

Agriculture Trade Qualification project summary of development for Broad Consultation

Broad Consultation – July, 2026

Key to qualification & unit outcomes:



Summary of development of proposed qualification

Current qualification code on TGA	Current qualification Title on TGA	Temporary new qualification code	Proposed new qualification title	Qualification outcome	Summary of development for Broad Consultation
Not applicable	Not applicable	AHC3XX27	Certificate III in Agricultural Production	Newly created	This qualification is for individuals engaged in a range of agriculturalist trade occupations. It includes specialisations for broadacre cropping, dairy operations and livestock operations Description: Additional statements added to the qualification descriptor to clearly define the target cohort and set expectations about entry-level capability. Occupational title list expanded. Entry Requirements: Not applicable. Packaging Rules: 26 units required, 13 core, 6 mandatory units per specialisation to ensure industry specific skills are obtained in the qualification structure. Core Units: Feedback during development lead to a decrease in the core units from 14 to 13 units of competency to tighten and

					align the core units to agricultural specific requirements for the targeted cohorts. Elective Units: Feedback during development lead to a mandatory units list for each of the qualification specialisations, and a Group D elective list being developed to provide tightly aligned units to job roles. Group E elective units list structured to provide clear visual representation of the units to their nominal AQF indicator as well as a dedicated imported units list.
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Summary of development of proposed units of competency

Current unit code on TGA	Current unit title on TGA	Temporary new unit code	Proposed new unit title	Unit outcome	Summary of development for Broad Consultation
Not applicable	Not applicable	AHCSOL3X01	Implement an agricultural soil management processes	Newly created	Feedback on the content of this unit has sparked conversation regarding whether soil sampling and basic testing is a required skill for this unit of competency.
Not applicable	Not applicable	AHCTEC3X01	Operate and monitor agricultural production data information technology	Newly created	Feedback on the content of this unit identified that advice/support regarding digital systems and software faults may be provided from; colleagues, business owners or specialists. As a result, the unit performance criteria and assessment requirements has been edited to read 'relevant personnel'.
Not applicable	Not applicable	AHCTEC3X02	Identify and recommend agricultural	Newly created	Feedback on the content of this unit identified the need to broaden the unit to include return on investment (ROI), diagnostic capability and repair options.

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			production system technology		