

Title	Identify and describe hide or skin faults and the elimination or reduction of faults in leather manufacture		
Level	4	Credits	5

Purpose	People credited with this unit standard are able to identify and describe: hide or skin faults; and the elimination or reduction of hide or skin faults, in leather manufacture.
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Classification	Fellmongery and Leather Processing > Leather Processing Knowledge
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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:
 - Health and safety at Work Act 2015;
 - Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Act 1996;
 - Resource Management Act 1991;
 - and any subsequent amendments.
 - 2 Evidence for this unit standard must be supplied from the candidate's workplace, which is either a tannery or fellmongery and be the candidate's workplace.
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Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Identify and describe hide or skin faults in leather manufacture.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 Identify and describe hide or skin faults in terms of their cause and origin.

Range farm, butcher, processing, storage, transport.
- 1.2 Identify and describe hide or skin faults in terms of appearance.

Range may include but is not limited to – cockle, whitespot, shearing, scars, burrs, scratches, hide spot, grain strain, flay cuts, stunner burn, V butt, staling, red/purple heat, wool/hair slip, chemical; evidence of four is required.

Outcome 2

Identify and describe the elimination or reduction of hide or skin faults in leather manufacture.

Performance criteria

- 2.1 Identify and describe the controls, processes or techniques used to eliminate or reduce skin faults at origin.

Range may include but is not limited to – farm, butcher, processing, storage, transport.

- 2.2 Identify and describe the controls, processes or techniques used to eliminate or reduce skin or hide faults on finished leather.

Range may include but is not limited to – reselection, buffing, pigmenting, shearing, trimming.

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Status information and last date for assessment for superseded versions

Process	Version	Date	Last Date for Assessment
Registration	1	24 September 1996	31 December 2014
Revision	2	23 March 1999	31 December 2014
Review	3	27 April 2000	31 December 2014
Revision	4	20 February 2002	31 December 2014
Revision	5	14 October 2004	31 December 2014
Review	6	14 December 2007	31 December 2015
Review	7	21 February 2013	31 December 2017
Review	8	20 March 2014	31 December 2017
Review	9	19 February 2015	31 December 2021
Review	10	27 February 2020	N/A

Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference	0033
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Comments on this unit standard

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