

HOW TO USE THESE STANDARDS

Each of the main sections provides a summary of the tasks and knowledge considered necessary to satisfactorily perform within a particular group, such as deck management or cargo equipment operations.

To provide guidance on usage, the following example works through the system to get to details of the knowledge required in a particular subject for a particular operating group - in this case for Deck Management

Example

Section 1 - Deck Management (Refer to Page 9)

Unit 1 - Develop Familiarisation and understanding of LNG Transportation Requirements

The section (and each of the sections) begins with a summary of what the unit is about.

This is followed by a list titled 'Outcomes of effective performance - You must be able to do the following:' which provides a list of general 'competencies' that are necessary to function efficiently at all levels within the Deck Management team.

There is now a second list, with each of the numbered items in the list relating to specific knowledge you must have if you are part of the Deck Management team. Reading each of these will provide you with a summary of the knowledge and understanding you should have and the things you should be able to do if you are to perform effectively at that rank.

To continue with the example from the first page:

Management – What you must know:

- 1a. The properties and characteristics of liquefied and other relevant gases.
(underpinning knowledge required 1.1 (ALL))

The italicised comment underneath the list item now refers to the specific information, known as underpinning knowledge, that you will find in the tables contained within the Underpinning Knowledge Section (Refer to Page 43). In this particular instance you will find that 1.1 relates to Physics and Chemistry and that the comment (ALL) means that everything within section 1.1 should be fully understood by that rank.

You can cross check this by looking at the 'ticks' within the tables, following the column that says 'Deck Management'.