

Title	Describe baggage authorisation procedures		
Level	3	Credits	3

Purpose	People credited with this unit standard are able to describe: the purpose of the baggage authorisation system; the function and operation of a baggage reconciliation system (BRS); the main procedural aspects of the baggage authorisation system; and procedures for offloading baggage.
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Classification	Aviation > Ramp Operations
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Available grade	Achieved
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Guidance Information

All tasks are to be carried out in accordance with enterprise procedures, the enterprise being the organisation carrying out the work. Enterprise procedures referred to in this unit standard are the applicable procedures found in the following: enterprise exposition; manufacturer publications; Government and local body legislation; airworthiness authority requirements.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Describe the purpose of the baggage authorisation system.

Performance criteria

1.1 The purpose of the baggage authorisation system is described.

Range description must include but is not limited to – applications and regulatory control.

Outcome 2

Describe the function and operation of a BRS.

Performance criteria

2.1 A BRS's function and operation is described.

Range description may include but is not limited to – airline Departure Control System (DCS), scanning, tag number, container suitability, authorisation, problem resolution, flight manifest.

2.2 The operation of a hand-held baggage scanner is described.

Outcome 3

Describe the main procedural aspects of the baggage authorisation system.

Performance criteria

3.1 Procedural aspects of baggage authorisation are described.

Range description must include but is not limited to – passenger checked baggage, procedures for gate checked baggage, crew bags, rush bags, transfer bags, company mail.

3.2 Manual reconciliation of baggage is described.

Range may include but is not limited to – bingo cards, flight baggage cards, baggage tag, barcode tag.

Outcome 4

Describe procedures for offloading baggage.

Performance criteria

4.1 Offloading of baggage is described.

Range may include but is not limited to – locate, remove, reunite.

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Status information and last date for assessment for superseded versions

Process	Version	Date	Last Date for Assessment
Registration	1	16 October 2009	1 December 2013
Revision	2	17 May 2012	31 December 2018
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Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference	0125
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Comments on this unit standard

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