

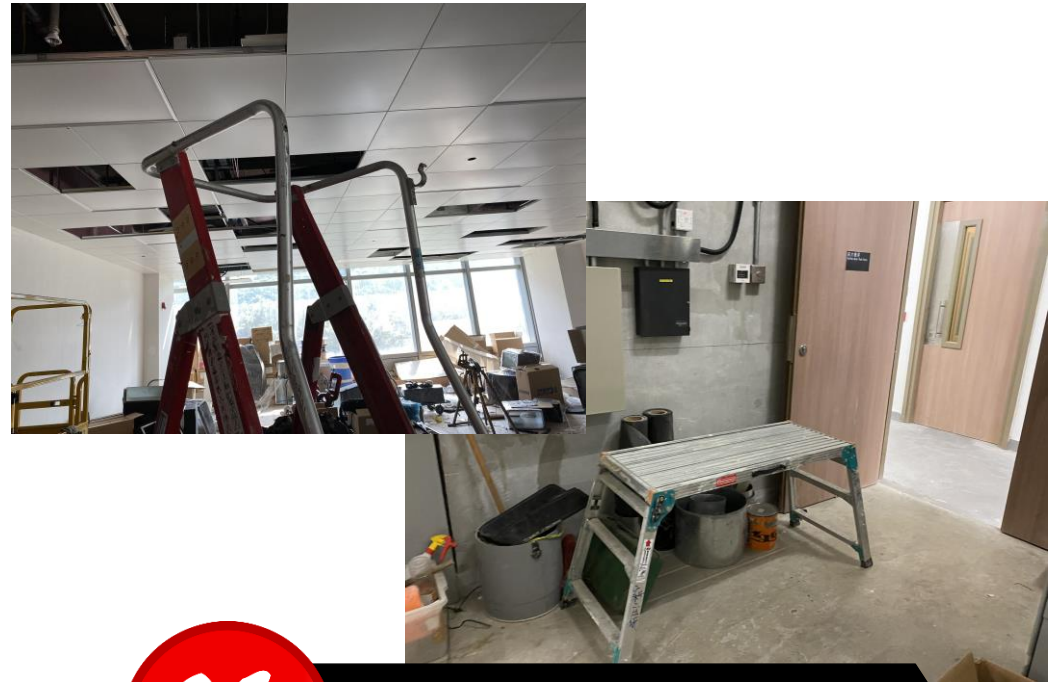
Working at Height

- For work at height of 2 meters or more, use of working platforms should be the first consideration (e.g. metal or bamboo scaffold, mobile platform, or elevated working platform).
- For work above ground below 2 meters, light-duty working platform should be used.
- Ladder should only be used as access only unless it is justified by an assessor through risk assessment on site with permit to work system. Ladder shall never be used for work above 2 meters. Use of wooden ladder is strictly prohibited in HKSTP premises.
- Use of safety harness should be the last resort when it is impracticable to provide a suitable working platform.

Bad Example:



Use of wooden ladder is not allowed!



Ladder platform without guardrail shall not be used!

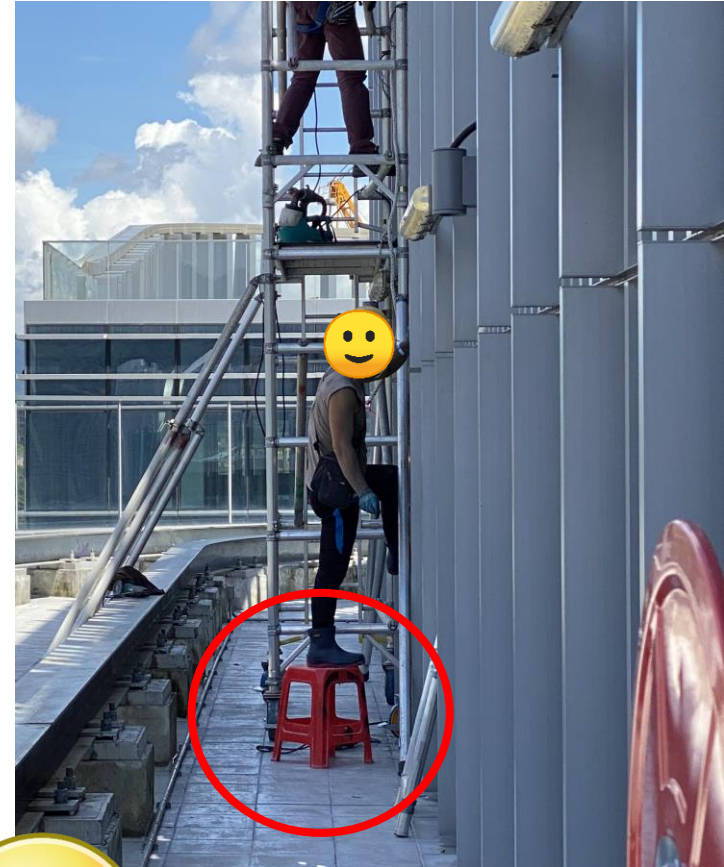




No provision of independent lifeline and fall arrestor system for scaffolding work



