

TASK	Forklift					
HAZARDS	Flying debris		Heat / cold		Electricity	
	Cuts / laceration		Dust		Rollover	\boxtimes
	Pinch / crush	\boxtimes	Noise / vibration		Plant interaction	\boxtimes
	High pressure		Falling / struck- by	\boxtimes	Chemical	
PPE REQUIRED						

PRE-START CHECKS

- 1. Examine the entire body of the forklift for any signs of damage or hazards, including dents, cracks, or rust that could affect operation or safety.
- 2. Ensure the forks and any attachments are securely attached.
- 3. Check for any cracks or bends in the forks.
- 4. Inspect fluid levels (hydraulic fluid, coolant, brake fluid, etc.) and top up as needed, while checking for any signs of leaks.
- 5. Test the functionality of the hydraulic lift, making sure it operates smoothly and securely.

SAFE OPERATING PROCEDURE

- 1. Observe the speed limits and use caution when turning, especially when carrying a load.
- 2. Keep a safe distance from pedestrians, obstacles, and other vehicles.
- 3. Use the horn when approaching intersections, blind spots, or when visibility is limited.
- 4. Always drive in reverse with a load if the load obstructs forward visibility.
- 5. Ensure the load is stable and properly secured on the forks.
- 6. Use the appropriate lifting capacity for the load and keep it within the forklift's rated capacity.
- 7. Tilt the mast slightly backward while lifting to stabilize the load.

POST-OPERATION PROCEDURE

- 1. After use, perform a walk-around check of the forklift to inspect for any new damage incurred during operation.
- 2. Check for any damage or leaks that may have occurred during operation.
- 3. Refuel or recharge the forklift if necessary.
- 4. Report any issues or concerns to the appropriate personnel for maintenance or repair.

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