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# EXCAVATOR/TRUCK SAFETY AND OPERATIONS

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## EXCAVATOR/TRUCK OPERATIONS

- Operators shall be trained to operate their equipment and get checked out by a Competent Person.
- Operators will walk around their equipment before starting to make sure that the area is clear.
- Use of seatbelts is mandatory.
- Stunt driving and horseplay shall not be permitted.
- Excavator operators will not load over the truck cab.
- Truck operators will stay in the cab during loading.
- Operators will use three (3) points of contact to climb on and off equipment.
- Watch for water trucks, motor graders, and other ground equipment personnel at all times.
- Lower bed before traveling. Do not dump on the fly.
- Review location of overhead wire crossings.
- Do not dump unless the truck is level.
- Do not park on a slope.

## HAUL ROAD OPERATIONS

- Operators shall be trained to operate their equipment and get checked out by a Competent Person.
- Operators will walk around their equipment before starting to make sure that the area is clear.
- The operator of the all-terrain water truck needs to corner and turn around at a safe speed to avoid rolling over.
- Always be aware of the equipment coming toward you or passing.