



Accredited Africa Training Institute for Capacity Development

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COURSE BROCHURE

Macadamia Nut Harvesting Techniques In Husk Training

Agriculture and Nature Conservation / Secondary Agriculture

Unit Standard 115801 · NQF Level 1 · 1 Credits · 1 Day

COURSE OVERVIEW

This course equips learners with the knowledge and skills required to harvest macadamia nuts while they are still in the husk. It covers best practices for timing, handling, and post-harvest care to ensure optimal nut quality and minimal damage.

Category	Agriculture and Nature Conservation
Subfield	Secondary Agriculture
Unit Standard	115801
Accreditation	SAQA Accredited · NQF Level 1 · 1 Credits
Duration	1 day
Training Method	Online, On-Campus, In-House
Certificate	Issued via AATICD LMS – verifiable online

LEARNING OUTCOMES

- Demonstrate the correct technique for harvesting macadamia nuts in the husk.
- Apply safety procedures and use appropriate personal protective equipment during harvesting.
- Evaluate the maturity of macadamia nuts to determine the optimal harvest time.
- Implement post-harvest handling practices that preserve nut quality.
- Identify common pests and diseases affecting macadamia nuts and apply basic control measures.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- Macadamia farm workers, supervisors, and new entrants to the horticultural sector who are involved in or responsible for nut harvesting operations.

COURSE OUTLINE

Day 1: Introduction to Macadamia Nut Harvesting and Husk Training

- Overview of macadamia nut industry in South Africa.
- Nut maturity indicators and harvest timing.
- Harvesting methods: manual vs. mechanical.
- Introduction to husk training: purpose and process.
- Equipment and tools for harvesting and husk training.
- Safety considerations and personal protective equipment (PPE).
- Practical demonstration: assessing nut maturity.
- Practical demonstration: basic husk training technique.

ASSESSMENT & CERTIFICATION

Delegates are assessed through exercises and a final test. A mark of **50% or above** earns an **AATICD Certificate of Completion**, issued digitally with a unique verification code. This course carries **1 NQF credits** at **NQF Level 1**.

PRICING (PER DELEGATE, EX-VAT)

Delegates	Training Method	Price per Delegate	Total
1	Online	R 12,800.00	R 12,800.00
1	In-House	R 16,600.00	R 16,600.00
1	On-Campus (Pretoria)	R 19,200.00	R 19,200.00

UPCOMING SESSIONS

Start	End	Method	Venue
10 Aug 2026	10 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Pretoria, South Africa
11 Aug 2026	11 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Abu Dhabi, UAE
12 Aug 2026	12 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Durban, South Africa
12 Aug 2026	12 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Mauritius
13 Aug 2026	13 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Cape Town, South Africa
14 Aug 2026	14 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Dubai, UAE
17 Aug 2026	17 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Abu Dhabi, UAE
18 Aug 2026	18 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Durban, South Africa

Contact us if no suitable date is listed – on-demand sessions can be arranged for groups.

HOW TO GET A QUOTE OR APPLY

1. **Get an instant quotation online:** visit www.aaticd.co.za, open the page for this course (Unit Standard 115801) and click **Get A Quote / Apply**. Select your training method and number of delegates – your quotation is generated immediately and emailed to you with the course brochure attached.
2. **Apply by email:** send the course title, your preferred training method (Online, In-House or On-Campus Pretoria), the number of delegates and your preferred dates to apply@aaticd.co.za – our team will reply with a formal quotation.
3. **Apply by phone or WhatsApp:** call **+27 12 004 8389** or WhatsApp **+27 65 077 6310** and we will prepare your quotation and reserve your seats.
4. **Confirm your booking:** accept the quotation and settle the invoice. As soon as payment is confirmed your delegates are enrolled and receive their AATICD LMS login details by email, along with joining instructions for their chosen training method.

Group discounts apply automatically – the more delegates you enrol, the lower the price per delegate. No payment is required to request a quotation.

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