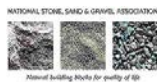


Powered Haulage at Aggregate Operations

In 2012, there were 112 accidents classified as powered haulage at stone, sand, and gravel operations. These accidents account for more than seven percent of the total injuries at aggregates operations.



- **Always inspect equipment for safety defects prior to operating. Tag out defective equipment and remove from service.**
- **Ensure that operators are properly task trained for the equipment they will be operating. Always maintain control of equipment and operate at safe speeds.**
- **Do not allow operators to use mobile communication devices, or other items that might distract the operator while operating equipment.**



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