

# Forklift Safety Quiz-1

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1. How many American workers are injured in forklift accidents each year?
  - (A) 20,000
  - (B) 50,000
  - **(C) 95,000**
  - (D) 105,000
2. Employees cannot operate a forklift when...
  - (A) They are trained and certified to operate a forklift safely
  - **(B) They are under 18 years of age**
  - (C) They are familiar with actual and potential dangers associated with operating forklifts
  - (D) They are familiar with applicable safety laws
3. When should a forklift be inspected?
  - **(A) Before being operated**
  - (B) At the end of each shift
  - (C) Weekly
  - (D) Monthly
4. The surface on which the forklift is operated should be checked for...
  - (A) Slippery and uneven surfaces
  - (B) Obstructions
  - (C) Load bearing capacity
  - (D) Overhead clearance
  - **(E) All of the above**

5. What should forklift operators do when moving through pedestrian traffic?

- (A) Stop and yield to pedestrians
- (B) Move only when pedestrians are out of the way
- (C) Move slowly while honking horn repeatedly
- (D) **Both a and b**
- (E) All of the above

6. A forklift is said to be “unattended” when the operator is...

- (A) At a distance of 5 feet or more from the vehicle
- (B) At a distance of 10 feet or more from the vehicle
- (C) At a distance of 15 feet or more from the vehicle
- (D) **At a distance of 25 feet or more from the vehicle**

7. Which of the following actions should a forklift operator perform before leaving a forklift unattended?

- (A) Lower the load engaging means
- (B) Shut off power and set the brakes
- (C) Neutralize controls
- (D) Block the wheels, if vehicle is parked on an incline
- (E) **All of the above**

8. While carrying a load up an incline, the forklift operator should...

- (A) Drive in reverse
- (B) **Drive forward**
- (C) Either one of the above

9. While carrying a load downhill, the forklift operator should...

- (A) **Drive in reverse**
- (B) Drive forward
- (C) At an angle
- (D) None of the above

10. How should a forklift operator load two objects of different weights on a single forklift?

- (A) The lighter of the two loads should be loaded closer to the mast
- (B) **The heavier of the two loads should be loaded closer to the mast**
- (C) Either of the loads may be loaded closer to the mast
- (D) The forklift operator should never carry two loads at once