# **TECHNICAL REPORT**

## Recommended Safety Signs for Die Cast Machines and Related Equipment











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This technical report is intended to define, clarify, and standardize safety signs for common hazards that exist in die casting machinery and related equipment. The design of such machinery and related equipment may vary considerably from one manufacturer to another. Therefore, additional safety signs may be required due to the unique design of each machine. In such cases, this report may be used as a guide, but all safety signs in their entirety (pictorial panel, signal word panel, and message panel) must be created in accordance with ANSI Z535, taking all other applicable regulation into account."







#### **A DANGER**

High voltage.
Before servicing turn off, lock out/tag out main power disconnect.
Do not modify electric or hydraulic circuits unless authorized by manufacturer.

Earth ground machine and electrical cabinet before turning on power. Failure to comply can cause shock, burns or death. ELECTRICAL
CABINET
AND/OR
ELECTRICAL
CABINET
DOOR
DC001



#### **A** DANGER

High speed moving parts.

Do not operate with gate / guards removed or open.

DO NOT REACH AROUND, UNDER, OVER OR THROUGH GATE/GUARDS while machine is operating.

Can cause crushing injury or death.

GATE AND GUARD OR MACHINE FRAME DC002



#### **A** DANGER

High voltage.
Hot surface.
Turn off and lock out
main power disconnect,
allow to cool before
servicing.

Can cause shock, severe burns or death.

HOT SURFACE WITH ELECTRICAL POWER DC003



**HOT SURFACE** 

DC004



SAFETY MESSAGE MACHINE FRAME

DC005



ALTERNATE SAFETY MESSAGE, MACHINE FRAME



FRAME OR MACHINE

DC007



COLD CHAMBER

DC008



INSIDE LARGE MACHINE DIE AREA



#### **AWARNING**

High pressure accumulator.

Discharge all gas and hydraulic pressure before disconnecting or disassembling tank.

Can cause death or serious injury.

HIGH PRESSURE

DC010



GUARD OR ROBOT PERIMETER

DC011



SHOT END HOT MATERIAL



ROBOT MOUNTED

DC013



OVERHEAD EXTRACTOR ROBOT

DC014



PERIMETER GUARD AREA



VAPORS AND FUMES

Signal words call attention to the safety sign and designate a degree or leve of hazard severity. The signal words for product safety signs are DANGER, WARNING and Caution.

When no federal, state, or local government code, regulation, standard, or guidlines specifies a particular signal word, selection of the signal word should be made in accordance with the definitions provided below.

DANGER - indicates an imminently hazardous situation which, if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury.



White lettering on Red Background. Safety Alert Symbol - White triangle, Red exclamation point.

**WARNING** - indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.



Black lettering on Grange Background. Safety Alert Symbol - Black trumgle, Grange exclamation point.

**CAUTION** - indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, may result in minor or moderate injury.



Black lettering en hellow Background. Safety Alert Symbol - Black triangle, Yellow poolamation coint.

**CAUTION** - used without the safety alert symbol indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, may result in property damage.

#### CAUTION

Black lettering on fellow Background:



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