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SOUTH AFRICAN QUALIFICATIONS AUTHORITY (SAQA)

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Manufacturing and Assembly

Registered by NSB 06, Manufacturing, Engineering and Technology, publishes the following qualifications and unit standards for public comment.

This notice contains the titles, fields, sub-fields, NQF levels, credits, and purpose of the qualification and unit standards upon which qualifications are based. The full qualification and unit standards can be accessed via the SAQA web-site at www.saqa.org.za. Copies may also be obtained from the Directorate of Standards Setting and Development at the SAQA offices, 659 Pienaar street, Brooklyn, Pretoria.

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SOUTH AFRICAN QUALIFICATIONS AUTHORITY

National Certificate in Engineering Fabrication (Light OR Heavy): NQF Level 3

Field:

Manufacturing, engineering and technology - NSB 06

Sub-field:

Manufacturing & assembly

Level:

3

Credit:

151

Issue date:

Review date:

Rationale of the qualification:

This qualification is the second in a series for learners who want to follow a career in the field of engineering fabrication, which includes boilermaking, sheetmetal working and vehicle body building. This qualification is for learners who want to specialise in light OR heavy fabrication within the context of boilermaking, sheetmetal working or vehicle body building, and it focuses on developing skills and knowledge necessary to progress in such a career. It enables learners who have gained relevant experience in the workplace to gain credits through the RPL process. The qualification also forms the basis for further learning in the field of engineering fabrication where the learner will be able to specialise in light OR heavy fabrication at NQF Level 4.

Purpose:

The purpose of this qualification is to provide learners, education and training providers and employers with the standards and the range of learning required to work effectively in various industries making use of engineering fabrication (light OR heavy) and to meet the challenges of such an environment.

The chief skill that is recognised in this qualification is the ability to produce components of some complexity using a variety of fabrication methods. This capability requires an understanding of, and the ability to, lay out and mark off shapes; set up and use powered machinery; develop and fabricate from drawings and sketches and cut and join components. Hand skills play a vital role in this qualification.

Qualifying learners will be able to relate what they are doing to scientific principles and concepts. They will also be able to maintain and support the various policies and procedures related to the safety, health, environment and quality systems that govern their workplace.

Access to the Qualification:

Open access

This qualification series recognises skills, knowledge and values relevant to a workplace. It is designed for learners who:

- Have attended courses and then apply the knowledge gained to activities in the workplace
- Are already workers and have acquired the skills and knowledge without attending formal courses
- Are part of a learnership programme which integrates structured learning and work experience.

Learning assumed to be in place:

This qualification assumes learners have a National Certificate in Engineering Fabrication (Level 2). If the learner does not already have such a qualification, learning in preparation for this qualification would also have to include:

- Language and maths beyond basic literacy and numeracy
- Basic concepts of science and technology related to fabrication methods, engineering materials, tools and machines used in the fabrication process
- An ability to produce simple components using a variety of fabrication methods
- An ability to perform routine maintenance on machinery
- Concepts of organising factors in labour, business and the economy
- Role and purpose of procedures related to workplace relationships, roles and responsibilities

Exit Level Outcomes and Assessment Criteria:

Exit level outcome 1

Demonstrate an ability to produce components of some complexity using a variety of fabrication methods and operations, meeting output requirements and working safely with due care for fellow workers and the environment.

Associated Assessment Criteria

- . Output and quality requirements are met
- Fabrication time limits are adhered to
- Safe working practices are adhered to
- Can respond to questions and discuss issues related to the theoretical principles of fabrication and the various fabrication methods and their respective operations at this level

Exit level outcome 2

Demonstrate an ability to read, interpret and produce detailed plating and structural steel drawings.

Associated Assessment Criteria

- Components and assemblies to be fabricated are identified and requirements are interpreted from drawing
- Drawing is produced to meet job requirements
- · Material list is compiled

Exit level outcome 3

Demonstrate an ability to select and apply appropriate inspection methods to determine component compliance with specifications.

- Appropriate inspection methods are chosen and applied
- Can respond to questions and discuss issues related to various inspection methods and procedures and the principles underpinning such methods

Select appropriate procedures to solve familiar problems within a fabrication environment and operate within clearly defined contexts, with some scope for personal decision-making and responsibility.

