National Certificate in Printing (Printing - Sheet-Fed: Offset) (Level 4)

Level **4**

Credits **65**

This qualification is **expiring**. The last date to meet the requirements is 31 December 2018.

Version 6 of this qualification has been republished to extend the last date of enrolment on programmes from 31 December 2013 to 31 December 2016, also to extend the last date for assessment from 31 December 2015 to 31 December 2018.

Transition Arrangements

This qualification has been replaced by the New Zealand Certificate in Print (Level 4) [Ref: 1823].

The last date for entry into programmes leading to the replaced qualification is 31 December 2016. People currently working towards this replaced qualification must complete the requirements by December 2018.

For detailed information see Review Summaries on the NZQA website.

NZQF National Qualification Registration Information

Process	Version	Date	Last Date for Assessment
Registration	1	April 1995	December 2018
Revision	2	October 1998	December 2018
Review	3	October 1999	December 2018
Review	4	February 2004	December 2018
Review	5	February 2011	December 2018
Republished	5	April 2013	December 2018
Review	6	January 2014	December 2018
Republished	6	November 2015	December 2018

It is the intention of Competenz that no existing trainee should be disadvantaged by these transition arrangements. Any person who considers they have been disadvantaged may appeal to Competenz using the contact details below.

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Purpose

This national certificate is designed for trainees who are employed in the print industry and undertake sheet-fed printing production. This qualification has been designed to be undertaken by trainees on-job, supported by distance education studies and workshops.

This qualification builds upon the knowledge and skills recognised in the National Certificate in Printing (Printing - Sheet-Fed: Offset (Level 3) [Ref: 0043] and the National Certificate in Printing (Production Support) (Level 2) with the Sheet-fed Offset strand [Ref: 0593].

Holders of this certificate have met the requirements of all the standards listed in the Compulsory section. These standards cover knowledge and skills that relate to business and quality principles in the print industry; printing four colour process sheet-fed offset work; and rectifying faults and solving problems when undertaking printing production.

This qualification shares standards in common with the National Certificate in Printing (Printing - Reel-Fed) (Level 4) [Ref: 1617], which is designed for people who are employed to carry out reel-fed printing production.

Replacement Information

This qualification has been reviewed and replaced by the New Zealand Certificate in Print (Level 4) [Ref: 1823].

Special Notes

Prerequisite: National Certificate in Printing (Printing - Sheet-Fed: Offset) (Level 3) [Ref: 0043], or demonstrate equivalent knowledge and skills.

Credit Range

Level 3 credits	10
Level 4 or above credits	55
Total	65

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Requirements for Award of Qualification

This qualification will be awarded to people who are credited with the compulsory unit standards.

Award of NZQF National Qualifications

Credit gained for a standard may be used only once to meet the requirements of this qualification.

Unit standards and achievement standards that are equivalent in outcome are mutually exclusive for the purpose of award. The table of mutually exclusive standards is provided on the New Zealand Qualifications Authority (NZQA) website: http://www.nzqa.govt.nz/qualifications-standards/standards/standards-exclusion-list/.

Reviewed standards that continue to recognise the same overall outcome are registered as new versions and retain their identification number (ID). Any version of a standard with the same ID may be used to meet qualification requirements that list the ID and/or that specify the past or current classification of the standard.

Summary of Requirements

- Compulsory standards

Detailed Requirements

Compulsory

The following standards are required

Manufacturing > Printing > Printing Production

ID	Title	Level	Credit
20057	Demonstrate knowledge of business and quality principles in the print industry	3	10
26729	Troubleshoot and rectify faults when undertaking printing production and solve workplace problems	4	20

Manufacturing > Printing > Printing - Sheet-Fed

ID	Title	Level	Credit
26320	Make ready and print four colour process sheet-fed offset work	4	35

Transition Arrangements

Version 5

Version 5 was republished in April 2013 to indicate that this qualification has been reviewed and replaced.

Version 5 was issued following a review of the Printing - Sheet-Fed standards.

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Changes to structure and content

- the title of the qualification was amended
- credit total was decreased from 70 to 65
- expiring standards 354 and 3714 were removed from the qualification
- expiring standard 3715 was replaced by standard 26320
- title and credit of standard 20057 was updated to reflect changes made at review
- standard 26729 was added to the qualification.

This qualification contains standards that replace earlier standards. For the purposes of this qualification, people who have gained credit for the expiring standards are exempt from the requirement to gain credit for the replacement standards – see table below.

Credit for	Exempt from
339	20057
3715	26320

All trainees enrolled in programmes leading to this National qualification will be supported to complete it.

Competenz will advise all employers currently involved in training programmes of the changes.

Previous versions of the qualification

Version 4 was issued in February 2004 following reviews of the Printing Production and Printing – Sheet-Fed standards. Changes included: replacement of standard 339 with standard 20057, and the increase in the credit total from 62 to 70.

Version 3 was issued following a review of the Printing standards. Changes included a domain change for standard 339 from Printing - Graphic Pre-Press to Printing Production.

Version 2 was issued following an extension to registration period and editorial amendments.

Certification

This certificate will display the logos of NZQA, Competenz and the organisation that has been granted consent to assess against standards that meet the requirements of the qualification (accredited).

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Classification

This qualification is classified according to the classification system listed on the Directory of Assessment Standards (DAS) and the New Zealand Standard Classification of Education (NZSCED) system as specified below.

DAS Classification		**NZSCED**	
Code	**Description**	**Code**	**Description**
191	Manufacturing > Printing	030103	Engineering and Related Technologies > Manufacturing, Engineering and Technology > Printing

Quality Management Systems
Providers and Industry Training Organisations must be granted consent to assess by a recognised Quality Assurance Body before they can register credits from assessment against standards. Organisation with consent to assess and Industry Training Organisations assessing against standards must engage with the moderation system that applies to those standards. Consent to assess requirements and the moderation system are outlined in the associated Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) for each standard.

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