

# PLANT NVQs IN 3 EASY STEPS

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If a Plant Operator has sufficient experience they can achieve the NVQ required for a Blue CPCS card by undertaking an Experienced Worker NVQ.

This route allows your Operator to achieve their NVQ quickly and on-site, using the plant they are familiar with.

This is a fast and affordable way of qualifying Operators for a Blue CPCS card and can be achieved by following these three steps:



- 1. Employer provides the Operator's details and confirms their levels of occupational experience.**
- 2. Assessor visits site and gathers witness testimonies from the Operator's Supervisor or Manager.**
- 3. On-site assessment is conducted by Assessor to gather evidence and complete the NVQ.**

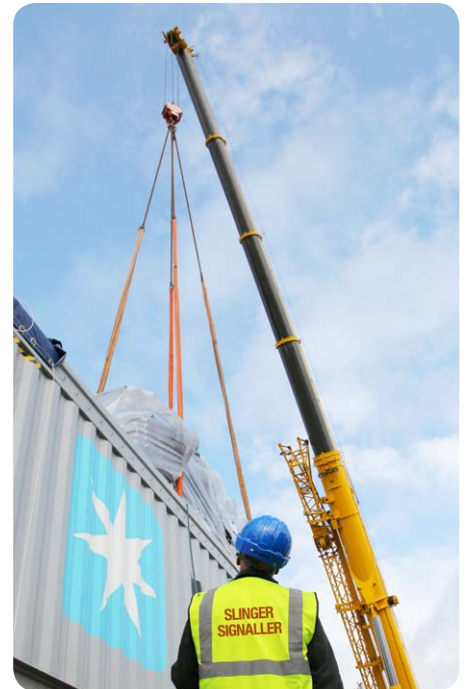
Available for:

- *Forward Tipping Dumper • 180° Excavator*
- *360° Excavator • Ride-on Roller • Telehandler*
- *Slinger Signaller & many more.*

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# Tele-handler

CPCS Category: A17



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## Equipment Specification

- Serviceable telescopic handler that meets current legislation and has:
  - standard forks
  - ROPS, FOPS and seatbelt
  - rough terrain capacity.
- Loads of known weight to consist of:
  - (Load A) 1 x load not less than 70% of the forklift's rated capacity.
  - (Load B) 3 x similar size palletised loads suitable for stacking safely.
  - (Load C) 1 x load being not less than 85% of machine's capacity at full horizontal reach.
  - (Load D) 1 x load with an offset centre of gravity being a minimum of 20% of the load centre line.
- Lorry bed equipped with a headboard (this may be simulated but must have the same dimensions including the ground/bed height).
- Loading out tower not less than 75% of the tele-handler's maximum lift height, able to safely support Load A.
- An area which must have:
  - level ground
  - rough, uneven terrain (not applicable to industrial telescopic)
  - a slope(s) not less than 20% (1:5) incline with sufficient manoeuvring area both at top and bottom
  - a straight run of at least 20 metres.

## Exercise Specification

- Carry out full pre-start and running checks as required by the manufacturer.
- Prepare the forklift for travel and travel to the location of Load A. The route is to include:
  - travelling up and down slope(s)
  - travelling over rough, uneven terrain
  - passing through a chicane executing full right and left hand turns in a forward and reverse direction. There must be a clearance of no more than 300 mm or 10% of the machine's width (whichever is the greater) between the chicane sides and the forklift when executing each turn.
- Pick up Load A and travel the route again as in item 2. Whilst travelling up the incline, stop and restart the forklift (the chicane may be adjusted to compensate for load width).
- Place Load A onto the loading out tower. When placed, manoeuvre the forklift away from the tower.
- Retrieve Load A and lower to the ground.
- Travel with Load A in reverse and a straight line for a minimum distance of 20 metres. When completed place the load at a given point.
- Place 3 x Load B onto the vehicle bed with 2 loads squared up to the headboard, following a sequence of loading the vehicle bed fully. There must be no more than 75 mm clearance between the loads and the loads and vehicle headboard.
- Remove 3 x Load B from the vehicle bed and stack vertically on top of one another. The stacking place must be at least 20 metres from the vehicle bed.
- On completion of item 8 de-stack 3 x Load B and place alongside each other with no more than 75 mm clearance between each load.
- Pick up Load C and place at ground level at a given point which can only be accessed by using full horizontal reach of the tele-handler. 360° slew tele-handlers must undertake this task whilst employing the stabilisers with Load C placed at 90° from the pick up point.
- Pick up Load D and travel in a reverse direction for a minimum distance of 20 metres and pass through a restriction as in item 2. When completed place the load at a given point.
- Reverse the machine up to an obstruction (i.e. wall) unaided to within 500 mm from the rearmost part of the machine.
- Demonstrate undercutting by both lifting and placing a load.
- Travel the tele-handler to a park position, shut down and secure.