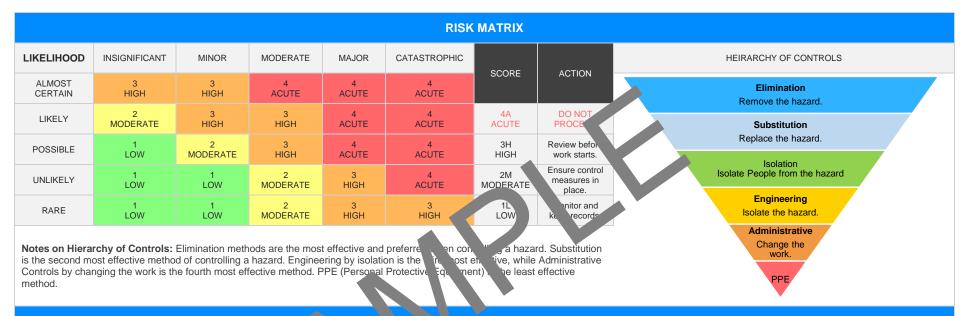


High Pressure Cleaner P	etrol SAFE WORK METHO	OD STATEMENT (SWMS)	
TASK OF	R ACTIVITY: High Pressure Clear	ner Petrol	
Business Name: [Company Name]		ABN: [ABN]	SWMS#
Business Address: [Company Address]			
Contact Person:	Phone: [Phone]	E fil:	
THIS SAFE WORK METHOD	STATEMENT IS APPROVED BY 1	THE PLOOF THE PROJECT	
Under the Work Health and Safety Regulation (WHS Regulation), a person conduct the proposed work starts.	eting a business or undertaking (F RU) is	required to ure at a safe work method s	tatement (SWMS) is prepared before
Full Name:			
Signature:		Title:	Date:
Details of the person(s) responsible for ensuring implementation, monitoring a	ompliance of the SWMS well as review	s and modifications of the SWMS.	
Full Name:		Title:	Phone:
ALL PERSONNEL PARTICIPATING IN ANY ACTIVITY ON THIS WMS. ST HAVE THE FOLLOWING COMMUNICATED	N. 1E AND DATED SIGNATURE OF A CO. MUNICATED TO IN THE DEVELO	LL RELEVANT PERSONNEL WHO HAVE BI PMENT AND APPROVAL OF THIS SWMS	EEN CONSULTED AND
Safety meetings or toolbox talks will be sched ed in accordance with egislative requirements to first identify any site hazards, conditions those hazards and then to further take steps to either the conditions of the conditions are or conditional talks.	NAME	SIGNATURE	DATE
If an incident or a near miss occurs, all work must standardly. Depending on the severity of the incident, a meeting will be called with all workers to amend the SWMS if required. The meeting may also be an educational opportunity.			
Any changes made to the SWMS after an incident or a near miss must be approved by the Person Conducting Business or Undertaking and communicated to all relevant personnel.			
The SWMS must be kept and be available for inspection at least until the work is completed. Where a SWMS is revised, all versions should be kept. If a notifiable incident occurs in relation to which the SWMS relates, then the SWMS must be kept for at least two years from the occurrence of the notifiable incident.			



