

Plant and Equipment Risk Assessment

	Hired From All Master Hire Stores	Equipment:		Co	ncrete Mixer - P	etrol	Approved By: Steven Jose		
Equipment		-	Manufacturer				lb-		
Location:					rious		Signature:	//	
Hazard		Det	Action Required Yes/No	i	Risk Level (Refer to risk matrix)	Hierarchy of Control	Hazard and Risk Treati Report Form)	ment (Complete Hazard	Risk Level after Risk Treatment (Refer to risk matrix)
Entanglement									,
Can anyone's habrushes, rags or	air, clothing, gloves, necktie, jewellery, cleaning other materials become entangled with moving t, or materials in motion?		⊠ Yes □ No		HIGH	⊠ Elimination □ Substitution ☑ Isolation □ Engineering ☑ Administration ☑ PPE	jewellry	ecals h into engine area each into bowl area icing or	LOW
Crushing									
 Uncontrol load? Lack of one immobilities The plant Parts of Coming testing, in Being the 	falling off the plant? colled or unexpected movement of the plant or it capacity for the plant to be slowed, stopped or zed? at tipping or rolling over? the plant collapsing? in contact with moving parts of the plant during in contact with moving parts of the plant during inspection, use, maintenance, cleaning or reparown off or under the plant? apped between the plant and materials or fixed es?	J ir?	⊠ Yes □ No		MEDIUM	⊠ Elimination □ Substitution □ Isolation □ Engineering ☑ Administration □ PPE	Follow manufactured Obey all warning de Do not leave machin running DO NOT overload to Be careful when un contents as weight/ Ensure machine is while transporting Place machine on found to the while operating DO NOT use this mincline or slope	ecals ne unattended while he mixer bowl loading bowl balance will shift securely tied down irm, level ground	LOW

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Cutting, Stabbing and Puncturing					
Can anyone be cut, stabbed or punctured due to? Coming in contact with sharp or flying objects? Coming in contact with moving parts of the plant during testing, inspection, operation, maintenance, cleaning or repair of the plant? Plant, parts of the plant or work pieces disintegrating? Work pieces being ejected? The mobility of the plant? Uncontrolled or unexpected movement of the plant? Other factors?	⊠ Yes □ No	HIGH	☐ Elimination ☐ Substitution ☑ Isolation ☐ Engineering ☑ Administration ☑ PPE	Follow manufacturers' instructions Obey all warning decals Do not lean or reach into engine area with motor running Do not lean on or reach into bowl area with motor running Do not do any servicing or maintenance with motor running Ensure all safety guards and fixtures are in place and working correctly Before operation conduct a safety check to ensure all working pieces are in good condition Ensure appropriate PPEs are used (e.g. protection for eyes, hands, hearing and footwear)	LOW
Shearing				,	
Can anyone's body parts be: Sheared between two or more parts of the plant, or between a part of the plant and a work piece or structure?	⊠ Yes □ No	HIGH	☐ Elimination ☐ Substitution ☑ Isolation ☐ Engineering ☑ Administration ☑ PPE	Follow manufacturers' instructions Obey all warning decals Do not lean or reach into engine area with motor running Do not lean on or reach into bowl area with motor running Do not do any servicing or maintenance with motor running Ensure appropriate PPEs are used (e.g. protection for eyes, hands, hearing and footwear)	MEDIUM
Friction				,	
Can anyone be burnt, gain abrasions etc. due to: Contact with moving parts or surfaces of the plant, or material handled by the plant?	⊠ Yes □ No	MEDIUM	☐ Elimination ☐ Substitution ☑ Isolation ☐ Engineering ☑ Administration ☑ PPE	Follow manufacturers' instructions Obey all warning decals Do not do any servicing or maintenance with motor running Allow motor and other components to cool before servicing Hot parts that require access should be guarded	LOW

