

Monthly Inspection policy

All company owned and employee owned personal protective equipment and tools shall be inspected formally on a monthly basis. These inspections shall take place during the first safety meeting of every month. In addition to this policy these items shall be inspected before each use as well. This policy should be posted in a conspicuous place.

Items to be inspected shall include articles of personal protective equipment including All personal fall protection equipment (harnesses, lanyards, rope grabs, retractable, portable anchorages beamers, etc.). Hand tools including hammers, spud wrenches, sleever bars, bull pins, wrenches etc. should be in good working condition as well.

The list above is not all inclusive. It is intended only to serve as a guide for the types of things to look for during inspections. Any defective equipment must be taken out of service immediately and replaced or repaired as required.

Fall Protection equipment, Rigging and Ladders will fall subject to the monthly color code policy to document that the inspection has been completed. This can be accomplished in several ways, the normal means being the application of colored electrical tape or equivalent.



MONTHLY COLOR CODES FOR HARNESSES AND RIGGING

JANUARY	BLUE	
FEBRUARY	RED	
MARCH	GREEN	
APRIL	WHITE	
MAY	ORANGE	
JUNE	BLUE	
JULY	YELLOW	
AUGUST	PURPLE	
SEPTEMBER	RED	
OCTOBER	ORANGE	
NOVEMBER	WHITE	
DECEMBER	GREEN	