

## **Item Hazard Report**

## **Potential Hazards**

Hilco advises that the item of item being purchased potentially contains hazards. If this item is being purchased for use, the purchaser is reminded of their legislative obligations to identify and control hazards with the item before use

Category 1: Major Potential Hazards	
Specific warnings or conditions	<ul> <li>Refer to any technical or operating manuals, safe use instructions that are made available</li> </ul>
Entanglement	Lack of guarding
	PPE, Hair or other body parts caught in moving parts
	Rotating parts
Crushing	Falling, uncontrolled or unexpected movement of item or load
	Item tipping or rolling over
	<ul> <li>Being trapped under or between the item, and/or fixed structure</li> </ul>
	Struck by moving parts
Striking	Item disintegrating
	Work pieces thrown out
	Moving parts
Explosion or loss of contents	Gas, dust or vapour emissions
	Storage of haz chemicals/ DG's near item
	Collapse or fragmentation
Fire	Friction
	<ul><li>Ingress of materials/fluids</li></ul>
	Build-up of materials/ lubricants
	Fluids / lubricants
Dust	Explosive atmosphere
	Breathing hazard
	Reduced visibility
Loss of load	Materials falling or rolling from item
Chemical	Leaking from item
	<ul><li>Splashing</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Explosion</li></ul>





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Category 2: Moderate Potential Hazards	
Pressure	<ul><li>Hydraulic leak</li><li>Fluid penetration of skin</li></ul>
Electrical	<ul> <li>Lack of insulation or isolation</li> <li>Power lead damaged / faulty</li> </ul>
	Poor earthing or water near equipment
Cut, stab, or puncture	<ul><li>Lack of Guarding</li><li>Flying objects, moving parts, pinch points or sharp edges</li></ul>
Shearing:	Between two moving parts of the item
Abrasion, tearing or stretching:	<ul><li>Between moving parts or surfaces of the item</li><li>Continuous contact with moving parts</li></ul>
Isolation of energy sources?	<ul> <li>Hydraulic pressure</li> <li>Compressed gases</li> <li>Electrical feeds / capacitors</li> <li>Suspended loads</li> </ul>

Category 3: Minor Potential Hazards	
Vibration	Item becomes unstable
	<ul> <li>Causes physical problems for the operator whilst operating</li> </ul>
Noise	■ Emit >85 dBA at the operator
Noise	Effects operator communication
Light	Darkens surrounding areas
Operator training	Competency assessments
	<ul> <li>Documentation, including Operator's manuals</li> </ul>
	Equipment experience, Product knowledge
Manual handling	Repetitive or sustained movements
, and the second	<ul> <li>Awkward positions, strained movements or poorly designed seating</li> </ul>
	Difficult to understand
Ergonomic - operating controls	Function not identified
	<ul> <li>Inappropriate controls &amp; switches</li> </ul>
	Labelling of controls and indicators

