

## A MESSAGE TO HYUNDAI FORK LIFT TRUCK OPERATORS

Fork lift trucks are specialized machines with unique operating characteristics, designed to perform a specific job. Their function and operation are not like a car or ordinary truck. They require specific instructions and rules for safe operation and maintenance.

Safe operation of Fork lift trucks is of primary importance to HYUNDAI.

Our experience with Fork lift truck accidents has shown that when accidents happen and people are killed or injured, the causes are:

- Operator is not properly trained.
- Operator is not experienced with Fork lift truck operation.
- Basic safety rules are not followed.
- Fork lift truck is not maintained in safe operating condition

For these reasons, HYUNDAI wants you to know about the safe operation and correct maintenance of your Fork lift truck.

This manual is designed to help you operate your Fork lift truck safely.

This manual shows and tells you about safety inspections and the important general safety rules and hazards of Fork lift truck operation. It describes the special components and features of the truck and explains their function. The correct operating procedures are shown and explained. Illustrations and important safety messages are included for clear understanding. A section on maintenance and lubrication is included for the Fork lift truck mechanic.

The operator's manual is not a training manual. It is a guide to help trained and authorized operators safely operate their Fork lift truck by emphasizing and illustrating the correct procedures. However, it can not cover every possible situation that may result in an accident. You must watch for hazards in your work areas and avoid or correct them. It is important that you know and understand the information in this manual and that you know and follow your company safety rules.

Be sure that your equipment is maintained in a safe condition. Do not operate a damaged or malfunctioning truck. Practice safe operation every time you use your Fork lift truck. Let's join together to set high standards in safety.

Remember, before you start operating this fork lift truck, be sure you understand all driving procedures. It is your responsibility, and it is important to you and your family, to operate your Fork lift truck safely and efficiently.

△ Be aware that the Federal Occupational Safety and Health Act(OSHA) and state laws require that operators be completely trained in the safe operation of Fork lift trucks. It is also an OSHA requirement that a machine inspection be performed before every shift. If you need training in operating or inspecting your Fork lift truck, ask your supervisor.

HYUNDAI Fork lift trucks are built to take hard work, but not abuse. They are built to be dependable, but they are only safe and efficient as the operator and the persons responsible for maintaining them. Do not make any repairs to this truck unless you have been trained in safe fork lift truck repair procedures and are authorized by your employer.

This manual describes procedures for operation, handling, lubrication, maintenance, checking and adjustment. It will help the operator realize peak performance through effective, economical and safe machine operation.