

National Vocational Certificate in Manufacturing (Joinery and Cabinet Making) (Level 1)
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Level of qualification: 1

	Compulsory	Elective
level 1 credits available	83	-
minimum totals required	83	-

Registration date: 28 March 2018

Scheduled review date: 2023

Body responsible for the qualification: Namibia Training Authority

Other bodies whose unit standards are included in the qualification:

None

1. Purpose

This qualification recognises people who have the competencies required for performing basic joinery and cabinet making tasks. It is awarded to people who have demonstrated the skills and knowledge required to describe timber jointing materials; use and maintain hand tools; construct timber joints by hand; read and produce sketches and drawings; perform estimation, measurement and calculations; manufacture timber products; perform wood surface finishing processes; use and maintain portable power tools; install finished products; demonstrated basic knowledge of workplace health and safety; demonstrate basic awareness of HIV and AIDS; apply basic numeracy skills in a workplace environment; apply basic reading skills in a workplace environment; interact with others in a workplace environment; use workplace documents; apply basic financial literacy skills; apply fundamental computer literacy skills and apply basic entrepreneurship skills.

This qualification is designed to be accessible and flexible. There are no entry requirements for this qualification.

The main focus is on the outcomes of this qualification, not the how, when and where learning occurred. Some people applying to do this qualification may currently be competent in one or more of the unit standards and should then be given the opportunity to apply for recognition of prior learning.

This qualification leads to the National Vocational Certificate in Manufacturing (Level 2) (Joinery and Cabinet Making).

2 Regulations for the qualification

2.1 Summary of qualification requirements

This qualification will be awarded to people who are credited with 83 credits and have met the requirements of the compulsory sections.

2.2 Detailed qualification requirements

Compulsory

All the unit standards listed below are required.

FIELD: Manufacturing, Engineering and Technology

Subfield: Manufacturing

Domain: Joinery and Cabinet Making

Unit No.	Unit Standard Title	Level	Credit
393	Describe timber jointing materials	1	4
394	Use and maintain hand tools	1	4
395	Construct timber joints by hand	1	4
396	Read and produce sketches and drawings	1	4
397	Perform estimation, measurement and calculations	1	4
398	Manufacture timber products	1	6
399	Perform wood surface finishing processes	1	2
400	Use and maintain portable power tools	1	3
401	Install finished products	1	4

AND

FIELD: Health Sciences and Social Services

Subfield: Preventative Health

Domain: Occupational Health and Safety

Unit No.	Unit Standard Title	Level	Credit
1157	Demonstrate knowledge of workplace health and safety	1	7

AND

FIELD: Health Sciences and Social Services

Subfield: Core Health

Domain: HIV and AIDS awareness

Unit No.	Unit Standard Title	Level	Credit
1155	Demonstrate basic awareness of HIV and AIDS	1	6

AND

FIELD: Physical, Mathematical and Computer Studies
Subfield: Numeracy
Domain: Foundation Numeracy Skills

Unit No.	Unit Standard Title	Level	Credit
1153	Apply basic numeracy skills in a workplace environment	1	5

AND

FIELD: Communication Studies and Languages
Subfield: Communication Skills
Domain: Foundation Communication Skills

Unit No.	Unit Standard Title	Level	Credit
1150	Apply basic reading skills in a workplace environment	1	3
1151	Interact with others in a workplace environment	1	5
1152	Use workplace documents	1	5

AND

FIELD: Communication Studies and Languages
Subfield: Financial Skills
Domain: Foundation Financial Skills

Unit No.	Unit Standard Title	Level	Credit
1154	Apply basic financial literacy skills	1	4

AND

FIELD: Communication Studies and Languages
Subfield: Financial Skills
Domain: Computing fundamentals

Unit No.	Unit Standard Title	Level	Credit
1156	Apply fundamental computer literacy skills	1	8

AND

FIELD: Communication Studies and Languages
Subfield: Financial Skills
Domain: Entrepreneurship

Unit No.	Unit Standard Title	Level	Credit
1158	Apply basic entrepreneurship skills	1	5

3 Credit recognition and transfer arrangements

Credits for any version of a unit standard of the same identification number will be recognised in the award of this qualification.

This qualification contains unit standards that are replacements of earlier unit standards. For the purposes of this qualification, people who have gained credit for any of the expiring unit standards will be exempt from the requirement to gain credit for the replacement unit standard(s).

4 Special Arrangements

4.1 Providers seeking registration and/or accreditation to deliver this qualification must meet the following special arrangements.

4.1.1 Providers involved in the assessment of this qualification and the associated unit standards must comply with the national assessment framework for the TVET system up to and including level 5 of the National Qualifications Framework. Assessment will include performance and achievement assessment acquired through work integrated learning periods. Assessment arrangements apply to all occupations and industries which are encompassed in the technical vocational education and training sector.

4.1.2 Providers of this qualification and the associated unit standards must be registered and/or accredited.

4.1.3 Providers of this qualification and their associated unit standards must have access to all equipment and facilities detailed in the tools and equipment list of the relevant training program.

4.2 Competencies covered in this qualification may be assessed through Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL).

4.3 Further relevant information and documentation may be accessed through:

Namibia Training Authority

Rand Street

Khomasdal

Namibia

Telephone number: 061 207 8550

Facsimile number: 061 207 8551

5 Transition arrangements

5.1 Non National Qualifications Framework transition

None.

5.2 National Qualifications Framework transition

Version 2

This qualification was updated and issued as Version 2 in 2018.

Version 1 of this qualification will not be awarded as from 31 December 2020. People currently working towards Version 1 of this qualification are advised to transfer their existing credit awards to this version of the qualification at any time during 2019 and beyond.

People holding the earlier version of this qualification will continue to have their qualification recognised within the Manufacturing Industry (Joinery and Cabinet Making) in terms of meeting relevant career and further learning entry and/or progression requirements.