

<b>Title</b>	<b>Trial and evaluate cleaning agents</b>		
<b>Level</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>4</b>

<b>Purpose</b>	<p>This unit standard is for people in the cleaning industry.</p> <p>People credited with this standard are able to: define and design trials of cleaning agents; manage implementation of trial; and evaluate and determine application of trial results.</p>
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<b>Classification</b>	Cleaning and Caretaking > Cleaning Services Administration
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<b>Available grade</b>	Achieved
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### Guidance Information

- 1 Competence demonstrated during assessment against this standard must comply with the requirements of:  
Employment Relations Act 2000;  
Health and Safety in Employment Act 1992;  
Resource Management Act 1991.
- 2 Equipment and cleaning agents must be used in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- 3 Definition  
*Cleaning agents and products* are consumable chemical agents used to support cleaning processes.
- 4 Competence in assessment against this standard will require at least four cleaning agents or products to be trialled and evaluated.

### Outcomes and performance criteria

#### Outcome 1

Define and design trials of cleaning agents.

#### Performance criteria

- 1.1 Objectives of trial are stated in performance terms and clearly identify the outcomes to be measured.
- 1.2 The range and extent of work to be covered by the trial are documented.  
  
Range            duration, size, variables.

- 1.3 Procedures to be used in management of the trial are documented for reference.
- Range controls, recording patterns and methods, evaluation procedures.
- 1.4 Trial design adopted enables valid conclusions to be reached.
- 1.5 Occurrences which would make the trial invalid are determined, and procedures required to minimise or manage them are defined for implementation.

## Outcome 2

Manage implementation of trial.

### Performance criteria

- 2.1 Management procedures adopted ensure that conditions and procedures established for the trial are maintained.
- 2.2 Management procedures adopted ensure that all personnel involved in the trial are aware of the trial arrangements.
- Range direct involvement in the trial, indirect involvement in the trial, confidentiality, recording of information, conditions of employment.
- 2.3 Provisions made for recording unplanned influences on the trial identify all significant details of those occurrences.
- 2.4 Information recorded during trial conforms to defined trial requirements.

## Outcome 3

Evaluate and determine application of trial results.

### Performance criteria

- 3.1 Information recorded during trial is assembled in a format which enables results to be evaluated against stated trial objectives and performance criteria.
- 3.2 Information is collected from other appropriate sources to support the evaluation.
- Range sources include – cleaning operatives, supervisors, managers, clients, industry organisations, industry publications, suppliers, results of other trials.
- 3.3 Application options selected reflect adoption of trial results.

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**This unit standard is expiring. Assessment against the standard must take place by the last date for assessment set out below.**

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

Process	Version	Date	Last Date for Assessment
Registration	1	27 April 2000	31 December 2014
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**Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference**

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