

Installation, Maintenance and Service Manual LFD

Single Dual Pallet Handler







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SECTION 1 NAMEPLATE LOCATION

NOTICE

When you receive your attachment, locate the Long Reach nameplate (upper left corner on the body). Record the information from the nameplate, along with the date received, at the bottom of this page. If the nameplate is missing, look for the serial number stamped directly into the metal at the nameplate location and consult the factory for details.





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SECTION 2 MODEL IDENTIFICATION

Each attachment is identified by a model number and a serial number located on the name plate attached to the unit prior to shipment. Long Reach's model numbers are designed to describe how an attachment is equipped. The guide below illustrates the information that is represented in a multi-digit model number. Always include model and serial number when ordering parts or requesting service information.

LFD Series Model Number:





SECTION 3 SAFETY SUMMARY

3.1 Safety Information

Safety is Everyone's Responsibility

Whether you are new on the job or a seasoned veteran, these safety tips may prevent injury to you, to others, or to the materials you are handling. Always be alert, watch out for others, and follow these suggestions:

Attachments handle material, not people.

Safety starts with common sense, good judgement, properly maintained equipment, careful operation, and properly trained operators.

The safety instructions and warnings, as documented in this manual and shipped with the machine, provide the most reliable procedures for the safe operation and maintenance of your Long Reach attachment. It's your responsibility to see that they are carried out.

3.2 Product Modifications

Any alterations to the product, that have not been approved by Allied Systems Company or use of any non-OEM replacement parts will void the warranty, and may introduce serious safety hazards. Any non-OEM parts used, or any alterations made are done so at your own risk to personnel safety. This includes the addition of accessories and attachments not manufactured by Allied Systems Company.

3.3 Safety Regulations

Know your company's safety rules. Some companies have site-specific directions and procedures. The methods outlined in your operator's manual provide a basis for safe operation of the machine. Because of special conditions, your company's material handling procedures may be somewhat different from those shown in this manual.

3.4 Safety Symbols

The following terms define the various precautions and notices:



Indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury. Carefully read the message that follows to prevent serious injury or death.







Indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury. Carefully read the message that follows to prevent serious injury or death.



Indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in minor or moderate injury, or equipment damage or void the machine warranty. Carefully read the message that follows to prevent minor or moderate injury.



Describes information that is useful but not safety related.



Multiple hazards.

Ignoring safety warnings may cause equipment damage, personal injury or death.

All possible safety hazards cannot be foreseen and included in this manual. The operator must always be alert to possible hazards that could endanger personnel or damage the equipment.

3.5 Labeling

 Change capacity, operation, and maintenance instruction plates, tags, or decals when a forklift truck is equipped with an attachment. If the truck is equipped with front-end attachments other than factory installed attachments, truck must be marked to identify the attachments and show the approximate weight of the truck and attachment combination at maximum elevation with load laterally centered.

3.6 Training

- Make sure all operators are trained in the fork and attachment adaptation, operation, and use limitations. Retrain an operator if a new attachment is added to the forklift. Consult the operator's manual for instructions on how to use the new equipment.
- · Know the mechanical limitations of your forklift.





- Modifications or additions that affect capacity or safe operation must have prior written approval from the forklift truck manufacturer. Capacity, operation, and maintenance instruction plates, tags, or decals shall be changed accordingly.
- Never use free rigging for a below-the-forks lift. It could affect the capacity and safe operation of a lift truck.

3.7 Personnel Safety

- When removing or installing dismountable attachments always keep hands and feet free from dangerous positions or pinch points. Never leave a dismounted attachment in a dangerous position.
- Keep hands, feet, long hair and clothing away from power-driven parts. Do not wear loose fitting clothing or jewelry while performing maintenance and lubrication in these areas.
- Never jump on or off the machine.
- Never stand on top of material being raised, lowered, or transported. (Figure 3-1)



Figure 3-3,

- Never use the attachment or its load to support a man-carrying device.
- Never allow anyone under a load or under the carriage. (Figure 3-2)



- Never stand in front of or beside an attachment that is being operated. Never allow another person to approach an attachment that is being operated. (Figure 3-3)
- Never leave an attachment or load in an elevated position.
- Never reach through the mast of the truck. Keep all parts of the body within the driver's compartment.
- Always operate an attachment from the operator's seat, never while standing next to the lift truck.
- Do not allow riders on the truck at any time.
- Always use reverse when carrying a load that impedes full vision. Watch for pedestrians when transporting.
- Always use personal protective equipment (PPE) appropriate to the situation.

