

Breaking out plan

Crew name:	Date	Location:
System used:	Stem Length:	Tree height:
Changes to original plan:	Impact on operation:	
Incidents from previous day:	Measures taken to manage them:	

Make up of extraction crew for the day

Role:	Name:	Qualified?		If unqualified, assessed competent to be able to:	Approved by:
		Yes	No		
Head breaker out:					
Breaker out:					
Breaker out:					
Yarder operator:					
Poleman					
Machine operator clearing chute:					

Determining safe retreat positions for the day

If pulling uphill, could dislodged material slide or roll into the retreat position?	Risk:		SRP will be:		<i>m</i>
Could anything cause stems to up-end or swing around?	Add risk:		SRP will be:		<i>m</i>
Is the retreat position going to be opposite a bite in any working rope?	Yes	SRP will be:			<i>m</i>
	No				
Are there any obstacles that restrict vision or movement?	Yes	Can the obstacle be avoided?	Yes	SRP will be:	<i>m</i>
	No		No		
Could any of the following overhead hazards fall into the retreat position?	Standing trees	Yes	SRP will be:		<i>m</i>
		No			
	Elevated supports	Yes			
		No			
Loaded skyline	Yes				
	No				
Could the retreat position be underneath a backline stump or mobile tailhold failure?	Yes	SRP will be:			<i>m</i>
	No				
Are there stems behind the backline anchor(s)?	Yes	SRP will be:			<i>m</i>
	No				
If the following conditions are met, could retreat distances be decreased to minimise fatigue?	Stems felled for a butt pull Both ends of stems can be seen Terrain falls away from BO No obstacles in front of the drag System used will provide lift SRP above or behind the drag		If all these conditions can be met, SRP will be:		<i>m</i>

Note the above SRPs are minimum distances. If needed, the HBO can increase the SRP without seeking authorisation.