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Modification History

Release	Comments
1	These Assessment Requirements were released in PSP Public Sector 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 Assessment Requirements created drawing upon specified assessment information from superseded unit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.

- analysing mathematical data
- observing and reporting
- using communication styles to suit different audiences and purposes
- reading formal documents and applying them in the workplace
- writing technical reports requiring precision of expression
- operating machinery and experimental equipment
- applying work health and safety and environmental requirements related to working in a scientific and/or technological research environment

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.

- experimental procedures and scientific methods
- analytical techniques
- simple statistical analysis
- the scientific/technological area
- work health and safety, environmental protections, public sector legislation, public sector standards and organisational code of practice as they relate to work in a scientific research and/or technical environment
- standard operating procedures and/or work instructions

- technical support work relevant to specialist area

Assessment Conditions

This unit contains no specific industry-mandated assessment conditions. Guidance on suggested and recommended conditions and methods can be found in the Implementation Guide.

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

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=bebbece7-ff48-4d2c-8876-405679019623>

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