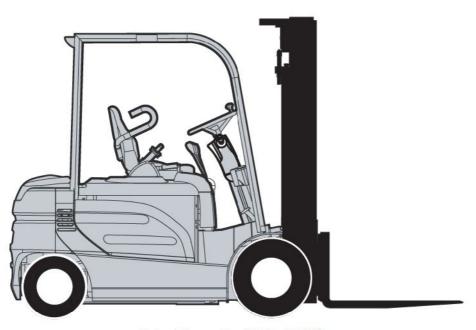
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Truck Models Covered by this Manual

This manual consists of "base" module that pertains to all GEX20-30 models and other modules that pertain only to specific models. Manuals shipped with the truck contain the base module and the modules specific to the purchased truck.

You may, however, purchase specific modules and expand your manual to fully cover multiple models. To do so, order the desired modules as you would any other Clark part.

Arrangement and Use of this Manual

Clark arranges parts and service procedures by standardized *Groups*. In this manual, Groups are similar to "chapters". Groups are listed in the indexes on the next page.

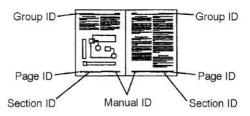
Each Group begins with a table of contents that shows the *Sections* contained within the Group. Lengthy Sections also begin with a table of contents.

Each Group and Section has an identifying name and number, or "ID".

Each page also has a unique ID. The page ID consists of three numbers separated by hyphens. The three numbers represent the Group number, the Section number, and the page number. For example, "00-1-2" on the lower corner of the page indicates Group 00, Section 1, page 2.

The Group number sometimes has a letter or letters added to it in parentheses if one or more variations of the Group exist. For example, if the truck has a standard transaxle, Group 06 is expressed as "06(S)"; if the truck has a hydrostatic transmission, Group 06 is expressed as "06(H)".

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This manual is intended for the use of trained service personnel. Please read Group SA, "Safe Maintenance", and the *Operator's Manual* before working on or operating the truck.

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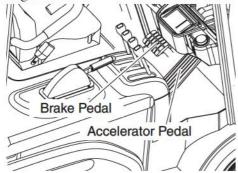
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Test the service brake (drive motor cut-off) switch. Drive the truck FORWARD (or in REVERSE) at creep speed. While holding the accelerator pedal steady in creep speed position, depress brake pedal. The braking action should interrupt power to the drive motor and stop the truck. Release the brake pedal. The drive motor should again start moving the truck.



Test brake operation by depressing and releasing the brake pedal several times while driving the truck. The brakes should bring the truck to a smooth stop without pulling, squealing, or shuddering. Have the brakes adjusted or repaired as necessary. Drive motor should cut off before brakes apply.

To check brake holding capability and adjustment, park the truck on a grade and depress brake pedal. The brake should hold a lift truck with rated load on a 15% grade.

Check Steering



CAUTION

DO NOT operate lift truck if steering system is not operating properly.

Check steering control operation. First, drive the truck in a straight line. The truck must drive in a straight line without drifting toward either side. Then drive slowly (creep speed) through a series of full right and left turns. Check steering response and smoothness of operation. Turning effort must be the same in either direction. You will hear the hydraulic pump operate over relief when in a full turn. If there is a steering problem, have it repaired.

NOTE

Conduct the following test with a rated capacity load.

Test for general drive train operation. Drive the truck at various speeds and operating conditions, in both FOR-WARD and REVERSE directions. Test shifting from NEUTRAL to FORWARD, then back to NEUTRAL.

Test shifting from NEUTRAL to REVERSE, then back to NEUTRAL. Check for positive control action when changing directions.

Listen for clunking, squealing, grinding, scraping, or other unusual noises. Check for vibration. Listen for wheel bearing or other specific running noise.

Lift Mechanism and Controls

NOTE

Conduct these tests with a rated capacity load.

Test the operation of the hydraulic system and upright.





Be sure there is adequate overhead clearance before raising the upright.

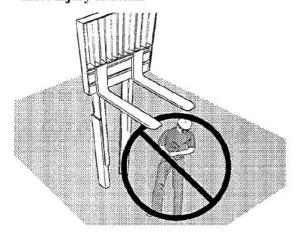
Cycle (raise to full height and then lower) the upright at both slow and fast speed, with the upright tilted slightly backward. Watch the upright assembly as it rises. All movements of the upright, fork carriage, and lift chains must be even and smooth, without binding or jerking motions. Watch for chain wobble or looseness. The chains should have equal tension and move smoothly, without noticeable wobble.

