

Title	Describe collection and working a horse 'in hand', recognise problems, and suggest solutions		
Level	5	Credits	4

Purpose	People credited with this unit standard are able to demonstrate knowledge of the uses for collection 'in hand' and work 'in hand' from the ground; and demonstrate knowledge of problems of the handler and the horse when working 'in hand', and suggest possible solutions.
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Classification	Equine > Equitation
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Available grade	Achieved
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Guidance Information

- 1 Legislation relevant to this unit standard includes but is not limited to the Health and Safety in Employment Act 1992, and its subsequent amendments.
- 2 There are specific assessment requirements for people assessing against this unit standard. Please refer to the Consent and Moderation Requirements Ref: 0018.
- 3 References
 German National Equestrian Federation, *Advanced Techniques of Riding: The Official Handbook of the German National Equestrian Federation*, The Complete Riding and Driving System Book 2 (London: Kenilworth, 1992)
 German National Equestrian Federation, *Lungeing: The Official Handbook of the German National Equestrian Federation*, The Complete Riding and Driving System Book 6 (London: Threshold, 1990).

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Demonstrate knowledge of the uses for collection 'in hand' and work 'in hand' from the ground.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 The training effect of collection 'in hand' is described in terms of the basic training of the horse.

- 1.2 Work 'in hand' is described in terms of correcting problems in the horse.
- Range resistance against the rider, difficulties due to conformation, temperament problems.
- 1.3 Collection 'in hand' is described in terms of the execution of advanced movements, driving, and lunging.

Outcome 2

Demonstrate knowledge of the problems of the handler and the horse when working 'in hand', and suggest possible solutions.

Performance criteria

- 2.1 Problems related to the horse are described in terms of working 'in hand'.
- Range bolting horse, low forehead, high croup, loss of rhythm, lying on rein, breaking away sideways, lurching forward, crooked, stiff back and haunches, rearing, refusal to collect.
- 2.2 Problems related to the handler are described in terms of the training session.
- Range sessions too long, sessions too advanced for level of training of horse, lack of reward.
- 2.3 Solutions identified for correction of recognised problems do not cause stress to the horse or handler and are within the capabilities of the horse's level of training.

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
Registration	1	22 August 1996	31 December 2023
Revision	2	11 June 1998	31 December 2023
Review	3	21 May 1999	31 December 2023
Review	4	22 September 2004	31 December 2023
Review	5	18 July 2008	31 December 2023
Review	6	29 July 2021	31 December 2023

Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference

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