Associated Assessment Criteria

- · Appropriate procedures are selected to solve problems in an efficient and effective manner
- Unfamiliar problems are accurately reported to appropriate personnel
- Can respond to questions and discuss issues related to familiar problems in the fabrication of components and assemblies

Exit level outcome 5

Contribute to workgroup efforts and support the maintenance of a safe, effective and efficient workplace

Associated Assessment Criteria

- · Production schedules and assignments are met
- · Production workflow is managed efficiently
- Safe working practices are adhered to
- · Workgroup goals are met
- Assistance and support is provided where required
- Active participation in workgroup discussions, in workgroup problem solving activities and in the implementation of solutions
- Relevant information is received and passed on

Exit level outcome 6

Demonstrate the ability to communicate with peers and members of supervisory / management levels and to use information gathered and summarised from a range of sources to produce simple written reports

- Information is gathered from a range of sources and accurately summarised
- Information is clearly presented in a timely manner in the required format to appropriate parties
- Relationships with peers and supervisory / management levels are established and functioning

Demonstrate an understanding of options for further learning in this or a related field of learning and preparation requirements for such learning.

Associated Assessment Criteria

- · Options are explained
- Preparation requirements are explained

International comparability

Other, similar outcomes-based qualifications, certificates or skills standards in New Zealand and the United Kingdom have been used extensively to inform this qualification and its associated standards, and it compares favourably with them.

Integrated Assessment:

Integrated assessment at the level of the qualification provides an opportunity for learners to show they are able to integrate concepts, actions and ideas achieved across a range of unit standards and contexts. Integrated assessment must evaluate the quality of observable performance as well as the thinking behind the performance.

Some assessment aspects will demand practical demonstration while others may not. In some cases inference will be necessary to determine competence depending on the nature and context within which performance takes place.

Since this is a foundational qualification, it is necessary to ensure that the fundamental part of the qualification is also targeted to ensure that while the competence may have been achieved in a particular context, learners are able to apply it in a range of other contexts and for further learning. The assessment should also ensure that all the critical crossfield outcomes have been achieved

Recognition of prior learning:

This qualification may be obtained through a process of RPL. This qualification may be obtained through RPL. The learner should be thoroughly briefed on the mechanism to be used and support and guidance should be provided. Care should be taken that the mechanism used provides the learner with an opportunity to demonstrate competence and is not so onerous as to prevent learners from taking up the RPL option towards gaining a qualification.

Articulation possibilities:

The qualification has been designed and structured so that qualifying learners can move from one context to another. Employers or institutions should be able to evaluate the outcomes of this qualification against the needs of their context and structure top-up learning appropriately. Equally, holders of other qualifications may be evaluated against this qualification for the purpose of RPL

Moderation Options:

- Anyone assessing a learner against this qualification must be registered as an assessor with the relevant ETQA
- Any institution or learning provider offering learning towards the achievement of this
 qualification should be accredited as a provider with the relevant ETQA
- Moderation of assessment should be overseen by the relevant ETQA according to the moderation guidelines provided for in this qualification as well as the agreed ETQA guidelines

Criteria for registration of assessors

The following criteria should be applied by the relevant ETQA:

- Appropriate qualification in the field of engineering fabrication and a minimum of two years' experience in a light / heavy fabrication environment. The subject matter experience of the assessor can be established by recognition of prior learning
- 2. Appropriate experience and understanding of assessment theory, processes and practices
- 3. Good interpersonal skills and the ability to balance the conflicting requirements of:
 - Maintaining national standards
 - · The interests of the learner
 - The need for transformation and redressing the legacies of the past
 - The cultural background and language of the learner
- 4. Registration as an assessor with the MERS ETQA or any other relevant ETQA
- 5. Any other criteria required by the MERS ETQA or any other relevant ETQA

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Communication			Fabrication (Light OR Heavy)	200		Level 3 Elective Choice of:	Credits	NLRD ID
Accommodate audience and context needs in oral communication	ري د		Form and shape sheet, plate, pipe and structural sections using power machines	15		Weld workpieces with the gas metal arc welding process in the downhand	20	
Interpret and use information from facts	5		Lay out and mark off regular and irregular fabrication shapes	25		position Weld workpieces with the gas tungsten arc welding	20	
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Write texts for a range of communicative contexts	o .		Mechanically cut, drill, punch and assemble fabrication materials	80		Remove metals using oxy- fuel and air-carbon arc	4	
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Complete feasibility and commissioning reports	2		Assemble and mechanically join sheet, plate, tube, pipe and steel sections	4		Operate lift trucks	9	
	3		Weld metals with the over	0				
Communicate with clients			acetylene gas welding process in	0		Operate cranes		
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Investigate and monitor the						required for qualification		
and business issues								
Investigate life and work	5		Develop learning strategies and	~				
related problems using data and probabilities			techniques)		-	77	
Describe, apply and calculate	4		Business relations					
dimensional space in different								
contexts						,		
Demonstrate understanding of	2		Manage basic business finance	9				
bases and measurement units								
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calculations								
			Manage work time effectively	3				
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		Explain and use organizational procedures	9			
Total Fundamental	36	Total Core	103	Total Elective	12	
Total for qualification	151					

