

STOP THE DROP - RISK CHECKER

Working with mobile scaffolding - Does this hazard exist?

	Hazard	YES	NO
1.	People falling from scaffold platforms.	0	0
2	Materials falling from scaffold platforms.	0	0
3	Scaffold collapsing.	0	0
4	Plant, vehicles or persons colliding with scaffold.	0	0
5	Other (please state)	0	0

YES IT DOES - if you have ticked at least one answer in the YES column

Please note that the list below may not cover all the possible cases in which there are hazards. Please add additional information for your own purposes

Preventative measures being used to reduce risk					
	All scaffold towers will be properly constructed in accord- ance with British and European Standards, manufacturer's instructions and must comply with current legislation		Stabilisers, with pad feet, or outriggers will be used as appropriate.		
	Scaffold towers will be assembled, dismantled or signifi- cantly altered only by persons who have received appro- priate and specific training and under the supervision of a competent person.		To ensure stability, the height to least base ratio will not be greater than the manufacturers recommendations.		
	Toe boards and guardrails will be provided where a person is at risk of falling a distance which is liable to cause per- sonal injury, toe-boards shall be suitable and sufficient to prevent the fall of any person, material, or object, from any place of work; and any intermediate guard-rail or similar means of protection, shall be positioned to provide suita- ble protection.		Any surface upon which a supporting structure rests will be stable, of sufficient strength and of suitable composition to safely support the structure, the working platform, and any loading intended to be placed on to the working platform.		
			A safe means of access will always be provided either by way of suitable internal ladders, or ladder sections integrated with frame. Climbing, using the horizontal members will not be permitted.		
	The dimensions, form and layout of working platforms will be appropriate to the nature of the work to be performed, and suitable for the loads to be carried, and must permit work in safety.		No scaffold tower will be used until a competent person has inspected and approved it for use. It shall be inspected at regular intervals not exceeding 7 days, after any event, which may have affected its strength or stability, or after substantial alteration etc.		
	Equipment will only be used outside if weather conditions permit safe use.		Traffic/pedestrian routes will be used to prevent contact with structures.		
	Towers will only be moved after materials and users are removed from the working platforms.		Scaffold towers will be erected on firm level ground.		
	OTHER (Please specify)		OTHER (Please specify)		



