

<b>Title</b>	<b>Operate a meat processing skinning machine</b>		
<b>Level</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>5</b>

<b>Purpose</b>	People credited with this unit standard are able to operate a meat processing skinning machine.
----------------	---

<b>Classification</b>	Meat Processing > Boning Operations
-----------------------	-------------------------------------

<b>Available grade</b>	Achieved
------------------------	----------

### Guidance Information

- 1 Legislation relevant to this unit standard includes but is not limited to:
  - Health and Safety at Work Act 2015; and any subsequent amendments.
- 2 All performance criteria in this unit standard must be in accordance with organisational requirements.
- 3 Resource documents include but are not limited to – *Code of Practice Red Meat: Post Slaughter Activity, Chapter 9*, available from the Ministry for Primary Industries at [Operational code: Red meat post slaughter activity Code of Practice Chapter 9 \(mpi.govt.nz\)](https://www.mpi.govt.nz/operational-code-red-meat-post-slaughter-activity-code-of-practice-chapter-9).
- 4 Consistent organisational production output targets apply to the performance of this activity. These may include but are not limited to – hourly output, shift output, daily output.
- 5 Definitions
 

*Manufacturer's specifications* – instructions from the manufacturer which outlines the specifications, parts, maintenance, service schedule, repair and running of specific equipment.

*Organisational requirements* – instructions to staff on policies and procedures that are documented in memo, electronic, or manual format and available in the workplace.

### Outcomes and performance criteria

#### Outcome 1

Operate a meat processing skinning machine.

#### Performance criteria

- 1.1 Remove all silver skin and/or membrane from boneless meat cuts.

- 1.2 Operate equipment.
- 1.3 Trim meat to maximise meat yield, and minimise wastage and damage to meat cuts.
- 1.4 Direct edible trimmings for further processing.
- 1.5 Direct trimmed cuts for further processing.
- 1.6 Replace any damaged, blunt, or unsafe blades in accordance with organisational requirements and manufacturer's specifications.

<b>Replacement information</b>	This unit standard was replaced by skill standard 40394.
--------------------------------	--

**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	24 November 2003	31 December 2012
Review	2	19 June 2009	31 December 2012
Review	3	21 July 2011	31 December 2016
Revision	4	12 December 2013	31 December 2018
Review	5	27 January 2015	31 December 2021
Revision	6	17 September 2015	31 December 2021
Review	7	24 October 2019	31 December 2027
Review	8	27 March 2025	31 December 2027

<b>Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference</b>	0033
--	------

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