

Certificate Supplement (*)



1. TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (DE)

Zeugnis über die Prüfung zum anerkannten Fortbildungsberuf Geprüfter Fachagrarwirt/Geprüfte Fachagrarwirtin Baumpflege und Baumsanierung

2. Translated title of the certificate (EN)

Certificate on completion of the recognized further training examination for Certified European tree technician

This translation has no legal status.

3. Profile of skills and competences

- Explain and justify arboricultural measures, provide advice
- Record tree damage, identify causes of damage, assess tree remediation need and possibilities and calculate costs
- Prepare and set up work sites, plan the use of material, machines and equipment needed for tree maintenance and remediation
- Organize work processes and assign tasks to staff
- Conduct the necessary measures to ensure occupational safety and health, accident prevention and traffic safety
- Perform maintenance and remediation work on trees and in their immediate vicinity
- Manage work sites taking commercial and operational aspects into account

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

Certified European tree technicians work in gardening and landscaping companies, open space authorities, forestry or farming enterprises or in wine-growing or are self-employed. They maintain and remediate tree stocks, plan the requisite labour and material, calculate costs, advise customers and provide expert assessments.

(*)Explanatory notes

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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| 5. OFFICIAL BASIS OF THE CERTIFICATE | |
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| Name and status of the body awarding the certificate Chamber of Agriculture (Landwirtschaftskammer) | Name and status of the national/regional authority providing accreditation/recognition of the certificate Chamber of Agriculture (Landwirtschaftskammer) |
| Level of the certificate (national or international) ISCED 2011 Level 5 These qualifications are referenced to level 5 of both the German and the European Qualifications Framework (DQR, EQF); see publication of 22 July 2015 (BAnz AT 22.07.2015 p. 4). | Grading scale/Pass requirements (**) 100 - 92 points = 1 = excellent 91 - 81 points = 2 = good 80 - 67 points = 3 = average 66 - 50 points = 4 = pass 49 - 30 points = 5 = poor 29 - 0 points = 6 = fail The candidate passed all examinations required for the completion of further training. |
| Access to next level of education and training The further training examination gives access to the next level of qualifications • Master gardener (Gärtnermeister/Gärtnermeisterin) • Forest manager (Forstwirt/Forstwirtin) • Wine grower (Winzer/Winzerin) • Certified initial and continuing training specialist (Geprüfter Aus- und Weiterbildungspädagoge/Geprüfte Aus- und Weiterbildungspädagogin) as well as access to advanced programmes in higher education. | International agreements |

Legal basis

Regulations concerning recognized qualifications as a certified European tree technician of 29 June 1993, BGBI. I p. 1114

6. OFFICIALLY RECOGNIZED WAYS OF ACQUIRING THE CERTIFICATE

The certificate is acquired by passing the examination administered by the body mentioned in section 5 above. Before sitting the examination, candidates must furnish proof of

- 1. Successful completion of training for the recognized occupations of gardener, forest manager, wine-grower or farmer plus at least three years of work experience acquired in tree nurseries, gardening and landscaping or fruit growing companies, forestry or farming enterprises significantly involved in silvicultural activity or
- At least five years of relevant work in gardening, forestry, wine-growing or agricultural enterprises significantly involved in silvicultural activity or
- 3. Relevant skills and competences.

Additional information

The skills and competences of which proof is to be furnished in the further training examination are usually acquired during many years of practical work and within the framework of education measures. Courses are offered in preparation for the examination; their duration and content are geared to the different specialist and managerial tasks.

Translations of the certificate can be obtained from the body mentioned in section 5 above.