

## Chapter 6: Confined Spaces and Trenching

### Learning objectives:

- 1) To understand the major hazards involved with confined spaces

### Evaluation questions:

1. Which one best describes a confined space?
  - A. A space large enough for a person to enter and work with limited or restricted entry and exits and not designed for continuous human occupancy
  - B. A space large enough for a person to work, limited access and designed for human occupancy
  - C. A space large enough for a person to enter and work with many entry and exits and not designed for human occupancy
  - D. A space large enough for a person to enter and work with limited or restricted entry and exits and designed for human occupancy
  - E. None of the above
2. Give 5 examples for agricultural confined spaces
  - A. ....
  - B. ....
  - C. ....
  - D. ....
  - E. ....
3. What are the soil stability factors for trenching activities
  - A. ....
  - B. ....
  - C. ....
  - D. ....
  - E. ....

### Answers:

1. A
2. (manure pits, hoppers and silos, storage tanks, conveyor enclosures, spray tanks, sewers, wells, trenches)
3. (soil type, depth of cut, water content, climate and weather changes, superimposed loads, vibrations, previously dug soil)