

## 1. TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (ES)

Certificado de Profesionalidad de nivel 3 en  
AGAJ0308 GESTIÓN DE LA INSTALACIÓN Y MANTENIMIENTO DE CÉSPEDES EN CAMPOS DEPORTIVOS

## 2. TRANSLATED TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (EN)

Professional Certificate Level 3 in  
AGAJ0308 MANAGEMENT OF SPORTGROUNDS INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE  
(This translation has no legal status)

## 3. PROFILE OF SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

The holder of this certificate will have acquired the **general competence** to organize and supervise the necessary activities for the installation and maintenance of turf of sport grounds as well as the working team and resources available, in compliance with environmental rules and occupational risks prevention measures. This general competence is divided into the following **skill units**(UC):

- Perform topographical operations in agricultural work, gardening and forestry (UC0727\_3).
- Organize and supervise the installation of turf on sport grounds (UC1127\_3).
- Organize and supervise the maintenance and restorations of turf on sports facilities (UC1128\_3).
- Manage the gardening machinery, equipment and facilities (UC0009\_3).

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

- Topographical operations in agricultural work, gardening and forestry (MF0727\_3).
- Organization and supervision of the installation of turf on sport grounds (MF1127\_3).
- Organization and supervision of the maintenance and restoration of turf on sport grounds (MF1128\_3).
- Management of gardening machinery, equipment and facilities (MF0009\_3).
- Practical training at the workplace in management of sport grounds installation and maintenance (MP0094).

(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:

- Carry out topographical and easy levelling operations using topographical tools and equipments and using the most appropriate method in each case.
- Develop on the sport ground, the elements represented on a map for the installation of grass on a sport surface.
- Organize and monitor the execution of the work required for the installation of the turf on the sportground.
- Organize and monitor the maintenance or restoration works of the sport turf surface.
- Check the condition and operability of the turf care machinery, equipment and gardening facilities, as well as their use.
- Organise a workshop for the maintenance and repair of gardening machinery, equipment and facilities, and coordinate its activities.
- Coordinate the necessary human resources for the implementation of the tasks according to the objectives and working plan.
- 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 agricultural sector, within the gardening subsector, in public services on sports fields; sport fields management companies; landscaping businesses and professional activities related to consultancy on installation and maintenance of sport fields. The most relevant occupations and work positions are:

- Sport greenkeeper technician.
- Sport groundsmanship.
- Sporturf manager.

#### 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 1211/2009, of July 17th, by which five professional certificates of the agricultural professional family that include in the National Repertoire of professional certificates are established. (Appendix II, Code: AGAJ0308)

Amended by Royal Decree 627/2013 of August 2nd, by which seven professional certificates of the Agricultural professional family included in the National Repertoire of professional certificates are established, and the professional certificates established as Appendix II, III and IV of Royal Decree 1211/2009, of July 17th as amended by Royal Decree 682/2011, of May 13th as Appendix V and VI of Royal Decree 682/2011 of May 13th 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	85	440
Practical training at the workplace	15	80
<b>Total duration of training leading to the certificate</b>		<b>520</b>

### Entry/access requirements:

- Compulsory Secondary Education Diploma (Lower secondary education); or
- Professional Certificate Level 1 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](http://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

