

# PSC GUIDE-IT SAFETY RIGGER TAGLINES



## ABOUT US

We are India distributors for the most exhaustive range of products that helps minimize/eliminate hand injuries in the workplace. Our focus is on the offshore and onshore drilling rigs and oil and gas industry where a huge amount of lifts are performed. It's a very challenging environment due to rig movements, confined areas, wind effects, etc. We stock Impact Protection Gloves - KONG™, Mechanix®, Ringers, Superior Gloves, MCR; hands-off tools PSC Fingersaver, PSC Shove-it, PSC SafeGuider® Push/Pull Tools, PSC LoadGuider® and PSC SafeGuider® Taglines, PSC Manual Lifting Aids, PSC LoadGuider® Push/Pull Tools and more hand protection products in India. Unlike other safety suppliers, our efforts is focused on improving hand safety in workplaces.



# WHAT IS HANDS- FREE LIFTING?

Personnel not touching a suspended load (with any part of the body) that is connected to a mechanical lifting device is Hands-free lifting. That is any load that is being lifted or before the load is properly set down and all potential energy is released.

Hands injury represent over 50% of all injuries in the workplace. Many injuries can be minimized if not eliminated with the use of the safer methods of handling suspended loads and use safer lifting apparatus, work practices and tools. The objective of hands-free lifting is to eliminate hand and finger injuries by removing them from the energy source – and avoid all caught between, struck-by and struck-against incidents. Hands and fingers represent a tool that enables you to do wonderful things with them, and unfortunately there are no spare parts for these if you damage them.



# NEVER TOUCH A SUSPENDED LOAD WITH ANY PART OF YOUR BODY

The most important tool that money can't buy from Project Sales Corp is the Tool # 1 – The Correct Mindset ! Accepting and letting go the natural reaction to go close and hold the rigging in place, until the tension is taken up to make sure the load is properly slung and balanced, needs to be changed. Remember the most hazardous part of a lifting operation is lifting off and landing and its important you are as far away from the load as possible.

# WHAT ARE TAGLINES ?



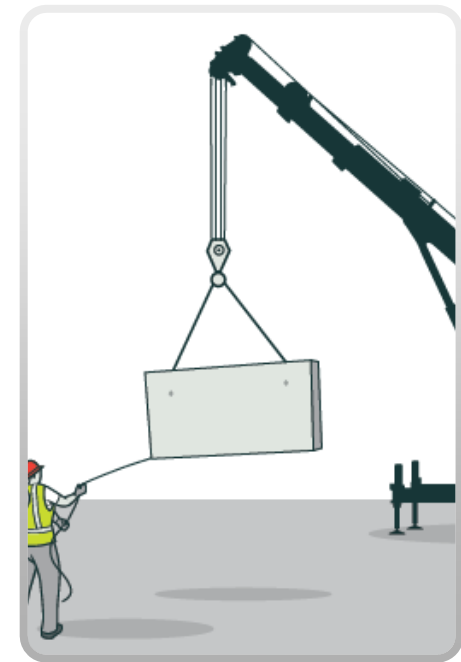
Taglines are otherwise known as a guide line, guide rope, end line, strap lines or pay off lines depending on which part of the world you are in but the most common term for use of a piece of rope is "Tag line".

Tag lines or safety restraint lines must be used when rotation or swinging of the load is or may become hazardous or if the load needs guidance. In brief, loads requiring continuous manual guidance while in motion shall be provided with taglines and requires safety taglines must be used "on loads likely to swing or which need guidance."

# WHEN MUST TAGLINES BE USED?

Taglines must be used whenever any of the following occur:

- The load suspended by the crane in a static (non-moving) condition swings, or is likely to swing back and forth (due to wind or other external factors), creating a control hazard. Not only for the crane operator and banks man, but could be a landing and placement hazard.
- The movement of the crane or boom causes or is likely to cause the load to swing out of control, creating a hazardous condition.
- The load rotates, has rotated, or is likely to rotate in such a manner as to be out of control, creating a hazardous condition.



# TAGLINE MATERIAL OPTIONS



Ropes used for taglines should be manufactured from suitable soft fibers, i.e. non-rotating synthetic or natural fibers that don't present the manual handling hazards of wire rope. Preferably they should be of a 100% polyester braid on braid (braided core covered with braided cover) rope like the PSC LoadGuider® Tagline. Or a polypropylene rope coated with urethane materials to make it stiffer, like the PSC SafeGuider® Tagline.

Using a regular rope of polypropylene, nylon or sisal has some inherent problems when used as tagline:

- They tend to wrap around objects
- They get caught in pinch points
- The bottoms fray and are then knotted to stop the fraying causing the line to catch
- They get slick when worn, wet or dirty with grease

PSC Introduces the new PSC Guide-it Safety Rigger Taglines in August 2020

# THE NEW PSC GUIDE-IT® SAFETY RIGGER TAGLINE



The new PSC Guide-it® Safety Rigger Tagline is made of finest polyester fibers in 14mm diameter with a unique ultra-lightweight 25kN galvanised steel composite swivel hook that opens 2" making it easy to attach to the load and comes with a safety latch. The swivel action allows the hook to rotate instead of the twisting the tagline enhancing safety during load guiding operations. High Viz rope allows for better visibility in low light conditions. Extremely lightweight, the special polyester fibers are reasonably tangle resistant with their unique construction.

PSC Guide-it® Safety Rigger Taglines conform to EN 353-2:2002 – Personal Protective Equipment against falls from a height – Guided Type Fall Arresters including a flexible anchor line.





## **ORDERING CODES-PRICING-SIZES PSC GUIDE-IT® SAFETY RIGGER TAGLINES**

**PSC Guide-it® Safety Rigger Tagline is available in four lengths –**

**16 feet (5 metres) – PSC-GISRT-5 –  
Rs.8000 Each**

**32 feet (10 metres) – PSC-GISRT-10 –  
Rs.12000 Each**

**50 feet (15 metres) – PSC-GISRT-15 –  
Rs.14000 Each**

**65 feet (20 metres) – PSC-GISRT-20 –  
Rs.16000 Each**

**GST 18% Extra**

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