

CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING

division:

ACCESS EQUIPMENT



Farra Building Maintenance Units provide quick, safe and convenient access to building exteriors. The access team is driven by a real passion to meet the needs of the industry, through creative and innovative solutions. Our philosophy is simple... *Every project will be an opportunity to express our capability, every product will be unique, reliable and elegant, and every client will be satisfied.*



Design

Farra Access Equipment, a division of the New Zealand-based Farra Engineering Ltd, specialises in the design and manufacture of Building Maintenance Units for high rise buildings and Pit Maintenance Units for aluminium smelters internationally.

Our success comes from a history of crane manufacturing for major projects throughout New Zealand from 1960 to 1980. The emphasis changed to Building Maintenance Units following a number of successful New Zealand installations, which in turn provided the springboard for international growth.

Currently Farra Access have designed and manufactured over 180 units for installation in seven different countries. Our success has come about due to our ability and enthusiasm to create innovative designs to answer the problems associated with complex building shapes. Often this approach has meant that we have worked closely with the architect to ensure that their vision of the building isn't compromised by the practicalities of providing external access for maintenance.

The depth and systematic design of our range of products has also enabled us to provide a modular approach to provide an economic solution when the building is more traditional.

Project references

We have fitted units to many of the tallest and most complex towers in Auckland, Wellington, Sydney, Singapore, Hong Kong, Shanghai, Beijing, Macau, Papua New Guinea and London. We offer a range of standard but unique machines, based on the philosophy of simple, reliable and elegant design. They may also be customised, such as the systems for Auckland's 328 metre Sky Tower.

Current or recent large scale projects are:

126 Phillip Street, Sydney
BMU contract value: approx AUD2,000,000

Northern Rolling Mills, Auckland
BMU contract value: approx NZ\$1,000,000

MoorHouse, London
BMU contract value: approx NZ\$2,800,000

Gresham Street, London
BMU contract value: approx NZ\$2,000,000

Darling Park Stage 3, Sydney
BMU contract value: approx AUD1,000,000

The Forum West, Sydney
BMU contract value: approx AUD450,000

Harbour Front Tower, Singapore
BMU contract value: approx SG\$550,000

Hong Kong Electric (*stainless steel BMUs*)
BMU contract value: HK\$5,000,000

Lockhart Road, Hong Kong Central
BMU contract value: HK\$2,500,000

Sky Tower, Auckland, New Zealand
BMU contract value: NZ\$1,600,000

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Farra divisions

Farra Access Equipment is one of seven divisions of Farra Engineering Limited. The other divisions are:

- Farra Sheetmetal Components
- Farra Casting
- Farra Fabrication
- Farra Lift Components
- Farra Machining
- Farra Stainless