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### Overview

This standard is for those who assess the features of given designs that vary in style, fabric and make up.

The job role may involve:

- 1 evaluate features of given designs
- 2 assess feasibility for production
- 3 modifying given designs to meet requirements

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**Performance  
criteria**

- You must be able to:
- P1 evaluate the design, cost and production requirements
  - P2 ensure designs conform to customer specifications
  - P3 identify the key product design features
  - P4 identify possible constraints to the design features
  - P5 evaluate the fabric characteristics for the given design
  - P6 assess whether the product and be manufactured within your factory or will need to be outsourced
  - P7 identify the cost of the design production
  - P8 recommend amendments to designs to meet required costing
  - P9 clarify issues arising from the evaluation with appropriate personnel
  - P10 identify and agree required changes relating to design features with appropriate personnel
  - P11 produce samples to illustrate viability and cost effectiveness of proposed amendments
  - P12 complete appropriate records and documents
  - P13 communicate effectively with colleagues and customers
  - P14 identify problems and resolve issues within limits of your own responsibility
  - P15 report problems outside area of responsibility to the appropriate person
  - P16 work to legal requirements, standards and regulations, policies, procedures and professional codes

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**Knowledge and understanding****You need to know and understand:**

- K1 the extent and content of company product range and production locations
- K2 principles of the design, in terms of the function, fit, shape and form
- K3 principles of pattern technology
- K4 construction, properties and suitability of materials, fabrics and components
- K5 manufacturing and machinery capacity and capabilities
- K6 principles and methods of:
  - K6.1 production
  - K6.2 garment construction
  - K6.3 costing
- K7 quality systems and procedures
- K8 the limits of personal responsibility
- K9 how to report problems outside your area of responsibility
- K10 the importance of effective communication with customers and colleagues
- K11 the lines of communication, authority and reporting procedures
- K12 the organisation's procedures, rules, codes and guidelines
- K13 the companies quality standards
- K14 the importance of complying with instructions
- K15 equipment operating procedures / manufacturers' instructions
- K16 statutory responsibilities under health, safety and environmental legislation regulations

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Assess and develop given designs



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