

Title	Demonstrate knowledge of the commercial road transport industry		
Level	2	Credits	3

Purpose	People credited with this unit standard are able to demonstrate knowledge of: commercial road transport vehicles, freight and job roles; and driver licence classes and licence endorsements.
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Classification	Commercial Road Transport > Commercial Road Transport Skills
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Available grade	Achieved
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Guidance Information

- 1 Legislation, regulations, references and/or industry standards relevant to this unit standard include but are not limited to:
 - Health and Safety at Work Act 2015;
 - Land Transport Act 1998;
 - Land Transport Rule: Vehicle Dimensions and Mass 2016.

Any new, amended or replacement Acts, regulations, standards, codes of practice, guidelines, or authority requirements or conditions affecting this unit standard will take precedence for assessment purposes, pending review of this unit standard.

- 2 Definitions

Driver licences refer to Class 1 light motor vehicle licence, Class 2 medium rigid vehicle licence, Class 4 heavy rigid licence, and Class 5 heavy combination licence.

Endorsements include D dangerous goods; F forklift; I driving instructor; O testing officer; P passenger; R roller; T tracks; V vehicle recovery; W special-type vehicles that run on wheels, other than forklifts.

Service information may include technical information for a vehicle, machine, or product detailing operation; installation and servicing procedures; manufacturer instructions; technical terms and descriptions; and detailed illustrations.

Workplace procedures refer to organisation policies and procedures that are documented in memo, electronic, or manual format and available in the workplace. They may include but are not limited to – standard operating procedures, site specific procedures, site safety procedures, equipment operating procedures, quality assurance procedures, product quality specifications, manufacturer’s requirements, references, approved codes of practice, housekeeping standards, environmental considerations, on-site briefings, supervisor’s instructions, and procedures to comply with legislative and local body requirements relevant to the commercial road transport sector.

3 Assessment information

Evidence presented for assessment against this unit standard must be consistent with safe working practices and be in accordance with applicable service information, workplace procedures and legislative requirements.

Outcomes and performance criteria**Outcome 1**

Demonstrate knowledge of commercial road transport vehicles, freight and job roles.

Performance criteria

1.1 The different types of vehicle configurations are described.

Range rigid, combination; truck and trailer, semi-trailer, A-Train, B-Train, permitted vehicles; High Productivity Motor Vehicle, overdimension.

1.2 The different types of freight are described.

Range bulk, liquid, general, livestock, logs, specialised.

1.3 The different job roles within the industry are described.

Range may include – driver, engineer, owner driver, forklift operator, dispatcher, logistics planner, freight forwarder, transport manager, driver trainer, office administrator, health and safety co-ordinator, workshop technician.

Outcome 2

Demonstrate knowledge of driver licence classes and licence endorsements.

Performance criteria

2.1 The classes of driver licence and licence endorsements are described.

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Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference

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This CMR can be accessed at <http://www.nzqa.govt.nz/framework/search/index.do>.

Comments on this unit standard

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