

Specification of Competency Standards
for the Fashion Industry
Unit of Competency

Functional Area - Material Development

Title	Facilitate protection and use of intellectual property
Code	110264L4
Range	Facilitate protection and use of intellectual property for launching new material. This applies to individuals who are required to ensure and defend the uniqueness that the new materials offer.
Level	4
Credit	3
Competency	<p>Performance Requirements</p> <p>1. Knowledge in the subject area</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Be able to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • explain the concept and types of intellectual property • explain how an invention can be protected by intellectual property rights • review the organisational policy and process of protecting the intellectual property • identify the parties that may get involved in the process of seeking IP protection <p>2. Application and process</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Be able to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • identify the types of intellectual property (IP) rights used to protect the newly developed materials • review the policy and process for protecting the IP right of the newly developed materials • determine sources of assistance or parties involved in the process of seeking IP protection • coordinate with related parties (e.g. IP unit, IP agent) for the IP protection or application • collect and compile related information for the IP protection or application <p>3. Exhibit professionalism</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Be able to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • select the most appropriate way to protect the IP right of the newly developed materials by consulting with the IP related parties
Assessment Criteria	<p>The integrated outcome requirements of this UoC are the abilities to accomplish:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Facilitating protection and use of intellectual property for launching new material so as to ensure and defend the uniqueness that the new materials offer.
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