

TITLE: TETA – OPERATE DEFINED PURPOSE LIFT TRUCKS



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Unit Standard Title	Operate defined purpose lift trucks			
NQF Level	02	SGB	Transport and Logistics Operations	
Credits	4	Notional Hours		40
Duration	Candidate	Knowledge	Practical	Workplace
	Novice	1 day	2 days	N/A
	RPL (Re-fresher)	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Re-certification	½ day	½ day	N/A
Ratio of candidates to assessor	4:1		4:1	N/A

NOTE: Training duration can be extended to full credit value if the candidate is enrolled for F6; F7 and F12, or;
 : If the assessor is not satisfied with the candidate’s performance, or;
 : If attachments, other than that already on the machine, need to be trained on.
 : For re-certification, previous certificates, not older than 90 days of its expiry date are to be produced as evidence.

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>PURPOSE OF THE COURSE</u></p> <p>The person credited with this unit standard is able to operate a basic purpose lift truck. They are able to access emergency support and services in the case of an emergency while operating a lift truck. The person is also able to identify and classify the load, handle and move the freight while operating the lifting equipment in accordance with standards and its performance capabilities. They are also able to monitor the fitness of the lift truck.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>PRE-REQUISITES</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mathematical Literacy and Communication at NQF Level 1 / ABET level 4 / Grade 9or equivalent. • Copy of an ID certified no more than 3 months • Copy of medical certificate
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>SPECIFIC OUTCOMES OF THE COURSE</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inspecting and recording the operational fitness of battery powered lift trucks. • Identifying and classifying freight/loads. • Handling, loading and storing freight. • Achieving maximum work performance of battery powered lifting equipment and attachments. • Operating freight equipment. • Accessing available emergency support systems and services 	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>ESSENTIAL EMBEDDED KNOWLEDGE</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Occupational Health and Safety Act; Driven Machinery regulations; environment; operating method; packaging, labelling, and personal protective equipment. • National Road Traffic Act where public roads are used. • The relevant attachments applicable to handling various categories of freight. • Basic mechanical appreciation. • Equipment dimensions/capacity and controls in relation to safety and maximum work performance. • Product handling and storage principles and specifications. • Available support systems and emergency care services. • The different makes (manufacturers) and codes of lift trucks in the market.