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Fork Extensions - "FEX-CB" Series (Closed Base, Pinned Heel Style)

Specification:

Designed to offer extended length to lift truck forks, when required on an occasional basis. This style of fork extension is designed for forks with a long drop (distance) below the bottom carriage rail. The straps under the extension prevents it riding up the shank of the fork when excessive loading is placed on the front of the extension.

Fitting:

To fit the fork extensions, lift the forks clear of the ground. The extension may then be slid onto the fork. When the upper part of the extension reaches the fork shank (upright) the retaining pin should be pushed through the holes in the brackets at the rear of the extension and fixed in place behind the fork heel. The extensions are now ready for use.

Always ensure that the load to be picked up is not such that its centre goes beyond the tip of the fork.

Always ensure also that the load is within the capacity of the truck, being mindful that the greater the load centre, the smaller the load that can be lifted.

Never attempt to lift a load using just the tips of the extensions.

Do not exceed the capacity shown on the rating plate, which is located in the position shown:-



Fork extensions must only be used where the length of fork is equal to or exceeds the minimum length requirement for the type of extension being used, i.e.:-

Max extension length = 150% of fork length (i.e. Forks 1200 long, allowable extension length = $1200 \times 1.5 = 1800$ mm).

Note:

Ensure that a visual examination of the extensions is carried out before each period of use. Particular attention should be paid to the integral retaining bar. If the extensions are bent through overloading they should be replaced immediately.

Thorough examination of the attachment, hook, shackle and eyebolt should be carried out and recorded every six months. ('Refer to the Lifting Operations and Lifting Equipment Regulations 1998' & 'The Provision of Work Equipment Regulations 1998' for further information)

Contact Fork Extensions conform to ISO 13284. The British Standard for Fork Extensions

Consult the truck manufacturer if in doubt.

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