

Get Your New Reach Truck License in 2021

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TORONTO, ONTARIO, CANADA, August 17, 2021 /EINPresswire.com/ -- To obtain a [reach truck license](#) an Operator Training course is designed by the CSA Standard B335-15 – The CSA Safety Standard for Lift Trucks (B335-15) identifies the knowledge and practical skills needed by lift truck operators. The practical evaluation requires lift truck operators to demonstrate a skill level equal or greater to the industry accepted standards of the Occupational Health and Safety Act, Regulation 851.

What Is A Narrow Aisle Reach Truck

Operating a narrow aisle lift truck safely demands skill and experience, that is why only trained and authorized people may use them. Lift truck operations involve more than the individual operator, truck and operating environment. For optimum performance and safety, it requires all of those factors to work together.

Narrow aisle lift trucks have the capacity to turn in tight aisles and restricted spaces and can lift loads to heights exceeding 28 feet. A fully loaded truck can weigh more than 12,000 pounds, that's roughly equivalent to 4 cars.



A picture of a reach truck used in a warehouse



Reach Truck

What Can Cause A Reach Truck To Tip Over

One of the primary reasons a reach truck can tip over is the following

Overloading

Traveling with a load elevated

Braking or accelerating while turning

Load not centered correctly

Excessive speed

Falling from docks. dock plates, trucks and trailers

You can be seriously injured or even killed in a tip over accident. With a sit down forklift operators are trained to stay in the operators compartment during a tip over to minimize the risk of injury. With a stand up reach truck you are trained to step off the rear end of the reach truck in order to minimize the risk of injury.

Who Can Use A Reach Truck

The Canadian Standards Association (CSA) Standard B335-04 for Industrial Lift Truck Operator Training defines a lift truck operator as a person who is trained in accordance with the standard and authorized by the person's employer to be in control of the reach truck. Read the following link to get more information regarding CSA

Standards. <https://www.csagroup.org/store/product/B335-15/>

The standard specifies the requirements that must be met for operator training. A competent reach truck operator must understand his/her duties, rights and responsibilities outlined under the federal and provincial legislation and Ontario Ministry of Labor guidelines.

Safety is not something that anyone sets out to ignore, but tight schedules, heavy equipment, pedestrian traffic and congested work space can sometimes compromise safety. every year in Canada, there are thousands of lift truck accidents, many of which result in death. Safety should be number 1 priority.

Do You Need a Reach Truck License

The answer to this question is yes. In order to operate a reach truck you need a reach truck license or reach truck certificate. In order to obtain this you need to be trained by a certified trainer.

Does A Reach Truck License Expire

Reach Truck certifications are valid for 3 years. After three years, you will need theory and practical reassessment in order to get recertified and be able to continue to operate a forklift in

compliance with Ontario's safety regulations.

[Reach Truck Safety](#) should be taken very seriously as a reach truck is a heavy and powerful machine capable of lifting extremely heavy loads to great heights. Having the proper training ensures the operator is compliant and knowledgeable forklift operator and abides by all safety regulations set by the MOL (Ministry of Labor) and the Canadian Safety association.

What You Will Learn Taking A [Reach Truck Training](#) Course
Reach Truck Operator

Government legislation

Employers, Supervisors, and worker responsibilities

Pre-operational checks

Inspection, maintenance, and records

Lift capacity and load limitations

Battery Safety for Reach trucks

Safe operating procedures

How Long Is The Training To Become a Reach Truck Licensed

The Reach Truck Training Course is 4-6 hours depending on the number of participants. In-class theory with a practical driving assessment in their own warehouse setting.

After completing the training course, each operator's theory knowledge will be assessed using a multiple-choice test and practical evaluation of their ability to operate a Reach Truck in a safe and efficient manner. Upon successful completion of the evaluation, each operator will receive a wallet size ID forklift license and Certificate of Achievement.

Training should only be conducted by an authorized trainer who has been trained in accordance with government regulations. Having a competent trainer will ensure that the training provided will meet or exceed training expectations. AI Forklift Training Ltd is your number 1 choice for all your training needs. <https://www.aiforklifttraining.ca/reach-truck-operator-training-course/>

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