

Title	Demonstrate basic knowledge of, and source reusable goods at, waste exchanges		
Level	3	Credits	4

Purpose	<p>This unit standard is for people who are currently working, or who intend to work, in the resource recovery industry.</p> <p>People credited with this unit standard are able to demonstrate basic knowledge of waste exchanges; and source reusable goods for trade using waste exchanges.</p>
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Classification	Resource Recovery > Reusable Goods
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Available grade	Achieved
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Guidance Information

- 1 Information on waste exchanges is available from:
New Zealand Recycling Symbols, at <http://www.wasteminz.org.nz/pubs/ronz-symbols>; regional waste exchanges such as:
WasteMINZ at <http://www.wasteminz.org.nz>.
- 2 Definitions
Company procedures mean the documented methods for performing work activities and includes health and safety, environmental, and quality management requirements. They may refer to manuals, codes of practice, or policy statements.
Reusable goods refer to discarded resources that are able to be recovered without reprocessing or remanufacture. Typically these include clothing, textiles, household items, tools, sports equipment, bric-a-brac, furniture, and exclude motor vehicles and pawned goods.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Demonstrate basic knowledge of waste exchanges.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 Terms used for waste exchanges are described in accordance with regional waste exchange references.

Range terms may include but are not limited to – waste materials exchange, resource exchange, recovered materials.

- 1.2 The purposes of waste exchanges are explained in accordance with regional waste exchange references and/or the New Zealand Recycling Symbols.
- Range purposes include but are not limited to – waste minimisation.
- 1.3 Responsibilities for, and structure of, waste exchanges are described in accordance with regional waste exchange references and local waste exchange data.
- Range responsibilities include but are not limited to those of – territorial authority, trust board.
- 1.4 Access to, and functions of, waste exchanges are described in accordance with regional waste exchange references and local waste exchange data.
- Range access – open, restricted;
function includes but is not limited to – directory, newsletter, website, communication between buyer and seller, payment;
evidence is required for two waste exchanges.
- 1.5 Different resources available at waste exchanges are identified in relation to specific waste exchanges.
- Range resources – general, special;
evidence is required for four waste exchanges.

Outcome 2

Source reusable goods for trade using waste exchanges.

Range trade as a buyer or seller;
three waste exchanges – at least one local.

Performance criteria

- 2.1 Goods to be sourced are identified and their requirements are confirmed in accordance with company procedures.
- Range requirements – type, quantity, quality;
requirements may include but are not limited to – frequency, price range.
- 2.2 Goods are sourced and details for processing the exchange are confirmed in accordance with the requirements of the waste exchange.
- 2.3 Communication with the buyer and/or seller is recorded in accordance with company procedures.

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
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Rollover and Revision	2	28 March 2019	31 December 2025
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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>.