



1. TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (NL)

Diploma Beroepsonderwijs
Kwalificatie: Schipper/machinist beperkt werkgebied
 In the original language

2. TRANSLATED TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (EN)

Certificate Senior Secondary Vocational Education
Qualification: Skipper/engineer restricted operation area
 This translation has no legal status

3. PROFILE OF SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

The Skipper/engineer restricted operation area assists in nautical and technical tasks on board, on deck, on the bridge and in the engine room. He knows everything about loading, manoeuvring, collision rules and the transport of hazardous substances.

The course of study consists of the following compulsory partial qualifications:

- Provisions for the prevention of collisions at sea-1P
- Provisions for the prevention of collisions at sea-1T
- Provisions for the prevention of collisions at sea-2
- Provisions for the prevention of collisions at sea-3B
- Health studies 1/presea
- Social/cultural/science education 1K
- Marcom-B
- Navigation-2
- Ship's engineer-1
- Ship's engineer-2
- Ship's engineer-3P
- Seamanship 1/navigation 1
- Seamanship 2K

4. RANGE OF OCCUPATIONS ACCESSIBLE TO THE HOLDER OF THE CERTIFICATE

The Skipper/engineer restricted operation area is permitted to work on ships that do not travel further than 30 miles from the coast and that are not located more than six hours sailing from a protected port or anchorage.

5. OFFICIAL BASIS OF THE CERTIFICATE

Name and status of the body awarding the certificate

The certificate issued on completion of the programme is signed by the examination board at the school where the pupil attended the programme.

Name and status of the national/regional authority providing accreditation/recognition of the certificate

Ministry of Education, Culture and Science

*** Explanatory note**

This document is designed to provide additional information about the specified certificate and does not have any legal status in itself. The format of the description is based on the following texts: Council Resolution 93/C 49/01 of 3 December 1992 on the transparency of qualifications, Council Resolution 96/C 224/04 of 15 July 1996 on the transparency of vocational training certificates, and Recommendation 2001/613/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 10 July 2001 on mobility within the Community for students, persons undergoing training, volunteers, teachers and trainers.

More information is available at: <http://www.europass.cedefop.europa.eu/>

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5. OFFICIAL BASIS OF THE CERTIFICATE

<p>Level of the certificate (national or international) Qualification level 2 of the Dutch VET qualification structure Characteristics: intended as an initial qualification, which everyone should at least obtain. The participant develops skills in order to be able to carry out practical tasks and is responsible for his or her own block of tasks. NLQF level 2 - EQF level 2 - ISCED 3C</p>	<p>Grading scale / Pass requirements</p> <table style="border: none;"> <tr><td>10</td><td>excellent</td></tr> <tr><td>9</td><td>very good</td></tr> <tr><td>8</td><td>good</td></tr> <tr><td>7</td><td>very satisfactory</td></tr> <tr><td>6</td><td>pass</td></tr> <tr><td>5</td><td>fail</td></tr> <tr><td>4</td><td>unsatisfactory</td></tr> <tr><td>3</td><td>very unsatisfactory</td></tr> <tr><td>2</td><td>poor</td></tr> <tr><td>1</td><td>very poor</td></tr> </table>	10	excellent	9	very good	8	good	7	very satisfactory	6	pass	5	fail	4	unsatisfactory	3	very unsatisfactory	2	poor	1	very poor
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<p>Access to next level of education/professions With a diploma at qualification level 2, transfer is possible to a course at qualification level 3. For instance to Deck officer and engineer small ships (seagoing) or Deck officer and engineer class V fishing fleet..</p>	<p>International agreements In the Netherlands, Skipper/engineer restricted operation area is a regulated profession under the European directive 2005/36/EC, amended by directive 2013/55/EU.</p>																				
<p>Legal basis Adult and Vocational Education Act (WEB), registered number of qualification (crebo): 10648 The education and training for this qualification is offered as of August 1, 20xx.</p>																					

6. OFFICIALLY RECOGNISED WAYS OF ACQUIRING THE CERTIFICATE

<p>Senior secondary vocational education features two learning pathways: the school-based pathway (bol) and the training on the job pathway (bbi). In the school-based pathway, the majority of the course consists of theory at school. The extent of the practical component (vocational practice) is between 20% and 60%. In the training on the job pathway, the extent of vocational practice is at least 60% of the course. The participant works four days a week in a training company, and attends school for theory subjects just one day a week. In principle it is possible to follow both learning pathways, but which pathway is offered will depend on the individual educational institution.</p>	
<p>Average duration of the education/ training leading to the certificate</p>	<p>2 years (3200 study hours) (depending on previous education)</p>
<p>Entry requirements The certificate preparatory vocational secondary education (vmbo) basic vocational programme, or a comparable level.</p>	

7. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

<p>Additional information, including a description of the Dutch national qualifications system, is available at the Netherlands National Reference Point (NRP): www.s-bb.nl. The NRP is the information centre for vocational qualifications in the Netherlands. SBB has been appointed in this capacity by the Ministry of Education, Culture and Science.</p>
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