Title	Use mathematics for interior linings installation		
Level	4	Credits	3

Purpose	This unit standard aligns with the New Zealand Certificate in Interior Linings Installation – Specifications, developed on behalf of the interior linings industry to specify the skills and knowledge required to achieve the New Zealand Certificate in Interior Linings Installation (Level 4) with strands in Fixing and Finishing (with optional strand in Fibrous Plaster Installation) [Ref: 3061].
	This unit standard is intended for those working in the interior linings industry.
	People credited with this unit standard are able to use mathematics for interior linings installation to the level required of a commercially competent interior linings installer.

Classification	Construction Trades > Plaster Board
Available grade	Achieved

Guidance Information

This unit standard is one of a family of standards that align with the *New Zealand Certificate in Interior Linings Installation* – *Specifications* and should be read, interpreted and assessed in the context of those *Specifications* and the New Zealand Certificate in Interior Linings Installation (Level 4) with strands in Fixing and Finishing (with optional strand in Fibrous Plaster Installation) [Ref: 3061].

The overarching level of performance for the family of unit standards is commercial competence.

Commercial competence requires a candidate to be capable of consistently performing the requirements of the unit specification:

- to current regulatory, industry and commercial standards
- within a commercially viable timeframe
- in commercial environments
- without supervision
- in different and unfamiliar contexts.

The sufficiency of evidence required to demonstrate commercial competence against this unit standard is determined within the context of the family of unit standards aligned to the *Specifications*.

The assessor must be confident that the candidate is capable of applying the skills and knowledge included in this skill specification to the level, scope and complexity required to support the achievement of related skills included in the *Specifications*.

Commercial competence can only be demonstrated, and must be assessed, in the workplace.

The assessment of commercial competence must be corroborated and confirmed by a person who has current expertise in the interior linings installation trade and has had the opportunity to regularly observe the candidate in the workplace.

Reference

New Zealand Certificate in Interior Linings Installation – Specifications, Waihanga Ara Rau, December 2015, available from https://www.waihanga.nz.

Skill specification and performance level guidance

Skill specification

Use mathematics for interior linings installation.

Know The different units of measurement and how they are used.

Conventions associated with the use of centres and spacing.

How to calculate area.

Pythagoras' theorem and its practical application.

How to use and apply percentages, fractions and ratios to building calculations.

Do Undertake measurements and calculations for interior linings installation.

Use the mathematical principles associated with right-angled triangles for interior linings installation.

Calculate physical quantities of materials for interior linings installation.

Prepare orders for materials based on calculated quantities for interior linings installation.

Performance level guidance

Units of measurement include those used for length, weight, volume, time and temperature.

Calculations for area include a variety of different shapes including square, rectangular, triangular and circular.

Measurements are taken from working drawings and on-site measures.

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Measurements and calculations include using accepted conventions and making applicable allowances.

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Comments on this unit standard

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