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| Ref. CAT 19 | Task/Activity: Use of Dish Washing, Glass Washing and Pot Washing Machines | Assessment date: |
| Unit No: | Unit name/location: | Assessed by: |
| **Hazard** | **Safety Risk** | Safe System of Work / Control Measures |
| Hot machine surfaces Hot water and steamHot crockery and utensils Dishwasher chemicalsTrapping / EntanglementElectrical hazardsWet floorsBroken glass and crockeryManual handling**Types of Washing Machines in use in this site are:** | BurnsScaldsChemical injuriesNips to fingers and handsElectric shockSlips and fallsCutsBack and muscle strain | * Dish Washing machines only to be used and cleaned by trained employees who have also completed the Preventing Chemical Injuries Safety Conversation 4.
* Equipment to be maintained by competent persons and in accordance with manufacturer's guidance where available
* Conveyor type machines to be fitted with retaining curtains on the open ends to prevent hot water splashing out.
* Machines to be designed so that the water and motor cut out automatically when doors are opened.
* Employees to stand back when opening the operating door or lid in order to avoid scalds from condensate and water vapour.
* Conveniently accessible stop control button to be fitted on machines.
* Only trained employees to handle and change dishwasher chemicals by following COSHH Product Assessment controls including wearing appropriate PPE.
* Broken glass and crockery to be securely wrapped before placing in a bin liner, or disposed of separately in a rigid container.
* Trolleys to be used where appropriate for the movement of crockery and cutlery.
* Floor maintained in a dry condition by implementing the control measures in the “Floor Safety and Safety Footwear” risk assessment.
* Spillages cleaned up as they occur and wet floor warning signs used when appropriate.
* **Mandatory PPE Required when cleaning and changing chemicals is Nitritech II – order code Q2136**
* Implement the Safe System of Work/Control Measures in Disposal of General Waste, Ref COM 06, Electrical Safety, Ref. MAN 05 Risk Assessments and the manual handling safety precautions.
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| **Who may be affected by the task/activity?****(Tick all applicable boxes)** |
| Compass employees/Agency staff |  |
| Customers / Client staff |  |
| Visitors / Members of the Public |  |
| Maintenance personnel |  |
| Delivery personnel |  |
| Other (specify below) |  |
| **IMPORTANT - This risk assessment should be reviewed every 3 years, or whenever there is a significant change in the task or activity and following any accident or incident involving this task or activity. This risk assessment must be retained for a period of 6 years.** |