

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