

BEST PRACTICE

LOCATION: **ARTICLE YEAR:** 2008
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SUB ACTIVITY: N/A **COMPANY LOCATION:** Wivenhoe Quarry, Essex
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TITLE

Crusher access improvements

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The old crusher at Wivenhoe did not have a good enough reduction ratio because too much oversize was recirculating. To try and improve this, a secondhand Baxter jaw crusher was brought in from another site. However, there was no easy access.

A new platform was designed that would give safe access and sufficient room to work safely. Manager-led discussions with the workforce led to recommendations on platform width, steps and handrail configurations.

The platform has been built internally and provides a safer way to work based on the ideas of the workforce.

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