Check function of the control lever and main hydraulic valve. Listen for abnormal noises in the hydraulic valve, main hydraulic pump, and system components.

If the maximum fork height is not reached, either the fluid level in the hydraulic sump tank is low, or there is severe binding within the upright.

MARNING

FALLING FORKS. Do not walk or stand under raised forks. The forks can fall and cause injury or death.



Never Walk Under Raised Forks!

Check the upright rails, rollers, carriage, lift chains, and cylinders as they move. Watch for binding or excessive freeplay (looseness) between the carriage and the upright rails and rollers. Listen for abnormal noises. If there is excessive clearance between the rails and channels, the upright roller needs adjustment. If the rails or carriage bind or hesitate when lowering, the rollers are either damaged or roller adjustment is incorrect.

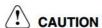
Check the upright for excessive downdrift. Stop the fork carriage in an intermediate position. Check that it holds its position without moving down. If you observe downward movement (drift) or have a report of a drift problem, the lift cylinder seals may be worn. With forks elevated, turn key switch off. Pull back on the lift lever. The forks should not lower This tests the check valve.

Test the tilt function. Check for excessive tilt cylinder drift. Stop the upright at a position near vertical. Check that the upright holds its position without moving forward. If you observe forward movement (drift) or have a report of a tilt drift problem, the tilt cylinder seals may be worn.

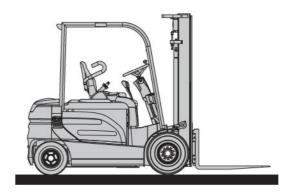
Check fork height adjustment and carriage chain adjustment. Tilt the upright to the vertical position and fully lower the carriage. The forks should stop and be held approximately 13 mm (0.50 in.) above the floor. If the forks hit the floor, the carriage lift chains should be adjusted. Also check the rail chains.

If truck is equipped with an attachment, briefly operate the attachment to check the controls for correct function.

Test for correct tilt cylinder rod adjustment. Raise the carriage to an intermediate position. Tilt the upright fully forward without a load on the forks. Check for upright racking (twisting) as the tilt cylinders reach the end of their stroke. Tilt the upright fully back. The upright should not rack (twist) when the tilt cylinders reach the end of their travel. If forward upright racking is found, adjustment of the tilt cylinder rod ends (yokes or spacers) is required. If backward racking is found, adding or removing shims is required. Refer to Group 32.



When you have completed the operational tests, park and leave truck according to standard shutdown procedures.



Standard Shutdown Procedures:

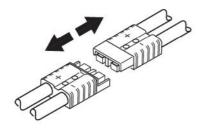
- Come to a complete stop.
- · Park only in authorized locations.
- Lower the forks fully, tilt upright forward until fork tips touch floor.
- · Allow travel control to return to neutral.
- Turn the key switch OFF.
- Apply the parking brake.
- Disconnect Battery

Make a record of all maintenance and operating problems you find.



Battery Compartment Inspection

Turn key switch OFF. Disconnect battery from truck receptacle.



Inspect condition of the battery connector and truck battery receptacle. Check the spring-loaded terminals, connectors, and retaining tabs. Look for poor connections due to burning, bad crimps, or broken or loose retainers. Check the molded body for damage from overheating, burning, and chips or cracks. Replace receptacle terminals if pitted or corroded.

Inspect condition of the battery and cables. Check the battery cables for wear or other damage. Check for signs of interference or rubbing with other components. Be sure that the cable terminals are tight and clean. Clean off any deposits of corrosion found on the battery.

Never wash the battery when it is in the truck.

Check battery post terminals for corrosion and damage. Clean all corrosion from cable end and battery post. Check tighmess of cable and post terminals.

If necessary, check the state-of-charge condition of the battery. Take a specific gravity test of the electrolyte with a hydrometer. Be sure to check a minimum of six battery cells.

Check the electrolyte level of the battery. Add distilled water, as required, to fill each cell to the correct level.

