

THE NATIONAL SEAFOOD INDUSTRY TRAINING PACKAGE SFI 04 INCORPORATING CERTIFICATE II IN SEAFOOD INDUSTRY (FISHING OPERATIONS)

Full DECKHAND – Subsidized

Professional Seamanship - Your First Step towards Master/Skipper

The Certificate

The Certificate II in Seafood Industry (Fishing Operations) & Certificate I in Transport and Distribution (Marine Operations) is a six ~ seven week course for people who want to work at sea in the commercial fishing industry. It is a general entry level course designed for people with little or no commercial fishing experience. Preference is given to people who can demonstrate a genuine interest in fishing and/or the sea. Candidates need to be 16 years of age.

What will I learn?

At the end of the course, graduates have the basic competencies necessary to work at sea. It will take another 6-12 months experience on-the-job to become a competent practitioner. The course includes a trip to sea to practice the skills learnt and to experience the life of a professional fisherman firsthand. This will either be carried out onboard the training vessel or an existing operational vessel.

The Course

The course comprises of 19 units of competence listed below:

Certificate II in the Seafood Industry (Fishing Operations)

SFICORE101B	Apply basic food handling and safety practices
SFICORE103B	Communicate in the seafood industry
SFICORE105A	Work effectively in the seafood industry
SFICORE106A	Meet workplace OHS requirements
SFIFISH203B	Maintain, prepare, deploy and retrieve trawls to land catch
SFIFISH204B	Maintain, prepare, deploy and retrieve pots and traps to land catch
SFIFISH205B	Maintain, prepare, deploy and retrieve drop lines and long lines to land catch
SFIFISH206B	Maintain, prepare, deploy and retrieve hand operated lines to land catch
SFIFISH207B	Maintain, prepare, deploy and retrieve beach seine, mesh nets or gill nets to land catch
SFIFISH208B	Maintain, prepare, deploy and retrieve purse seines to land catch
SIFFISH209B	Maintain the temperature of seafood
SFIFISH210B	Assemble and repair damaged netting
SFIFISH215A	Apply deckhand skills aboard a fishing vessel
SFISHIP202B	Contribute to safe navigation
SFISHIP206B	Operate a small vessel
SFISHIP207B	Operate and maintain outboard motors
SFISHIP209B	Operate marine communications equipment
SFISHIP212B	Take emergency action on board a vessel
TDMMC701B	Apply seamanship skills and techniques when operating a small domestic vessel

Course Enrolment

Enrolment forms are available at the Seafood & Maritime Industries Training Ltd, 10 ~ 12/110 Reichardt Road, Winnellie 0820, NT. Phone: 8984 4522 during business hours or email us at admin@smitech.com.au.

Certificates Achieved

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NOTE Elements of Shipboard Safety (ESS) training is optional, fee for service will be charged accordingly.

Course Dates

A minimum of three courses will be offered per year (subject to change without prior notification, please contact SMIT for update)

Materials Required

Closed shoes, pen/pencil, sunglasses, sunscreen, hat – practical training on board training vessel