		CLI	ENT OR PRINCIPAL	CONTRACTOR D	ETAILS				
Client:						SCOPE OF WORKS			
Project Name:					Provide a detailed description of the specific work being carried out (otherwise				
Project Address:					known as cope of works).				
Project Manager:									
Contact Phone:									
Project Manager Sig	nature:								
Date SWMS supplie	d to Project Manager:								
		ANY HIGH-	RISK CON PUCT	N' JRK BEING	CARRIED OUT				
☐ involves a risk of a pe	erson falling more than 2 m	neters.		is carried out on or near pressurised gas mains or piping.					
is carried out on a tel	ecommunication tower.	`	M + M	is carried out on	or near chemical, fuel or refrig	erant lines.			
☐ involves demolition o	f an element of a structure	that is load-be n.		is carried out on or near energised electrical installations or services.					
☐ involves demolition o	f an element related to the	physical integrit of a str	3.	is carried out in an area that may have a contaminated or flammable atmosphere.					
☐ involves, or is likely to	o involve, disturbing a	tos.		involves tilt-up or precast concrete.					
involves structural alt	eration or repair that re	upp to p	prevent collapse.	is carried out on,	, in or adjacent to a road, railwa	ay, shipping lane or other to	raffic corridor.		
is carried out in or ne	ar a confined space.			is carried out in a	an area of a workplace where t	here is any movement of p	owered mobile plant.		
is carried out in/near	a shaft or trench deeper th	nan 1.5m or tunnel involvin	g use of explosives.	is carried out in a	areas with artificial extremes of	temperature.			
is carried out in or ne	ar water or other liquid tha	t involves a risk of drowning	ng.	☐ involves diving w	vork.				
		ANY HI	IGH-RISK MACHINER	RY OR EQUIPMEN	IT NEARBY				
Forklift	☐ Crane/s	☐ Hoist/s	☐ Excavator	☐ Backhoe/Loader	☐ Boom Lift	☐ EWP	☐ Genie Lift		
☐ Trencher	☐ Drilling Rig	☐ Trucks	Formwork	☐ Bobcat	☐ Flammable Gas	☐ Fuel	☐ Dozer		
☐ High Voltage	☐ Mulcher	☐ Tilt-up Panels	Roller	☐ Scissor Lift	☐ Tractor	Other -			





PERL NAL TECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

FOOT PROTECTION	HAND PROTECTION	HEAD PROTECTION	HEARING PPOTECTION	PROTE	SPIRATORY P STECTION	FACE PROTECTION	HIGH-VIS CLOTHING	PROTECTIVE CLOTHING	FALL PROTECTION	SUN PROTECTION	HAIR/JEWELLERY SECURED
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Select me appropriate PPE above suitable for the equipment used or the job task being performed (if applicable).

Note: A SWMS must be reviewed regularly to make sure it remains effective. A SWMS must be reviewed (and revised if necessary) if relevant control measures are revised. The review process should be carried out in consultation with workers (including contractors and subcontractors) who may be affected by the operation of the SWMS and their health and safety representatives who represented that work group at the workplace.

When a SWMS has been revised, the person conducting a business or undertaking must ensure all:

- 1. persons involved in the work are advised that a revision has been made and how they can access the revised SWMS;
- 2. persons who will need to change a work procedure or system as a result of the review are advised of the changes in a way that will enable them to implement their duties consistently with the revised SWMS: and.
- 3. workers that will be involved in the work are provided with the relevant information and instruction that will assist them to understand and implement the revised SWMS.



JOB STEP	POTENTIAL HAZARDS	IR	CONTROL MEASURES	RR	RESPONSIBLE PERSON
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1. Preparation	Inadequate training, incorrect PPE selection	ЗН	 Provide appropriate training: Ensure that all workers involved in operating high-pressure cleaners have received adequate training in Juding the proper handling of equipment and the understanding of potential har as. Develop a comprehensive Safe Work Metha Statement (SWMS): Create an accessible SWMS to outline the worksite's sucific representance, necessary precautions, and the steps taken to minimise it. Implement PPE requirements: Make sure that a workers were uitable personal protective equipment (PPE), is has safety glasse thearing votection, gloves, steel-toed boots, and suitable to thing, while using to the pressure cleaner. Regularly inspose PE: anduct or fullar inspections to confirm that all PPE is in good condition and replace by data, sed items wormptly. Mainthin up-a late cert pations: Veh could all relevant personnel hold current licenton requals the correct attens. Veh could all relevant personnel hold current licentons requals the correct using the high-pressure cleaner, perform routine lasp tions to issure it has no visible damage or leaks, and confirm the correct trach into of an oses and components. Immitted the work area: Implement Encourage workers to familiarise themselves with the notest assure cleaner's operator manual and fully understand its safe operation juideling and emergency shut-off procedures. Incurrent the work area: Implement effective barricades, signage, and cordons to reserve the work area: Implement effective barricades, signage, and cordons to reserve the work area: Implement effective barricades, or obstructed pathways, and take remedial action if necessary. Implement safe work practices: Encourage workers to maintain safe distances from the spray nozzle, avoid pointing the high-pressure cleaner at people or animals, and use the lowest pressure setting required for the task. Establish communication protocols: Set clear verbal and non-verbal communication systems to enable effective coordinati	2M	
2. Equipment inspection	Faulty hoses, damaged power outlets	2M	- Conduct a thorough visual inspection of all hoses, connectors, and power outlets before each use, looking for any signs of wear, damage, or corrosion.	1L	



