Battery Safety Work Practices

- Use tools that have nonconductive coating to help avoid sparking.
- Before working on batteries always disconnect terminals. Always disconnect the negative terminal first when disconnecting and last when connecting.
- If battery shows signs of damage or defects (cracking, bulging/swelling, heat damage) handle with extreme caution.
- Never lean over battery when charging, boosting, testing, or performing other preventative maintenance work.
- Never overcharge a battery or expose to extreme temperatures.





