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SAFETY SAM'S INSIDER TIP...



Safety Made Simple partners occasionally share interesting tidbits about our training. One partner told us they were passing through the office and overheard an employee ask their supervisor what he should do since the loader he operates was being repaired. The supervisor said, "Go do some **Safety Made Simple!**" The employee responded, "Good idea" and started a course a few minutes later. Since our courses are between 15 & 20 minutes they are often used to fill gaps that arise throughout the day.

Another partner told us that they overheard an interesting discussion between two employees. The first employee said, "Hey, that's not the right

Featured Course

Hazardous Grain Conditions: Engulfment

Hazardous Grain Conditions: Engulfment-Condicionas Peligrosas con Granos

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Slide the red pointer to the highlighted marker to see why it is hazardous to enter a grain storage structure when grain is flowing.

- 1 Grain usually flows toward an operating reclaim auger or conveyor. As grain flows to the outlet and is released, it causes grain above to flow in and replace it.
- 2 When a worker stands on flowing grain, they will sink into the grain and become helpless in seconds.
- 3 If grain-unloading equipment is not immediately shut off, the worker will be pulled down into the unloading conveyor, auger, or sump.
- 4 Victims are not likely to survive; the cause of death is usually asphyxiation.

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Upon completion of this course learners will be able to recognize hazardous grain conditions, identify ways to reduce the likelihood of poor-quality grain, and apply safe practices to protect themselves and their coworkers. **Safety Made Simple** offers several courses on grain engulfment prevention. [Click here](#) to view our searchable online course catalog.

Announcements:

Free Safety Videos Available for "Stand Up for Grain Safety Week"

In support of GEAPS, NGFA, Grain Handling Safety Council, and OSHA, we will provide one grain safety video daily during the week of March 28th. Video topics include Angle of Repose Hazards, Railcar Fall Protection, Bridging Grain, Grain Engulfment Forces, and Lockout Tagout.

way to lock it out" to which the second employee responded, "Who says so?" The first employee replied, "Because **Safety Made Simple** says so!" He then proceeded to demonstrate the correct lockout procedure. Shortly after the employees' supervisor was informed of the conversation, the employee was retrained.

NEW COURSES ADDED

We continue to release new courses each month. Check with your **Safety Made Simple** administrator for the complete list of courses available in your portal.

SHARE THE NEWS...

Safety Scoop Newsletter -

Do you know someone who would benefit from receiving these notices? We'd be happy to add them to our Safety Scoop mailing list! Simply contact [Catrina](#) and let us know the names and e-mail addresses you'd like us to add -- or use the signup link located at the bottom of our website, www.safetymadesimple.com.

SMS Online Training -

If you know someone who isn't using **Safety Made Simple** but might be interested, let us know. Please also tell us if you know someone who would like to schedule a free demo.

Give us a call toll-free at 1-844-8SAFETY today!

KEEP IN TOUCH...

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GRAIN ENGULFMENT FORCES



Stand Up 4 Grain Safety Week

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Safety Made Simple Exhibits at GEAPS Exchange in Kansas City - March 26-29th

We are excited to exhibit at this year's [Exchange](#) in Kansas City. Exchange offers an excellent opportunity to network, gain knowledge, and learn about the grain industry's product and service providers. Please stop by our booth and meet Sam Germer, Jenny Boeckman, Chuck Pirie, and Joe Mlynek. See you there!



Safety Simplified Blog, Register Today

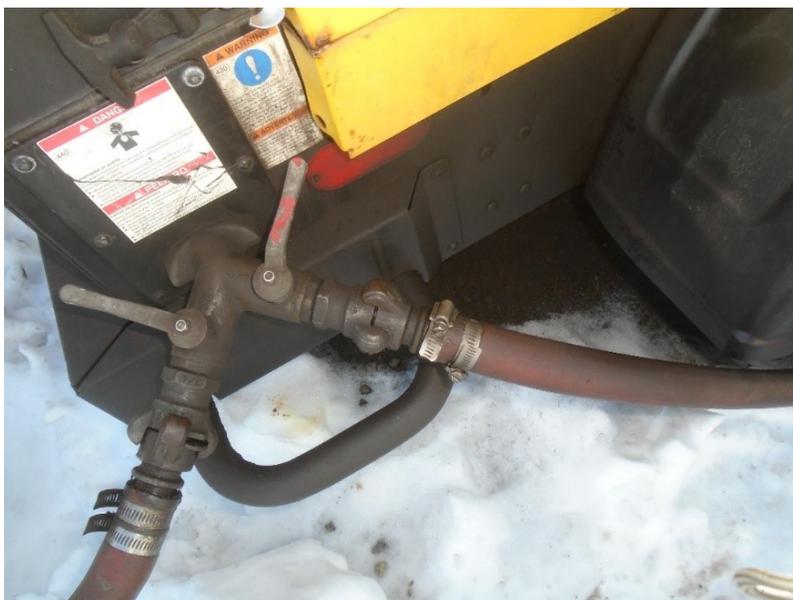
The Safety Simplified Blog is written by Joe Mlynek. In this blog Joe shares his thoughts and experiences on various safety topics based on his 25-year career in safety. Register [here](#).

"Take-5" Safety Message: Emergency Showers and Eyewash Stations

Emergency showers and eyewash stations can immediately decontaminate the eyes and skin after exposure to hazardous substances, such as corrosive liquids. This "Take-5" covers use, inspection, and design requirements for emergency showers and eyewash equipment.

This [Take-5](#) can be accessed by your **Safety Made Simple** administrator at any time in the "Take-5" Resources section of your company's training portal.

Is It Safe?



Is it Safe? No way? The Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) 1910.243(b)(2) states that “Airhose. Hose and hose connections used for conducting compressed air to utilization equipment shall be designed for the pressure and service to which they are subjected.” Many suppliers sell hose clamps, also known as worm-gear clamps. They are not designed for this type of application because they can damage the hose causing it to whip. Crimped fittings designed for use on compressed air hoses should be used.

If you have a photo of a workplace situation that you would like to share, send it to us! We may use it in the Safety Scoop for others to learn from!

Contact [Joe](#), [Chuck](#), or [Catrina](#) at 1-844-8SAFETY to submit your photo.

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“Where there is no guidance the people fall, but in abundance of counselors there is victory.”
Proverbs 11:14

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