



Automotive	Chemicals	Cutting Tools/ Abrasives	Electrical	<b>Fasteners</b>	Fluid Power	Safety/ Material Handling	Shop Supplies/ Hand Tools	Welding
Farming	<b>Industrial</b>	Manufacturing	Military	Mining	Recreation	Service		

## Minimizing Concrete Floor Damage When Removing Anchors

### Problem

The removal of traditional mechanical concrete anchors can be time consuming and leave the floor damaged.

### Review

Typically, the anchors are cut off flush with the floor, which leaves the floor dotted with anchors.

One alternative is to hammer the remaining portion of the anchor further into the hole, which can damage the surface.

### Assessment

If machinery is moved and reorganized often this can leave unsightly marks on the floor. Another method that leaves the floor in a “like new” condition is preferred.

### Recommendation

Tapered anchor bolts can be easily removed, leaving only the taper nut deep inside the hole. A self-leveling concrete patch, such as Fixation, can be used to repair the hole, leaving the floor with no unsightly holes or chipping.

### Result

- The floor is left with a clean look.
- There is no damage to the floor and the hole is completely filled.



Traditional concrete anchor



Damaged floor with remains of traditional anchor



Tapered anchor bolt



Fixation concrete patch



Patched hole