



## Chapter 48: [Industrial Trucks](#) Inspection Checklist

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### ENVIRONMENT, SAFETY & HEALTH DIVISION

Industrial trucks must be inspected by either the custodian or operator before each shift and by the custodian when the truck is first brought on-site and immediately after service, maintenance, or repair (see [Industrial Trucks: Inspection Procedures](#) [SLAC-I-730-0A21C-009]). This checklist is to be completed to document the inspection. The completed checklist is to be kept in a weatherproof enclosure on the truck, where it must remain throughout the shift, and delivered to the custodian at the end of the shift. The custodian keeps it for one year from date of inspection.

Custodian name: \_\_\_\_\_ Truck type: \_\_\_\_\_ Date/time: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Custodian number: \_\_\_\_\_ Model #: \_\_\_\_\_ Shift: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Inspected by: \_\_\_\_\_ Vehicle #: \_\_\_\_\_ Hours metered: \_\_\_\_\_

Inspection Item	Result	Comment	Reported to (name)
Fluid levels: oil, radiator, fuel	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail		
Tires: condition and pressure	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail		
Forks, top clip retaining pin and heel: condition	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail		
Load backrest extension: solid attachment	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail		
Finger guards: attached	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail		
Safety warnings: attached and legible	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail		
Operator's manual: located on vehicle and legible	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail		
Capacity plate: attached, information matches model and serial numbers and attachments	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail		
Seat belt: buckle and retractor working smoothly	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail		
Operational inspection: report all unusual noises	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail		
Accelerator linkage	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail		
Parking brake: forward and reverse	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail		
Tilt control: forward and back –interlocks and safety devices are in place for lifts capable of tilting forward for transportation purposes	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail		
Hoist and lowering control	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail		
Attachment control	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail		
Horn	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail		
Lights	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail		
Back-up alarm	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail		
Fuel/battery charge sufficient?	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail		
Steering work?	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail		
Hour meter	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail		