

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

Subfield	Domain	ID
Forestry	Forest Landing Operations	1252
	Forest Mechanised Harvesting	6946, 6948
	Forest Operations	1221
	Forest Operations Advanced	1142, 1224
	Forestry - Breaking Out	1256
	Forestry Knowledge	1127
	Machine Operations - Forestry	6928, 6930, 6934, 6936

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

Date new versions published

June 2020

Planned review date

December 2024

Summary

Competenz has reviewed these units as part of a full review of forestry unit standards.

All stakeholders were involved with the review, including Sector Advisory Groups and Competenz Training Advisors. The review was conducted using face-to-face meetings with a Technical Advisory Group (TAG) consisting of industry experts, stakeholders and those holding consent to assess.

Main changes

- Legislation and references were updated in Guidance Information for all unit standards.
- Outcome statements were updated for some unit standards.
- Some minor changes to wording were made in some unit standards to improve accuracy and clarity.
- Unit standards were updated to align with latest template.
- Last date for assessment of earlier versions of unit standard 1127 was set to 31 December 2020.

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

Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries > Forestry > Forest Landing Operations

ID	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
1252	Demonstrate knowledge of log making	3	5	B

Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries > Forestry > Forest Mechanised Harvesting

ID	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
6946	Operate a forwarder in a forest harvesting operation	4	5	B
6948	Delimb stems using a static delimber	4	8	B

Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries > Forestry > Forest Operations

ID	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
1221	Explain and interpret job prescriptions for forestry operations	3	5	B

Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries > Forestry > Forest Operations Advanced

ID	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
1142	Demonstrate knowledge of log distribution in New Zealand for commercial forestry operations	3	5	B
1224	Use prescription maps for forestry operations	3	5	B

Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries > Forestry > Forestry - Breaking Out

ID	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
1256	Demonstrate knowledge of ground based log extraction	3	5	B

Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries > Forestry > Forestry Knowledge

ID	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
1127	Demonstrate knowledge of wood science for commercial forestry	4	4	B

Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries > Forestry > Machine Operations - Forestry

ID	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
6928	Operate a Bell machine in a forest or a log yard	4	5	B
6930	Operate a forked loader in a forest or a log yard	4	5	B
6934	Operate a skidder in a forestry situation	4	5	B
6936	Operate a tracked machine in a forestry situation	4	5	B