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## 1. Introduction:

1.1 Working platforms of Primary examples in potentially hazardou

## 2. Main Points:

- 2.1 Trestle platforms, st short-term work. Co
- 2.2 Only equipment des such. Makeshift plat
- 2.3 The minimum width
- 2.4 Where 2m in height toe-boards must be

## 3. Points to remember

- 3.1 Ensure the surface i.e. level and firm.
- 3.2 Consider access to
- 3.3 Never "piggy back"
- 3.4 Only case hardened ties etc.
- Never balance trest extra height.
- 3.6 Do not use trestles, extra height.
- 3.7 When using steplad ropes/chains prior to
- Stepladder rungs m platforms.
- 3.9 Do not over reach v them!

nything used to achieve your task. nd stepladders, both of which are d safely.

nerally only be used for light, description doesn't apply.

platforms should be used as afe and unnecessary.

should be 600mm.

ils, intermediate guard-rails and

atform is to be erected is suitable,

restle bearers — not nails, brick

reeze blocks, oil drums etc to gain

olding, tower scaffolds etc to gain

les, hinges and restraining take out of service and report it.

rt boards and create working

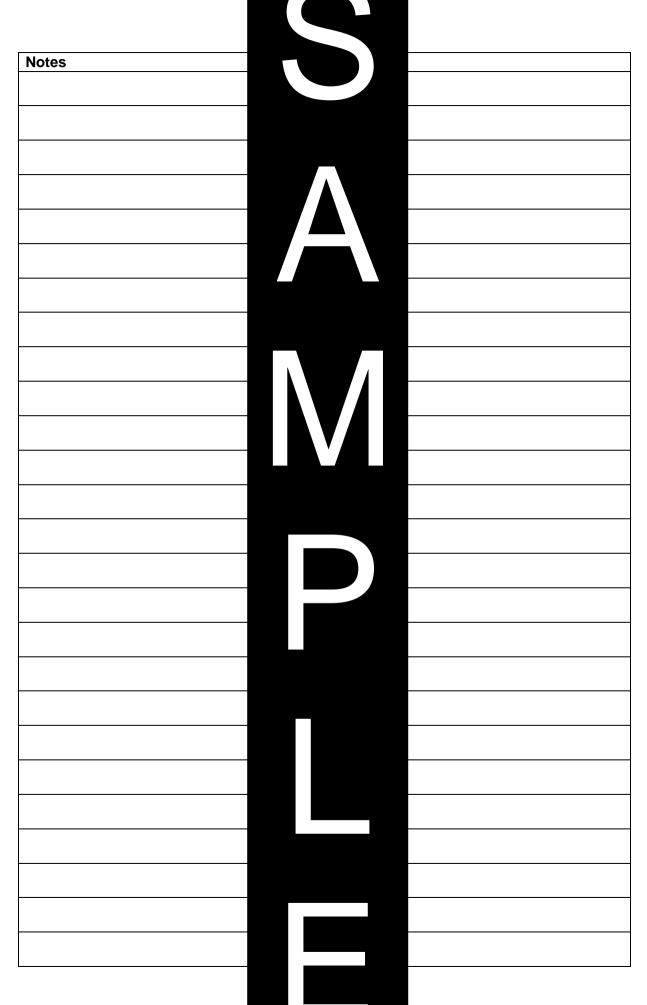
dders — get down and move

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- 3.10 Never use working leading edges, void
- 3.11 Do not work more the handholds), and en

dders and trestles near to exposed

up a stepladder (remember ed prior to mounting.



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