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National Certificate in Engineering Fabrication (Light OR Heavy): NQF Level 4

Field:

Manufacturing, engineering and technology - NSB 06

Sub-field:

Manufacturing & assembly

Level:

4

Credit:

150

Issue date:

Review date:

Rationale of the qualification:

This is the third qualification in a series for learners who want to follow a career in the field of engineering fabrication, which includes boilermaking, sheetmetal working and vehicle body building. This qualification is for learners who want to specialise in light OR heavy fabrication within the context of boilermaking, sheetmetal working and vehicle body building, and it focuses on developing skills and knowledge necessary to progress in such a career.

It enables learners who have gained relevant experience in the workplace to gain credits through the RPL process. The qualification also forms the basis for further learning in the field of engineering fabrication within the higher education and training band.

Purpose:

The purpose of this qualification is to provide learners, education and training providers and employers with the standards and the range of learning required to work effectively in various industries making use of engineering fabrication (light / heavy) and to meet the challenges of such an environment.

The chief skill that is recognised in this qualification is the ability to produce complex components using a variety of fabrication methods. This capability requires an understanding of, and the ability to, lay out and mark off shapes; set up and use powered machinery; develop and fabricate from complex drawings, and cut, assemble and join components using a variety of methods. This qualification also recognises the ability to co-ordinate teamwork. Hand skills play a vital role in this qualification.

Qualifying learners will be able to relate what they are doing to scientific principles and concepts. They will also be able to maintain and support the various policies and procedures related to the safety, health, environment and quality systems that govern their workplace.

Access to the Qualification:

Open access

How can I acquire the qualification?

This qualification series recognises skills, knowledge and values relevant to a workplace. It is designed for learners who:

- Have attended courses and then apply the knowledge gained to activities in the workplace
- Are already workers and have acquired the skills and knowledge without attending formal courses
- Are part of a learnership programme which integrates structured learning and work experience.

Learning assumed to be in place:

This qualification assumes learners have a National Certificate in Engineering Fabrication (Light OR Heavy) (NQF level 3). If the learner does not already have such a qualification, learning in preparation for this qualification would also have to include:

- Language and maths related to organising and controlling their environment
- An ability to weld components of some complexity using a variety of welding methods
- An ability to set up and assemble equipment and perform routine maintenance on equipment and machinery
- Concepts of organising factors in labour, business and the economy
- Role and purpose of procedures related to workplace relationships, roles and responsibilities

Exit Level Outcomes and Assessment Criteria:

Exit level outcome 1

Demonstrate an ability to produce complex components using a variety of fabrication methods and operations, meeting output requirements and working safely with due care for fellow workers and the environment.

Associated Assessment Criteria

- Output and quality requirements are met
- · Fabrication time limits are adhered to
- · Safe working practices are adhered to
- Can respond to questions and discuss issues related to the theoretical principles of fabrication and the various fabrication methods and their respective operations at this level

Exit level outcome 2

Demonstrate an ability to read, interpret and produce complex plating and structural steel drawings.

Associated Assessment Criteria

- Components and assemblies to be fabricated are identified and requirements are interpreted from drawing
- Drawing is produced to meet job requirements
- Material list is compiled

Exit level outcome 3

Demonstrate an understanding of quality specifications and an ability to interpret these and evaluate fabricated components to determine compliance with specifications.

- Quality specifications are interpreted and applied to fabricated components and compliance is determined and reported
- Can respond to questions and discuss issues related to quality specifications and the principles underpinning such methods

Maintain and support procedures to solve a variety of problems, both familiar and unfamiliar, within a welding context and operate within familiar and new situations, taking responsibility and making decisions.

Associated Assessment Criteria

- Solutions to welding-related problems are based on a clear analysis of information gathered through diagnostic procedures
- · Procedures are modified to respond to unfamiliar problems where appropriate
- All actions related to problem solving are accurately recorded for future reference
- Can respond to questions and discuss issues related to familiar problems in the welding of components and assemblies

Exit level outcome 5

Co-ordinate work team, promoting the maintenance of a safe and efficient workplace, and developing the skills and performance of workgroup members.

