

GD10 Safety nets checklist

Company name		Project title	
Location		Contract no.	
Safety nets			
Before use			
Yes	No	N/A	
1. Has a risk assessment been carried out?			
2. Are the safety nets rigged to minimise the height of any fall so that an uninjured person can simply climb out?			
3. If not, have emergency rescue procedures been established?			
4. Have checks been made to ensure that freefall distances are not more than specified?			
5. Have safety nets been rigged by trained and competent persons?			
6. Is the use of safety nets to be supervised by competent persons?			
7. Have safety nets been inspected prior to current use?			
8. Are complete and proper records kept of all inspections and examinations?			
9. Has the safety net system been inspected within the previous week?			
10. Are all anchors and supports secure?			
11. Is the safety net clear of all debris?			
12. Have checks been made to ensure that nothing is positioned under the net to reduce the minimum clearance distance required?			
During use			
Yes	No	N/A	
13. Is the net being kept clear of debris?			
14. Are the safety nets inspected:			
a) after a fall			
b) for the effects of contamination			
c) every seven days during use to ensure that the safety net is not damaged and that the anchorage points and ties are sound?			
After use			
Yes	No	N/A	
15. Are safety nets inspected for any damage following use and before being stowed away?			
16. Are any defects reported promptly and correctly?			
17. Are repairs only carried out by a competent person?			
18. Are adequate records maintained as to the use and condition of safety nets?			
19. Are safety nets dried and stored correctly?			
20. Are the annual condition tests being undertaken?			
Comments			
Name		Position	
Signature		Date	