Check to be sure the vent hole in each battery cell cap is open. If cap vents are plugged with corrosion, remove the caps and wash in a solution of baking soda and water.

Refer to Group 12, Battery, for additional information.

Motor Transistor Controls Inspection

IMPORTANT

Do not clean electrical components with steam. Only approved solvents should be used to clean controls. Turn key switch OFF. Disconnect battery from truck receptacle. Remove the control compartment cover from the counterweight.

Discharge the capacitor using a 10W~100W resistance connected from the +Batt(pos.) to the -Batt(neg.).

Inspect the transistor controls for clean condition. Check for oily dirt buildup on contactors, Inspect all control wiring terminals for any obvious damage. Look for cracks or worn areas in the wiring insulation. Check for loose connections at the control terminals. Air-clean as necessary. Treat the control panel plugs with Clark 1801145"Lectric-Like" Spray or Clark 1803827-brush on cleaner.

Hydraulic Compartment Inspection

Remove the floorplate.

Check the condition of all hydraulic system components, hoses, piping, and connections. Check for wear, leakage, and damage.

Remove the battery.

Inspect the drive motor, hydraulic pump motor power cables. Check drive motor mounting fasteners. Check hydraulic pump motor. Check pump motor mountings.



DANGER

HYDRAULIC FLUID PRESSURE: Do not use your hands to check for hydraulic leakage. Fluid under pressure can penetrate your skin and cause serious injury.



Brake Shoe and Drum Inspection

The brake linings, drum and adjustment setting can be inspected without removing the drum or hub. Refer to Group 23, Section 6 for inspection procedure.

CLEANING

Cleaning Summary

* Battery Compartment.

* Hydraulic Compartment

* Drive Motor and Steer Motor.

* Pump Motor.

* Axle Mounting

* Control Compartment

* Upright.

IMPORTANT

Do not clean electrical components with steam. Only approved solvents should be used to clean Solid State components. Scheduled cleaning (as outlined) should preclude the need for using a degreaser. Not all degreasers are acceptable. If a degreaser is to be used, we recommend degreaser or the equivalent to MS-180 Freon TF degreaser and cleaner.



When cleaning with compressed air:

- Wear eye protection and protective clothing when cleaning or drying with air pressure.
- Reduce air pressure to 30 PSI (207 kPa). Debris removed with air pressure can cause injury.

Normal Cleaning

Blowing dirt off with an air hose periodically will, for the most part, eliminate any serious cleaning problems. Should the need arise for a more thorough cleaning, water may be hosed over the control and if necessary a mild detergent applied such as that used in washing dishes in the home. This detergent should be rinsed off and the control dried with an air hose. The control must be thoroughly dry before putting the truck back into service.

IMPORTANT

Cleaning the components of the truck is a vital part of the P.M. process. Keeping the components clean will increase their service life and assure trouble free truck operation.

Air-Cleaning

Always maintain a lift truck in a clean condition. Do not allow dirt, dust, lint, or other contaminants to accumulate on the truck. Keep the truck free from leaking oil and grease. Wipe up all oil spills. Keep the controls and floorboard clean and dry. A clean truck makes it easier to see leaks and loose, missing or damaged parts, and will help prevent fires. A clean truck will run cooler.

The environment in which a lift truck operates will determine how often and to what extent cleaning is necessary. For example, trucks operating in manufacturing plants which have a high level of dirt or lint (e.g., cotton fibers, paper dust, etc.) in the air or on the floor, will require more frequent cleaning. If air pressure does not remove heavy deposits of grease, oil, etc., it may be necessary to use steam or liquid spray cleaner. DO NOT clean electrical components with steam.

NOTE

See special provision for blowing dust from pump and drive motors on page 14 of this section.



Battery must be disconnected and capacitors discharged before inserting air wand through access holes.



Wear suitable eye protection and protective clothing.

Lift trucks should be air-cleaned at every PM interval, and as often as required.

Air-cleaning should be done using an air hose with special adapter or extension having a control valve and nozzle to direct the air properly. Use clean, dry, low-pressure compressed air. Restrict air pressure to 207 kPa (30 psi).

Air-clean the following: upright assembly; drive axle; battery, cables, switches and wiring harness; transistor controls and wiring; drive and hydraulic pump motors; steering axle and steering cylinder.

