

PERRP Most Common Violations by Standard CY 2008

Rank	Standard	Condition	# of Findings*
1	29 CFR 1910.303(b)(2)	Listed or labeled electrical equipment was improperly used or installed.	781
2	29 CFR 1910.305(g)(1)(iv)	Flexible cords and cables were improperly used.	681
3	29 CFR 1910.303(g)(2)(ii)	Electric equipment exposed to damage was not guarded.	416
4	29 CFR 1910.303(b)(1)(ii)	Strength or durability of electrical equipment was inadequate.	389
5	29 CFR 1910.304(g)(6)(vi)	Exposed noncurrent-carrying metal parts of cord and plug connected equipment that may become energized were not grounded.	376
6	29 CFR 1910.37(a)(4)	Safeguards designed to protect employees during an emergency were not in proper working order.	353
7	29 CFR 1910.303(b)(1)(iv)	Electrical equipment had inadequate insulation.	339
8	29 CFR 1910.22(a)(1)	The workplace was not kept clean and orderly, or in a sanitary condition.	326
9	29 CFR 1910.305(b)(1)(ii)	Unused openings in electrical equipment were not effectively closed .	311
10	29 CFR 1910.303(f)(2)	Electrical circuits or disconnects were unlabeled.	270
11	29 CFR 1910.1200(f)(5)(i)	Container(s) of hazardous chemicals did not identify the chemical.	250
12	29 CFR 1910.305(b)(2)(i)	Pull boxes, junction boxes, outlet boxes or fittings were not provided with covers approved for its purpose.	240
13	29 CFR 1910.151(c)	Suitable eyewash and/or body drenching facilities were not provided in the work area.	236
14	29 CFR 1910.303(g)(1)(ii)	Working space about electric equipment was used for storage.	236
15	29 CFR 1910.215(b)(9)	Abrasive wheel grinder upper (tongue) guard was missing or improperly adjusted.	222
16	29 CFR 1910.215(a)(4)	Abrasive wheel grinder work rest was missing or improperly adjusted.	174
17	29 CFR 1910.157(e)(2)	Portable fire extinguishers were not visually inspected at least monthly.	171
18	29 CFR 1910.212(b)	Machine(s) designed for fixed location(s) were not securely anchored to prevent walking or moving.	165
19	29 CFR 1910.304(g)(5)	Equipment ground connection was not permanent, continuous, and effective.	159
20	29 CFR 1910.304(b)(4)	Outlet devices had an ampere rating less than the load to be served.	130
21	29 CFR 1910.303(b)(1)(i)	Electrical equipment was not listed or labeled for its identified purpose.	128
22	29 CFR 1910.334(a)(3)(ii)	Attachment plugs and receptacles were connected or altered in a manner which prevented proper continuity of the equipment grounding conductor.	121
23	29 CFR 1910.22(d)(1)	Loads approved by the building official were not marked on plates of approved design and securely affixed to the bldg.	112
24	29 CFR 1910.242(a)	Hand and portable powered tools and equipment were not kept in a safe condition.	108
25	29 CFR 1910.132(a)	PPE was not provided, used or maintained in a sanitary and reliable condition.	84

***NOTE: Number of Findings reflects total number of hazards identified during consultative and enforcement visits.**