

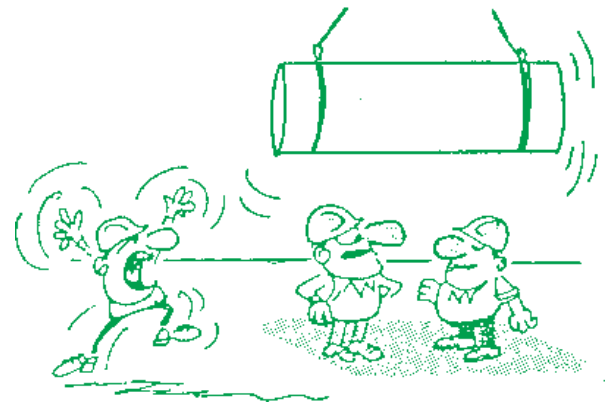


LIFTING & SLINGING

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CIVIL CONSTRUCTION SAFETY GUIDES

- Slinging and lifting **must be** carried out by properly trained and certified persons
- Plan the lift, **don't** overload equipment
- Slings **must** be positioned correctly, not over sharp edges or corners
- Use lifting lugs, **no** multiple slings on the same hook
- Chains, slings and other attachments **must be** tested and tagged
- **No** person is to ride a sling or hook
- **Don't** stand under a suspended load
- **Always** stand well clear of the load to avoid injury if the load swings, slips or spills
- **Always** keep slings away from chemicals
- **Never** combine slings, eg nylon and chains



FOR FURTHER FOR INFORMATION REFER AUSTRALIAN STANDARDS, 1418, 2550 & PLANT REGULATION 3.2.29
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- Shackles must be used where slings are attached to eye bolts or lifting lugs
- Slings must be regularly checked and kept in good condition
- All hooks must be supplied with devices to prevent load movement
- Multiple slings must be shackled together and placed on the hook
- Worn or damaged slings must be discarded or repaired by the manufacturer
- The lifting area must be secured to prevent unauthorised entry
- Don't stand between the materials and the load
- Keep hands and feet well clear of pinch points
- Never leave the load suspended without an operator at the controls

