

LOAD GENERAL FREIGHT

OUTLINE

MODULE 1 - Prepare for loading/off-loading processes according to specified procedures.

- ✓ Information is obtained pertaining to freight that is comprehensive and relevant.
- ✓ The characteristics and specific requirements of the commodity to be transported are identified.
- ✓ Commodities can include liquids, perishables, fragile goods, hazardous goods, livestock, etc
- ✓ Compatibility of commodities to be transported is established and appropriate action is taken to ensure the maintenance of the freight quality.
- ✓ Appropriate securing and/or loading equipment and personal protective equipment are available and functional.

MODULE 2 - Load general freight according to context requirements.

- ✓ Loading site is evaluated for suitability and the vehicle is positioned accordingly.
- ✓ Loading information is reconciled with the actual load.
- ✓ Loading sequence is planned in accordance with loading criteria.
- ✓ Vehicle is loaded according to operational, safety and legal requirements and by using the appropriate means.
- ✓ The impact of load positioning and type on the stability of the vehicle is accurately described.
- ✓ The safety problems associated with the transportation of general freight are identified for specific contexts.

MODULE 3 - Secure general freight according to product requirements.

- ✓ The appropriate securing equipment is selected in accordance with selection criteria.
- ✓ The appropriate securing equipment is utilised in a safe manner and in accordance with commodity and vehicle requirements.
- ✓ On-the-road problems are addressed according to specified procedures.

MODULE 4 - Off-load general freight according to specified procedures.

- ✓ Off-loading site is evaluated for suitability and the vehicle is positioned accordingly.
- ✓ Vehicle is off-loaded according to operational; safety and legal requirements and by using the appropriate means.
- ✓ Off-loading information is reconciled with the cargo which has been off-loaded.
- ✓ Housekeeping principles are applied so that the site is left as it was found; all debris is cleared and equipment is checked against the inventory and safely stored.
- ✓ Relevant information is timeously communicated to the appropriate parties.

DURATION:

Theoretical training: 1 day

Practical Training: 1 day