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			 Provide training to all workers involved in the operation and maintenance of the high-pressure cleaner, ensuring they understand how to properly inspect and identify faults. Establish a regular maintenance schedule for the high-pressure cleaner and its accessories, ensuring timely repairs and reducements are carried out as needed. Implement a tagging system for damaged or builty of prement, clearly marking it as 'out of service' until it has been repaired or rep. Keep a record of all inspect as, faults, and repairment, clearly marking it as 'out of service' until it has been repaired or rep. Keep a record of all inspect as, faults, and repairment, clearly marking it as 'out of service' until it has been repaired or rep. We are a record of all inspect as, faults, and repairment, clearly marking it as 'out of service' until it has been repaired or rep. Keep a record of all inspect as, faults, and repairment, clearly marking it as 'out of service' until it has been repaired or rep. We only mark acturer-all poved a lacement as and consumables for the high-pressure cleaner and cutter-all poved a lacement at and consumables for the high-pressure cleaner and cutter and consumables for the high-pressure and cutter and consumables for the high-pressure and cutter and intervening if they notice any potentially unsafe practices. Seat a lafe officer whe worksite, responsible for monitoring the usage of the high-pre sure mark and intervening if they notice any potentially unsafe practices. Lea unre that power outlets being used for the operation are regularly inspected for any signs of damage or wear, and immediately replace them if required. Use GFCI (Ground Fault Circuit Interrupter) plugs or outlet protectors if the high-pressure cleaner is being operated near water sources. Avoid using extension cords in wet or damp conditions where possible, and ensure that all connections remain dry and off the ground when the e		
3. Area setup	Tripping hazards, inadequate ventilation	3Н	 Inspect the work area beforehand to identify any potential tripping hazards, such as loose cables, uneven flooring or debris, and remove them before commencing with the high-pressure cleaning process. Ensure that all power cords connected to the petrol high-pressure cleaner are secured using cable traps, covers, or tie-downs to minimise the risk of tripping. Clearly mark the boundaries of the work area by using safety cones, barricade tapes, or warning signs to warn others about the ongoing high-pressure cleaning operation and to prevent unwanted entry into the area. 	2M	



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			- Maintain a clean and organised work environment throughout the course of the job to further reduce the risk of tripping incidents.		
			- Plan the workflow in such a way that it avoids crowing additional slip or trip hazards due to pooled water or other residues from classing tasks.		
			- Provide adequate ventilation by ensuring at windows ors, and vents are open to facilitate proper air movement in the works ce, by ag to reduce the buildup of exhaust fumes from the petrol high-pressure contact.		
			- Consider using appropriate thaust extraction spens or recable fans to further improve ventilation in enclosed paces without natural air collation.		
			- Train workers on a proper use of maintenance of the petrol high-pressure cleaner, emphasing the read of for regular inspection and cleaning of the equipment to prevent meaning inctions.		
			- Use the many cture approved clearing agents compatible with the petrol high- press to leaner and hazardous chemical reactions or risks associated with the release of rimful cors.		
			- Equip ork, with a copriate PPE, including slip-resistant footwear, safety gloves and gog es, as if necessary, respirators for protection against fumes and mical		
		'	Imple a spill response plan detailing the steps workers must take in case of cidenta spills, leaks or other incidents that may contribute to an unsafe situation.		
			- Induct periodic risk assessments and revisiting the Safe Work Method Statement (SWMS) to keep track of evolving hazards and to ensure that necessary control measures are being followed by all personnel involved.		
			- Encourage workers to report any issues, hazards or incidents promptly, and address these concerns in a timely manner to maintain a safe work environment.		
			- Promote a culture of safety by regularly discussing workplace health and safety issues during team meetings or toolbox talks, and emphasising the importance of individual responsibility in preventing accidents and maintaining a hazard-free work area.		
4. Transporting	Manual handling injuries, vehicle				
equipment	accidents	3H		1L	



