

The right footwear for the job

Ensure you choose the right footwear for your work environment

Work environment	What might happen?	What you need on your feet
Sheep yards and drafting pens	• Slips • Prolonged standing • Animal impact	• Slip-resistant sole • Toe protection • Easy-clean materials
Beef cattle yards	• Slips • Prolonged standing • Animal impact	• Toe protection • Ankle support • Penetration-resistant sole • Slip-resistant sole
Hill country sheep farms	• Ankle twists • Fatigue • Slips	• Ankle support • Slip-resistant sole • Lightweight design • Stability
Grazing paddocks	• Slips	• Water-resistant • Ankle support • Slip-resistant sole
Dry summer paddocks	• Fatigue • Slips	• Cushioning • Slip-resistance sole • Breathable upper
Winter grazing blocks	• Wet feet • Slips	• Water-resistant • Slip-resistant sole • Thermal insulation • Easy mud release
River crossings and wetlands	• Slips • Wet feet	• Water-resistant • Slip-resistant sole
Fencing operations	• Punctures • Ankle twists	• Penetration-resistant sole • Ankle support

Place	What might happen?	What you need on your feet
Mustering on horseback	• Fatigue • Prolonged positions	• Defined heel • Flexibility
ATV/UTV operation	• Slips • Fatigue	• Slip-resistant sole • Water-resistant
Tractor and machinery work	• Slips • Crush injuries	• Toe protection • Slip-resistant sole
Shearing shed support work	• Slips • Fatigue	• Slip-resistant sole • Lightweight construction • Cushioning
Farm maintenance and building work	• Punctures • Dropped objects	• Toe protection • Penetration-resistant midsole • Durable outsole
Forestry blocks and shelterbelt work	• Ankle twists • Punctures • Slips	• Ankle support • Slip-resistant sole • Cut-resistant upper
Winter feeding operations	• Cold stress • Slipping	• Insulation • Slip-resistant sole • Waterproof protection