**Split hull dumping**

***Training/instructions***

* Arrange communication procedures between bridge and crew on deck
* Ensure that the split zones are free and that the deck is clear so that nothing can get jammed during splitting operations
* Avoid standing on the catwalk
* Loose articles should be properly secured

***Accidents and injuries***

* Danger of getting the body or limbs jammed
* Injury from falling or slipping
* Danger of falling overboard
* Danger of tripping (especially when iced up)
* Danger of falling into the hold
* Danger of being hit by falling/sliding objects

***Illness***

* Wear and tear on the body because of bad working positions

***Prevention***

* Keep off the deck during splitting
* Use antiskid deck surfacing
* Establish split zones (areas that expand /contract during splitting)

***Personal protection***

* Keep the decks clear and tidy
* Wear suitable clothing for the weather conditions
* Non-slip footwear

***Aids***

***More reading***

* Ergonomics
* Clothing and personal protection