

# RISK ASSESSMENT

<b>TASK / ACTIVITY / OPERATION / LOCATION / EQUIPMENT / INDIVIDUAL / DATE(S):</b>	<b>COLLEGE:</b> Easton College	<b>DEPARTMENT/BUILDING/AREA:</b> AgroChallenge 2026
Milking Simulation – 24 <sup>th</sup> & 25 <sup>th</sup> June Royal Norfolk Showground	<b>ASSESSOR:</b> C Askew	
	<b>DATE ASSESSMENT CARRIED OUT:</b> 10-Apr-26	
	<b>REVIEW DATE (<i>Annually or after significant changes</i>):</b> 10-Apr-27	
	<b>LINE MANAGER / VP APPROVAL (Name &amp; Date):</b> Mat Scott 03/06/26	

<b>Hazards Associated with the Task, Activity, Operation, Location, Equipment, Individual.</b>	<b>Persons Affected</b>	<b>How Might They be Harmed</b>	<b>Control Measures</b>	<b>Severity Rating</b>	<b>Frequency Rating (likelihood)</b>	<b>Overall Risk Rating (Low, Medium or High)</b>
Contamination of Cuts	Participants	When 'pulling teats' to extract 'milk'	PPE provided, 'milk' will be simulated, a chalk/water mix.	2	2	4
Being crushed or kicked by 'cow'	Participants, public	Hit by falling 'cow'	'Dummy' cow of robust construction, secured and public to keep kept out of designated and signed work area. Dummy cows are incapable of kicking anybody	2	1	2
Slips and trips	Participants	Injury from minor to major from Slips and trips	Good housekeeping standards, areas kept clear of trip hazards and any spillages cleared	2	1	2

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NUMERICAL ASSESSMENT				OVERALL RISK FACTOR						
Severity Rating		Frequency Rating (likelihood)		Overall Risk Factor = Severity x Frequency	Frequency (likelihood)					
					5	4	3	2	1	
1	No Injuries / Minor Damage	1	Remote	Severity	5	25	20	15	10	5
2	Single Minor Injury	2	Unlikely		4	20	16	12	8	4
3	Single Major Injury / Personal Injury	3	Occasional		3	15	12	9	6	3
4	Single Fatality / Major Pollution	4	Probable		2	10	8	6	4	2
5	Multiple Fatalities	5	Frequent		1	5	4	3	2	1

15-25 High Risk	UNACCEPTABLE - REVISIT ACTIVITY & CONTROL MEASURES
8-12 Medium Risk	REVIEW THE CONTROL MEASURES – CAN YOU IMPLEMENT FURTHER CONTROL MEASURES TO REDUCE THE RISK? IF NOT, REGULARLY REVIEW CONTROL MEASURES.
1-6 Low Risk	ACCEPTABLE (Keep control measures under review).