

1. TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (ES)

Certificado de Profesionalidad de nivel 3 en
AGAO0308M JARDINERÍA Y RESTAURACIÓN DEL PAISAJE

2. TRANSLATED TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (EN)

Professional Certificate Level 3 in
AGAO0308M GARDENING AND LANDSCAPE RESTORATION
(This translation has no legal status)

3. PROFILE OF SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

The holder of this certificate will have acquired the **general competence** to schedule and organize the necessary activities for the installation and maintenance of parks and gardens, landscape restoration activities and human resources and available materials. This general competence is divided into the following **skill units** (UC):

- Manage and run parks and gardens facilities and landscape restoration services (UC0007_3).
- Manage and perform the maintenance of parks and gardens (UC0008_3).
- Manage gardening machinery, equipment and facilities (UC0009_3).
- Carry out topographic operations in agricultural, gardening and forestry works (UC0727_3).

The professional skills are acquired through the **learning outcomes** defined within the related Training Modules (MF):

- Parks and gardens facilities and landscape restoration (MF0007_3).
- Maintenance and conservation of parks and gardens (MF0008_3).
- Management of gardening machinery, equipment and facilities (MF0009_3).
- Topographical activities in agriculture, gardening and forestry operations (MF0727_3).
- Practical training at the workplace in gardening and landscape restoration (MP0008).

(See legal basis for all learning outcomes information acquired by the holder of this Certificate in each MF).

As a reference the learning outcomes include in the Practical training at the workplace that complete and reinforce the learning outcomes acquired in the other training modules, are:

- Organize and lead the tasks for the implementation of a garden area installation project.
- Organize and lead the tasks for the implementation of a replant of the natural space and/or restoration of the landscape.
- Organize and lead the tasks for the conservation, maintenance and restoration of the plant elements of a green area.
- Organize and lead the tasks for the conservation, maintenance and restoration of non-plant elements of a green area.
- Monitor the situation and operability of the gardening machinery, equipment and facilities of the company.
- Handle the gardening machinery, equipment and facilities of the company in a safety working condition.
- Organize and manage the maintenance and repair of gardening machines and equipment according to the needs of the company.
- Integrate effectively in the socio-labour system (team) of the company.
- Participate in the working processes of the company, following the rules and instructions established at the workplace.

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

The holder of this certificate may work in the sectors related to parks and gardens public services; gardening companies; companies giving urban planning services, indoor gardening services, managing recreational green areas or giving advice in the installation and maintenance of parks and gardens and sale of garden products. The most relevant occupations and work positions are:

- Flowers and / or gardening technician.
- Garden designer.
- Person responsible or agricultural foremen in orchards, nurseries and gardens in general.
- Freelance workers of gardening and landscape recovery companies.

5. OFFICIAL BASIS OF THE CERTIFICATE

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

The Ministry of Employment and Social Security or the corresponding autonomous regional administration within the scope of its competence, in the name of the King. The certificate is valid throughout Spain.

Level of the certificate

The Professional Certificate Level 3 of the National Repertoire of Professional Certificates corresponds to level 4 of the International Standard Classification of Education (ISCED-P 2011).

The European Qualification Framework (EQF) level:

Grading scale/Pass requirements

The grading scale and pass level of the training modules are expressed on a scale of 0 to 10. The minimum score for a pass is 5 in every training module including a pass in the practical training at the workplace module.

The grading system is as follows:

- FAIL: 0 to 4.9
- PASS-SATISFACTORY: 5 to 6.9
- PASS-GOOD: 7 to 8.9
- PASS-EXCELLENT: 9 to 10

Access to next level of education/training

This Professional Certificate Level 3 gives access to Professional Certificate Level 3 within the same professional area and family.

For validation purposes, the educational authorities will recognise the professional module or modules of the VET diplomas corresponding to the skills units included in the training modules of this certificate.

Legal basis

Royal Decree 1375/2008, of August 1st, by which twelve professional certificates of the Professional Family of Agriculture, included in the National Repertoire of professional certificates are established. (Appendix XII, Code: AGAO0308)

Amended by Royal Decree 682/2011, of May 13th, by which six professional certificates of the Professional Family of Agriculture, included in the National Repertoire of professional certificates are established, and the professional certificates established as Appendix I, II, IV, VI, VII, VIII and XII of Royal Decree 1375/2008 of August 1st, the professional certificate established as Appendix I of Royal Decree 1965/2008 of November 28th, and the professional certificate established as Appendix III of Royal Decree 1211/2009, of July 17th are updated.

6. OFFICIALLY RECOGNISED WAYS OF ACQUIRING THE CERTIFICATE

This certificate may be acquired by:

1. Training: Completion with a pass grade of the face-to-face or online training programme.
2. Recognition of the professional skills acquired through professional experience or non-formal training (prior learning): Completion of a process of skills evaluation and accreditation in all the skills units making up the professional certificate.
3. Dual training: Completion of a training and apprenticeship contract, which may range from 1 year (or 6 months, if stipulated as such in the collective agreement) to 3 years, during which effective working time is combined with time dedicated to training under the training programme for the professional certificate.

The training method (number 1 above) requires successful completion of the training modules and the practical training at the workplace:

Description of vocational training received	Percentage of total programme (%)	Duration (hours)
Training modules	87	540
Practical training at the workplace	13	80
Total duration of training leading to the certificate		620

Entry/access requirements:

- *Bachiller* Diploma (upper secondary education); or
- Professional Certificate Level 2 in the same professional area.
- If neither of the above or higher certifications are held, a pass in the key skills tests.

Additional information: Professional certificates are instruments for official accreditation of the professional qualifications in the National Catalogue of Professional Qualifications for all economic activities, within the scope of the labour administration. The National Repertoire of Professional Certificates is divided into three qualification levels (Level 1, Level 2 and Level 3), and by sectors into 26 professional families and 102 professional areas. More information is available at: www.sepe.es

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(*) **Explanatory note:** This document is designed to provide additional information about the specified certificate, but has no 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://europass.cedefop.eu.int>

Information on Professional Certificates of the Map of Qualifications and Vocational Training in Spain

