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Country Institution Non-Common Module 80 WH

LV National Defence Academy of Latvia Close Quarter Battle (CQB) valid for 3.0 ECTS

| Service  | Minimum Qualification of Instructors  |
|----------|---|
| All      | <ul> <li>English Common European Framework of reference for Languages (CEFR)<br/>level B2 or NATO STANAG 6001 Level 3.</li> </ul> |
| Language | <ul> <li>Qualified as shooting instructor with safety qualification according to national<br/>requirements.</li> </ul>            |
| English  | Experience in conducting collective training at least for squad size unit.  |

# Prerequisites for international participants

- English Common European Framework of reference for Languages (CEFR) level B1 or NATO STANAG 6001 Level
- Cadets from the 2<sup>nd</sup> year (or similar).

## **Goal of the Module**

- Personal weapon system (assault rifle) handling.
- Targets with close distances under limited visibility.
- Tactics in Close Quarter Battle.

| Learning outcomes | Know-<br>ledge  | <ul> <li>Cadet knows safety regulations conducting the live fire exercise.</li> <li>Cadet knows fundamentals of marksmanship.</li> </ul> |
|-------------------|---|--|
|                   | Is able to select adequate position, conduct observationation and engagement. |  |
|                   | Responsi-<br>bility &<br>Autonomy   | Cadet is capable to make fast decision to choose appropriate aiming technique in order to be precise in engagement.                      |

## **Verification of learning outcomes:**

#### Observation

Throughout the module cadets are to fulfil given tasks according to Close Quarter Battle tactics. During the training each cadet is evaluated.

#### Test

During the different training stages live firing tests are conducted. At the end of the practical part of the module a final examination is conducted.

### • Tactical exercise:

Every cadet evaluation is based on his/her performance during the live firing exercises.





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|                              |                        | Module details   |
|------------------------------|------------------------|--|
| Main Topic                   | Recom-<br>mended<br>WH | Details  |
| Safety regulations           | 1                      | Safety regulations in live firing exercise.  |
| Personal weapon system       | 2                      | Description of personal weapon system and weapon handling test (WHT).  |
| Basic elements of CQB        | 23                     | Zeroing of weapons.  • Live firing in close ranges including close battle elements.  |
| Live firing in mid ranges    | 8                      | <ul> <li>During tactical exercise of 8 hours the Cadet is<br/>performing live firing in standing, kneeling and<br/>prone position from different distances (100m,<br/>200m and 300m).</li> </ul>   |
| Live firing in mid distances | 15                     | During tactical exercise of 15 hours the Cadet is<br>performing live firing on the move with limited<br>available time.  |
| Close Quarter Battle         | 31                     | <ul> <li>Close quarter battle in different environments (individual basic level).</li> <li>Close quarter battle in the different environments (individual advanced level).</li> <li>Close quarter battle in different environments (live firing in pairs).</li> <li>Close quarter battle in different environments (advanced level in pairs).</li> </ul> |
| Total lecture WH             | 80                     |  |





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## **List of Abbreviations:**

| B1, B2 | CEFR Levels  |
|--------|--|
| CEFR   | Common European Framework of Reference for Languages |
| CQB    | Close Quarter Battle                                 |
| ECTS   | European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System     |
| LV     | Latvia   |
| NATO   | North Atlantic Treaty Organization                   |
| NDAL   | National Defence Academy of Latvia                   |
| STANAG | Standardization Agreement                            |
| WH     | Working Hour   |
| WHT    | weapon handling test                                 |