3.8 Pre-start Checks

- Check your equipment before you operate it. If anything looks wrong, unusual or different, report it before using the attachment.
- Do not operate this machine if you know of malfunctions, missing parts, and/or mis-adjustments. These situations can cause or contribute to an accident or damage to the machine. Stop the machine immediately if problems arise after starting.
- Check to make sure the attachment on your truck is the same as on the truck capacity plate.
- Check for hydraulic leaks and cracked hoses or fittings. Check the hydraulic oil level in the lift truck hydraulic reservoir.
- All electrical cables and connectors must be in good condition. Use caution in wet weather to avoid danger from electrical shock.
- Always check the attachment for proper fit and engagement of the truck carriage.

3.9 Operation Warnings

- You must be trained to operate this equipment prior to operation. Be extremely careful if you do not normally operate this machine. Reorient yourself to the machine before starting, then proceed slowly.
- Always operate an attachment from the driver's seat.
- Always lower the attachment if you need to leave the lift truck. A lift truck supporting a load requires your full attention.





3.10 Hydraulic Hazards



Injection hazard.

Infection and gangrene will result when hydraulic oil penetrates the skin. See a doctor immediately to prevent loss of limb or death.

Use a piece of cardboard to check for hydraulic leaks.

- Wear personal protective equipment, such as gloves and safety glasses, whenever servicing or checking a hydraulic system.
- Assume that all hydraulic hoses and components are pressurized. Relieve all hydraulic pressure before disconnecting any hydraulic line.
- Never try to stop or check for a hydraulic leak with any part of your body; use a piece of cardboard to check for hydraulic leaks.

3.11 Electrical Hazards



Electrocution hazard.

Contact with energized equipment may result in injury or death and will damage equipment.

Remain at least 25 feet from high voltage electrical wires.

- All electrical cables and connectors must be in good condition (free of corrosion, damage, etc). Use caution in wet weather to avoid danger from electrical shock. Never attempt electrical testing or repair while standing in water.
- Do not wear electrically conductive jewelry, clothing, or other items while working on the electrical system.

3.12 Maintenance Warnings

Maintenance, lubrication and repair of this machine can be dangerous unless performed properly. You must have the necessary skills and information, proper tools and equipment. Work in a method that is safe, correct, and meets your company's requirements.

• Do not attempt to make adjustments, or perform maintenance or service unless you are authorized and qualified to do so.

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- Include attachments in a scheduled maintenance and inspection program. Tailor inspection steps to the attachment.
- Unless specified in service procedures, never attempt maintenance or lubrication procedures while the machine is moving or the engine is running.
- Always perform all maintenance and lubrication procedures with the machine on level ground, parked away from traffic lanes.



Local laws and regulations may require that additional safety measures be taken.

- Never rely on the hydraulic system to support any part of the machine during maintenance or lubrication. Never stand under a component that is supported only by the hydraulics. Make sure it is resting on its mechanical stops or appropriate safety stands.
- Use caution when working around hot fluids. Always allow lubricating and hydraulic oils to cool before draining. Burns can be severe.
- Use extreme caution when using compressed air to blow parts dry. The pressure should not exceed 30 psi (208 kPa) at the nozzle. Never use compressed air on yourself. Air pressure penetrating your skin can be fatal.



Suffocation hazard.

Engine exhaust fumes can cause death.

Remove the exhaust fumes from the area with an exhaust pipe extension, or use ventilation fans and open shop doors to provide adequate ventilation.

- Before disconnecting hydraulic lines, be sure to lower all loads and relieve all hydraulic pressure. The load could fall on you, or escaping hydraulic oil could cause severe personal injury.
- Prevent personal injury or equipment damage by using a lifting device with a lifting capacity greater than twice the weight of any equipment to be lifted.





3.13 Load Handling

• Treat an unloaded forklift with an attachment as partially loaded.



Equipment overload hazard.

Injury or equipment damage may result if the capacity of the truck and attachment combined are less than the attachment capacity.

Consult truck nameplate for truck capacity with an attachment installed.

- Never overload the attachment. Refer to the attachment nameplate for the rated capacity of the attachment. Refer to the truck nameplate for the maximum net working capacity of the truck/attachment combination. Never use a load to support or move another object. Doing so can easily exceed the holding capacity of the attachment.
- Always check loads to be handled. Correct loads that are broken, unbalanced, loose, or too heavy.
- Never lift, lower, side shift, pivot, rotate, or tilt loads while traveling. Repositioning loads while traveling affects the stability of the truck and may impede vision or clearances.
- Do not use an attachment to open or close boxcar doors. Doing so can severely damage the attachment and cause loss of warranty. Damage to clamp arms may result in product damage.
- Do not carry loose items or unsupported loads on top of a clamped load.
- Never use chains, cables, or other devices in conjunction with an attachment for load handling.
- Never clamp loads other than what the attachment was designed to handle.
- Always carry cylindrically shaped loads in the vertical position, not the horizontal.
- Always clamp loads with the contact pads, if applicable, not the arm or arm base.
- Never rotate a load that is off center to the centerline of rotation. Severe damage to the rotator could result.
- Always ensure that the load is the same width as the pallet and neatly stacked when using a carton clamp.

