



Hazards	cuts, electrical
Tools/Equipment	
Employee Group(s)	Facilities Management – Jig and Recep Saws

Required PPE:



Safety Shoes



Ear
Protection



Respirator

SAFE WORK PRACTICES

- Do not perform the procedure or operate the equipment until you have been appropriately trained and authorized to do so by your supervisor.
- Inspect required personal protective equipment (PPE) and replace if required.
- Do not wear loose-fitting clothing, dangling jewelry, etc.
- Keep work area clean and keep extension cords away.

PROCEDURE

1. Check for proper clearance beneath the work bench or material you are cutting.
2. Always check for wires and pipes behind a wall.
3. Hold the tool by the insulated surface.
4. Hold the tool firmly and keep hands away from moving parts.
5. Do not leave the tool running – operate only when handheld.
6. Always switch off and wait for the blade to come to a complete stop.
7. Do not touch the blade immediately after operating as it may be hot.
8. Always clean up work area after the job is completed.

NOTE: All PPE, tools and equipment shall be used in accordance with provincial OH&S legislation, manufacturer's specifications, applicable standards and codes of practice.