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				Ensure appropriate PPEs are used	
				(e.g. protection for eyes, hands, hearing and footwear)	
Striking				mounty and rootmout	1
Can anyone be struck by moving objects due to: Uncontrolled or unexpected movement of the plant or material handled by the plant? Plant, parts of the plant or work pieces disintegrating? Work pieces being ejected? Mobility of the plant? Other factors?	⊠ Yes □ No	HIGH	⊠ Elimination □ Substitution □ Isolation ⋈ Engineering ⋈ Administration ☑ PPE	Follow manufacturers' instructions Obey all warning decals Do not lean or reach into engine area with motor running Do not lean on or reach into bowl area with motor running Do not do any servicing or maintenance with motor running Ensure appropriate PPEs are used (e.g. protection for eyes, hands, hearing and footwear)	MEDIUM
High Pressure Fluid					
Can anyone come into contact with? Fluids under high pressure in normal use, in the instance of plant failure?	☐ Yes ☑ No		☐ Elimination ☐ Substitution ☐ Isolation ☐ Engineering ☐ Administration ☐ PPE		
Electrical			<u> </u>		
Can anyone be injured by electrical shock or burnt due to: The plant contacting live electrical conductors? Plant working close to electrical conductors? Overload of electrical circuits? Damaged or poorly maintenance electrical leads or cables? Damaged electrical switches? Water near electrical equipment? Lack of isolation procedures? Other factors	☐ Yes ☑ No		☐ Elimination ☐ Substitution ☐ Isolation ☐ Engineering ☐ Administration ☐ PPE		
Explosion					
Can anyone be injured by fuels such as gases, vapors, liquids, dusts or other substances being ignited triggered by the operation of the plant or by materials handled by the plant?	⊠ Yes □ No	MEDIUM	☐ Elimination ☐ Substitution ☑ Isolation ☐ Engineering ☑ Administration ☐ PPE	Follow manufacturers' instructions Obey all warning decals Fuel filling must be carried out in well ventilated space, away from ignition source/s	Low

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				Engine must be switched off and cooled before fuel filling Avoid contact with hot surfaces such as exhaust system Do NOT smoke near or whilst operating machine Ensure appropriate PPEs are used (e.g. protection for eyes, hands, hearing and footwear)	
Slipping, tripping and Falling					
Can anyone using the plant, or in the vicinity of the plant, slip, trip or fall due to: Uneven or slippery work surfaces? Poor housekeeping, such as shavings in the vicinity of the plant, spillage not cleaned up? Obstacles being placed in the vicinity of the plant? Other factors?	⊠ Yes □ No	MEDIUM	☐ Elimination ☐ Substitution ☐ Isolation ☑ Engineering ☑ Administration ☑ PPE	Follow manufacturers' instructions Obey all warning decals Inspect work area before operating machinery and ensure a clear work area Ensure appropriate PPEs are used (e.g. protection for eyes, hands, hearing and footwear)	LOW
High Temperature				,	
Can anyone:	⊠ Yes □ No	MEDIUM	☐ Elimination ☐ Substitution ☑ Isolation ☐ Engineering ☑ Administration ☑ PPE	Follow manufacturers' instructions Obey all warning decals Do not lean or reach into engine area with motor running Do not do any servicing or maintenance with motor running Allow motor and other components to cool before servicing Caution of ignition source near the muffler Ensure appropriate PPEs are used (e.g. protection for eyes, hands, hearing and footwear)	LOW
Temperature and Thermal Comfort					
Can anyone suffer ill-health due to: Exposure to high or low temperatures? Failure of air conditioning equipment?	⊠ Yes □ No	MEDIUM	☐ Elimination ☐ Substitution ☐ Isolation ☐ Engineering ☑ Administration ☑ PPE	Follow manufacturers' instructions Obey all warning decals Take regular breaks/rests Maintain normal hydration levels Exercise/stretch regularly	Low

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				Schedule work with climatic conditions in mind e.g. early morning or late afternoon during hot temperature days Do not operate beyond your personal capabilities Wear appropriate PPE (e.g. clothing, sun protection, footwear)	
Suffocation					
Can anyone be suffocated due to: Lack of oxygen, or atmospheric contamination?	⊠ Yes □ No	MEDIUM	⊠ Elimination □ Substitution □ Isolation □ Engineering ☑ Administration ☑ PPE	Follow manufacturers' instructions Obey all warning decals Position and operate in well ventilated place Ensure appropriate PPEs are used (e.g. protection for eyes, hands, hearing and footwear)	LOW
Ergonomics					
Can anyone be injured due to: Poorly designed seating? Repetitive body movements? Constrained body posture or the need for excessive effort? Design deficiency causing physical or personal stress? Inadequate or poorly placed lighting? Lack of consideration given to human error or human behavior? Mismatch of the plant with human traits and natural limitations? Other factors?	⊠ Yes □ No	LOW	⊠ Elimination □ Substitution □ Isolation ☑ Engineering ☑ Administration □ PPE	Follow manufacturers' instructions Obey all warning decals Take regular breaks/rests Exercise/stretch regularly Do not operate beyond your personal capabilities Use suitably designed and secured loading/unloading procedures including crane, hoist, ramps etc. Observe and use proper manual handling techniques	LOW
Transportation					•
Can anyone be injured by this equipment falling or driven off vehicle or trailer while loading, unloading or transportation?	⊠ Yes □ No	MEDIUM	☐ Elimination ☐ Substitution ☐ Isolation ☑ Engineering ☑ Administration ☑ PPE	Follow manufacturers' instructions Obey all warning decals Ensure engine and fuel is switched off Ensure equipment, attachments and sundry items are securely tied down Ensure liquids are prevented from spillage Maintain vehicle and/or equipment in good working order - report any	LOW