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3.14 Load Positioning

- Be accurate in load placement. It's important to know what the load will do when it's released.
- Always carry loads as close to the floor as possible, consistent with the surface being traversed. Scraping or bumping the floor surface with the load or the attachment can severely damage the attachment and cause product damage. The mast should be tilted back.
- Always keep the load positioned as close as possible to the horizontal center of the lift truck.
- Always back down ramps or inclines. Driving forward down a ramp or incline with a clamped load will lessen the stability of the truck. (Figure 3-4)



Figure 3-4,

- Do not cross dock boards or dock levelers with the attachment or carriage fully lowered. Ramming the front or rear of the attachment against a dock board can cause severe damage.
- Limit lift truck movement to a minimum when high stacking. Limit sideshift movement to a minimum when high stacking.
- Always be observant when high stacking. Look for poorly stacked loads, overhead obstacles, broken cartons, or damaged products in the stack.
- Travel slowly around corners. Sound horn on blind corners. Be careful of tail swing and overhead clearances. Watch in all directions. Avoid sudden stops.

3.15 Operator's Controls

Some lift trucks are equipped with a single lever to control both hoist and tilt functions, others have separate levers for each function. Refer to your lift truck manual for more information.

For clarity, the direction of arm movement is shown on the control handle. To move the arms in the direction shown, pull the handle towards the operator. To move the arms in the opposite direction, the push the handle away from the operator. (Figure 3-5)







Figure 3-5, Operator Controls

Lifting speed is controlled by the speed of the engine and the position of the control lever. Engine speed has no effect on lowering speed.

Before going on the job, shift the truck control levers one way and then the other to determine which direction the attachment moves when the levers are shifted. Make sure the attachment moves smoothly throughout its travel, without binding or pinching hoses.



Equipment damage hazard.

Injury or equipment damage may result if the attachment does NOT operate smoothly.

Do not take malfunctioning equipment on the job. Check with your supervisor about needed repairs.

3.16 Clamp Open Control

Effective October 7, 2010, safety standard ANSI/ITSDF B56.1, Section 7.25.7 covers all lift trucks with a load bearing clamp (paper roll clamp, carton clamp, etc.), and requires the driver to make two distinct motions before opening or releasing the clamp. For example, you must press a switch and then move a lever to unclamp the load. This requirement applies to new and used attachments being mounted on trucks which shipped from the factory after October 7, 2010, and is a recommended feature to be installed on dealer orders and existing applications.

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Load loss hazard.

Injury or equipment/load damage may result if a fork positioner attachment is used to clamp a load. The fork positioner does not have enough clamping force to safely hold a load.

Always support the load with the forks. Do not use fork positioning attachments as clamps.

3.17 Industry Standards

ANSI/ITSDF B56.1-2016 is the published sequence and direction standard for lever and hand-type controls.



The chart on the following page shows industry standards. Your equipment may be different. If you do not routinely operate this equipment, refresher training is recommended. You must reacquaint yourself with this manual and the equipment before starting, and then proceed slowly.

Special controls such as automatic devices should be identified, preferably according to the recommendations in (Figure 3-6)

When a function is controlled by a pair of push buttons, they should operate in the same sense as the lever controls. For example, pushing a button located to the rear (relative to the operator's position) should serve the same function as moving a control lever to the rear.



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| | Direction of motion | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Function | Load | Operator's hand on control handle, facing the load* | | | |
| Hoist | Up Down | Rearward or up Forward or down | | | |
| Reach | Retract Extend | Rearward or up** Forward or down | | | |
| Tilt | Rearward Forward | Rearward or up** Forward or down | | | |
| Sideshift | Right Left | Rearward or up Forward or down | | | |
| Push-pull | Rearward Forward | Rearward or up** Forward or down | | | |
| Rotate, lateral | Clockwise Counterclockwise | Rearward or up Forward or down | | | |
| Rotate, longitude | Rearward Forward | Rearward or up Forward or down | | | |
| Load stabilizer | Down Up | Rearward or up Forward or down | | | |
| Swing | Right Left | Rearward or up Forward or down | | | |
| Slope Clockwise Counterclockwise | | Rearward or up Forward or down | | | |
| Fork position | Together Apart | Rearward or up Forward or down | | | |
| Trip | Engage Release | Rearward or up Forward or down | | | |
| Grip | Engage Release | Rearward or up Forward or down | | | |
| Truck stabilizer | Raise Lower | Rearward or up Forward or down | | | |
| Clamp Clamp Release | | Rearward or up Forward or down | | | |

Figure 3-6, ANSI/ITSDF

Sequence of location and direction of motion for lever- or hand-type controls

- * For high lift order picker trucks and center control pallet trucks, predominant motion of the operator's hand when actuating the control handle while facing away from the load.
- ** The sense of rotation of the control handle is intended to be in the same direction as the desired motion of the mast or load.



