

Property Services

Construction and Property Services Industry Skills Council

Occupation: Field Hand

Job Description: employees help surveyors determine the position, shape and elevation of the Earth's natural features, such as hills, valleys, rivers and lakes, and to determine land boundaries for housing estates, building sites, reservoirs, roads and drainage systems.

Work may include: clear vegetation and debris so that measurements may be taken; transport, assemble, dismantle and maintain prospecting and surveying equipment; peg out boundaries and construction works; collect and label samples; assist surveyors and/or survey technicians in measuring angles, distances and elevations using tape or steel band, or more sophisticated equipment that uses radio and light waves and; record measurements manually or in an electronic field-data recorder. Assistance may be provided for environmental management.

Qualification: CPP30107 Certificate III in Spatial Information Services

This qualification reflects the role of individuals who apply a broad range of operational competencies in varied contexts, using some discretion and judgement.

The Property Services CPP07 Training Package guidelines, with the incorporation of an environmental elective have been applied to create this occupational profile:

11 Units Required	
Core Units	
CPPSIS3002A	Store and retrieve basic spatial data
CPPSIS3010A	Respond to client spatial enquiry
CPPSIS3003A	Collect basic data
PRMCMN301A	Contribute to workplace safety arrangements
CPPSIS3008A	Perform basic spatial computations
FPIFGM147A	Read and interpret maps
CPPSIS3001A	Apply map presentation principles
Elective Units Selected	
CPPSIS2001A	Prepare for work in the spatial information services industry
CPPSIS3004A	Provide field support services
CPPSIS63005A	Select, operate and maintain equipment and supplies
CPPCMN3001A	Participate in environmentally sustainable work practices