

JOB SAFETY ANALYSIS

Safety Information for the University of California, Berkeley

Facilities Services

Ladder Scaffolds

TASK	HAZARDS	CONTROLS
1. Set Up	Slips, trips, and falls	Inspect your workspace and clear all hazards where possible Set up cones, caution tape, or other barriers to prevent pedestrian foot traffic Inspect the ladder and accessories for broken or damaged parts prior to each use Remove and replace damaged ladders and accessories from service Set up ladder and accessories per manufacture's recommendations Ensure ladders are secured and locked in place Ensure scaffold platform is secured to the ladder Ensure scaffold platform is level to prevent displacement
2. Use	Slips, trips, and falls	Do not over reach Keep platform planks clear for working activities Only one employee may use the platform at a time Maximum load is 250 pounds Maximum fall height without personal fall protection is 4 feet Fall height above 4 ft requires use of personal fall protection, guard rails, or other form of fall protection
Required Training: Ladder Safety Fall Protection		Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Fall harness and lanyard where applicable

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