Whitby Telescopic Training

Whitby Telescopic Training - The telescopic handler forklift is more often referred to as a telehandler, and is a machine that is able to lift materials and products to greater heights and has more versatility as opposed to a traditional forklift. It is often preferred over the traditional masted counterbalance truck (rough and standard terrain). Whether utilized for transporting raw materials into the back of a dump truck or for transporting pallets within a warehouse, the telescopic forklift is a valuable device. Accredited telescopic handler training is essential to guarantee the efficient and safe use of the unit.

A telescopic forklift is meant to lift heavy things using an arm, that extends in segments much like a telescope. To choose a telescopic forklift, you need to take into account how the equipment would be used and for how long. Required lift heights and work site terrain must be taken into account. Warranty, parts and price are all factors involved in buying a telescopic forklift. If you are renting, you must compare delivery costs, prices and terms.

This type of lift truck is available in various sizes, which directly reflects the amount of weight it could load and the heights it can safely lift products to. If the task is to transport materials into the rear of a pick-up then a small to medium sized telescopic forklift is ideal. Lifting heavier supplies up higher will need a larger lift. Careful consideration of how the lift would be used helps ensures you would select the right size for stability and safety.

Attachments are one more consideration when selecting machines. Ask what attachments are offered from the manufacturer. There are pallet attachments, bucket attachments and different attachments for particular purposes.

Work site terrain influences the selection of tires for the telehandler. Cushion tires are made of rubber all the way through, and are seen on smaller units. Cushion tires are best for telehandlers being used inside a warehouse with a concrete floor. They offer stability and durability. Pneumatic tires are often on bigger units used on varied, outdoor terrain where there may be dirt, rock, asphalt and concrete. They give the best traction and articulation.