

Modification history

Release	Comments
Release 2	This version released with AHC Agriculture, Horticulture and Conservation and Land Management Training Package Version X
Release 1	This version released with AHC Agriculture, Horticulture and Conservation and Land Management Training Package Version 1.0

AHCCOM5X1	Plan and schedule compost production
Application	<p>This unit of competency describes the skills and knowledge required to establish production requirements, plan and schedule compost production for commercial scale composting activity.</p> <p>It applies to product managers who analyse information and exercise judgement to complete a range of advanced skilled activities and demonstrate deep knowledge in a specific technical area. They have accountability for the work of others and analyse, design and communicate solutions to a range of complex problems.</p> <p>No licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to this unit at the time of publication.</p>
Prerequisite Unit	Nil
Unit Sector	Composting (COM)

Commented [RB1]: Recommend revise to level 5

Elements	Performance Criteria
<i>Elements describe the essential outcomes.</i>	<i>Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.</i>
1. Establish production requirements	1.1 Verify specifications for compost production output with stakeholder 1.2 Quantify production requirements according production output 1.3 Determine conditions affecting production requirements stakeholders 1.4 Estimate production capacity for site and equipment capability 1.5 Prepare a production schedule according to estimates and conditions for production 1.6 Develop contingencies for raw material or product supply errors 1.7 Document and submit production plan for stakeholder approval
2. Verify operational compliance and resource availability	2.1 Identify environmental and workplace health and safety impact of production process 2.2 Verify compliance with environmental and health and safety procedures and licences 2.3 Confirm availability of work team, machinery and equipment for compost production
3. Schedule production to meet requirement	3.1 Calculate batch types and volumes of compost-based products 3.2 Obtain laboratory and field test data of compost materials pre and post production 3.3 Monitor and adjust production schedule according to field and laboratory test results 3.4 Release product to customer according to production plan, schedule and workplace procedures

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Foundation Skills	
<i>This section describes those language, literacy, numeracy and employment skills that are essential for performance in this unit of competency but are not explicit in the performance criteria.</i>	
Skill	Description
Reading	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Analyse specifications and compare with compost test results to determine pre- and post compost quality outcomes
Numeracy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use highly-developed numeracy skills to quantify composting recipes and determine resource requirements for production, including volumes, weights and scheduling to achieve consistent production outcomes

Unit Mapping Information			
Code and title current version	Code and title previous version	Comments	Equivalence status
AHCCOM5X1 Plan and schedule compost production Release 2	AHCCOM402 Plan and schedule compost production Release 1	Change AQF level to 5 Minor changes to Application. Split Element 1 for better sequencing and clarity Minor edits and sequence changes to Performance Criteria for clarity	Equivalent

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TITLE	Assessment requirements for AHCCOM5X1 Plan and schedule compost production
Performance Evidence	
<p>An individual demonstrating competency must satisfy all of the elements and performance criteria in this unit. There must be evidence that the individual has on at least one occasion planned and scheduled compost production for a specified outcome and has:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> assessed production output and quantified production requirements developed contingencies for production determined a compost production schedule documented a compost production plan consistent with enterprise capabilities identified and interpreted information and conditions that influence compost production released product to stakeholder according to production plan and schedule. 	
Knowledge Evidence	
<p>An individual must be able to demonstrate the knowledge required to perform the tasks outlined in the elements and performance criteria of this unit. This includes knowledge of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> principles and practices of compost production scheduling, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> processing duration for various raw materials raw materials and their characteristics relationship between key compost recipe variables and compost production systems, technologies and methods in compost production process to quantify production requirements, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> availability of raw material and contracts data on actual received raw materials sales and market trend information corporate marketing plan and strategy control of hazards in handling raw materials and product. 	
Assessment Conditions	
<p>Assessment of the skills in this unit of competency must take place under the following conditions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> physical conditions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> skills must be demonstrated on a farm or commercial compost production site or an environment that accurately represents workplace conditions resources, equipment and materials: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> access to tools, equipment and machinery access to worksite health and safety resources specifications: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> use of workplace policies, procedures, processes use of specifications for compost production relationships: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> stakeholders work team timeframes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> according to time specified schedule <p>Assessors of this unit must satisfy the requirements for assessors in applicable vocational education and training legislation, frameworks and/or standards.</p>	
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