



# Prevent Accidents by Securing Tools & Equipment

## Prevent Tools From Falling or Being Dropped When Working at Height

By ensuring all tools, equipment and materials are secure to help and prevent injuries or fatalities.

You should always remove all tools, equipment and materials from the workplace on completion of work. Scaffold structures and equipment at risk from falling must be frequently inspected.

**Remember:** Regular tool inspections are also essential to ensure ring attachments are not rusty or worn resulting in product failure causing them to break free from lanyards.



**DANGER DROP ZONE - DO NOT ENTER**

## Actions to Take to Prevent Dropped Objects

To prevent Dropped Objects from occurring while working at height, serviceable toolbelts / pouches or tool kits with engineered tethers (as appropriate) must be utilised. These tools and tool kits must meet the following criteria:

- ✓ Tools that have removable attachments (e.g., ratchets with sockets) have a positive-locking system.
- ✓ Tethered tools are engineered and rated for their weight to prevent them from dropping if released while working at height.
- ✓ Secure, approved carrying pouches are utilised while transferring tools and equipment to and from heights.
- ✓ Radios are secured using engineered clips. If engineered clips are not available, radios are secured in the carrying pouch only when necessary.



[www.enigma-is.com](http://www.enigma-is.com)



If you see a hazard or spot an unsafe act or unsafe condition, **DO NOT** turn a blind eye. Deal with the situation and report it to your supervisor using the Enigma Positive Intervention process.



**ENIGMA**  
INDUSTRIAL SERVICES

✓ Think Safe ✓ Work Safe ✓ Stay Safe