe work practices and other reference material
- applying relevant standards
- planning and conducting market research and analysing research findings on domestic and global trends to assess potential opportunities
- conducting feasibility studies to assess opportunities and consult with team members and members of the TCF supply chain to gain feedback
- developing concepts for at least three (3) products or a small range to explore TCF opportunities, and conducting tests on materials, fabrics, products or processes to assess viability of concepts
- developing at least three (3) sample products or a small range to test concepts with key personnel and target market
- developing a strategic plan, including budget, to explore TCF market opportunities
- seeking and incorporating feedback where appropriate and finalising strategic plan.

Knowledge Evidence

Evidence must be provided that demonstrates knowledge of:

- safe work practices and procedures and use of personal protective equipment (PPE)
- relevant Australian Standards
- domestic TCF market trends
- global TCF market trends
- interrelationship between local and global markets
- opportunities in marketing products in the TCF Industry
- limitations of the collection of market research data
- ethical standards when collecting and collating market research data, such as:
 - confidentiality
 - discretion
 - respecting copyright and patents
 - trust

- fairness
- respect for others
- respect for privacy
- not sharing another's private information
- different target markets and the opportunity to identify niche markets
- formal report writing when undertaking strategic plan
- test procedures to assess quality of materials and products
- properties and performance characteristics of fibres, fabrics and yarns and other materials used in the TCF product
- quality indicators for fabric, such as colour steadfastness, shrinkage, durability and grain
- processes used to produce TCF product and impacts on raw materials
- costs associated with materials and production processes
- limitations of TCF materials
- limitations of production processes for TCF products
- work health and safety (WHS) practices, including hazard identification and control measures
- quality practices
- workplace procedures.

Assessment Conditions

- Assessors must:
 - satisfy the assessor competency requirements that are in place at the time of the assessment, as set by the VET regulator
 - have vocational competency in identifying opportunities in the textiles, clothing and footwear market at least to the level being assessed, with relevant industry knowledge and experience.
- Assessment should occur in operational workplace situations. Where this is not possible, or where personal safety or environmental damage are limiting factors, assessment must occur in a sufficiently rigorous simulated environment reflecting realistic operational workplace conditions. This must cover all aspects of workplace performance, including environment, task skills, task management skills, contingency management skills and job role environment skills.
- 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.
- Conditions for assessment must include access to all tools, equipment, materials and documentation required, including relevant workplace procedures, product and manufacturing specifications associated with this unit.
- The unit is applicable to all TCF sectors and assessment must ensure it is delivered to suit the industry it is being applied to.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=a203ec5c-de7d-406b-b3e1-8f1a9b76e92e>