



RISK ASSESSOR

PROFESSIONAL ONLINE COURSE

SGTAEC25008



About this course

Effective risk assessment is the backbone of legal compliance, workplace safety and operational control.

This programme equips learners with the knowledge and competency to conduct continuous risk assessments in line with South African regulatory requirements and international best practice frameworks.

Learners develop the ability to identify hazards, evaluate risks, determine suitable controls, complete risk documentation, recommend improvements and support continual risk-based decision making.

Designed around real workplace environments — including processing plants, workshops, construction, administration and agriculture — this course teaches practical application, not just theory.

Accreditation & Alignment

This programme is aligned to:

- SAQA Unit Standard 120330 — Conduct a Continuous Risk Assessment
NQF Level 3 | 2 credits

Delivery exceeds minimum outcomes by incorporating:

- Bowtie and risk pathway concepts
- Hazard categorisation models
- Control effectiveness assessment
- Significant risk decision triggers
- Hierarchy of controls application
- Workplace case studies and templates

Learners gain skills aligned to:

- Occupational Health and Safety Act
- Construction Regulations
- ISO 45001 risk-based principles
- Industry operational safety systems

Who should do this course?

This qualification is ideal for:

- Safety Representatives
- Supervisors and foremen
- Team leaders
- SHE practitioners
- Process controllers
- Maintenance personnel
- Safety Officers and aspiring Safety Officers
- Contractors and service providers

No previous formal risk training is required – the course starts at foundational level and builds toward competent practice.

What you will learn – Course Modules

Module 1: Legal Foundations & Risk Concepts

Introduction to risk theory, controls, legislation, liability, and organisational risk culture.

Module 2: Hazard Identification Practices

Hazard categories, observation techniques, workplace walk-throughs, and trigger events.

Module 3: Risk Evaluation & Rating Methods

Severity vs likelihood, risk matrices, significance levels, prioritisation and escalation.

Module 4: Control Selection & Effectiveness

Hierarchy of controls, administrative systems, engineering controls, behavioural controls and follow-up verification.

Module 5: Completing Risk Assessment Documentation

Risk registers, job safety analysis, method statements, working tools and templates.

Module 6: Practical Case Application

Risk analysis exercises across industries – poultry facilities, workshops, logistics, construction sites, admin spaces and maintenance tasks.

Module 7: Reviewing, Monitoring & Continual Improvement

Re-assessment triggers, trend recognition, organisation learning and supervisor responsibilities.

Mode of delivery & duration

This is a 100% online eLearning programme delivered through the SAFCON Group LMS.

- Self-paced study
- Approximate duration: 12–16 hours notional time

- Accessible on phone, tablet, laptop or PC
- Includes templates, tools, examples and downloadable registers

Course Assessment

Assessment is completed online and includes:

- Module quiz activities
- Scenario-based risk rating exercises
- Final summative assessment

A minimum score of 70% is required to achieve competence.

Results are digitally recorded for organisational training matrices and audit evidence.

Course Certificate

Successful learners receive a:

SAFCON Group Training Academy

Certificate of Competence: Risk Assessor (SGTAEC25008)

Features:

- Digital PDF certificate
- Unique certificate number
- Verification available for audits and recruitment processes

Why choose SAFCON's Risk Assessor course?

Developed by experienced risk and HSEQ professionals

Strong operational focus – not just definitional theory

Uses workplace scenarios familiar to South African industries

Builds competence useful in auditing, safety officer work and supervisor development

Ideal development pathway from Safety Representative skills

How to Enrol

Choose the registration pathway that suits you:

✓ **Instant Enrolment (Pay Once)**

Click Pay Now to secure your place via PayFast and receive immediate access.

Perfect for individuals, contractors and job seekers.

✓ **3-Month Subscription (Pay in Instalments)**

Prefer to split your payment?

Register via PayFast using our subscription option, paying over three monthly instalments.

You gain full access immediately.

Your certificate is released once the subscription cycle completes.

Ideal for:

- Students
- Self-funded learners
- Anyone wanting budget-friendly access

Accessible, affordable – empowering every learner.

✓ **Corporate / Group Bookings**

If your company requires:

- VAT invoicing
- Purchase orders
- Bulk enrolment
- Compliance reporting

Click Request Corporate Booking and our team will assist with quotation, registration and access management.

What happens after enrolment?

You will receive:

- Welcome email
- LMS login details
- Immediate course access
- Support for your learning journey

Study at your own pace, complete assessments, and download your certificate on competence.

“All courses are tax-deductible as professional training.”



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