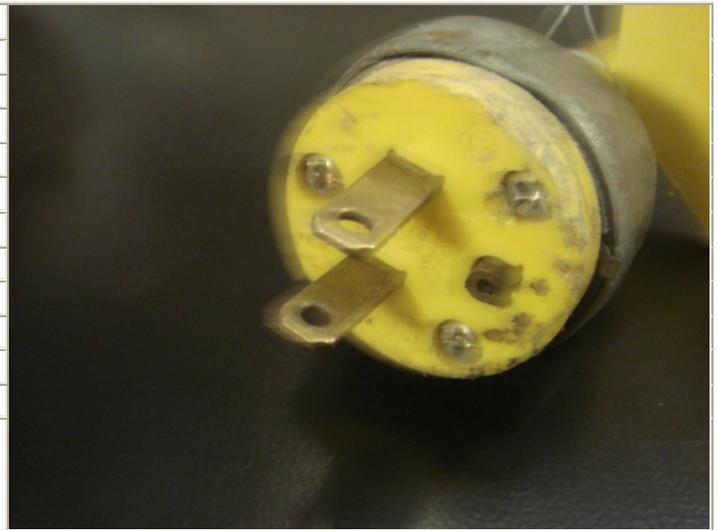


FATAL FACTS



No. 8775-018

Accident Type:	Shock
Number of Fatalities	1
Weather Conditions:	Dry and Calm
Type of Operation:	Plumbing repair
Size of Work Crew:	2
Competent Safety Monitor on Site:	No
Safety and Health Program in Effect:	Yes
Was the Worksite Inspected Regularly:	No
Training and Education Provided:	No
Employees Job Titles:	Plumber
Age & Gender:	27 Male
Experience at this Type of Work:	Two years
Time on Project:	Minutes



BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF ACCIDENT

The employee was working underneath a house repairing a leak when he was electrocuted. An extension cord splitter with a missing grounding pin was being used.

INSPECTION RESULTS

An extension cord splitter with a missing grounding pin was being used. The employer was cited for not inspecting electrical equipment for defects and for using equipment without proper grounding.

ACCIDENT PREVENTION RECOMMENDATIONS

The recommendation for preventing this type of accident was to provide all employees with safety training, to include electrical safety.