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- 1. HEAD PROTECTION (SKULL PROTECTION) Protective helmets
- 2. FOOT PROTECTION
  - Safety shoes with puncture-proof soles Safety shoes without pierce-proof soles Safety shoes with heels or wedges and pierce-proof soles Protective shoes with insulated soles Safety shoes which can easily be removed
- 3. EYE OR FACE PROTECTION Protective goggles, face shields or screens
- 4. RESPIRATORY PROTECTION Respirators /breathing apparatus
- 5. HEARING PROTECTION Ear protectors
- 6. BODY, ARM AND HAND PROTECTION Protective clothing Fire-resistant protective clothing Pierce-proof aprons Leather aprons Forearm protection Gloves Metal mesh gloves
- 7. WEATHERPROOF CLOTHING
- 8. REFLECTIVE CLOTHING
- 9. SAFETY HARNESSES

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