

Carry Out and Finish Bulk Filling in Food Manufacture

Unit Summary

This Unit is about preparing and carrying out bulk filling in food and drink operations. It covers preparing and carrying out bulk filling, closing down plant and equipment as well as following industry regulations and standards.

This Unit is for you if you work in food and drink manufacturing operations and your role requires you to control bulk filling operations.

In order to be assessed as competent you must demonstrate to your assessor that you can consistently perform to the requirements set out below. Your performance evidence must include at least one observation by your assessor.

Achievement of this Unit will provide you with opportunities to develop the following SQA Core Skills:

Problem Solving Access 3

- Analyse a simple situation or issue.
- Plan, organise and complete a simple task.

I have completed the requirements of this Unit.

Candidate name:	Date:			
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I can confirm the candidate has completed all requirements of this Unit.				
Assessor signature:	Date:			
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Assessment centre:				

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You	must be able to	Evidence Requirements In order to be assessed as competent you must demonstrate to your assessor that you can consistently perform to the requirements set out below. Your performance evidence must include at least one observation by your assessor. Your evidence must be work-based, simulation alone is only allowed where shown in <i>bold italics</i>	Evidence/ Activity Ref No.
1	 Prepare for bulk filling This means you: (a) Receive and confirm bulk filling instructions. (b) Check that containers for filling are available and fit for use. (c) Confirm that services and filling equipment are available and are fit for use. 	Evidence of preparing for bulk filling in accordance with workplace procedures. This must include two types of containers.	
	 (d) Identify correctly the product for filling and confirm that it is available. (e) Check that equipment is in correct working order. (f) Check that records are completed accurately and promptly. 	Evidence of preparing to carry out and monitor bulk filling.	
2	 (a) Carry out bulk filling to specification. (b) Monitor to ensure that output rates are in line with specification. (c) Monitor containers and deal correctly with any which do not meet specification. 	This must include two types of containers.	

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		Evidence Requirements
	Finish bulk filling	Evidence of finishing bulk filling in accordance with workplace procedures.
	This means you:	
3	 (a) Achieve the required output to specification. (b) Finish bulk filling according to specification. (c) Close down the plant and equipment correctly. (d) Deal correctly with any operational loss or gain. (e) Deal correctly with any loss or spillage. (f) Check that records are completed accurately and promptly. 	
	Follow industry regulations and standards This means you:	Evidence of following industry regulations and standards.
4	 (a) Follow health and safety, hygiene and environmental standards or instructions when preparing and carrying out bulk filling. (b) Follow industry regulations when preparing and carrying out bulk filling. 	

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Evidence of Performance

Evidence of performance may employ examples of the following assessment:

- ♦ observation
- written and oral questioning
- evidence from company systems (eg Food Safety Management System)
- reviewing the outcomes of work
- checking any records of documents completed
- checking accounts of work that the candidate or others have written

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Can	Candidate name: Assess		
No	Activity	initials/date	
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You n	eed to know and understand	
perfor	nce of knowledge and understanding should be collected during observation of mance in the workplace. Where it cannot be collected by observing performance, assessment methods should be used.	Evidence
K1	Relevant health and safety, hygiene and environmental standards and instructions and what may happen if they are not followed.	
K2	Relevant industry regulations (eg Customs and Excise) and what may happen if they are not followed.	
K3	How to get information about product, containers and filling equipment and why this is important.	
K4	How to get information about rates of filling and why this is important.	
K5	What to do if you discover faults in products, equipment or containers.	
K6	What to do if there is an interruption to supply.	
K7	What services are required and what may happen if they are not available or out of specification.	
K8	Why it is important to check that containers meet specification.	
K9	Acceptable loss and gain limits and the consequences if these are exceeded.	
K10	Why it is important to deal correctly with any loss or spillage and what may happen if this is not done.	
K11	What actions you can take to correct faults within the limits of your authority.	
K12	Why complete and accurate records are important.	
K13	What needs to be communicated effectively and to which people, and why this is important.	

Notes/Comments

Assessor signature: