# IN <mark>1</mark> STRIKE YOU COULD BE OUT



## **STRUCK-BY INJURIES**

happen when you come into forceful contact with a moving vehicle, equipment, or a falling or flying object.

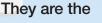
CONSTRUCTION

**WORKERS** 

the risk of struck-by injuries

than all other industries.





## \*1 cause of injuries

and the

### #2 cause of death

at work among construction workers



### PREVENT STRUCK-BY INJURIES

- Never work under a load.
- "Rig it Right" to avoid unbalanced loads.
- Stay outside of the swing radius of cranes and backhoes.
- Tether your tools to your work belt when working from heights.
- Wear high visibility clothing and proper safety gear.
- Establish zones that separate workers and pedestrians from moving vehicles and mobile heavy equipment.
- Use positive protection like barriers and vehicle arresting systems.

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