

Specification of Competency Standards
for the Logistics Industry
Unit of Competency

Functional Area - Cargo Transport and Handling

Title	Consolidate freights
Code	LOCUCT306B
Range	This unit of competency is applicable to logistics service providers. Practitioners should be capable of efficiently and effectively combining and consolidating freights with reference to operating procedures, and safety requirements and regulations (e.g. OSH requirements, DG regulations).
Level	3
Credit	3 (For Reference Only)
Competency	<p>Performance Requirements</p> <p>1. Knowledge of freight consolidation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understand company policy and procedures • Understand relevant regulatory requirements • Possess basic knowledge of cargo handling • Know about the operations of freight consolidation <p>2. Assess requirements of freight consolidation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assess capacity and capability of different transport modes against proposed tasks • Evaluate individual consignment loads to identify relevant information needed to consolidate cargo • Analyse information to determine the possibility to carry out freight consolidation • Ensure cargo packaging requirements in compliance with workplace and regulatory requirements • Plan procedures for the cargo loading with reference to relevant regulatory requirements and industry practices. • Calculate volumes and dimensions of proposed consolidation • Ensure proposed consolidation can fully cover its freight cost payable to carrier • Ensure proposed consolidation is in lined with carrier capability and operational capacity <p>3. Prepare consignment documentation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prepare consignment documentation for consolidated cargo • Document cargo labelling requirements according to customer requirements, relevant local and international regulations (e.g. customs requirements and regulations) and workplace requirements • Complete, file and store consignment documentation • Handle special cargoes appropriately (e.g., considering relevant segregation requirements for DG)
Assessment Criteria	<p>The integrated outcome requirements of this unit of competency are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Capable of assessing scope to consolidate freight; and • Capable of preparing consignment documentation
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