Associated Assessment Criteria

- Production schedules and assignments are met
- · Production workflow is managed efficiently
- Workgroup goals are met
- Provide leadership in workgroup discussions, in workgroup problem solving activities and in the implementation of solutions
- Relevant information is received, processed and passed on
- Workgroup members are supported, coached and influenced to work effectively, efficiently and safely

Exit level outcome 6

Communicate with peers and members of supervisory / management levels by producing simple written reports using information gathered and summarised from a range of sources.

- Information is gathered from a range of sources and accurately summarised
- Information is clearly presented in a timely manner in the required format to appropriate parties
- Relationships with peers and supervisory / management levels are established and functioning

Demonstrate the ability to communicate and present information clearly and reliably, and to analyse information in order to identify problems and determine trends.

Associated Assessment Criteria

- Conditions, evidence and incidences are reported accurately in a timely manner and discussed with peers and management
- Data gathered through diagnostic procedures is examined systematically and analysis is repeated until problem is solved
- · Records are available for scrutiny and future reference

Exit level outcome 8

Demonstrate an understanding of options for further learning in this or a related field of learning and preparation requirements for such learning.

Associated Assessment Criteria

- · Options are explained
- · Preparation requirements are explained

International comparability

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Integrated Assessment:

Integrated assessment at the level of the qualification provides an opportunity for learners to show they are able to integrate concepts, actions and ideas achieved across a range of unit standards and contexts. Integrated assessment must evaluate the quality of observable performance as well as the thinking behind the performance.

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Recognition of prior learning:

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Articulation possibilities:

The qualification has been designed and structured so that qualifying learners can move from one context to another. Employers or institutions should be able to evaluate the outcomes of this qualification against the needs of their context and structure top-up learning appropriately.

Equally, holders of other qualifications may be evaluated against this qualification for the purpose of RPL.

Moderation Options:

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Criteria for registration of assessors

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- 2. Appropriate experience and understanding of assessment theory, processes and practices
- Good inter-personal skills and the ability to balance the conflicting requirements of:
 - Maintaining national standards
 - The interests of the learner
 - The need for transformation and redressing the legacies of the past
 - The cultural background and language of the learner
- 4. Registration as an assessor with the MERS ETQA or any other relevant ETQA
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and effectively communicate			-	the qualification		
findings on life related problems						
Measure, estimate and calculate	4			Minimum elective credits	12	
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increasing responsibilities						
Total Fundamental	39	Total Core	66	Total Elective	12	
Total for qualification 150	150					

NATIONAL CERTIFICATE IN ENGINEERING FABRICATION (LIGHT / HEAVY) - NQF LEVEL 4

Unit standards developed for this series of qualifications:

UNIT STANDARDS ON NQF LEVEL 4

CORE

Title 1: Develop and fabricate from complex drawings

Title 2: Cut, drill and punch, assemble and mechanically join structural steelwork

Title 3: Weld workpieces with the shielded metal arc welding process in all positions

ELECTIVE

Title 4: Weld workpieces with the gas metal arc welding process in all positions

Title 5: Weld workpieces with the gas tungsten arc welding process in all positions

UNIT STANDARD ON NQF LEVEL 3

ELECTIVE

Title 6: Remove metals using air-carbon arc gouging processes

UNIT STANDARDS AND SPECIFIC OUTCOMES IN NATIONAL CERTIFICATE IN ENGINEERING FABRICATION (LIGHT / HEAVY) – NQF LEVEL 4

Title 1: Develop and fabricate from complex drawings

Specific outcome 1.1: Prepare for laying out, marking off, and forming and shaping of materials

- Interpret job instructions and determine sequence of operations
- Check that equipment, tools and materials required are at the workstation
- Prepare equipment and tools for operation, including routine maintenance and preoperational checks
- Select materials
- Perform pattern calculations
- · Determine lines of intersection
- Identify and note appropriate level marks
- Identify codes and standards in relation to dimensional accuracy
- Analyse material characteristics
- Perform calculations of force and leverage
- · Identify hazards and take preventative action

