## MATRIX OF UMALUSI QUALITY ASSURED AND CERTIFIED QUALIFICATIONS

|  | National Senior Certificate (NSC)   | Amended Senior<br>Certificate (ASC)   | National Certificate<br>Vocational (NCV) Level 4   | General Education and<br>Training Certificate: Adult<br>Basic Education and<br>Training (GETC: ABET) |
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| On which NQF level is the qualification?         | NQF Level 4   | NQF Level 4   | NQF Level 4  | NQF Level 1  |
| What kind of qualification is this?              | Academic qualification  | Academic qualification  | Vocational qualification   | General qualification with academic and vocational subjects  |
| Which Grade is equivalent to this qualification? | Grade 12  | Grade 12  | Grade 12   | Grade 9  |
| Who can study for the qualification?             | School learners who are between the ages of 16 and 19 years old and who have passed Grade 9 | Adult learners who are over the age of 21 years old who have *a GETC: ABET or passed Grade 9 or have an equivalent NQF level 1 qualification that has 2 official languages *an incomplete Senior Certificate post 2014 *an incomplete NSC and an expired School-Based Assessment component  Out of school youth 18 -21 years old who could not complete their school education and due to special circumstances could not be accommodated longer in the school system as verified by the Head of Department | School learners who are between the ages of 16 and 19 years old and who have passed Grade 9 or another NQF level 1 qualification | Learners who are 16 years or older who have not passed Grade 9 or another NQF level 1 qualification  |
| How long does it                                 | A minimum of three years,   | It takes a minimum of one   | A minimum of three years,  | Minimum of one year to   |
| take to complete the                             | from Grade 10, then Grade   | year to complete the  | since NC(V) Level 2 and  | complete AET level 4 which is  |

| qualification | 11 and finally Grade 12 | qualification | NC(V) Level 3 must be        | the point of certification. The |
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|               |                         |               | completed before entry into  | one year does not include AET   |
|               |                         |               | NC(V) Level 4. Each of the   | Levels 1 – 3.                   |
|               |                         |               | NC(V) qualifications lasts a |                                 |
|               |                         |               | minimum of 1 year.           |                                 |

| How many subjects are required to successfully complete the qualification? | Register for 7 subjects *1 Official language at Home Language (HL) Level *1 Official Language at First Additional Language (FAL) Level *Maths/Mathematics Literacy *Life Orientation *3 subjects from the list of approved NSC subjects | Register for 6 subjects  New SC applicants *2 Official languages *Mathematics/Mathematical Literacy *3 Subjects selected from the list of newly approved SC subjects  Learners with SC credits obtained before July 2014 *Select the remaining subject from the list of approved SC subjects  NSC part-time repeaters *3 subjects selected from the list of approved SC subjects *Mathematics is a requirement for certification purposes | Register for 7 subjects *1 Official language at HL or FAL level *Life Orientation *Maths/Mathematics Literacy *4 subjects chosen from the vocational programmes                | Register for a minimum of 5 subjects which must add up to 120 credits *Language, Literacy and Communication *Mathematical Literacy/ Mathematical and Mathematical Sciences *Life Orientation * A minimum of 2 electives from the Academic or Vocational specialisations which must make up 51 credits |
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| What are the pass requirements for the qualification?                      | * Minimum 40% in 3<br>subjects, one of which must<br>be an official language at HL<br>level<br>* Minimum 30% in 3 subjects<br>*Submit the SBA component<br>in the failed subject  | *Minimum 40% in a minimum of 5 subjects which must include 2 languages, one at HL and one at FAL Level *Obtain a minimum aggregate of 720 marks *A sub-minimum of 20% in the failed subject   | *Minimum 40% in the required official language *Minimum 40% in Life Orientation *Minimum 30% in Maths/ Mathematical Literacy *Minimum 50% in each of the 4 vocational subjects | Minimum 50% in a minimum of 5 subjects which must add up to 120 credits   |
| Where can one study for this qualification?                                | At public schools or independent schools accredited by Umalusi  | At public Adult Learning<br>Centres or private Adult<br>Learning Centres accredited<br>by Umalusi   | At public Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET) colleges or Umalusi-accredited private TVET colleges  | At public Adult Learning<br>Centres or private Adult<br>Learning Centres accredited<br>by Umalusi   |