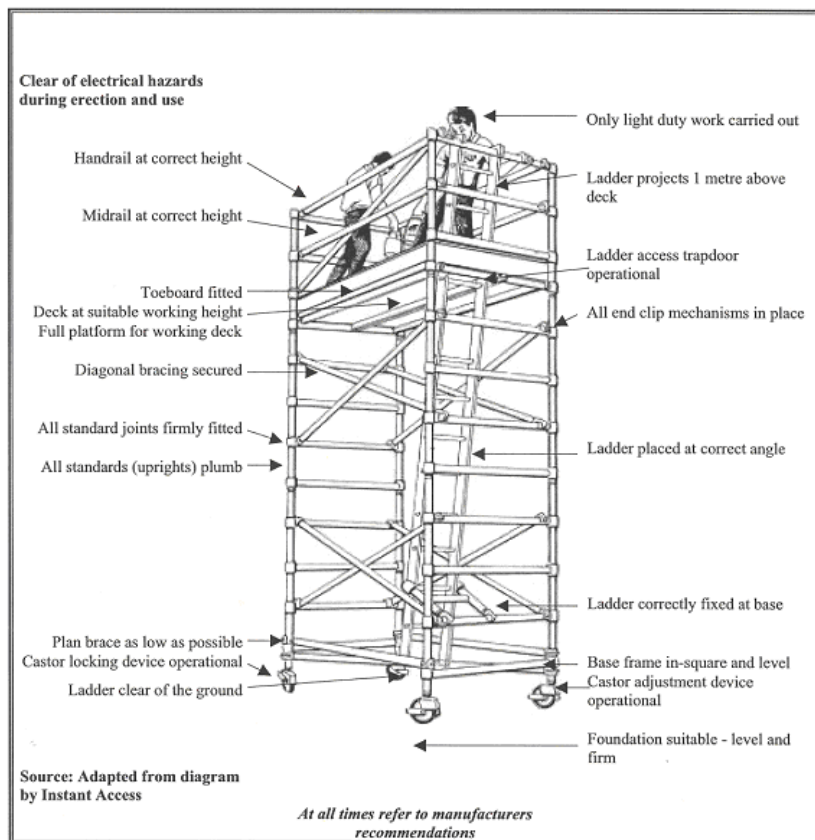


Mobile Scaffolds - Additional Requirements:

Check-list for Lightweight Aluminium Mobile Scaffolds



- Follow the manufacturers/ suppliers written instructions for correct erection, use and dismantling;
- Only use mobile scaffolds should on hard level surfaces;
- The wheels of a mobile scaffold should be locked whenever the scaffold is not being moved;
- Do not relocate a mobile scaffold unless all items have been secured against falling;
- No person should be on a mobile scaffold when it is being moved;
- All mobile scaffolds should have a safe, secure means of access to the working platform;
- When moving a mobile scaffold, stay clear of powerlines (the scaffold should come no closer than 4m).

- Do not locate a mobile scaffold closer than 1 metre to any unprotected edge or penetration, unless measures are used to prevent it crossing that point, such as a fixed fence, rail or suitably high ridge.
- Never use scaffold guardrails to gain extra height or to support equipment or loads.

Ladders for scaffolding

- All ladders must be positioned internally with a slope of 1 in 4;
- Ladders must be securely fastened near the top and bottom to prevent movement;
- Ladders must not touch the ground and must extend 1 metre above the landing served by the ladder.

Further information

Not all hazards and safeguards involved with the use of scaffolding are given here.

Detailed guidance about the selection, installation, use and maintenance of scaffolds is provided in *AS/NZS 4576 – Guidelines for Scaffolding*, available from Standards Australia at www.standards.com.au or telephone on 1300 654 646.