

Task Risk Control Sheet



Use of Cold Bolt Expansion Equipment

RCS No: NR/L3/MTC/RCS0216/SP23
Issue: 2

Key Risks !

- Eye Injury
- Trapped Limbs
- Manual Handling
- Hydraulic Oil Injection
- Component Damage
- Noise

Personnel Involved

E&P	
S&T	
Track	✓
Off Track	
Property	

Tools / Equipment Cold Bolt Expansion Powerpack, Gun, Mandrels

Plant None

Key Risks	Controls	Implemented By
Pre use Checks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Equipment shall be part of a maintenance schedule • Check equipment is within its inspection date prior to use • Visually check connections hoses and equipment for damage prior to use • Only trained and competent people shall operate 	Line Manager All Staff
Eye Injury	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eye protection to BS EN166 1.F shall be worn whilst operating 	All Staff / COSS / Team Leader
Noise	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wear correct ear defenders to EN352 whilst operating 	All staff
Trapped Limbs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Keep fingers, hands, arms, feet away from the rail and nosecap of the rail puller unit during operation of the system. The puller unit self aligns during the process and generates large forces. • Stop power pack before cleaning inside of puller unit • Stop power pack before removing any used mandrels from the puller unit 	All Staff / COSS / Team Leader
Manual handling	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff shall be trained in manual handling • See Risk Control Sheet NR/L3/MTC/RCS0216/GH01 – Manual Handling 	Line Manager / All Staff / COSS / Team Leader
Hydraulic Oil Injection	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do not use hoses to move the puller or power pack • Check power pack is stopped, pressure released and hoses purged before connecting or disconnecting hoses on the puller unit • In the event of a ruptured hose stop the power pack • Never use your hand to grab a leaking hose under pressure. 	Line Manager / All Staff / COSS / Team Leader
Component Damage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do not re-use split sleeves • Do not use mandrels worn beyond minimum allowable diameter • Always check correct alignment of sleeve and mandrel in the hole 	All Staff / COSS / Team Leader

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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



Wear Hearing Protection to BS EN352

Wear Head Protection