

JUP Poling - Working at Height

No	Activity	Hazard	Person(s) in Danger	Control Measures	Residual Risk Rating								
66	JUP Poling	<p>JUP Poling – Working at Height</p> <p>Persons falling from height,</p> <p>Plant, tools, materials and equipment falling from height</p> <p>Persons at ground level when working at height is in progress</p> <p>Poles installed not in accordance with client specifications</p> <p>Making contact or breaching proximity of overhead power conductors</p>	Employees Contractors Public Visitors	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Consider the hierarchy of control before climbing poles and whether alternative methods are available or more appropriate for the risk level.• Use of access towers, mobile elevated working platforms by competent personnel only (MEWP’s). Use guardrails and toe boards (where appropriate). Ladders must only be used for access and for a short duration, low-risk work.• Test poles before climbing and any installation.• Equipment is to be hoisted up poles and not carried.• Do not overreach at any time.• Ensure equipment is suitable, stable, maintained and checked regularly.• Appropriate PPE, personal fall arrest and equipment must be suitable and sufficient for the risk including IR gloves.• Use appropriate harnesses, restraints, and lanyards relevant to the access method (climbing or MEWP).• Physical distance from conductors must be maintained at all times as per Openreach ISIS ‘Working on the overhead Network’ <table><tr><td>Low voltage</td><td>1 meter</td></tr><tr><td>11kV & 33kV</td><td>3 meter</td></tr><tr><td>132kV</td><td>6 meter</td></tr><tr><td>275kV & 400kV</td><td>7 meter</td></tr></table> <p>Ensure only Blue 7A rated ladders are used for the task.</p> <p>Ensure the ladder is at the correct angle and is tied at the fourth rung, lashed at the top</p>	Low voltage	1 meter	11kV & 33kV	3 meter	132kV	6 meter	275kV & 400kV	7 meter	Medium
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