

Field Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries**Review of *Forestry* unit standards**

Subfield	Domain	ID
Forestry	Forest Foundation Skills	17769, 22994, 22995, 22997
	Forest Operations	17772, 24574, 24575, 24579
	Forest Operations Advanced	6964, 24571, 24577

Competenz has completed the review of the unit standards listed above.

Date new versions published

February 2020

Planned review date

December 2024

Summary

Unit standards were reviewed and updated with full industry consultation as part of the Competenz scheduled five yearly review.

Main changes

- Minor changes were made to update terms and definitions and to align unit standards with current industry practices and terminology.
- Unit standard 24577 had changes made to the management of worker health.
- Unit standard 24579 had the fire response outcome removed as it was determined that response to fire was the same as other incidents.
- Unit standard 22994 had changes made to the impairment of forestry workers.
- Unit standard 17772 had changes made to cover industry compliance with environmental legislation.

The last date for assessment of superseded versions of Category B unit standards is December 2024

Detailed list of unit standards – classification, title, level, and credits

Key to review category	
A	Dates changed, but no other changes are made - the new version of the standard carries the same ID and a new version number
B	Changes made, but the overall outcome remains the same - the new version of the standard carries the same ID and a new version number
C	Major changes that necessitate the registration of a replacement standard with a new ID
D	Standard will expire and not be replaced

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ID	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
17769	Demonstrate knowledge of general health, safety, and environmental requirements in forestry	2	5	B
22994	Demonstrate knowledge of factors that affect the performance of forestry workers	3	10	B
22995	Demonstrate knowledge of employment in a forestry operation	2	5	B
22997	Demonstrate knowledge of principles of commercial forestry	2	5	B

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ID	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
17772	Demonstrate knowledge of environmental requirements in forestry operations	3	5	B
24574	Demonstrate knowledge of, and contribute to, worksite health and safety for commercial forestry operations	3	5	B
24575	Demonstrate knowledge of factors that affect the quality of commercial forestry operations	3	5	B
24579	Demonstrate knowledge of incident response in plantation forests	3	5	B

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ID	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
6964	Apply environmental management to harvesting trees	4	10	B
24571	Demonstrate knowledge of internal and external customer needs within a commercial forestry operation	4	5	B
24577	Demonstrate knowledge of health and safety management in a commercial forestry operation	4	10	B