Candidate :

Assessor:

Erasmus+

VITEA VINE PRUNER ERASMUS+

VINE PRUNING – ASSESSMENT GRID
(EQF LEVEL 3)

Compe tence	Criteria	Performance Indicators	Practical Indicators	Additional indicators	NA	A
VP C1 Work as a responsible member of a vine pruner team	**VP Cr 1** Vines are pruned in accordance with instructions	**VP Perf Ind 1** Clear understanding of instructions stated by supervisor **VP Perf Ind 2** Instructions are strictly followed **VP Perf Ind 3** Adequate exchange of information with supervisor and fellows when necessary	**VP Pract Ind 1** Is able to communicate in English in technical context **VP Pract Ind 2** During working independently complies with the qualitative and quantitative requirements **VP Pract Ind 3** Independently initiates the exchange of information with supervisor in order to solve problems	**VP Add Ind 1** Practical pruning on a vineyard: 5 plants must be pruned by each candidate with concrete, precise instructions .		
	VP Cr 2 Anomalies and problems are recognised, reported and/or rectified	**VP Perf Ind 4** Recognition of the presence of the main sanitary problems in the vine **VP Perf Ind 5** Identification of any incorrect pruning in the previous season **VP Perf Ind 6** Accurate report to supervisor **VP Perf Ind 7** Precise application of corrective measures, where appropriate	**VP Pract Ind 4** Depending on the problem, either removes infected/damaged or reports to supervisor **VP Pract Ind 5** Checks incorrect pruning in the previous season Describes consequences and countermeasures **VP Pract Ind 6** Gives accurate report about pruning process,the health state, the equipment and material requirements and team work **VP Pract Ind 7** Applies repair instructions given by supervisor correctly	**VP Add Ind 2** Sanitary problem: 4 plants on a table are presented to the candidate who decide if healthy or not state the sanitary problem. **VP Add Ind 1** Practical pruning on a vineyard: 5 plants must be pruned by each candidate with concrete, precise instructions		

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	VP Cr 3 Pruning work is carried out properly through efficient exchange of information (optional)	**VP Perf Ind 8** Due attention to information and instruction **VP Perf Ind 9** Communication in case of lack of understanding, technical problems or vine anomalies	**VP Pract Ind 8** Takes into account additional information, instructions and applies them during work **VP Pract Ind 9** Independently initiates the exchange of information communication with supervisor and team mates	**VP Add Ind 1** Practical pruning on a vineyard: 5 plants must be pruned by each candidate with concrete, precise instructions		

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VP C2 **Perform the basic types of pruning (long, short, mixed pruning) on old vines followingins tructions**	**VP Cr 4** Vines are pruned using pruning tools adequately and efficiently	**VP Perf Ind 10** Optimal use of pruning equipment **VP Perf Ind 11** Adequate positions of spurs, clean shoots and trunk	**VP Pract Ind 10** Position of the blade : blade always looks at the vine **VP Pract Ind 11** Using scissors and saw when necessary => saw : one hand holds the vine, the other hand holds the saw => sawing : 90 ° angle to the next wood part **VP Pract Ind 12** Position of spur (and cane) is appropriate for the training system - the orientation of the buds on the spurs is correct - removes all tendrils, second shuts from cane and spurs and shoots from trunk	**VP Add Ind 1** Practical pruning on a vineyard: 5 plants must be pruned by each candidate with concrete, precise instructions **VP Add Ind 3** Five grapevines pruned previously, each with different conditions (different mistakes made deliberately by teacher). The candidate analyses and makes comments briefs for each vine with help of set of questions/criteria.		
	VP Cr 5 Vine cuttings are disposed according to instructions	**VP Perf Ind 12** Vine cuttings on the ground between the rows	**VP Pract Ind 14** All vine cutting are removed from the vine (into the middle of the raw) when required	**VP Add Ind 1** Practical pruning on a vineyard. 5 plants must be pruned by each candidate with concrete, precise instructions		

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	VP Cr 6 The number of buds per plant and their distribution are in accordance to the vine pruning system	**VP Perf Ind 14** Prescribed number of buds per plant is respected (according to the vine training system) **VP Perf Ind 15** Adequate bud distribution	**VP Pract Ind 15** Correct number of buds according to the vine training system, vigour of the plant and expected yield **VP Pract Ind 16** Adequate distribution and density of buds	**VP Add Ind 1** Practical pruning on a vineyard. 5 plants must be pruned by each candidate with concrete, precise instructions		

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VP C3 **Work within safety standards and manage pruning equipment properly**	**VP Cr 7** Safety rules and instructions are followed	**VP Perf Ind 15** Working clothes and protective equipment are correctly and permanently used **VP Perf Ind 16** Ergonomic working posture is correctly and permanently used	**VP Pract Ind 17** Wears: -Safety shoes - working gloves - Safety googles **VP Pract Ind 18** Use ergonomic working posture Both hands are working (holding/cutting). Use of suitable fixed-term forhand tools	**VP Add Ind 4** Each candidate has 5 minutes to choose the necessary pieces of clothes + equipment from a range of clothes and protective equipment to get ready for pruning (teacher assess with a check list)		
	VP Cr 8 Pruning equipment is used, cleaned, maintained and stored according to safety operative standards	**VP Perf Ind 17** Optimal and safe use of the pruning equipment **VP Perf Ind 18** Proper cleaning and storage after use **VP Perf Ind 19** Any malfunctioning is reported	**VP Pract Ind 19** Uses only operational equipment within safety regulations **VP Pract Ind 20** Proper cleaning, sharpening and storing after use **VP Pract Ind 21** Reports dangerous, broken or non operational equipment	**VP Add Ind 5** Different tolls on a table the candidate decide if are correct/or not correct. **VP Add Ind 6** /Different bad condition of scissors the candidate must select what is the proper means + apply it for correction (oil, grass, sharper, stone...). On the table some materials that not neaded (petrol, water, soap...)		

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