



INSTANT SNAPPY MULTIPURPOSE WORK TOOL

The Instant Snappy Multipurpose Work Tool is a low reach platform which replaces ladders, planks, trestles and step ladders as a safe means of access.

It has the added advantage of being converted into a work Bench or a trolley, making it a truly multipurpose work tool. Minimal training is required to be able to assemble this work tool as it comprises of only two components which snap together.

The Instant Snappy has been manufactured under ISO9002 quality standards, thus ensuring product quality and at the same time complying with the basic requirements for work platforms in AS/NZS 1576.1:1995, with the major compliances being listed below.

DESIGN REGISTRATION

The Instant Snappy has been Design Registered with NSW WorkCover as a work platform, the design registration number is PFS 6-22490/02.

COMPLIANCE TO AUSTRALIAN STANDARDS

As the Instant Snappy is only a work platform and not a scaffold in the true sense of a scaffold, the main issues that affect this product are:-

EDGE PROTECTION – in summary AS/NZS 1576.1:1995 states that *"wherever a person or object can fall a distance of 2m or more....., edge protection in the form of guardrailing and toeboards, Shall be provided"*.

The Instant Snappy has a maximum of 1.2m working platform height as such it does not fall under this criteria, except *"where the Instant Snappy is positioned close to the edge of a slab where the fall height is 1.2m plus the height of the slab is greater than 2.0m"*. Extra handrails can be provided where the fall is greater than 2m.

STABILITY – The base dimension of the Instant Snappy is 0.74m, as such the maximum platform height is 1.48m, applying the ratio of the maximum working height being twice the base width dimension where working platforms are less than 1.0 in width. The snappy is being promoted with a maximum platform height of 1.2m which falls below this criterion.

ACCESS TO AND EGRESS FROM WORKING PLATFORMS – AS/NZS 1576.1:1995 states that *"Safe access to and egress from all working platforms shall be provided. Such access shall take the form of stairways, access ways, ladders or other means"*. In the case of the Instant Snappy we provide access via three grooved non-slip rungs on the actual Instant Snappy frame, this meets the general conditions for access and egress.

MATERIAL AND COMPONENTS – Generally all materials and components are the same as current materials used in the manufacturing process at Instant Access which meet all the conditions of AS/NZS 1576.1:1995.



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