Use of substandard working platform



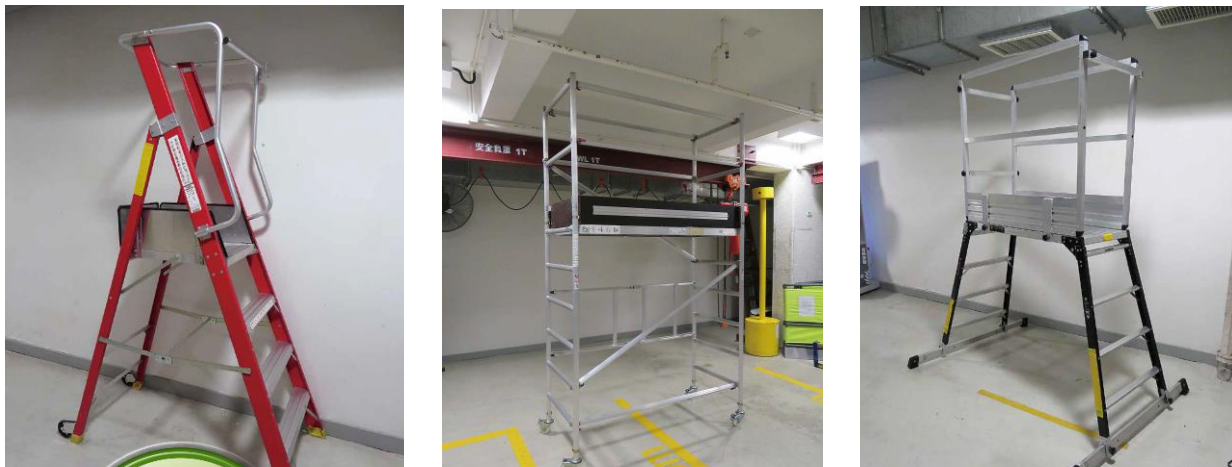
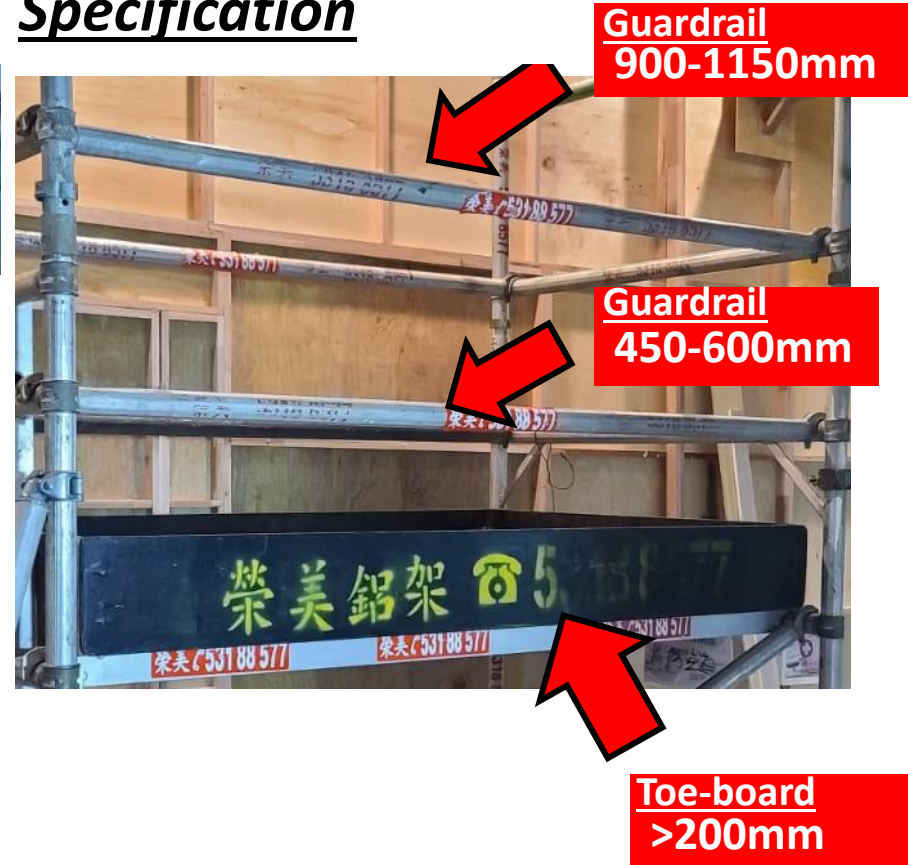
Use of improper working platform

Correct/ Good Practice:




Metal scaffold/ bamboo scaffold working platform with guardrail and toe-board for work above 2 meters

Specification



Use of ladder platform/ hop-up platform/ mobile working platform for work below 2 meters

 Refer to SHE Handbook for more information