SECTION 4 INSTALLATION PROCEDURE

4.1 Truck Requirements

Long Reach attachments have been designed to operate within specific limits. Operating pressures above the recommended maximum may cause damage to the attachment and may void the warranty. Operating pressure specifications for your attachment can be found on the attachment nameplate. (Section 1)

Hydraulic flow less than the recommended rates, or the use of small I.D. hoses may reduce operating speed. Higher flow can result in excessive heat buildup, erratic operation and damage to the truck/attachment hydraulic system. Hydraulic flow specifications for your attachment can be found on the attachment nameplate. (Section 1)



The dealer and/or the user must provide and install the valving required to meet the recommended hydraulic pressures and flow, or must arrange installation of the required valving at the truck factory.

The attachment model description, found on your shipped invoice, will state the following truck requirements: flow (gpm), psi, and minimum truck carriage width.

- 1. The truck carriage must conform to the American National Standard (ANSI) dimensions shown in ANSI/ITSDF B56.11.4-2013.
- 2. Make sure the truck carriage is clean, conforms to ANSI recommendations, and the notches are not damaged.
- 3. The truck hydraulic system must supply to the attachment hydraulic oil that meets the specifications required to operate the attachment properly. Find specifications for your attachment on the attachment nameplate. (Section 1)



4.2 Attachment Installation

1. Prior to connecting the truck hydraulic system to the attachment, the system <u>must</u> be purged through the filtration system. This will eliminate any contamination that might exist in the auxiliary hydraulic system of the truck.



Equipment overload hazard.

Overloading the truck may cause equipment damage.

Consult truck nameplate to determine the capacity of the truck and attachment combination, as it may be less than the capacity shown on the attachment alone.

 Purging can be accomplished by installing a jumper line and operating each hydraulic function (clamp, rotate and side shift if equipped) in each direction for a minimum of 30 seconds. (Figure 4-1 Hoses should meet or exceed SAE100 RI Type AT, with maximum working pressure of 3,000 psi for all attachment functions.



Figure 4-1, Jumper Line

- 3. Remove the lower bolt-on hooks and, if applicable, make a note of any factory installed shims. Shims are used to create clearance between the hook and carriage.
- 4. If the attachment is equipped with quick hooks, simply depress the button on the back of the hooks, allowing the slide plate to drop. Removal of the quick hooks is NOT recommended. (Figure 4-2)

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Figure 4-2, Quick Hook

- 5. Center the truck behind the attachment and drive toward the attachment with the mast tilted forward approximately 4 degrees.
- 6. Line up the locking lug (under the hanger plate, if applicable) with the appropriate notch on the truck's carriage. Check that the bronze sideshifting wear strips are in the proper place, if applicable.
- Slowly raise the truck carriage completely to engage the top hooks with the truck carriage. Tilt carriage back until the unit is against the carriage bottom fork bar (0 degrees).
- 8. Inspect for proper engagement of the locking lug in the corresponding notch of the truck's carriage. Inspect any wear strips, if applicable, to insure they are properly aligned in the top hooks.
- Weld on the supplemental locking lug that is supplied with the attachment, (two pieces of 1/2" x 1/2" x 2.00" steel included with the attachment) with either E-6011 or E-6013 welding rod, or equivalent, on each side of the truck carriage. (Figure 4-3)



Figure 4-3, Locking Lug

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 Install the bolt-on lower hooks. Inspect clearance to the carriage on lower hooks. Adjust the lower hooks for a maximum clearance of 3/32" (see Figure 4-4). Tighten the bolts to 40-50 ft-lbs.



Figure 4-4, Lower Hook Clearance

11. If quick hooks are installed, simply raise the slide plate until the button clicks into place.



Equipment failure hazard.

The attachment could fall off the truck if the quick hook is not properly installed.

Slide plate must click into place. If the slide plate does not click into place because the truck carriage prevents the slide plate from being raised up high enough, install shims between the attachment and the body of the quick hooks.

- 12. To ensure proper locking of the slide plate, use a screwdriver to try to pry down the slide plate. If the slide plate is not locked in place, inspect and correct any cause that might restrict the slide plate from going up enough to allow the button to become fully engaged.
- 13. Check all fittings, connections and bolts for any interference.

4.3 Inner Fork Blade Alignment

1. Loosen and back off retainer nut. Remove retainer bolt. (Figure 4-5)

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Figure 4-5, Alignment, Inner Fork Hook

- 2. Lift inner fork slightly add drop-in shims until inner fork blade is no more than 6 mm below outer fork blade.
- 3. Re-install retainer bolt. Turn clockwise until bolt contacts top of wear block. Tighten locknut to hold retainer bolt and shims in place.

