

Title	Demonstrate knowledge of pneumatic and hydraulic power systems used in extractive operations		
Level	4	Credits	7

Purpose	People credited with this unit standard are able to demonstrate knowledge of pneumatic and hydraulic plant and equipment used in extractive operations.
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Classification	Extractive Industries > Extractive Industries Management
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Available grade	Achieved
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Guidance Information

- 1 Performance of the outcomes of this unit standard must comply with the following:
Health and Safety at Work Act 2015 (HSW);
Health and Safety at Work (General Risk and Workplace Management) Regulations 2016;
Health and Safety at Work (Mining Operations and Quarrying Operations) Regulations 2016;
Health and Safety at Work (Worker Engagement, Participation, and Representation) Regulations 2016;
approved codes of practice issued pursuant to the HSW Act.
- 2 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.
- 3 **Definitions**
Company procedures mean the documented methods for performing work activities and include health and safety, operational, environmental, and quality management requirements. They may refer to legislation, regulations, guidelines, standard operating procedures, manuals, codes of practice, or policy statements.
Industry best practice may be documented in management plans, control plans, company procedures, managers' rules, occupational health and safety policy, industry guidelines, codes of practice, manufacturers' instructions, and safe working and/or job procedures (or equivalent).

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Demonstrate knowledge of pneumatic plant and equipment used in extractive operations.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 The components and operation of pneumatic plant and equipment are described in terms of their use in extractive operations.
- Range includes but is not limited to – air power, compressors, capacity, pumps, compressor drives, motors, valves, sensors, control systems, air quality, water traps, distribution, pipes, hoses, receiver tanks, connections, gauges.
- 1.2 Pneumatic systems are described in terms of their common faults and hazards occurring in extractive operations.
- Range includes but is not limited to – filtration, leakage, sealing, burst lines, static electricity.
- 1.3 The safety and protection systems for pneumatic systems in extractive operations are described in terms of legislation and industry best practice.
- Range includes but is not limited to – isolation and lock-out procedures, stored energy, safety protection systems.

Outcome 2

Demonstrate knowledge of hydraulic plant and equipment used in extractive operations.

Performance criteria

- 2.1 The components and operation of hydraulic systems are described in terms of their use in extractive operations.
- Range includes but is not limited to – power pack, distribution system, rams, valves, relief valves, accumulators, hoses, connectors, pumps, motors, tanks, control systems, seals, filters, hydraulic fluid, cooling systems, gauges.
- 2.2 Hydraulic systems are described in terms of their common faults and hazards occurring in extractive operations.
- Range includes but is not limited to – filtration, leakage, sealing, burst lines, over-heating, corrosion.

2.3 The safety and protection systems for hydraulic systems are described in terms of the legislation and industry best practice.

Range includes but is not limited to – isolation and lock-out procedures, stored energy, safety protection systems.

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Comments on this unit standard

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