## Weekly incident summary

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## Week ending Friday 1 November 2019

## Dangerous incident | IncNot 0035940

Summary: A haul truck passed onto the opposite side of a haul road to overtake a loader and was approaching a 90-degree corner on the ramp, when a light vehicle approached in the opposite direction. By the time the haul truck operator and light vehicle operator realised the situation, there was nowhere for either vehicle to go. The light vehicle operator veered to the edge of the windrow and the haul truck operator engaged the emergency brakes but was not able to stop in time. The haul truck passed the light vehicle at low speed with about 4 metres separation between the two vehicles.



Recommendations to industry: Mine operators must continue to remind and enforce compliance with sites' roads rules. There have been fatalities and multiple near misses in relation to heavy and light vehicle interactions and enforcement of transport rules must be a priority of all operators.