

Title	Prepare, operate and maintain packaging machines in a primary products food processing operation		
Level	3	Credits	10

Purpose	People credited with this unit standard are able to: prepare to operate packaging machines; and operate, clean and maintain packaging equipment in a primary products food processing operation.
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Classification	Primary Products Food Processing > Primary Products Food Processing - Operational Skills
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Available grade	Achieved
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Guidance Information

- Legislation relevant to this unit standard may include but is not limited to:
 - Health and Safety at Work Act 2015; and any subsequent amendments.
- 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 which are documented in memo, electronic or manual format and are available in the workplace.

Primary products food processing operation – covers a meat processing, dairy processing, seafood or baking yeasts manufacturing operation.
- 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.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Prepare to operate packaging machines in a primary products food processing operation.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 Carry out set up procedure and checks for packaging equipment, and where required, for packaging materials in accordance with organisational requirements and manufacturer's specifications.

- 1.2 Verify product specifications and descriptions to ensure conformity of product in accordance with organisational requirements.

Outcome 2

Operate, clean and maintain packaging equipment in a primary products food processing operation.

Performance criteria

- 2.1 Operate packing equipment in accordance with organisational requirements and manufacturer's specifications.
- 2.2 Clean and maintain packing equipment and refill consumables in accordance with organisational requirements and manufacturer's specifications.

Replacement information	This unit standard was replaced by skill standard 40395.
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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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Review	2	24 October 2019	31 December 2027
Review	3	27 March 2025	31 December 2027

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