

Has the candidate successfully completed the <b>Knowledge Evidence</b> requirements by demonstrating knowledge of each of the line items below?	<b>Yes/No (Y/N)</b>	<b>Signed (Initialled)</b>
<b>tools, equipment and machinery</b>		
selection of tools, equipment and machinery		
preparation of tools, equipment and machinery		
pre-operational checks on tools, equipment and machinery:		
– safety checks on tools, equipment and machinery		
– inspection for defects		
– defects in tools and equipment		
– signs of equipment defects		
cleaning tools and equipment		
maintaining tools and equipment		
storage of tools and equipment		
<b>ropes and harnesses</b>		
pre-operational checks on ropes and harnesses:		
– safety checks on ropes		
– safety checks on harnesses		
– defects in ropes		
– cleaning ropes		
<b>personal protective equipment (PPE)</b>		
selection of personal protective equipment:		
– selecting PPE appropriate to noise levels		
use of personal protective equipment		
cleaning of personal protective equipment		
storage of personal protective equipment		
<b>tool and equipment maintenance</b>		
fault-checking of tools		
tagging systems:		
– tagging defective equipment		
– tagging faulty or worn ropes		
– tagging faulty or worn tools, equipment and machinery		
checking tools and equipment for bluntness		
sharpening tools and equipment		
checking guards		
mechanical fault finding and basic tests		

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safety and emergency shutoff device testing		
basic servicing of tools and equipment		
vehicle cleaning		
<b>reporting</b>		
recording and reporting faulty or worn ropes, tools, equipment and machinery		
<b>first aid kit</b>		
contents of a first aid kit		
<b>rigging equipment</b>		
lowering mechanisms		
friction devices		
pre-operational checks on ropes and equipment		
cleaning ropes		
reporting faulty or worn ropes		
tagging faulty or worn ropes		
<b>rescue equipment</b>		
cleaning of rescue equipment		
storage of rescue equipment		
<b>Assessment conditions</b>		
Assessment may be conducted in a simulated or real work environment; however, determination of competency requires the application of work practices under work conditions.	<b>Yes/No (Y/N)</b>	<b>Signed (Initialled)</b>
Have assessments been demonstrated consistently over time?		
Have assessments been demonstrated in a suitable range of contexts?		
Have assessments been demonstrated with a productivity-based outcome?		
Have assessments been demonstrated with multiple assessment events and reports?		
<b>Assessor Declaration</b>		
<b>Assessors must satisfy current standards for RTOs in the assessment of arboriculture units of competency.</b> <b>Has assessment been conducted only by persons who have:</b>	<b>Yes/No (Y/N)</b>	<b>Signed (Initialled)</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• arboriculture vocational competencies at least to the level being assessed?</li> </ul>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• current arboriculture industry skills directly relevant to the unit of competency being assessed</li> </ul>		

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Assessor name	Assessor qualification	Year	Full Signature
<b>Competency Determination</b>			
This section determines the skills and knowledge required to perform pre-operational and maintenance checks on tools, equipment and PPE.			<b>Competent /Not yet competent</b>
<b>The candidate is competent in performing pre-operational and maintenance checks on tools, equipment and PPE.</b>			
<b>Competency Assessment Completion</b>			
Assessor name	Date	Full Signature	

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