

Web tool for selection of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

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- PPE last measure for prevention of workplace hazards
- low status - in house competence low
- end user requirements often neglected
- complex system of requirements and tests
- guidance required



Legal issues

- Employer responsible for risk assessment
 - Often delegated to experts
 - Occupational Safety and Health Services
 - Safety and hygiene competence limited and diminishing
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- EU Directive on Occupational Health
 - also Swedish legislation



Principle outline of tool

- checklist for workplace inspection and observation of hazards
- assessment and evaluation of risks
- management of risks
- strategies for prevention
- role of PPE
- EU PPE Directive - also Swedish regulation



Example Protection against cold

switch to "Val av PPE .." htm fil

