

Boots for chain saw operators:

Heavy-duty, cut resistant or leather, laced, with nonskid soles and adequate ankle support. Boots must be high enough to ensure that chaps overlap top by 2 inches.

Boots for crosscut sawyers:



Heavy-duty, cut resistant or leather, laced, with nonskid soles and adequate ankle support.

Note: Nylon mesh is not cut-resistant. The only way that you can make mesh-paneled boots acceptable for saw work is to wear OSHA-approved four-layer Kevlar socks inside. In order to accommodate the liner, your boots would need to be one size larger than you normally wear.

Acceptable for chain saw operators?	Example Boots	Acceptable for crosscut sawyers?
<p style="text-align: center;">Yes</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">Logging boot</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Yes</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Yes</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">Waterproof chain saw boot (rubber over Kevlar)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Yes</p>

Acceptable for chain saw operators?	Example Boots	Acceptable for crosscut sawyers?
<p data-bbox="373 337 453 375">Yes</p>	 <p data-bbox="772 492 1325 561">Backpacking boot with high top and all-leather uppers</p>	<p data-bbox="1646 337 1726 375">Yes</p>
<p data-bbox="382 760 445 797">No</p>	 <p data-bbox="743 914 1354 984">Backpacking boot with high top and leather with nylon mesh uppers</p>	<p data-bbox="1654 760 1717 797">No</p>
<p data-bbox="373 1198 453 1235">Yes</p>	 <p data-bbox="768 1373 1329 1443">Hiking boot with high top and all-leather uppers</p>	<p data-bbox="1646 1198 1726 1235">Yes</p>

Acceptable for chain saw operators?	Example Boots	Acceptable for crosscut sawyers?
No	 <p>Hiking boot with high top and leather with nylon mesh uppers</p>	No
No	 <p>Hiking boot with over-ankle top and all leather uppers</p>	Yes
No	 <p>Hiking boot with over-ankle top and leather with nylon mesh uppers</p>	No

Acceptable for chain saw operators?	Example Boots	Acceptable for crosscut sawyers?
<p data-bbox="155 297 672 435">Yes (when used with high top boot)</p>	 <p data-bbox="932 540 1163 570">Kevlar boot liner</p>	<p data-bbox="1646 345 1722 383">Yes</p>
<p data-bbox="373 792 449 829">Yes</p>	 <p data-bbox="785 927 1314 1027">Working at the snowline? Additional traction may be required to ensure steady footing.</p>	<p data-bbox="1646 792 1722 829">Yes</p>