

Title	Operate light lifting and rigging equipment in an electricity supply environment		
Level	3	Credits	2

Purpose	People credited with this unit standard are able to operate light lifting and rigging equipment in an electricity supply environment.
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Classification	Electricity Supply > Electricity Supply - Core Skills
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Available grade	Achieved
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Guidance Information

- 1 Evidence presented for assessment against this unit standard must be consistent with safe working practices and be in accordance with applicable industry and legislative requirements.
- 2 Legislation, regulations and/or industry standards relevant to this unit standard include but are not limited to the current version of the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015; Electricity Act 1992; Electricity (Safety) Regulations 2010; and any subsequent amendments and replacements; Electricity supply industry codes of practice and documented enterprise procedures, including *Safety Manual – Electricity Industry* (SM-EI) (2015) Wellington: Electricity Engineers' Association, available from www.eea.co.nz, and the *Approved Code of Practice for Rigging and Lifting* available at <https://worksafe.govt.nz>.
- 3 Definitions
Asset owner refers to a participant who owns or operates assets used for generating or conveying electricity.
Industry requirements include all asset owner requirements; manufacturers' specifications; and enterprise requirements which cover the documented workplace policies, procedures, specifications, business, and quality management requirements relevant to the workplace in which assessment is carried out.
Light lifting and rigging equipment is equipment that can be lifted manually by one or two persons.
- 4 Recommended skills and knowledge:
Unit 31955, *Demonstrate knowledge of light lifting and rigging equipment in the electricity supply environment* or demonstrate equivalent knowledge and skills.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Operate light lifting and rigging equipment in the electricity supply environment.

Range evidence of two operations is required.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 The need to use light lifting and rigging equipment is confirmed in relation to the load.
- 1.2 Light lifting and rigging equipment relevant to the site and load is selected.
- 1.3 Equipment is operated.
- 1.4 Equipment is inspected, and any faults are reported.
- 1.5 Equipment is stored according to asset owner's requirements.

Replacement information	This unit standard and unit standard 31955 replaced unit standard 18276.
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Status information and last date for assessment for superseded versions

Process	Version	Date	Last Date for Assessment
Registration	1	28 November 2019	N/A

Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference	0120
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This CMR can be accessed at <http://www.nzqa.govt.nz/framework/search/index.do>.

Comments on this unit standard

Please contact Connexis - Infrastructure Industry Training Organisation at qualifications@connexis.org.nz if you wish to suggest changes to the content of this unit standard.