

FARM SAFETY CHECKLIST

Priority key:

- A - Major - Life-threatening or serious injury potential
- B - Serious - Injury or property damage correct in the short term
- C - Minor – Long-term action can correct the problem

<i>SAFETY CONCERN</i>	<i>YES</i>	<i>NO</i>	<i>PRIORITY</i>
GENERAL			
Are chemicals and fertilizers properly stored and marked?			
Are fuel containers properly marked and stored?			
Are open wells or pits marked, fenced, or covered?			
Is all fire and safety equipment in operational condition?			
Are fire and emergency numbers posted near telephones?			
Is farmstead properly lighted for security and night work?			
Are all stored materials adequately secure to avoid falls and spills?			
Is there adequate eye protection and safety clothing available for workers?			
Do you conduct a periodic inspection of electrical equipment?			
Do you conduct a periodic inspection of grain bins and silos?			
EQUIPMENT			
Is there an SMV emblem on all equipment for roadway travel?			
Do all PTO's have shields and guards in place?			
Are all farm tractors equipped with ROPS?			
Do equipment operators use seat belts in conjunction with ROPS?			
Are all tractors and pickers equipped with first aid kits and fire extinguishers?			
Are keys removed from equipment when not in use to prevent unauthorized use?			
Is routine maintenance performed on all equipment?			
Are all warning signs on equipment legible and appropriately positioned?			
Have all equipment operators received training for their equipment and reviewed the operators manual?			
Do equipment operators always do a pre-operational check which includes a walk around the equipment to check lights, visibility, tires, etc.?			
FARM SHOP			
Are all tools stored properly?			
Are work areas clean and orderly to provide safe working conditions?			

