

S237: Data management software 2

Overview: An intermediate user can select and use intermediate data management software tools and techniques to:

- > enter information into data management systems that is at times non-routine or unfamiliar;
- > retrieve information using multiple selection criteria; and
- > produce customised reports from the system.

The data management system tools, functions and techniques will be described as 'intermediate' because:

- > the software tools and functions involved will at times be non-routine or unfamiliar; and
- > the choice and use of input, manipulation and output techniques will need to take account of a number of factors or elements.

Any aspect that is unfamiliar may require support and advice from others. This standard is imported from the **e-skills IT Users suite**.

Links: Manage Information and Data; IT

- Specific skills:**
- Analysing
 - Checking
 - Organising
 - Planning
 - Presenting information
 - Using technology

Performance Indicators	Knowledge & Understanding
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- Enter, edit and maintain data records in a data management system**
1. Enter data accurately into groups of records to meet requirements
 2. Locate and amend data associated with groups of records
 3. Check data records meet needs, using IT tools and making corrections as necessary
 4. Respond appropriately to data entry and other error messages
 5. Apply local and/or legal guidelines for the storage and use of data where available
- Retrieve and display data records to meet requirements**
6. Select and use queries to search for and retrieve information to meet given requirements
 7. Create and view reports to output information from the system to meet given requirements

- A. Describe the risks to data security and procedures used for data protection
- B. Identify what queries and reports need to be run to output the required information