Critical Fastener Torque Checks

Fasteners in highly loaded (critical) components can quickly fail if they loosen. Loose fasteners can cause damage or component failure. For safety, it is important that the correct torque be maintained on all fasteners of components which directly support, handle or control the load, or protect the operator.

Check torque of critical items, including: overhead guard, drive axle mounting, drive and steering wheel mounting, counterweight mounting, load backrest extension, tilt cylinder mounting and yokes, upright mounting and components. Refer to Group 40 for torque specifications.

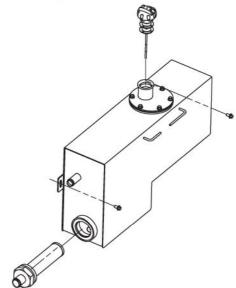
Lubrication, Fluids, and Filters

Hydraulic Sump

Check the hydraulic sump tank fluid level. Correct fluid level is important for proper hydraulic system operation. Low fluid level can cause pump damage. Overfilling can cause loss of fluid or lift system malfunction.

Hydraulic fluid expands as its temperature rises. Check the fluid level at operating temperature, after approximately 30 minutes of truck operation. To check the fluid level, park the truck on a level surface. Put the upright in a vertical position and lower the fork carriage fully down. Remove the floorplate and observe the fluid level marking on the sump tank. Refer to Group 29, Section 1 for more information on the sump tank. DO NOT overfill.

Check the condition of the hydraulic fluid for color, clarity, and contamination. Change (replace) the hydraulic fluid as necessary.



Hydraulic Fluid and Filter Change

Drain and replace the hydraulic sump fluid every 2000 operating hours, or sooner, as required. Replace the

hydraulic fluid filter at every fluid change. Replace the sump tank breather/fill cap every 2000 operating hours.

NOTE

Always use genuine Clark Parts.

Sump Tank Breather Maintenance

Remove the sump tank fil cap/breather and inspect for excessive contamination and damage. Clean and replace as recommended by the PM schedule, or as required by operating conditions.

Access to the Drive Axle

Access the Drive axle by removing the floorplate or through the upright.



WARNING

An upright or carriage can move unexpectedly. Chain or block the carriage and rails. Failure to follow this warning can result in serious injury or death.

Refer to Group SA, Section 2 for additional information on supporting the upright.

Block the wheels. Be sure to put blocking under the carriage and upright rails.

Drive Axle Fluid

Check the drive axle fluid level with the truck on a level surface and fluid at operating temperature.

Remove the fluid level inspection plug located on the left side of the drive axle housing. Fluid level should be at the bottom of the inspection hole. If fluid level is low, add enough fluid to bring fluid level up to bottom of the inspection hole. DO NOT overfill.

Add the recommended fluid only, as required.

Inspect the fill plug for damage. Replace as needed. Install and tighten the plug.

Drive Axle Fluid Change

NOTE

Check the PM interval (operating hours), or the condition of the fluid to determine if the drive axle fluid needs to be changed.

Drain and replace the drive axle fluid every 2000 operating hours. The fluid should be drained when it is at operating temperature. Put the truck in a level position. Block the wheels to prevent truck from moving.

Inspect and clean the drive axle breather (air vent) mounted on top of drive axle.. Refer to Lubrication Chart and Group 40.

Truck Chassis Inspection and Lubrication

Lubrication and inspection of truck chassis components, including steer wheels and wheel bearings, will be easier if the rear of the truck is raised and blocked up under the frame. Refer to Group SA, Section 2, for additional information.

IMPORTANT

Do not raise truck by lifting under the counterweight.



WARNING

Be sure to put blocking under the frame to keep the truck safe.

Be sure to clean the grease fittings before lubricating. Remove excess grease from all points after lubricating.

Upright and Tilt Cylinder Lubrication

Clean the fittings and lubricate the tilt cylinder rod end bushings.

Clean the fittings and lubricate the upright trunnion bushings (one fitting on top of trunnion, each side).

Lift Chains

Lubricate the entire length of the rail lift and carriage chains with Clark Chain and Cable Lube.



Air Cleaning of Motors



WARNING

Before inserting metal air cleaning wand, disconnect the battery and discharge the capacitors by using a $10W\sim100W$ resistance connected from the +Batt(pos.) to the -Batt(neg.).

