

ASSESSMENT TOOL

GRINDER SAFETY

Competency	AHCSHG205A	Grind Combs and Cutters for Machine Shearing
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In the table below is a list of hazards that can occur when grinding. For each of the hazards identify the risk of injury and ways of controlling the risk.

HAZARD	RISKS/CONSEQUENCES	CONTROL MEASURES
Poor location of grinder		
Grinder leads lying across floor		
Use of grinder by untrained operator		
Discs not secured correctly		

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Using discs, nuts or washer not compatible with grinder		
Discs rotating in wrong direction		
Sparks flying off grinder		
Combs or cutters being “kicked” off grinder		
Lose emery cloths		