

Construction Tools Checklist

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Tools, Hand, and Power:

- Hand tools maintained in a safe condition
- Power tools, belts, gears, shafts, pulleys, sprockets, spindles, drums, fly wheels, and chains are properly guarded
- Electric power-operated tools equipped with proper ground or are double insulated
- Foot protection for workers using jackhammers or tampers
- Eye and face protection for workers machines or conditions present potential eye or face injury from physical, chemical, or radiation agents
- All workers using power actuated tools have been trained to use that tool

Wood Working Tools :

- All circular saws have an exhaust hood or a guard to prevent accidental contact with the saw blade if there is a possibility of contact either beneath or behind the table
- All portable circular saws have guards above and below the base plate that will automatically and instantly return to the covering position when the saw is withdrawn from work
- Hand-fed circular rip saws have an upper blade guard
- Hand-fed circular rip saws have a spreader
- Hand-fed circular rip saws have non-kickback fingers or dogs
- Radial arm saws equipped with an adjustable stop or sufficiently wide table so that saw blade does not pass the edge of the table