



National  
Operational  
Guidance

## Control measure

**Appropriate speed and weight of  
intervention**



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### TRAINING SPECIFICATION

#### Knowledge and understanding

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Control measure element	Learning outcome
Appropriate speed of intervention for incidents involving fire	Understand the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Considerations for determining the speed of intervention</li><li>• Circumstances dictating defensive firefighting tactics</li><li>• Circumstances dictating offensive firefighting tactics</li><li>• Procedures, equipment and facilities used to ensure safe systems of work are adopted for rapid intervention</li></ul>



#### Practical application

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Control measure element	Learning outcome
Appropriate speed of intervention	Demonstrate the ability to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Carry out a personal assessment of risk to justify offensive or defensive tactics</li></ul>