

Your safety matters most

DID YOU KNOW?

Falls are a leading cause of injury on site! The use of ladders provide a risk that can be easily eliminated.

WHY LADDERS INCREASE YOUR RISK OF FALLING

- Ladders require 3 points of contact to be maintained at all times. Stairs allow the worker to carry tools & equipment safely.
- Ladders cannot support a worker facing forward while descending. Stairs allow the worker to walk forward when descending.
- Ladders can have a 200KG SWL. Stairs have a 2.5 kPa weight rating.
- Ladders used at a shallow angle are more dangerous to use. Stairs angles range from 30 - 45 degrees.
- Ladders cannot support the medical stretcher use. Stairs have capacity to allow full access for medical stretchers.



