# Job Safety Analysis

Safety Information for the University of California, Berkeley

## Facilities Services

### Operating an Air-Operated Shear

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| 1. Align material with blades of shear. | Cutting hand | Wear leather gloves.  
Deburr material.  
Do not slice hands along edges. |
|  | Pinching hand and fingers | Keep hand and fingers from pinch point. |
|  | Muscle strain | Position body to maintain balance.  
Maximize use of legs and avoid twisting. |
| 2. Depress foot pedal to operate shear. | Pinching hand and fingers | Keep hand and fingers from pinch point. |
|  | Cutting hand | Wear leather gloves |

### Required Training:

1. Operation of air-operated shear.

### Required Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

1. Gloves
2. Non-slip shoes

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**Other Information:**

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