



Accredited Africa Training Institute for Capacity Development

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COURSE BROCHURE

Cigarette Packer Hopper Maintenance Procedures Training

Agriculture and Nature Conservation / Secondary Agriculture

Unit Standard 117752 · NQF Level 4 · 3 Credits · 1 Day

COURSE OVERVIEW

This course equips learners with the knowledge and skills to perform maintenance procedures on a cigarette packer hopper safely and efficiently. It covers the identification of hopper components, routine maintenance tasks, and troubleshooting common issues to minimize downtime and ensure product quality.

Category	Agriculture and Nature Conservation
Subfield	Secondary Agriculture
Unit Standard	117752
Accreditation	SAQA Accredited · NQF Level 4 · 3 Credits
Duration	1 day
Training Method	Online, On-Campus, In-House
Certificate	Issued via AATICD LMS – verifiable online

LEARNING OUTCOMES

- Identify and describe the main components of a cigarette packer hopper and their functions.
- Demonstrate safe isolation and lock-out/tag-out procedures before performing maintenance.
- Apply routine maintenance tasks such as cleaning, lubricating, and adjusting hopper components.
- Analyze common hopper malfunctions and implement corrective actions.
- Evaluate the condition of wear parts and recommend replacement schedules.
- Complete maintenance documentation and report any deviations from standard procedures.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- This course is intended for maintenance technicians, machine operators, and production supervisors working in tobacco manufacturing environments who are responsible for the upkeep and operation of cigarette packing machinery.

COURSE OUTLINE

Day 1: Cigarette Packer Hopper Maintenance Procedures

- Overview of cigarette packer hopper system and its role in packaging.
- Safety protocols: lockout/tagout (LOTO), PPE, and hazard identification.
- Hopper components: feed rollers, guides, sensors, and agitators.
- Inspection checklist: wear patterns, alignment, and cleanliness.
- Cleaning procedures: removal of dust, tobacco residue, and foreign objects.
- Common faults: jamming, misalignment, sensor failure, and wear.
- Adjustment and replacement of worn parts (e.g., belts, bearings).
- Documentation: maintenance logs, fault reports, and sign-off procedures.

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 **3 NQF credits** at **NQF Level 4**.

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

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 117752) 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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