Mining and quarrying it's your duty to protect people and the environment





Know your hazards

Many things we do at work can cause pollution and create waste. Common hazards in mining and quarrying include:





contamination

Chemical spills





Fire and explosion





Groundwater contamination

Odour





Noise

Surface water contamination



Waste



Wastewater



Manage

your risks

You must minimise the risks of harm from pollution and waste. It is the law. Use this simple four-step process to help you assess and manage your risks.

epa.vic.gov.au/riskmanagement





Seek information and advice

Information from EPA may support you to understand how to prevent harm and comply with environment protection laws.

epa.vic.gov.au/extractive

You can also connect with your industry association.



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