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5. Fueling	Fuel spills, fire or explosion	4A		2M	



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6. Starting high- pressure cleaner	Sudden hose movements, equipment malfunction	2M		1L	



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7. Operation	Contact with high-pressure water jet, noise hazard	ЗН		2M	



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8. Use of cleaning chemicals	Chemical burns, inhalation of fumes	ЗН		1L	



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9. Switching off & disconnection	Electric shock, user error	2M		1L	



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10. Cleaning up	Slippery surfaces, contact with contaminants	2M		1L	



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11. Maintenance	Unplanned release of stored energy, exposure to hazardous materials	zw.	SPECIFIC MEASURES TO BE PUT IN PLACE TO ELIMINATE OR CONTROL THE RISKS	RESIDUAL RISK	NAME OF PERSON



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12. Storage	Improper storage leading to damage, unauthorised access	2M		1L	







EMERGENCY RESPONSE – CALL 000 FOR EMERGENCIES

Ensure to have an Emergency Management Plan in place as well as adequate numbers of trained first aid staff with easy access to fully stocked first aid kits, rescue equipment, material safety data sheets, adequate access to emergency communication equipment and fire-fighting equipment suitable for all classes of fire and ignition sources.

LEGISLATIVE REFERENCES

RELEVANT LEGISLATION AND CODES OF PRACTICE. DELETE THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCES. ANY STATE OF AT ARE NOT APPLICABLE.

Queensland & Australian Capital Territory

Work Health and Safety Act 2011

Work Health and Safety Regulations 2011

Legislation QLD: https://www.worksafe.qld.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/work-health-and-safety-laws

Codes of Practice QLD: https://www.worksafe.qld.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/codes-of-practice Legislation ACT: https://www.worksafe.act.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/acts-and-regulations

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New South Wales

Work Health and Safety Act 2011

Work Health and Safety Regulations 2017

Legislation NSW: https://www.safework.nsw.gov.au/legal-obligations/legislative

Codes of Practice NSW: https://www.safework.nsw.gov.au/resource-library/lis > odes-or racti

Northern Territory

Work Health and Safety (National Uniform Legislation) Act 2011

Work Health and Safety (National Uniform Legislation) Regulation 201

Legislation NT: https://worksafe.nt.gov.au/laws-and-compliance/wo_place-syllaws

Codes of Practice NT: https://worksafe.nt.gov.au/5

South Australia

Work Health and Safety Act 2012 (SA)

Work Health and Safety Regulations 2012 (SA)

Legislation for SA: https://www.safework.sa.gov.au/resources/legislation

Codes of Practice for SA: https://www.safework.sa.gov.au/work_aces/codes-of-practice#COPs

Tasmania

Work Health and Safety Act 2012

Work Health and Safety (Transitional and Consequential Provisions) Act 2012

Work Health and Safety Regulations 2012

Work Health and Safety (Transitional) Regulations 2012

Legislation for TAS: https://worksafe.tas.gov.au/topics/laws-and-compliance/acts-and-regulations

Codes of Practice for TAS: https://worksafe.tas.gov.au/topics/laws-and-compliance/codes-of-practice

Details of permits, licenses or access required by regulatory bodies (add or delete as required):

- Permits from local council
- Authorisation to commence work
- Any required documents.

