



1. TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (NL)

Diploma Beroepsonderwijs
Kwalificatie: Eerste autotechnicus
Kwalificatiedossier: Autotechniek

In the original language

2. TRANSLATED TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (EN)

Certificate Senior Secondary Vocational Education
Qualification: Skilled car mechanic
Qualification file: Car technology

This translation has no legal status

3. PROFILE OF SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

The most important duties of a Skilled car mechanic are:

Core task 1: Carries out maintenance on passenger cars

- 1.1 Prepares passenger car for maintenance assignment
- 1.2 Carries out inspection of passenger car
- 1.3 Carries out maintenance service on passenger car
- 1.4 Installs accessories in passenger car
- 1.5 Inspects their maintenance working duties and rounds off the assignment
- 1.6 Supports and instructs trainees and colleagues in maintenance duties
- 1.7 Gives technical explanation to the client about the maintenance work carried out

Core task 2: Carries out repairs on passenger cars

- 2.1 Prepares passenger car for maintenance assignment
- 2.2 Carries out repairs to passenger car
- 2.3 Inspects their maintenance working duties and rounds off the assignment
- 2.4 Supports and instructs trainees and colleagues in repair duties
- 2.5 Gives technical explanation to the client about the repair work carried out
- 2.6 Is responsible for sharing knowledge about repair situations within the business

Core task 3: Makes diagnosis of passenger cars

- 3.1 Prepares diagnosis assignment
- 3.2 Makes diagnosis of passenger car
- 3.3 Inspects their maintenance working duties and rounds off the assignment

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

The Skilled car mechanic works in workplace of passenger car companies such as dealers, universal or quickstop companies from the mobility branche.

5. OFFICIAL BASIS OF THE CERTIFICATE

* 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.

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<p>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.</p>	<p>Name and status of the national/regional authority providing accreditation/recognition of the certificate Ministry of Education, Culture and Science</p>																				
<p>Level of the certificate (national or international) Qualification level 3 of the Dutch VET qualification structure Characteristics: implementation of more than just the own block of tasks. The professional is able to account for his or her actions towards colleagues, and monitors and supervises the work of others. The range of tasks also includes drafting work preparation procedures. NLQF level 3 - EQF level 3 - ISCED 3C</p>	<p>Grading scale / Pass requirements</p> <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr><td style="width: 20px;">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 Within the sector, promotion (via an intermediate vocational education or not) from Skilled car mechanic level 3 to Technical specialist passenger cars level 4 is possible. In addition to promotion, an employee within the sector can also specialize in a certain area, for instance in engine management or brake systems and anti-lock braking systems (ABS).</p>	<p>International agreements The profession of Skilled car mechanic is not regulated in the Netherlands. However the education and training for this profession on qualification level 3 is regulated under the European directive 2005/36/EC, amended by directive 2013/55/EU. The regulated education and training gives access to regulated professions at the level of a diploma according to article 11 of this directive.</p>																				
<p>Legal basis Act on Vocational Education and Training (WEB), registered number of qualification (crebo): 93420 The education and training for this qualification is offered as of August 1, 2009.</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 (bbl). 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>3 year(s) (4800 study hours) (depending on previous education)</p>
<p>Entry requirements The certificate preparatory vocational secondary education (vmbo) advanced vocational programme, combined programme, or theoretical programme, or a comparable level.</p>	

7. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

<p>Dutch senior secondary VET is based on qualification files, that each contain one or more qualifications. The information in section 3 and 4 is drawn directly from the qualification file, that is composed by the Centre of Expertise. The complete qualification file is available at www.kwalificatiesmbo.nl, only in Dutch.</p> <p>Additional information, including a description of the Dutch national qualifications system, is available at the Netherlands National Reference Point (NRP) for VET: www.nlgrp.nl</p> <p>SBB has been appointed by the Ministry of Education, Culture and Science as NRP.</p>
