



ADVANCED VINE PRUNING: UNIT OF LEARNING OUTCOMES (EQF LEVEL 4)

Knowledge	Skills	Competence
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ AVP K1 Different types of pruning and their features, benefits and effects on grape quality, including the concept of pruning to vine vigour ▪ AVP K2 Pruning times according to number of pruners and size of vineyard ▪ AVP K3 Morphology and physiology of the vine ▪ AVP K4 Vine diseases ▪ AVP K5 Vine Training systems ▪ AVP K6 Productive characteristics of different grape varieties ▪ AVP K7 Climatic and soil characteristics of different wine areas 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ AVP S1 Supervise the effective implementation of appropriate pruning techniques ▪ AVP S2 Take initiatives on special situations (wood diseases, climatic hazards and accidents) according to given instructions ▪ AVP S3 Assess cuts are made correctly and cleanly ▪ AVP S4 Assess pruning is made according to different quantity and quality objectives ▪ AVP S5 Control rolling and securing canes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ AVP C1 Organise and control pruning operations in different vineyard settings

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ AVP K8 Occupational health and safety (OHS) hazards and controls ▪ AVP K9 Risk prevention ▪ AVP K10 Waste disposal 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ AVP S6 Inform team members of specific risks and safety standards ▪ AVP S7 Control the right application of security, hygiene and health norms at the workplace ▪ AVP S8 Contribute to waste treatment according to local environmental guidelines and laws 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ AVP C2 Check and guarantee vine pruning operations within safety standards
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ AVP K11 Components and functioning of pruning equipment and machinery 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ AVP S9 Program and operate different equipment and pruning machines ▪ AVP S10 Clean, oil, sharpen, sanitize, adjust equipment ▪ AVP S11 Fix minor machinery failure ▪ AVP S12 Explain functioning, optimal use and maintenance of equipment and machinery to team members 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ AVP C3 Maintain pruning equipment
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ AVP K12 Team coaching techniques ▪ AVP K13 Professional communication (ICT, verbal guidance and instructions) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ AVP S13 Lead a team of hand pruners ▪ AVP S14 Mediate conflicts within the work group ▪ AVP S15 Monitor team performance and work progress 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ AVP C4 Supervise teamwork and control the conformity to set standards