4.4 Hydraulic Connections

1. Install the lines from the truck's hydraulics to the hydraulics of the attachment. See (Figure 4-6 and Figure 4-7).



Figure 4-6, Hydraulic Connections

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Figure 4-7, Fork Positioning

- 2. Inspect installation to ensure hoses are not kinked or pinched between the truck carriage and attachment.
- 3. Operate the attachment continuously for several minutes to determine that all hydraulic connections are secure with no leaks.
- 4. With the mast in the vertical position, rotate the attachment fully 360°. After this procedure, check that the truck's hydraulic reservoir oil level is at the recommended level.
- 5. Before placing the attachment in operation inspect all hoses and fittings for leaks and routing clearance. Be sure to include clearance of jumper hoses to the mast.
- 6. After completing the installation, operate the attachment without a load for several cycles to remove any air in the hydraulic system. Test the attachment with a load to make sure the attachment operates correctly.



Equipment damage hazard.

Equipment damage, performance reduction, personal injury and/or loss of warranty could result if any alterations are made to the original attachment.

Consult with factory before altering original equipment.



SECTION 5 MAINTENANCE

5.1 Schedule

Daily:

- 1. Visually inspect all hoses, fittings, cylinders, and valves for signs of hydraulic leaks.
- 2. Visually inspect for external damage or cracks.
- 3. Check lower hooks for proper clearance. Maximum clearance is 2 mm.
- 4. If the attachment is equipped with quick change hooks check the slide plate latch for engagement and wear.

40 Hour Maintenance:

1. Inspect any forks that contact the ground. The fork blade and shank must be throughly checked for wear, especially near the heel. Reference Form 45-038 Fork Wear Inspection for instructions.

Weekly/100 Hour Maintenance:

- 1. Complete the above daily checks.
- 2. Check all hoses and fittings for wear or damage.
- 3. Check for loose or missing bolts.
- 4. Check grease fittings to ensure that they are clean and working properly. Add grease as needed.

200 Hour Maintenance:

- 1. Complete the above weekly checks.
- Check inner/outer fork tip alignment. Add drop-in shims if necessary. (See Section 3.5)

Monthly/450 Hour Maintenance:

- 1. Re-torque outer fork mounting bolts and bronze hook bolts per chart.
- 2. Check for wear strip and top hook wear.

Recommended Grease and Oil:

Mobile XHP222 Special, or similar quality EP-2 with Lithium Complex Base.





5.2 Torque Specifications

The following torque values are to be used on all fasteners unless otherwise specified.

Lubricated refers to fasteners in the "As Received" condition, which is normally a light preservative oil coating on unplated fasteners and no oil coating on plated fasteners. No special steps are taken to add further lubrication prior to assembly. Dry refers to parts that have been degreased, both mating parts.



Socket Head Capscrew

| Figure | 5-1, | Bolt | Identification | ſ |
|--------|------|------|----------------|---|
|--------|------|------|----------------|---|

| GRADE 8 COARSE THREAD | | GRADE 5 CC | ARSE THREAD | SOCKET HEAD COARSE THREAD | |
|-----------------------|----------------------|------------|----------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| Bolt Size | Lubricated Torque | Bolt Size | Lubricated Torque | Capscrew Size | Lubricated Torque |
| 1/4" | 11 ft-lbs | 1/4" | 7.5 ft-lbs | 1/4" | 12.5 ft-lbs |
| 5/16" | 23 | 5/16" | 16 | 5/16" | 26 |
| 3/8" | 40 | 3/8" | 28 | 3/8" | 46 |
| 7/16" | 63 | 7/16" | 45 | 7/16" | 74 |
| 1/2" | 96 | 1/2" | 68 | 1/2" | 115 |
| 9/16" | 140 | 9/16" | 98 | 9/16" | 160 |
| 5/8" | 195 | 5/8" | 140 | 5/8" | 215 |
| 3/4" | 340 | 3/4" | 240 | 3/4" | 385 |
| 7/8" | 550 | 7/8" | 390 | 7/8" | 615 |
| 1" | 820 | 1" | 580 | 1" | 920 |
| 1-1/8" | 1,160 | 1-1/8" | 715 | 1-1/8" | 1,305 |
| 1-1/4" | 1,640 | 1-1/4" | 1,010 | 1-1/4" | 1,840 |
| 1-3/8" | 2,150 | 1-3/8" | 1,330 | 1-3/8" | 2,415 |
| 1-1/2" | 2,850 | 1-1/2" | 1,760 | 1-1/2" | 3,205 |

Figure 5-2, Torque Chart

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SECTION 6 SERVICE PROCEDURE

6.1 Attachment Removal

1. Position the attachment arms to the width of the unit's body.



Crush hazard.