Victoria

Occupational Health al. Safety Act

Occupational Health and afety gulations 2017

Legis on VIC: https://www.ksafe.vic.gov.au/occupational-health-and-safety-act-and-

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Western Australia

Work Health and Safety Act 2020

Work Health and Safety Regulations 2022

Legislation Western Australia: https://www.commerce.wa.gov.au/worksafe/legislation

Codes of Practice WA: https://www.commerce.wa.gov.au/worksafe/codes-practice

Safe Work Australia Links

Law and Regulation (All States): https://www.safeworkaustralia.gov.au/law-and-regulation Model Codes of Practice: https://www.safeworkaustralia.gov.au/resources-publications/model-codes-of-practice

Model Codes of Practice

- Managing noise and preventing hearing loss at work
- Confined spaces
- Labelling of workplace hazardous chemicals
- Managing risks of hazardous chemicals in the workplace
- Welding processes
- First aid in the workplace
- Managing the risk of falls at workplaces
- Hazardous manual tasks
- Managing the risk of falls in housing construction
- Managing electrical risks in the workplace
- Demolition work
- Excavation work
- Work health and safety consultation, cooperation and coordination
- Managing the work environment and facilities
- How to manage work health and safety risks
- Managing risks of plant in the workplace
- Construction work



SIGNATORIES OF THE SAFE WORK METHOD STATEMENT

The signed and dated personnel listed below have cooperated in the consultation and development of this Safe Work Method Statement which has been approved by the Person/s Conducting a Business or Undertaking (PCBU). In signing this Safe Work Method Statement each individual acknowledges and confirms that they have read this SWMS in full, having raised any questions for items on this Safe Work Method Statement that require clarification, and confirms that they are competent, skilled and knowledgeable for the task assigned to them. Every person acknowledges that they have received the relevant training and qualifications where required, before carrying out any work contained in this Safe Work Method Statement. By signing this Safe Work Method Statement each individual agrees to work safely, to follow any safe work instructions which are provided, and agrees to use all Personal Protective Equipment where appropriate.

Worker Name	Pos	sition	Signature	Date	Time	Supe	ervisor
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REVIEW NUMBER	□ 1	□ 2	□ 3	□ 4	□ 5	□ 6	□ 7
NAME							
INITIALS							
DATE							



SAFE WORK METHOD STATEMENT REVIEW CHECKLIST

This Safe Work Method Statement Review Checklist is to be followed and used upon initial development of the SWMS to help ensure that all steps have been adequately taken before work commences. Think of this document as an internal audit review checklist before commencing work, and may form part of a Toolbox Talk (safety meeting) and may be used as an opportunity for education and training.

ITEMS WHICH MUST BE INCLUDED IN THE SWMS	COMPLETED	TO BE DONE	COMMENTS
The company details have been entered, including the project name and address.			
Names and signatures of all relevant personnel consulted during the development of the SWMS.		P P	
Name, signature, position and date signed of the person approving the SWMS.			
Specific personnel and qualifications, experience is noted in the SWMS.	P		
Provides a step-by-step process of tasks required to carry out the activity or task.			
Adequate risk assessment of any identified hazards has been completed.			
Foreseeable hazards are identified and documented for each step.			
Any hazards listed in any site risk assessments have been added to the SWh			
SWMS initial risk (IR) column as well as residual risk (RR) columns completed.			
Check control measures added to the SWMS are the most effecting so tions.			
Responsible person is assigned and listed on the SWMS for the imperent of continue assures.			
Permit requirements specified, such as Hot Work, Veralt Heights etc.			
SWMS identifies plant and equipment to be u d.			
Details of inspection checks required for any equipment listed are noted on the SWMS.			
Describes any mandatory qualifications, experience raining skills required to perform the work.			
Applicable personal protective equipment is selected on the SWMS.			
Lists any required permits or licenses.			
Reflects and documents any legislative references and/or Australian Standards.			
dentifies any hazardous substances used with specific control measures in line with any SDS.			
REVIEWED BY	DATE R	EVIEWED	
SIGNATURE	DATE CO	MPLETED	