

Qualifications

Republication of *Automotive Engineering* New Zealand Qualifications

Ref	Version	Qualification Title	Credits
3097	2	New Zealand Certificate in Automotive Engineering (Level 3)	120
3450	2	New Zealand Certificate in Light Automotive Engineering (Level 4)	200
3460	3	New Zealand Certificate in Automotive Electrical Engineering (Level 4)	190
3118	2	New Zealand Certificate in Heavy Automotive Engineering (Level 4) with strands in Road Transport, Plant and Equipment, Agricultural Equipment, and Materials Handling	240
3447	2	New Zealand Certificate in Motorcycle Engineering (Level 4)	160
3915	2	New Zealand Certificate in Electric Vehicle Automotive Engineering (Level 5)	70

What has happened

The last date of assessment for superseded versions of these qualifications was extended from 31 October 2026 to 31 December 2027.

[Link to change report](#)

Republication of *Fire Technology and Rescue Services* New Zealand Qualifications

Ref	Version	Qualification Title	Credits
2574	2	New Zealand Certificate in Fire Detection and Alarm Systems (Level 3)	75
2576	2	New Zealand Certificate in Fixed Fire Protection Systems (Level 3)	130
2577	2	New Zealand Certificate in Fixed Fire Protection Systems (Level 4) with optional stand in Special Hazards Fixed Fire Protection Systems	245-310
2578	2	New Zealand Certificate in Fire Protection Systems Technology (Testing) (Level 3)	140
2579	3	New Zealand Certificate in Fire Protection Systems Technology (Inspections) (Level 4) with strands in Fire Detection & Alarm Systems and Fixed Fire Protection Systems	240
2580	2	New Zealand Certificate in Hand Operated Fire Fighting Equipment (Level 3)	105

What has happened

The last date of assessment for superseded versions of these qualifications was extended from 31 October 2025 to 31 December 2026.

[Link to change report](#)

Republication of *Mechanical Engineering* New Zealand qualification

Ref	Version	Qualification Title	Credits
2714	2	New Zealand Certificate in Mechanical Engineering (Trade) with strands in Fitting and Machining, General Engineering, Machining, Maintenance Engineering, Metal Forming, and Toolmaking (Level 4)	280-300

What has happened

Metal Forming strand is now 95 credits, GPO 19 is now 55 credits.

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Standards

Registration of skill standards and review, and rollover and revision of unit standards for *Extractive Industries*

Subfield	Domain	ID
Extractive Industries	Extractive Industries Management	17694, 21151, 21152, 26855, 30904
	Underground Extraction	7146, 7164, 21278, 21281, 21662, 30900

What has happened

- Guidance Information was updated to reflect current legislation across all standards.
- Planned review date for unit standards 30904 (Extractive Industries Management) and 21281 and 21662 (Underground Extraction) were extended.
- 2 unit standards have been expired
- 3 new skill standards have been developed
- Changes made to details of remaining unit standards – detailed in the change report

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Registration of skill standards and review of unit standards for *Extractive Industries*

Subfield	Domain	ID
Extractive Industries	Extractive Industries Management	7142, 28742, 28982, 30902, 30905
	Surface Extraction	17696
	Underground Extraction	21280, 21821

What has happened

- All unit standards were updated in line with current industry practices, standards, acts and regulations.
- Guidance Information was updated across all standards to reflect current legislation, and the term industry best practice changed to industry good practice as currently used in the industry.
- 3 unit standards have been expired
- 2 new skill standards have been developed
- Changes made to details of remaining unit standards – detailed in the change report

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