

## Health and Safety Award

This award has been introduced to underpin and celebrate success in this vital aspect of the construction industry's design, delivery and management process. Sponsored by RMD Kwikform. Supported by the Health and Safety Executive

### Winner

#### Reading Train Care Depot Implementation Works, Reading, Berkshire

Commissioning authority |

Network Rail

Principal designer |

Jacobs Engineering

Principal contractor |

VolkerFitzpatrick

This breakthrough project was part of Network Rail's £850M Reading Station Area Redevelopment Programme (RSAR). The objective was the relocation First Great Western's existing diesel maintenance unit (DMU) depot to make way for the new eastern chord and Reading Viaduct.

This new train care depot, delivered by VolkerFitzpatrick, provides stabling, servicing and maintenance facilities for 100 DMUs complete with future capacity for 47 new HLOS electric trains, Crossrail and IEP trains. This is the first completely new facility of its kind to be built in the Great Western railway since 1910.

Team performance was consistently high, reflected by excellent monthly PRISM scores (Network Rail's performance measurement tool). It was the first to achieve 100%

score and is ranked in Network Rail's national top 10. Delivering safely was paramount – the team was commended by Network Rail for its health and safety excellence and was presented with:

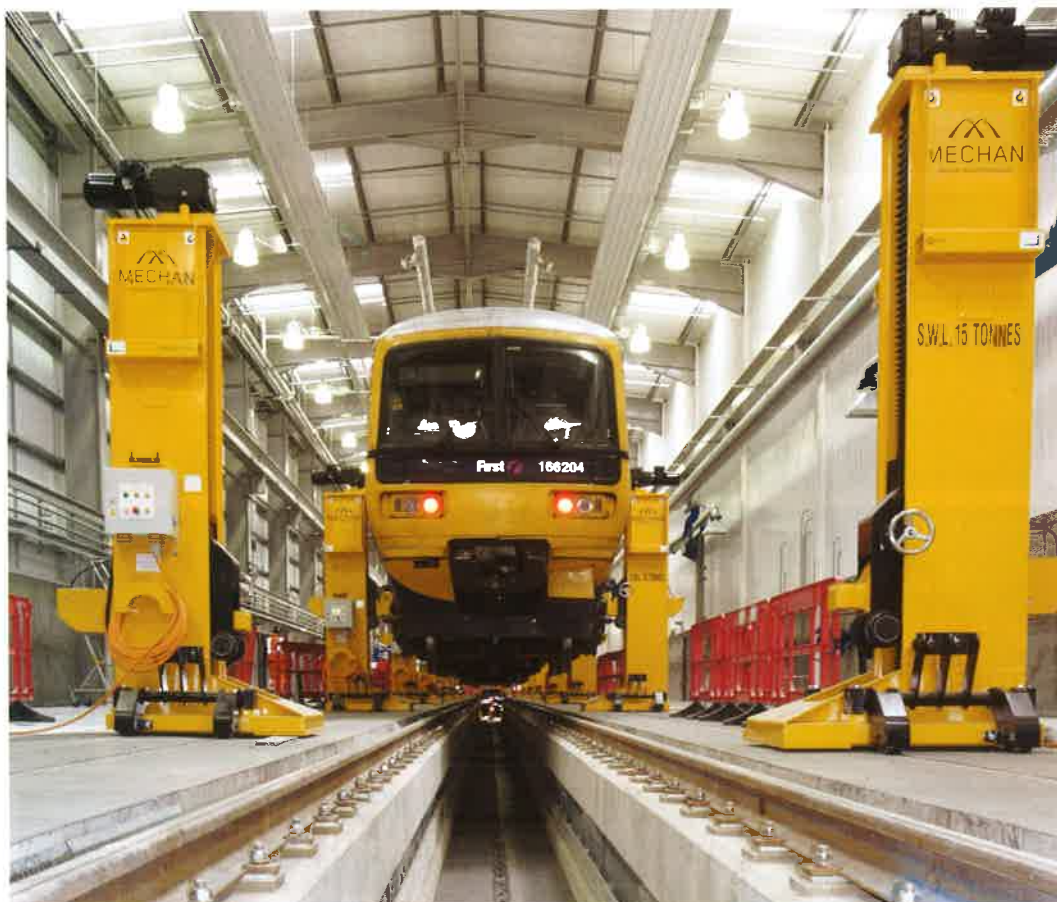
■ 56 STARS – monthly award, 1 per worksite

■ Prestigious regional Platinum Badger Award – winner twice in succession

■ Considerate Constructor Performance Beyond Compliance certificate.

### Judges' comment

"It was well thought through from the outset and demonstrated an excellent health and safety performance"



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