

ASSESSMENT RECORDS — SLINGER / SIGNALLER A40

Endorsement A — all types, all duties · candidate signature set (complete in ink)

Field	Entry
Candidate	
Assessment date(s)	
Machine / equipment (make, model, serial)	
Attachments / accessories used	
Site, ground and weather conditions	

1. Unit knowledge & understanding — sign-off record

The assessor has questioned the candidate against the unit knowledge bank; responses met the required standard for each unit signed below.

Unit	Unit title	Candidate signature	Assessor / date
641	Conforming to General Health, Safety and Welfare in the Workplace		
642	Conforming to Productive Working Practices in the Workplace		
643	Moving, Handling and Storing Resources in the Workplace		
402	Attaching, Lifting and Moving Suspended Loads in the Workplace (Slinger/ Signaller)		
404	Preparing and Securing Loads for Movement Using Lifting Accessories in the Workplace		
405	Maintaining Work Equipment and Accessories in the Workplace		
406	Signalling for the Movement of Loads in the Workplace		

2. Technical theory test — marking record

Field	Entry
Date	
Machine / equipment used	
Delivery method (verbal / written)	
Questions answered correctly (of 45)	
Pass mark	36 of 45 (80%)
Safety-critical questions all correct? (Y/N)	
Result (Pass / Refer)	
Re-sit details (if any)	

Candidate signature	Assessor signature	Date

3. Practical assessment

Mark each criterion C (competent) or NYC (not yet competent). ANY dangerous act terminates the assessment (automatic refer). All criteria must reach C.

Exercise 1 — Accessory selection and pre-use inspection (Units 405, 404, 641)

Observed performance criterion	C	NYC
Identifies the load weight and centre of gravity from information provided		
Selects accessories of correct type and rating for the configuration and angle		
Reads and confirms the marked SWL and identification on every accessory		
Inspects chain, webbing/roundsling and shackles correctly and identifies planted defects		
Quarantines and reports a defective accessory correctly		
Confirms thorough examination is current		

Exercise 2 — Attaching the load (Units 402, 404)

Observed performance criterion	C	NYC
Selects the correct lifting points and sling configuration		
Attaches above the centre of gravity; load hangs level on trial lift		
Keeps included angle within limits; applies correct mode factor		
Fits edge protection at all corners and edges		
Shackle pins correct and fully engaged; hooks seated with catches closed		
Fits tag lines where required		

Exercise 3 — Signalling and moving the load (Units 402, 406)

Observed performance criterion	C	NYC
Establishes and maintains the exclusion zone; nobody under the load		
Positions in continuous clear view of the operator, clear of the load path		

Gives clear, correct and unambiguous standard hand signals		
Performs the trial lift and checks stability before committing		
Controls swing and rotation with tag lines only		
Demonstrates emergency stop and the loss-of-communication procedure		
Uses radio procedure correctly for a blind lift		

Exercise 4 — Landing and releasing the load (Units 402, 643)

Observed performance criterion	C	NYC
Confirms landing area firm, level and prepared with timbers/dunnage		
Lands the load stable and clear of access routes		
Keeps hands clear of trap points throughout		
Releases and withdraws slings without dragging or snagging		
Confirms the load is secure before leaving it		

Exercise 5 — Accessory care and housekeeping (Units 405, 643, 642)

Observed performance criterion	C	NYC
Cleans and returns accessories to correct storage		
Racks by type and capacity; damaged items quarantined		
Keeps the work and landing area clear throughout		
Reports the completed lift to the supervisor		

Overall practical decision

Decision	Detail
All exercises competent (Y/N)	
Referred exercises and reason	

Re-assessment arrangements	
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Candidate signature	Assessor signature	Date

4. Certification decision

- All 7 units signed off (section 1)
- Theory test passed (section 2)
- Practical assessment competent in all exercises (section 3)

I confirm the above are complete and award the Competence Based Vocational Qualification (VQ), Slinger / Signaller A40, Endorsement A — all types, all duties. Certificates issued: VQ Award + Certificate of Unit Credit.

Assessor name & signature	Candidate signature	Date