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| Title | **Make heeps of seed cotton (Phutti)** |
| Level | **2** | **Credits** | **6** |

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| Purpose | These competency standards will ensure that the trainee will be able to make cotton heaps in accordance with national and international standards |

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| Classification ISCED | 0811 Crop and livestock production |

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| Available grade | Competent / Not yet competent |

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| Modification history | N/A |

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| **Competency** | **Performance Criteria** | **Knowledge Criteria** |
| **Unit** |  |  |
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| **C-1**: Grade Seed | P.1: Describe the various criteria for grading seed cotton i.e. | K.1: Explain the appropriate uses of different grades of |
| Cotton | colour, contamination ratio, trash ratio, diseased cotton ratio, | cotton. |
|  | shells, matured, immatured etc. for the grading of cotton. |  |
|  |  | K.2: Explain the grade wise deduction procedure to |
|  |  | maintain quality. |
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| **C-2**: Make grade | P.1: Describe the different uses of each grade of cotton for | K.1: Explain grade wise heaping of cotton for good quality |
| wise heaps of | making heap. | lints. |
| seed cotton |  |  |
|  | P1 Grade seed cotton samples and prepare heaps | K.2: Explain the appropriate use of each grade of cotton. |
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| **C-3**: Selection of | P.1: Identify the features of a suitable place for making | K.1: Having knowledge of minimizing possible |
| platform for | heaps. | contaminations in heap i.e. jute, suttli, plastic cord, etc. of |
| heaps |  | non-cotton bags. |
|  | P.2: Demonstrate the different methods to avoid |  |
|  | contamination in the heap from outsides and other |  |
|  | abnormalities, i.e. weather, hazards, etc |  |
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| **C-4**: Maintain | P.1: Complete / or maintain the record keeping of graded | K.1: Explain the processes of heap-wise grading record |
| records of graded | seed cotton. | keeping. |
| seed cotton |  |  |
|  | P.2: Explain the benefits of avoiding inappropriate use of |  |
|  | grades for optimal output. | K2: Explain the record keeping for getting quality cotton |
|  |  | lint. |
|  | P.3: Ascertain the record of grade wise deduction in each |  |
|  | heap. |  |
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