

PASMA Towers for Users

PASMA training is vital for operatives working on mobile scaffold towers as it minimises the risk of accident and injury. A PASMA trained operative is aware of the risks and understands how to work safely at heights. Candidates are trained in how to safely assemble towers, including how to check for damage and follow the manufacturer's guidelines.

A PASMA photo-card and certificate of competence issued on successful completion. This course is approved by the UK Contractors Group and accepted on sites throughout the UK. It must be renewed every 5 years to take account of developments in best practice and changes in legislation.

Who should attend PASMA training?

Anyone whose duties include the need to assemble, use, inspect, alter and dismantle mobile access towers should complete PASMA training. As well as meeting legislative requirements, the knowledge that the training gives you will allow you to maximise your personal safety and that of your co-workers.

Aims

- To ensure that all staff take responsibility for health and safety for themselves and for others
- To ensure that operatives are trained to a high level of competence when carrying out inspections
- To ensure that operatives are able to create a safe system of work and understand their responsibilities

Course content

- Legislation, Regulation and Guidance affecting working at height with mobile access towers
- PASMA code of practice
- Product Standards EN 1004:2004
- Assembling, altering and dismantling towers
- Inspection of completed mobile access towers
- Completion of Tower Inspection Records
- Current best practice for fall protection
- Hazards affecting the use of access towers and how to avoid



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