

<b>Title</b>	<b>Compete in a simple race in a sail-powered craft in winds up to 20 knots</b>		
<b>Level</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>2</b>

<b>Purpose</b>	People credited with this unit standard are able to: prepare a sail-powered craft to race in winds up to 20 knots; and sail the designated simple race course.
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<b>Classification</b>	Outdoor Recreation > Yachting
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<b>Available grade</b>	Achieved
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### Guidance Information

- 1 All learning and assessment within this standard must be carried out in accordance with the following as relevant:
  - Te Tiriti o Waitangi/Treaty of Waitangi principles of partnership, protection and participation;
  - relevant legislation including Health and Safety at Work Act 2015, Health and Safety at Work (Adventure Activities) Regulations 2016, Privacy Act 2020, Children’s Act 2014 and Human Rights Act 1993, and all subsequent amendments and associated regulations;
  - *The New Zealand Curriculum* and/or *Te Marautanga o Aotearoa*; EOTC Guidelines – Bringing the Curriculum Alive 2016;
  - industry guidelines, including any relevant Good Practice Guide, found at <http://www.supportadventure.co.nz/good-practice/good-practice-guidelines/> and Activity Specific Guidelines, found at <http://www.supportadventure.co.nz/good-practice/activity-safety-guidelines-2/>;
  - industry codes such as the Mountain Safety Council Land Safety Code, available from <https://www.mountainsafety.org.nz/land-safety-code/> and Leave No Trace principles and relevant Care codes, all available from <https://www.doc.govt.nz/parks-and-recreation/know-before-you-go/care-codes/>, and any relevant activity specific industry codes;
  - a Safety Management System (SMS) including organisational policies and procedures covering risk management, incident and emergency response, and the use of personal protective equipment (PPE);
  - current industry good practice.
- 2 Range  
The sail-powered craft may be any one or two-person sail-powered craft including yachts, land yachts and windsurfers.
- 3 Assessment  
Wind speed should not exceed 20 knots of wind during assessment against this standard.

## 4 Definition

*Current industry good practice* means the range of actions currently accepted within the adventure and outdoor sector to manage the risk of harm to staff, participants, and others.

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## Outcomes and performance criteria

### Outcome 1

Prepare a sail-powered craft to race in winds up to 20 knots.

#### Performance criteria

- 1.1 Select and rig the sail(s) to suit the conditions.
- 1.2 Tune the sail(s) to suit the conditions.

### Outcome 2

Sail the designated simple race course.

#### Performance criteria

- 2.1 Sail the pre-start in accordance with race count-down sequence.
- 2.2 Cross the starting line according to race rules.
- 2.3 Complete the designated course following sailing and race rules.  
Range port, starboard, windward, leeward, overtaking.

<b>Planned review date</b>	31 December 2026
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#### Status information and last date for assessment for superseded versions

Process	Version	Date	Last Date for Assessment
Registration	1	28 October 2021	N/A

<b>Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference</b>	0099
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This CMR can be accessed at <http://www.nzqa.govt.nz/framework/search/index.do>.

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## Comments on this unit standard

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