



Personal Protection Equipment

When you see the directions below, you are obligated to follow them.

PPE mandatory signs

Instructions



Eye and face protection

- Wear safety goggles.
- Make sure the goggles are clean and not too loose.
- Note: regular glasses are not safety goggles and may never serve as an alternative. You always need to wear either safety goggles over your regular glasses, or prescription safety goggles.



Hearing protection

- Wear hearing protection.
- Not wearing hearing protection can lead to permanent hearing damage.
- Hearing protection is mandatory by law from 85dB.



Safety footwear

- Always wear high work shoes with laces.
- Note: it is forbidden to wear safety footwear as slip-on shoes, without or with laces.



Helmet

- It is mandatory to wear a safety helmet with a four-point interior.
- If something has fallen onto the helmet, the helmet must be replaced.
- Make sure the helmet does not fall through the manholes in the tank.



Safety harness

- Wearing a safety harness and line is mandatory.
- Make sure the harness is properly adjusted to your body.
- No option to secure your line on the customer's site? Use the anchor points on your trailer/ container.
- No possibility of securing your line anywhere? Do not work at height and report this to your supervisor.



Gloves

- Wear gloves in all operations.
- You must have several pairs of gloves: one pair for dirty work (leather) for tasks such as coupling and uncoupling, and one (clean) pair of rubber gloves for work on the tank and accessories (hoses and couplings and the cleaning of these)



High visibility clothing

- Always wear a fluorescent vest or jacket when leaving the cabin.

Maintenance

The PPE should be checked before starting the shift. The employee is responsible for its use and maintenance. In case of defects or a need for other PPE this should be reported to the supervisor.

Expiration date

Various PPE have an expiry date. The safety harness and line must be inspected every year. The helmet and safety harness and line must be replaced every 5 years. These should be replaced before reaching the expiration date. Requesting this PPE is done through your immediate supervisor.