

**RING SAW SAFETY TRAINING** (Cut concrete using a Ring Saw and associated tools and equipment)

Training and assessments conducted by **A Plus Training Solutions**, holder of Certificate IV Training and Assessment (TAE40116).

#### **Purpose**

Provide participants with the knowledge and skill to:

- 1. Safely cut concrete using a hand held "ring saw" and associated tools and equipment
- Apply recommended cutting techniques as per Worksafe WA Code of practice "Concrete and Masonry Cutting and Drilling" 2019 and manufacturer recommandation
- 3. Safely perform appropriate set up, maintenance and clean down tasks correctly



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## **Recognition of Training**

A Certificate of Competency and /or Verification of Competency (VOC) will be issued to applicants who meet the assessment criteria required for this competency. This may require supplementary evidence in the form of a report from a suitable supervisor, or further assessment.

#### Location

Courses will where practicable be conducted on client's premises. Sufficient concrete will be needed for each operator to demonstrate practical competency with the equipment. If sufficient area or venue is not available, a venue and practical activity site may be organised at additional cost.

## **Duration**

•  $\frac{1}{2}$  - 1 day (depending on prior experience of participants).

#### **Course Fees**

The courses will be run in groups of 6 + participants at a cost of \$275.00 (GST Free) per person:

Individuals or smaller groups should contact us, as we may be able to fit you into a larger group, otherwise fees will be negotiated.

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A surcharge fee may apply for work on weekends or public holidays.

## **Country Clients**

Trainer's travel and accommodation costs may need to be added where applicable.

## **Content Summary**

Personal protective equipment

Hazard/ risk assessment and management

Kick back and blade pinch hazards

Authorised pre start, maintenance and servicing of equipment

Correct choice of equipment to facilitate concrete cutting

Setting up of trolley for best ergonomics (where applicable)

Correct use of water as coolant and dust suppression (where applicable)

Practical application and skills development

Safe handling & cutting techniques

Clean down of machine and work area

Supervised written and/or verbal and practical assessment

## **Equipment**

- Participants will need to bring their own PPE (personal protective equipment) including:
  - Approved double eye protection (safety glasses, goggles and / or perspex visor)
  - Hearing protection (ear plugs or ear muffs)
  - Safety boots
  - Gloves
  - Leg protection, (long trousers)
  - High visibility clothing if applicable
  - Sunscreen

# If you are unable to provide all this equipment please contact us so we can make other arrangements.

All other required equipment and training notes are provided for participant's use.

#### **Demonstration of Competence:**

From experience, we find that people have different levels of ability and experience when it comes to handling machinery.

If a person, due to a lack of experience, requires more time to develop their skills, more time for practical application may be needed increase their skills up to a competent level.

## **Personal Requirements:**

Depending on location of the training and availability of take away food outlets, it is advisable for trainees to bring their own food and drink to training sessions. Depending on season additional drinking water may also be needed.

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