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KEY BENEFITS

Building Structures

Creates essential building frameworks and structures.

Interior Finishing

Provides high-quality interior finishing work.

Sustainable

Uses renewable, sustainable materials.

Craftsmanship

Delivers skilled craftsmanship and custom work.

KEY HAZARDS & CONTROL MEASURES**Power Tool Injuries**

- ✓ Use guards and safety devices on all power tools
- ✓ Maintain tools and replace worn blades
- ✓ Ensure proper training before equipment use
- ✓ Use appropriate PPE including eye protection

Wood Dust

- ✓ Use extraction equipment on all woodworking machines
- ✓ Regular cleaning to prevent dust accumulation
- ✓ Wear appropriate respiratory protection
- ✓ Health surveillance for exposed workers

Falls from Height

- ✓ Use scaffolding or work platforms where possible
- ✓ Use harnesses when collective protection not possible
- ✓ Install edge protection before work begins
- ✓ Inspect ladders and stepladders before use

Manual Handling

- ✓ Use mechanical handling where possible
- ✓ Cut materials to manageable sizes
- ✓ Team lift for heavy or awkward items
- ✓ Use correct lifting techniques



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