

<b>Title</b>	<b>Lift, stack and destack bags of seed safely in a seed processing store</b>		
<b>Level</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>2</b>

<b>Purpose</b>	<p>This unit standard is for people working in the seed processing industry.</p> <p>People credited with this unit standard are able to: lift bags of seed; use safe conduct in a seed processing store; and stack and de-stack bags of seed.</p>
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<b>Classification</b>	Agriculture > Seed Dressing
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<b>Available grade</b>	Achieved
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### Guidance Information

- 1 All evidence presented in this unit standard must be in accordance with:
  - Health and Safety at Work Act 2015.
- 2 Definition  
*Company procedures* refer to the documented procedures for work practices, and must comply with the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015.
- 3 The ACC website contains information on back injury prevention in the workplace. Refer <http://www.acc.co.nz>.

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### Outcomes and performance criteria

#### Outcome 1

Lift bags of seed.

Range types of lifting – bags of seed lifted from the ground onto a pallet including above shoulder height; changing direction while carrying and lifting bags of seed.

#### Performance criteria

1.1 Use safe lifting practice in accordance with company procedures.

Range position of feet, position of load, use of legs, speed of lifting, straightness and angle of back and neck, hold, grip, use of body weight.

1.2 Comply with company restrictions for lifting.

Range restrictions may limit – weight, size, height, position of bags to be lifted; frequency of lifting, duration of lifting.

### Outcome 2

Use safe conduct in a seed processing store.

#### Performance criteria

2.1 Use safe conduct to prevent risk of injury to self and others in accordance with company health and safety procedures.

### Outcome 3

Stack and de-stack bags of seed.

Range types of stacking and de-stacking – on the ground, on a pallet including above shoulder height.

#### Performance criteria

3.1 Maintain stability of stacked bags of seed throughout the stacking and de-stacking.

Range stability considerations – load centre or centre of gravity, height, mass.

3.2 Position bags of seed precisely and securely on stack.

<b>Planned review date</b>	31 December 2023
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#### Status information and last date for assessment for superseded versions

Process	Version	Date	Last Date for Assessment
Registration	1	27 November 1998	31 December 2020
Revision	2	14 August 2002	31 December 2020
Review	3	19 May 2006	31 December 2020
Review	4	28 February 2019	N/A

<b>Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference</b>	0052
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This CMR can be accessed at <http://www.nzqa.govt.nz/framework/search/index.do>.

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**Comments on this unit standard**

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