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Operational				malfunction or damage to Master Hire immediately and stop using equipment where it is reasonable to foresee further risk to persons or damage to equipment Ensure appropriate PPEs are used (e.g. protection for eyes, hands, hearing and footwear)	
Can anyone be injured by this equipment	Yes No	MEDIUM	☐ Elimination ☐ Substitution ☐ Isolation ☑ Engineering ☑ Administration ☑ PPE	Follow manufacturers' instructions Obey all warning decals Ensure equipment is on stable ground and clear of obstructions Ensure adequate ventilation Ensure safety gears, levers, switches etc. are engaged/disengaged appropriately before starting/operating Ensure machine is switched off before making any adjustments Do not do any servicing or maintenance with motor running Do not lean on or reach into bowl area with motor running Avoid all protrusions from concrete surface e.g. pipes, reinforcing material etc. Do not operate on steep slope Do not operate while under the influence of alcohol or drugs Ensure appropriate PPEs are used (e.g. protection for eyes, hands, hearing and footwear)	LOW

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Other Hazards							
Can anyone be injured of Chemicals? Toxic gases or value of Fumes? Dust? Noise? Vibration? Radiation? Other Factors?	or suffer ill-health from exposure to:	⊠ Yes □ No	LOW	⊠ Elimination □ Substitution □ Isolation ⊠ Engineering ☑ Administration ☑ PPE	Follow manufacturers' instructions Obey all warning decals Operate in well-ventilated areas only Check for overhead/underground utilities (gas, water, electrical) before operation Ensure equipment is appropriately labeled and meet the relevant State Legislative requirements Maintain vehicle and/or equipment in good working order - report any malfunction or damage to Master Hire immediately and stop using equipment where it is reasonable to foresee further risk to persons or damage to equipment Ensure appropriate PPEs are used (e.g. protection for eyes, hands, hearing and footwear)	LOW	
Further Comments:	A Specific Risk Assessment on site mu	st been underta	ken prior to pla	nt operation?			
	n/operated by competent persons and holders of the appropriate license						
Checklist:	 ✓ Manufacturers' manuals referenced ✓ Copy kept in Master Hires' Risk Management 	ent File					

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Hazard / Risk Matrix

Reference: Workplace Health and Safety Queensland - Risk Assessment - Supplement 2 Risk Management Code of Practice 2007

Step 1 Determine Likelihood – What is the possibility of the event happening?

	Criteria	Description
Almost certain	Expected in most circumstances.	Event is a common problem
Likely	Will probably occur in most circumstances.	Event is known to have occurred at this site or it has happened
Possible	Might occur at some time	Event could occur at the site or I've heard of it happening
Unlikely	Could occur at some time	Event is not likely to occur at the site or I have not heard of it happening
Rare	May occur only in exceptional circumstances	Event is practically impossible.

Step 2 Determine Consequence - What will be the result if it happens?

Classification	Example detail description
Insignificant	No injuries
Minor	First aid treatment only; spillage contained at site.
Moderate	Medical treatment; spillage contained but with outside help.
Major	Extensive injuries; loss of production
Catastrophic	Death; toxic release of chemicals

Step 3 Determine the risk score

	CONSEQUENCE							
LIKELIHOOD	Insignificant	Minor	Moderate	Major	Catastrophic			
Almost certain	3 High	3 High	4 Acute	4 Acute	4 Acute			
Likely	2 Medium	3 High	3 High	4 Acute	4 Acute			
Possible	1 Low	2 Medium	3 High	4 Acute	4 Acute			
Unlikely	1 Low	1 Low	2 Medium	3 High	4 Acute			
Rare	1 Low	1 Low	2 Medium	3 High	3 High			

Step 4 Record risk score against the job sequence steps
(Note – Risk scores have no absolute value and should only be used for comparison and to engender discussion.)

Score	Action
4 A: Acute	ACT NOW – Urgent – do something about the risks immediately. Requires immediate attention.
3 H: High	Highest management decision is required urgently.
2 M: Medium	Follow management instructions.
1 L: Low	OK for now. Record and review if any equipment/ people/ materials/ work processes or procedures change.

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