



TASKS	HAZARDS	CONTROLS
General ROV Dev	velopment	
Using heavy	Hearing damage	- Wear earmuffs to prevent noise-induced hearing loss
machinery and power tools	Eye injury	- Wear safety goggles to prevent flying debris from causing eye injury
	Flesh wound	 Ensure the machinery/tool is in good condition before use Keep a safe distance from moving blades or drill bits Touch heavy machineries if and only if they are completely stopped Turn off the machines when not in use
	Burns	 Do not touch the cut pieces immediately after cutting or drilling Wear protective gloves when touching hot metal pieces
	Respiratory irritation and damage	- Wear particulate respirators to filter out airborne particulate matter
Making buoyancy	Irritation	- Wear protective gloves when working with epoxy
foam	Burns	Turn off the foam cutter when not in useWear protective gloves when handling the cutter
	Respiratory irritation and damage	Wear particulate respiratorsPerform sanding under a fume hood
Soldering circuit board and other electronic	Fire hazard	 Turn off soldering iron when not in use Do not leave hot iron unattended Remove combustible materials from work area
components	Skin burnt	- Place soldering iron on its holder after each use
	Chemical inhalation	- Perform work under a fume hood or in a well-ventilated area
Waterproofing electronic	Irritation	- Wear protective gloves when touching epoxy
components	Chemical inhalation	- Perform work under a fume hood or in a well-ventilated area

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Operations	perations		
Transporting the ROV	Foot injury	 Wear close-toed shoes when pushing transportation cart Secure all loose and moving parts on the transportation cart with cable ties 	
	Impact with the transportation cart	Do not walk in front of the transportation cartKeep transported objects inside the cart	
Loading or unloading the ROV system into or from the transportation cart	Back injury	 Picking up heavy equipment with a neutral lower back to prevent spinal disc injury Carry heavy objects according to one's limits Lift heavy objects together Do not lift anything above the shoulder level 	
	Hand injury	Make sure all handles are strong and safeEnsure no sharp objects around handles	
	Foot injury	- Wear close-toed shoes	
	Slipping	Wear non-slip shoes near the poolDo not run near the pool	
Setting up power supply	Overvoltage	- Check the voltage reading that it shows nominal 48V	
Setting up air pump	Over-pressurized	 Set pressure regulator to 275kPa Ensure no air leaks in the pneumatics fittings Depressurize the compressor tank after every use 	
Setting up the tether	Loose tether	- Secure the tether with carabiner strain reliefs on the ROV side and the control box side.	
	Tangled tether	- Stow the tether into the tether cart roll after every use	
Managing the tether	Tether damage	 Supply enough tether to ROV to prevent excessive tension on the tether Hold the tether up to prevent friction with pool edge 	
	Tripping over tether	- Make sure the tether is neatly laid on the floor	
Checking buoyancy	Water leakage	- Check all connections before putting ROV in water	

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Job Safety Analysis



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	Back, shoulders and forearm strain	 Carry ROV with at least two people Keep a neutral lower back when picking up ROV from the pool
Dry running the ROV	Damaging the frame or manipulators	- Put ROV on the stand to prevent any physical damage
	Flesh wound	 Put warning labels on thrusters and sharp edges Yell "Contact" when someone needs to touch the ROV, signalling the pilot to put down the controller Keep hands at a safe distance when thrusters are turning
Product Demonstration	Thruster malfunction	- Ensure that someone is on standby to push the emergency kill switch
Deploying and retrieving ROV	Back, shoulders and forearm strain	 Carry ROV with at least two people Maintain a neutral lower back when picking up ROV from the pool Avoid twisting motions when retrieving ROV Do not reach too far into the water
	Flesh wound	 Yell "Contact" when someone needs to touch the ROV, signalling the pilot to put down the controller Keep hands at a safe distance while thrusters are turning
	Electrocution	 Keep electronic components away from the pool, and protect them from splashes Check and secure all connections Ensure no exposed and loose wire Kill power immediately when there is an indication of electrical problems

Required Training	Required Personal Protective Equipment
 Use of heavy machinery and tools Loading and unloading equipment Setting up power supply and air pump Dry running the ROV on deck Launching the ROV 	 Close-toed shoes Gas masks and respirators Protective gloves Noise-blocking earmuffs Protective goggles

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