

Task Risk Control Sheet

Working on Signalling Wire Runs, Rodding, Treadles and Plungers

RCS No: NR/L3/MTC/RCS0216/SIG10
Issue: 3

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Needle / Sharp stick injury Contact with oils and greases Weed/Vermin contamination Injury of body parts Structure collapse 	Personnel Involved	E&P	
			S&T	✓
			P/Way	
			Off Track	
			Property	

Tools / Equipment Various Hand Tools

Plant

Key Risks	Controls	Implemented By
General Hazards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Set up a safe system of work See Risk control Sheet NR/L3/MTC/RCS0216/GA01 – Work On or Near The Line See Risk control Sheet NR/L3/MTC/RCS0216/GH02 – Underfoot Conditions See Risk control Sheet NR/L3/MTC/RCS0216/GH01 – Manual Handling 	COSS Team Leader / All Staff
Electrocution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> See Risk Control sheets NR/L3/MTC/RCS0216/GA20 Working Adjacent to DC Electrified Rails Risk Level 1- 5, See Task Risk Control Sheet NR/L3/MTC/RCS0216/GA21 - Working Near Electrical Overhead Line Equipment 	Team Leader/ COSS/ All Staff
Needle / Sharps stick injury	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be vigilant when conducting work. See Risk control Sheet NR/L3/MTC/RCS0216/GA22 -Removal of discarded needles and syringes. 	All Staff All Staff
Contact with oils and greases	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Comply with data sheet requirements Hand protection – gloves and/or barrier creams 	Team Leader / All Staff
Injury of body parts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hand protection when required. When lowering objects keep all body parts clear 	Team Leader / All Staff
Vermin Vegetation and Weed contamination	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> See Risk control Sheet NR/L3/MTC/RCS0216/GH03 – Biological and Chemical Hazards See Risk control Sheet NR/L3/MTC/RCS0216/GHE01– Invasive and injurious plants Hand protection. Suitable hand cleaner /washing facilities shall be available 	All Staff

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Structure Collapse	<p>If you are planning to make a change to a handrail (e.g. attach cables or other kit):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Obtain approval before making permanent alterations, or adding significant temporary additional load (e.g.cables) to a handrail, by contacting the Route Asset Manager (RAM) (Civils – Structures) RAM (Civils – Structures) will decide whether the handrail is able to safely accept the changed load and give further guidance as necessary. 	Team Leader / All Staff

PPE Required by NR / Maintenance Policy



Wear Head Protection



Wear Foot Protection



Wear Hi Visibility Clothing



Wear Safety glasses to BS EN166.F

If safety glasses introduce a risk (ie weather conditions) then the Team Leader shall assess the risk. The outcome of the assessment shall be recorded on the SSOWPS pack and safety glasses may be removed.
This does not supersede the requirements for eye protection detailed on relevant Task Risk Control Sheets.

Additional PPE Required by Task Risk Control Sheet



Wear Hand Protection

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