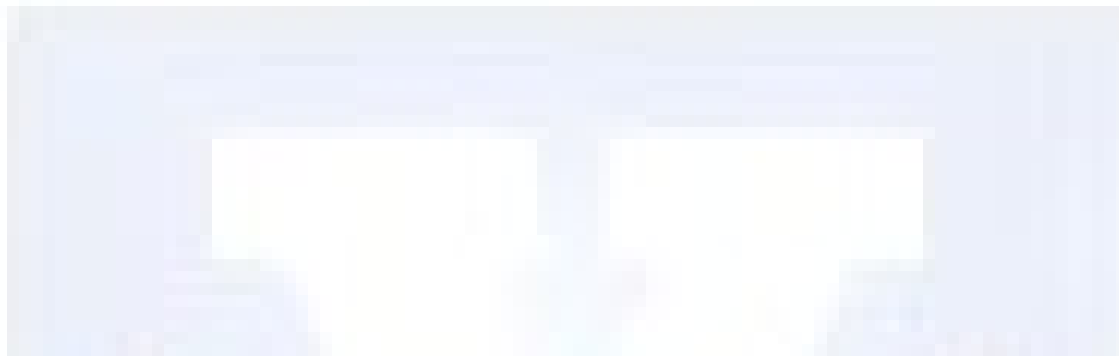




Trigger Action Response Plan Weather





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Wet Weather	TRIGGER	Weather conditions fine	Intermittent rain or seasonal storms	Continued rain affecting the road surface	Local and / or regional flooding
	ACTION	No restrictions on operations	- No heavy vehicles on haul roads unless authorised by the OCE / Supervisor - Light Vehicles must engage 4WD - Speed Limit no greater than 40km/hr	- All haul roads restricted. - No vehicles past designated points unless authorised.	All site access restricted
Destructive Winds	TRIGGER	Weather conditions calm	Destructive winds have been forecast within 12-24 hours	Destructive winds are imminent	Destructive winds are occurring and creating significant hazard
	ACTION	Normal operations	- Normal operations, monitor weather forecast and conditions - Area Supervisors to inspect buildings and structures - Check mine site housekeeping (rubbish, potential projectiles etc.) - Notify all Coal Mine Workers	- Move vehicles under cover where possible away from trees or other potential falling object hazards - Normal operations, monitor weather forecast and conditions. - Restricted operations as directed by the OCE. - Notify Coal Mine Workers.	- All works to cease on site - All Coal Mine Workers to retreat to a place of safety
Hailstorm	Action	Weather conditions calm	Destructive winds have been forecast within 12-24 hours	Destructive winds are imminent	Destructive winds are occurring and creating significant hazard
	Trigger	Normal operations	Normal operations, monitor weather forecast and conditions	- Move vehicles under cover where possible away from trees or other potential falling object hazards - Position operator cab away from direction of hailstorm to minimize damage to equipment - Placing tarpaulins over windscreens or sensitive equipment to reduce the extent or impact of damage; and	- All works to cease on site - All Coal Mine Workers to retreat to a place of safety



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				Covering windows and glass with tape to reduce the likelihood of the glass breaking	
Cyclones	TRIGGER	No cyclone forecast	BOM declared Cyclone Watch	BOM declared Cyclone Warning	Cyclonic conditions occurring on site creating significant hazards
	ACTION	Normal Operations	- Follow advice from BOM / QFES and monitor weather forecast and conditions - Area Supervisors to inspect buildings and structures - Check mine site housekeeping (rubbish, potential projectiles etc.) - Notify Coal Mine Workers	- Follow advice from BOM / QFES. - Monitor weather forecast and conditions. - Restricted operations as directed by the OCE. - Notify Coal Mine Workers	- All works to cease on site - All Coal Mine Workers to retreat to a place of refuge
Flooding	TRIGGER	No flooding	Creeks and gullies starting to run (water flow <300mm in depth).	Creeks and gullies running with water flow >300mm in depth.	Local and regional flooding.
	ACTION	No restrictions on operations	- Notify Supervisor / OCE when creeks or gullies start running - Only drive through water at a creek or gully crossing where necessary, and after the Supervisor has been notified, and a risk assessment has been completed	- Notify Supervisor/OCE when creeks or gullies start running - Do not drive through creeks or flooding greater than 300mm - Do not leave a flooded vehicle unless in imminent danger	- All site access restricted - Do not drive through creeks or flooding greater than 300mm - Notify Supervisor / OCE when creeks or gullies start running - Do not leave a flooded vehicle unless in imminent danger
Rain / fog / smoke (visibility)	TRIGGER	Rain/fog not affecting visibility	Visibility is >100 metres	Visibility is 50-100 metres	Visibility is <50 metres
	ACTION	No restrictions on operations	- Operate to road and visibility conditions - Monitor conditions	- Operate to road and visibility conditions - Notify other road users and Supervisor/OCE of visibility hazard	- Notify other road users and Supervisor/OCE of visibility hazard - Do not operate any HME and Light Vehicle movement is restricted to 20km/h