Serious injury could result if residual hydraulic pressure causes equipment to drift during service procedures.

Turn off truck's power, and activate hydraulic functions in both directions to bleed off hydraulic pressure.

- 2. Disconnect the hydraulic connection for the attachment positioning at the valve.
- 3. Disconnect the sideshift cylinder and hose connections.
- 4. Slightly raise the truck carriage to allow the removal of the bottom mounting hooks.
- 5. Position the attachment on the edge of a pallet. Lower the attachment so that the lower carriage bar misses the pallet when lowered. Tilt the mast forward to allow the carriage to disengage from the upper mounting hooks and back away. If lowering onto a floor, blocks of wood can be placed under the body of the attachment to raise the rear.
- 6. To reinstall, follow the installation procedure in section 3 of this manual.



Equipment damage hazard.

Equipment damage and loss of performance could result if air is trapped in the hydraulic system.

Activate the hydraulic functions several times after hydraulic service has been performed, to bleed trapped air out of the system before returning attachment to service.





6.2 Sideshift Cylinder Removal

1. Disconnect the hydraulic connections.



Crush hazard.

Serious injury could result if residual hydraulic pressure causes equipment to drift during service procedures.

Turn off truck's power, and activate hydraulic functions in both directions to bleed off hydraulic pressure.

- 2. Remove the cylinder rod end cotter pin and clevis pin.
- 3. Remove cotter pin and clevis pin at the base end of the cylinder.

6.3 Sideshift Cylinder Installation

- 1. Install the clevis pin and cotter pin into the base end of the cylinder.
- 2. Attach the hydraulic connections to the cylinder.
- 3. Turn on truck's power.
- 4. Extend the cylinder until the rod end hole lines up with the mounting hole. Install the clevis pin and cotter pin into the rod end of the cylinder.
- 5. Turn on the truck's power and activate the sideshift cylinder to remove trapped air.

6.4 Inner Fork Removal

- 1. Position the forks to the closed position. Turn off the truck's power. Remove the spring cylinder retaining nut at the rod end of the cylinder.
- 2. Attach a suitable overhead hoist to the inner fork load backrest.
- 3. Turn on the truck's power. Extend fork hydraulic cylinders to the maximum out-to-out position.
- 4. Remove heel hook retainer bolts. (Figure 6-1)

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Figure 6-1, Inner Fork

- 5. Remove inner fork retaining blocks and note their orientation.
- 6. Remove inner fork by moving inner fork slide off the end of the outer fork slide.

6.5 Inner Fork Installation

- 1. Attach a suitable hoist to the inner fork load backrest.
- 2. Slide fork onto outer fork slide.
- 3. Install inner fork upper and lower retaining blocks.
- 4. Connect spring cylinder to inner fork slide lug and install nut. Torque nut according to chart in Section 5 Maintenance.
- 5. Install lower retainer assembly and lower retaining blocks.

6.6 Outer Fork Removal

1. Remove inner forks (Section 5.4). Remove the cotter pin retaining the flush nut. Remove the flush nut. (Figure 6-2)







Figure 6-2, Outer Fork Removal

- 2. Attach the cylinder up or block in place to support its weight when removed from the fork lug. Activate the hydraulics and retract the cylinder from the fork lug.
- 3. Attach a suitable overhead hoist to the outer fork load backrest.



It is not necessary to remove the fork to replace wear strips. See 5-15 repair-in-place wear strip replacement.

6.7 Outer Fork Installation

- 1. Attach a suitable overhead hoist to the fork. Line up the slide bar with the proper channel and slide into body.
- Activate the hydraulics and extend the cylinder rod out until it is at the fork lug. Insert the spacer washer on the cylinder rod and extend the cylinder through the fork lug until the fork moves.

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3. Apply a thin coat of bearing grease to the spherical portion of the nut and concave section of the fork lug. Screw on the flush nut until it stops. Back off the flush nut while lining up the cotter pin hole in the rod with the slot in the flush nut. Clearance between the spacer washer and the fork lug should be 1/16 of an inch. Do not tighten the flush nut tight to eliminate all clearance between spacer washer and arm lug. (Figure 6-3)



Figure 6-3, Arm Lug

4. Insert the cotter pin and bend to lock into place. Make sure pin does not extend past body.

6.8 Hydraulic Cylinder Removal

- 1. Extend the forks outside of the body to allow access to the cylinders and hydraulic fittings.
- 2. Remove the cylinder rod end cotter pin and flush nut.
- 3. Tie the cylinder up to support its weight when removed from the fork lug. To prevent damage to rod and aluminum washer make sure rod washer clears slide. Carefully activate hydraulics and retract the cylinder to the fully closed position.



Crush hazard.

