

## BEST PRACTICE

LOCATION:	Quarry	ARTICLE YEAR	2006
ACTIVITY:	Access & Egress & Working at Height	COMPANY:	Aggregate Industries
SUB ACTIVITY:	N/A	COMPANY LOCATION:	Melbur Works, Cornwall
BEST PRACTICE No:	BP285	COMPANY TEL:	01726 861140
COUNTRY OF ORIGIN:	United Kingdom		

### TITLE

**Access to the primary crusher cabin**

### ARTICLE

All workers at this site are required to access the primary cabin, but the three ways of doing so each caused safety concerns:

1. Walking under the main conveyor belt – posed possible slips / trips; any spillage from the belt could fall on pedestrians; and pedestrians could touch the moving belt.
2. Walking up the existing steps – although technically safe with steps and handrails of a good factory-made standard, there was the possibility of pedestrians entering whilst the rock breaker was working.
3. Walk around the yard to gain access via a conveyor walkway – means walking through part of the stockyard and therefore near machinery and haulage movements.

The solution was to build a walkway which, although a simple idea, helped eliminate a number of issues related to pedestrians.

### ARTICLE IMAGES