

<b>Title</b>	<b>Demonstrate knowledge of training systems for brambles, and prune and tie up brambles</b>		
<b>Level</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>5</b>

<b>Purpose</b>	People credited with this unit standard are able to: demonstrate knowledge of training systems for brambles and plant health; train, prune and tie up brambles.
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<b>Classification</b>	Horticulture > Production Horticulture
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<b>Available grade</b>	Achieved
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### Guidance Information

- 1 Legislation relevant to this unit standard includes but is not limited to:
  - Health and Safety at Work Act 2015; and any subsequent amendments.
- 2 All evidence presented in this unit standard must be in accordance with workplace procedures.
- 3 Definition  
*Workplace procedures* refer to policies and procedures on safety, operation, and production set down by the employer or host organisation for training, pruning, and tying up brambles.

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### Outcomes and performance criteria

#### Outcome 1

Demonstrate knowledge of training systems for brambles and plant health.

#### Performance criteria

- 1.1 Identify and describe the features of the main training systems used for brambles.
- 1.2 Identify and describe parts of the vine that are trained and pruned in terms of their functions.
- 1.3 Describe vine growth in terms of the effects of apical dominance.
- 1.4 Describe wound callus, healing and plant health in terms of their relationship.

**Outcome 2**

Train, prune and tie up brambles.

**Performance criteria**

- 2.1 Monitor and maintain tools and equipment.
- 2.2 Recognise and remove spent floricanes.
- 2.3 Train and tie up primocanes.
- 2.4 Train and treat developing primocanes.
- 2.5 Implement hygiene, and pest and disease prevention measures.
- 2.6 Remove and dispose of or mulch pruned material.
- 2.7 Report workplace information, and maintain records of training, pruning and tying up.

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**Status information and last date for assessment for superseded versions**

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<b>Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference</b>	0052
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**Comments on this unit standard**

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