



Aus-Chem Accreditation will allow you to:

- Obtain a permit to use the more hazardous pesticides (S7s) Dangerous Poisons (required in Victoria)
- Apply for an Agricultural Chemical Users Permit required for the use of restricted chemicals stipulated by the APVMA and state regulations
- Participate in an agricultural industry QA scheme
- Use restricted AgVet chemicals in the relevant state
- Participate in a range of advanced industry specialist courses, including ACUP endorsements required for vermin control chemicals

Who Delivers the Courses?

The delivery of training support is the responsibility of the state AgVet management committees established in consultation with industry. The fee charged covers the cost of training, resource manuals, assessment and administration. Training, at basic, advanced and industry specialist levels, is tailored to the needs of participants.

*This course can be customised to suite your workplace, or work environment.

Eligibility

Age: 16 years and over Academic

and English Proficiency:

- Have completed Year 9 or higher.
- Have completed a Certificate or higher academic / trade course, this includes short courses.
- You will be required to have basic mathematical skills (to calculate and calibrate equipment), and have the ability to read written / published instructions, on labels and on a worksite.
- You must be able to fill out forms unassisted, in plain and simple English. If you can meet these requirements, you are eligible to attend the AusChem Training Program.

Skills Recognition Process for Certificate III or Certificate IV or Diploma this is based on RPL / RCC / RIL and competence in the assessments conducted by ACAH Assessors.

Students with prior qualifications in horticulture and relevant work experience obtained in the Australian Horticulture Industry, and legislation in relation to chemicals are specific to Australia under the APVMA. Credits may also be granted on the basis of direct credit transfers, under mutual recognition for completed units in other AHC.

Note that satisfactory completion of assessments in the workplace is an essential requirement for the award of trade qualification Certificate III in Production Horticulture or any other selected stream depending on your specialisation in Horticulture and ACAH's scope of registration.

Fees

Full Course (2 Units): \$405.00

Full Course (4 Units): \$500.00

Refresher Course: \$305.00

Articulation / Pathways

Further training pathways from this qualification include, but are not limited to, Certificate III, Certificate IV in Production Horticulture

Note: A separate fee applies for consideration of application under RPL / RCC / RIL Credit Transfer Assessment and Skills Assessment

Course Contents include:



Legislation changes and updates, calibration activity, knapsack and boom spray unit, nozzle selection, chemical groups O D E H O D Q G V G V U H D G L Q J

Prior to commencement you must submit your resume and previous AusChem certification and statement of attainment from a registered training organization.



AgVet Chemical Users Course 2019

January 18 & 2	February 15 & 18
March 15 &	April 12 & 15*
May 17 &	June &
July & 22	August 16 & *
September & 23	October 18 & 2
November 15 & 18	December 20 (refresher only)

*Victorian Applicants delivery will be at Werribee ACAH Demonstration Farm