

# HAZARD RISK IDENTIFICATION

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY BEFORE ERECTING SCAFFOLDING.  
IF IN DOUBT ASK OLDFIELDS

HAZARD IDENTIFICATION	RISK ASSESSED	POSSIBLE RISK CONTROL
Collapse of scaffold	<b>SERIOUS</b>	All Scaffolds over <b>4m</b> must be erected by WorkCover approved or authorized personnel. Tower erection procedures <b>must</b> be adhered to. Scaffold <b>must</b> always be erected to AssemblyInstructions.
Electrocution	<b>SERIOUS</b>	Scaffold must not be used within 4.6m of overhead electrical wiring. Always look above when moving Scaffold Tower.
Falling from scaffold	<b>SERIOUS</b>	Hand rails and mid rails <b>must</b> be used on every deck level. Workers <b>must</b> not ride on scaffold when the scaffold is being moved. At no time can a ladder be used on the deck of a scaffold to gain additional height - Neither step or extension. Internal ladders <b>must</b> be fitted to the scaffold for access to working decks. Do not climb on the outside of the scaffold. Internal ladder access must be used.
Material falling from scaffold	<b>SERIOUS</b>	Toeboards must be fitted on all working deck levels of a scaffold. Ensure there are no holes or gaps in decks that material can fall through.
Sloping Ground	<b>SERIOUS</b>	All castors used in mobile scaffold towers <b>must</b> be fitted with brakes. Castor brakes <b>must</b> be applied at all times whilst the scaffold is in use. Mobile Scaffolds must not be used on sloping surface greater than 5 degrees.