- Make templates and patterns using X and Y co-ordinates
- · Mark out heavy wall tube connections
- Produce templates for structural connections
- Establish and transfer datum points to materials
- Specific outcome 1.3: Lay out and mark off structural sections
 - Use structural section sketches to communicate job requirements to others in team
 - Lay out structural connections
 - Lay out and mark off pipe work
 - Mark off section material
- Specific outcome 1.4: Mark out surface developments
 - Carry out pattern developments
 - · Carry out surface developments using neutral surface calculations
 - Complete surface developments with allowances for joint preparation
 - Generate right, oblique and transition patterns
 - Inspect and measure surface development, templates and structural components for compliance
- Specific outcome 1.5: Form and shape materials
 - · Set machines
 - Carry out form and shape operations
 - · Dispose of waste material
 - Store reusable materials
 - Inspect and measure fabricated items for compliance to job specifications
- Specific outcome 1.6: Identify and report non-conformances that cannot be rectified
- Specific outcome 1.7: Record information on work done and provide feedback to appropriate personnel
- Specific outcome 1.8 Apply safe working practices and discuss issues related to safety of self, fellow workers, machines, equipment, materials and the environment

Title 2: Cut, drill and punch, assemble and mechanically join structural steelwork

- Specific outcome 2.1: Prepare for work activity
 - Interpret job instructions and determine sequence of operations
 - Select equipment and lubricants
 - Prepare machines for operation, including routine maintenance and preoperational checks

- Select and fit correct tooling
- Replace worn tooling, if required
- Set up machines
- Identify materials and verify material characteristics
- Select types of mechanical joining methods
- Identify potential hazards and take preventative action
- Perform mechanical cutting, drilling and punching of materials Specific outcome 2.2:
 - Determine cutting parameters
 - Confirm blade clearances to achieve shearing
 - Cut, drill and punch materials to specifications
 - Dispose of waste materials
 - Store reusable material
 - Clean and restore work area
- Specific outcome 2.3: Perform assembly and mechanical joining of materials
 - Assemble materials
 - Mechanically join materials
 - Construct jigs and fixtures
 - Perform site erection and layout
 - Correct distortion
 - Carry out finishing
- Specific outcome 2.4: Apply quality checks
 - Inspect and measure cut, drilled and punched materials for compliance to job specifications
 - Inspect and measure assemblies and mechanical joints for compliance to job specifications
- Specific outcome 2.5:
- Identify, document and rectify non-conformances and report non-rectifiable

problems to appropriate personnel

- Specific outcome 2.6: Record information on work done and provide feedback to appropriate personnel
- Apply safe working practices and discuss issues related to safety of self, fellow Specific outcome 2.7:

workers, machines, equipment, materials and the environment

Title 3: Weld workpieces with the shielded metal arc welding process in all positions

Specific outcome 3.1: Describe and assemble the shielded metal arc welding equipment

Specific outcome 3.2: Select, assemble and conduct pre operational checks of shielded metal arc

welding equipment

Specific outcome 3.3: Prepar

Prepare work pieces prior to welding

Specific outcome 3.4:

Weld workpieces

Specific outcome 3.5:

Inspect welded work piece

Specific outcome 3.6:

Care and store welding consumables and equipment

Title 4: Weld workpieces with the gas metal arc welding process in all positions

Specific outcome 4.1:

Describe the gas metal arc welding equipment

Specific outcome 4.2:

Select, assemble and conduct pre operational checks of gas metal arc welding

equipment

Specific outcome 4.3:

Prepare work pieces prior to welding

Specific outcome 4.4:

Weld workpieces

Specific outcome 4.5:

Inspect welded work piece for defects in compliance with drawing specifications

Specific outcome 4.6:

Care and store welding consumables and equipment

Title 5: Weld workpieces with the gas tungsten arc welding process in all positions

Specific outcome 5.1:

Describe and explain the gas tungsten arc welding equipment

Specific outcome 5.2:

Select, assemble and conduct pre operational checks of gas tungsten arc welding

equipment

Specific outcome 5.3:

Prepare work pieces prior to welding

Specific outcome 5.4:

Weld workpieces

Specific outcome 5.5:

Inspect welded work piece for defects

Specific outcome 5.6:

Care and store welding consumables and equipment

Title 6: Remove metals using air-carbon arc gouging processes

Specific outcome 5.1:

Describe and assemble the air-carbon arc gouging equipment

Specific outcome 5.2:

Select, assemble and conduct pre operational checks on air-carbon arc gouging

equipment

Specific outcome 5.3:

Gouge workpieces

Specific outcome 5.4:

Inspect gouged work pieces

Specific outcome 5.5:

Care and store gouging consumables and equipment