Serious injury could result if residual hydraulic pressure causes equipment to drift during service procedures.

Turn off truck's power, and activate hydraulic functions in both directions to bleed off hydraulic pressure.

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- 4. Turn off the truck's power and activate the hydraulic functions in both directions several times to relieve built up hydraulic pressure.
- 5. Disconnect the hydraulic connections.
- 6. Remove the cylinder base end flush nut and cotter pin.
- 7. The cylinder now can be removed through the front of the attachment.

6.9 Hydraulic Cylinder Installation

- 1. Apply a thin coat of bearing grease to the spherical portion of the flush nut and concave section of the body lug.
- Position cylinder base end into body lug and install flush nut. Back the flush nut off lining and up the cotter pin hole in the rod or base end stud with the slot in the flush nut.



3. Adjust to allow 1/16 of an inch movement clearance between the base end of the cylinder and the body lug. (Figure 6-4)



Figure 6-4, Body Lug

4. Turn on the truck's power and activate the positioning cylinders several times to bleed out trapped air.





Equipment damage hazard.

Equipment damage and loss of performance could result if air is trapped in the hydraulic system.

Activate the hydraulic functions several times after hydraulic service has been performed, to bleed trapped air out of the system before returning attachment to service.

6.10 Hydraulic Cylinder Disassembly

- 1. Remove the cylinder from the attachment. See removal instructions.
- 2. Clamp the cylinder lightly at the base end in a soft jawed vise. Use a block or other support under the rod end of the cylinder. (Figure 6-5)



Figure 6-5, Cylinder Vise

3. Remove outer snap ring. Tap gland into barrel using a rubber mallet. (Figure 6-6)





Figure 6-6, Cylinder Rebuild

- 4. Remove internal retaining ring using a small flat screw driver. Remove the rod assembly from the cylinder tube.
- 5. Clamp the rod assembly in a soft jawed vise on the wrench flats, not on the rod surface. If the rod does not have wrench flats use two pieces of wood on both sides of the rod to prevent scarring. (Figure 6-7)



Figure 6-7, Cylinder Shaft

- 6. Remove the piston retaining nut and remove the piston. (Figure 6-6)
- 7. Carefully pry up on the piston seals using a blunt tip screw driver being careful not to scratch the seal grooves. Cut the seals to remove from the piston. (Figure 6-8)





Figure 6-8, Piston Seal

8. Use the same procedure as above to remove the seals from the gland cap.

6.11 Cylinder Inspection

Inspect the cylinder tube bore for:

- 1. Deep scratches or nicks on surface finish.
- 2. Signs of galling or excessive wear.
- 3. Out-of-roundness or deformities of the barrel.

Inspect the piston for:

- 1. Scratches or nicks in seal grooves and on surface finish.
- 2. Wear on O.D.

Inspect the cylinder rod for:

- 1. Scratches or nicks on the rod and surface finish.
- 2. Straightness of the rod.
- 3. Damaged threads.

Inspect the gland cap for:

- 1. Scratches or nicks in seal grooves.
- 2. Excessive wear in bore.

Replace any component found to be damaged.

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6.12 Cylinder Assembly

- 1. Apply a thin coat of clean hydraulic oil on the piston, gland cap, and seals to ease slipping of the seals in place.
- Note the direction of the seal lips on the piston. Improper installation will result in poor performance. The cupped side or O-ring side of the seal should be facing the gland cap. (Figure 6-9)



Figure 6-9, Piston Seal

3. Install the seals and wipers in the gland cap. Note the direction of the seals. The cupped side or O-ring side of the seal should be facing the piston. (Figure 6-10)



Figure 6-10, Gland Cap Seal

- 4. Install the piston on the rod and tighten the locknut to 70-75 ft-lbs.
- 5. Apply lube to the inside of the cylinder tube to ease insertion of the rod and piston. Insert the rod and piston into the cylinder tube. Tap the rod in with a rubber mallet if resistance is encountered.



 Install the gland cap on the cylinder rod while being extremely careful not to cut the rod seal on the threads of the rod or rod shoulder. If available, use a sleeve or plastic electrical tape to cover the rod threads.

6.13 Hydraulic Valve Removal

- 1. Turn off the truck's power and activate the hydraulic functions in both directions several times to relieve any built up hydraulic pressure.
- 2. Disconnect the hydraulic hoses from the truck at the attachments valve.
- 3. Disconnect the hydraulic hoses from the cylinders at the valve ports.
- 4. Remove the valve mounting bolts and remove valve.

6.14 Hydraulic Valve Installation

- 1. Reassemble in the reverse order shown above.
- 2. Turn on the truck's power and activate the hydraulic functions several times to bleed out trapped air.

6.15 Repair-N-Place Wear Strips



It is not necessary to remove the forks to replace the body wear strips.

