

**Specification of Competency Standards**  
**for the Jewellery Industry**  
**Unit of Competency**

Functional Area - Production

Title	Master rubbed setting/claw setting techniques
Code	108940L2
Range	This unit of competency is applicable to practitioners working in the jewellery setting department of jewellery manufacturing organizations. Practitioners should be capable of mastering gemstone setting techniques and employing rubbed setting/claw setting techniques to secure various types and cuts of gemstones onto the mounts of jewellery according to the standards and the organization's or customers' specifications.
Level	2
Credit	6
Competency	<p>Performance Requirements</p> <p>1. Know about rubbed setting/claw setting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Know about the differences between rubbed setting and claw setting, and their characteristics</li> <li>• Know about the procedures and methods of rubbed setting/claw setting</li> <li>• Know about the rubbed setting/claw setting tools and the proper ways to use them</li> </ul> <p>2. Master various precious stone setting techniques</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Master rubbed setting techniques</li> <li>• Master claw setting techniques</li> </ul> <p>3. Professionalism</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Following the requirements of the organization, code of practice and safety guidelines, carry out gemstone setting with a professional attitude</li> </ul>
Assessment Criteria	<p>The integrated outcome requirement of this unit of competency is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Able to master basic gemstone setting techniques and employ rubbed setting/claw setting techniques to secure various types and cuts of precious stones onto the mounts of jewellery according to the organization's or customers' specifications under instruction.</li> </ul>
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