



The Seven Sins of Safety

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California Code of Regulations

Reporting Period

October 2008 – September 2009

3 Classifications

0100 – Agricultural Production Crops

0200 – Agriculture Production Livestock and
Animal Specialties

0700 – Agricultural services



Seven Most Frequently Issued Citations

Total Number of Citations: 1,142

Total Citation Penalties: \$1,164,068



Safety Sin #1

Standard 3395. Heat Illness Prevention

Major Components:

Provision of Water

Access to Shade

Training

IIPP Addendum

411 Citations

Penalties: \$386,738



Recent Changes to Standard 3395. Heat Illness Prevention

Effective November 4, 2010

Shade Requirements:

- Must accommodate 25% of EEs on shift at any time when temperatures exceed 85 degrees and be located as close as practicable to the areas where EEs are working.
 - When temperatures are below 85 degrees, must provide timely access to shade upon EEs request.
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Recent Changes to Standard 3395. Heat Illness Prevention

High-Heat Rules:

- Heat heat procedures required for 5 industries when temperatures reach 95 degrees and above: Agriculture, Construction, Landscaping, Oil and gas extraction, and Transportation of of agricultural products, construction materials or other heavy materials
 - Procedures include:
 - Observing employees
 - Closely supervising new employees
 - Reminding all workers to drink water
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Safety Sin #2

Standard 3457. Field Sanitation

Major Components:

- Potable Drinking Water
- Toilet and Handwashing Facilities
- Maintenance Standards
- Reasonable Use

299 Citations

Penalties: \$187,220



Safety Sin #3

Standard 3203. Injury and Illness Prevention Program

Major Components:

- Responsible Parties
- Employee Compliance System
- Employee Communication System
- Hazard Identification Procedures
- Investigation Procedures
- Hazard Correction Protocol
- Employee Training

248 Citations

Penalties: \$104,350



Safety Sin #4

Standard 3439. First-Aid Kit

Major Components:

First-Aid Kit at Headquarters &/or Worker Transportation
Remote Locations – Medical Plan

78 Citations

Penalties: \$25,695



Safety Sin #5

Standard 3314. The Control of Hazardous Energy for Cleaning, Repairing, Servicing, Setting-Up, and Adjusting Operations of Prime Movers, Machinery and Equipment, Including Lockout/Tagout

Major Components:

Cleaning, Servicing and Adjusting Operations
Repair Work and Setting-Up Operations
Materials and Hardware
Repetitive Process Machines
Hazardous Energy Control Procedures
Inspection
Training

41 Citations

Penalties: \$252,865



Safety Sin #6

Standard 3441. Operation of Agricultural Equipment

Major Components:

- Operating Instructions and Safe Work Practices
 - Self-Propelled Equipment
 - Safe Place Access
 - Braking Systems
 - Equipment Towing
 - Engine Exhaust Systems
 - Sunrise/Sunset Clause
 - Load Access

37 Citations

Penalties: \$133,600



Safety Sin #7

Standard 342. Reporting Work-Connected Fatalities and Serious Injuries

Major Components:

Immediate Reporting and Methods
Emergency Services Involvement Qualifier
Information to Report

28 Citations

Penalties: \$73,600



Safety Sin Assistance

AgSafe

Employer and employee training, resource materials,
safety and human resources networking

FELS

Employer consulting, on-site audits and inspections,
legal counsel

Cal/OSHA Consultation

Safety program evaluation and on-site review



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