Lubricate the wear strips or slide assembly with dry lube such as silicon spray or dry moly.

Required Parts:

- 2 Wear Strip LH Upper/Lower Pieces
- 2 Wear Strip RH Upper/Lower Pieces
- 4 Wear Strip C Shaped, White
- 8 Wear Strip Retainer Plugs

Tools Required:

- 1. Rubber Mallet
- 2. 3/8 inch Ratchet Wrench
- 3. 3/8 inch Extension
- 4. (Blue) Loc-Tite 242 and Primer





6.16 Body Wear Strips

1. Position the forks to the closed position. Turn off the truck's power. (Figure 6-11)



Figure 6-11, Forks closed

- 2. Remove four wear strip retainer plugs using your ratchet wrench and extension. The retainer plug is designed for a 3/8 inch ratchet. The retainer plug was installed using Loc-Tite at the factory and may require significant force to break loose.
- 3. Turn on the truck's power and extend the forks outside the body. Remove the exposed retainer plugs. The wear strips where the retainer plugs were removed will then be able to slide out. (Figure 6-12)





Figure 6-12, Forks Open

- 4. Raise the attachment and set the forks down on a stack of pallets, a table, or other suitable support. Lower the attachment until the forks just make contact. This will relieve the pressure on the fork slide. Turn off the truck's power.
- 5. With the forks extended remove the last end sections of the wear strip. Only the center section remains.
- 6. Insert new wear strip center pieces with the retainer plug hole first. Insert the wear strip upper section. Use the rubber mallet to tap into channel. Tap the wear strip in far enough to leave a lip on the channel to start the last end piece. Insert the last wear strip end piece with the retainer plug hole out and tap into place lining up the retainer plug hole. (Figure 6-13)



Figure 6-13, Body Wear Strips (one-piece)

7. Prime the retainer plug hole threads with a good primer following the manufacturer's instructions. Apply (blue grade) Loc-Tite to the retainer plug threads and torque to 50 ft-lbs.



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- 8. Turn on the truck's power and raise the attachment off of the supports. Close the forks.
- 9. Turn off the truck's power. Insert the last two retainer plugs using (blue grade) Loc-Tite and torque to 50 ft-lbs.



1. Position the forks to a closed position. Completely lower forks. Turn off the truck's power. (Figure 6-11)

Impact hazard.

Serious injury could result if the high pressure springs in the spring cylinders are opened.

To prevent injury, do not attempt to disassemble the spring cylinders. Spring cylinders contain high pressure springs and are a non-serviceable part.

2. Remove spring cylinder rod nuts.



Forks must be fully closed before removing rod nuts.

Turn on truck's power. Raise the carriage one to two feet, and completely extend forks.

- 3. Replace wear strips on one fork at a time. Note the location of flanged wear strips.
- 4. Support the inner fork by its backrest with a suitable lifting device. Remove the upper and lower fork retaining blocks, noting their positions and orientation. (Figure 6-1)
- 5. Slide the fork inward until the retainer plug is clear of the fork slide. Remove the retainer plugs by turning them clock-wise with a 3/8" ratchet and extension until the plug clears the threads on the inner fork slide. (Figure 6-12)

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6. Place upper and lower wear strips adjacent to old wear strips, with the retainer plug hole closest to the slide edge. Use the rubber mallet or hammer to tap into place while pushing out old wear strips. Line up the retainer plug holes. Prime the retaining plug hole threads with Loc-Tite primer following the manufacturer's instructions. Apply (blue) Loc-Tite to the plug threads. Hold retainer plug behind slide and insert 3/8 extension through hole into plug. Turn plugs counter clock-wise and torque to 50 ft-lbs.



Figure 6-14, Two-Part Wear Strips

- 7. Slide the fork outward and reconnect spring cylinder.
- 8. Turn on the truck's power and raise attachment off of the supports. Close forks. Reinstall spring cylinder rod nuts and torque to 122 ft-lbs.
- 9. Reinstall inner retaining blocks in their original positions. (Figure 6-14)
- 10. Follow the same procedure for the other fork.

6.18 Mounting Replacement

- 1. Remove the attachment from the truck's carriage. Follow the procedure in Section 6-1.
- 2. Remove the sideshift cylinder clevis pin from the mid-plate cylinder anchor.
- 3. Clean and inspect the mid-plate wear surface for nicks, gouges and wear. Replace any damaged parts.





4. To replace wear pads or mounting hooks, remove old hooks. Clean any wear surfaces on the attachment. Apply blue Loc-Tite to new mounting hardware and torque to 155 ft-lbs. (Figure 6-15)



Figure 6-15, Mounting Replacement

- 5. Reattach the sideshift cylinder and clevis pins.
- 6. Reinstall the attachment following the installation procedure in this manual.















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