Forklift Mast Roller

Mast Rollers - The forklift mast is an essential component of the forklift's framework. These forklifts or likewise called forklift vehicles are industrial machinery used so as to lift and transfer supplies.

The vertical construction responsible for raising or lowering cargo is referred to as the mast. A lift truck mast comprises interlocking rails that provide lateral support. These rails are guided by rollers or brushings.

Making use of metallic plates to help move supplies, the masts are powered by hydraulic mechanisms. Hydraulics is the transmission of power which uses pressurized fluid, usually oil. Hydraulic cylinders which link directly to the forklift engine are responsible for driving the mast, causing it to lift, tilt or lower a load. The pressurized oil drives the cylinder piston to move in a linear motion, or in strokes. The mast is normally operated by way of a handle in the cab or situated in the section of the lift truck that houses the lift truck control components and the operator.

A swing mast is a lift truck mast that can swing ninety degrees in one direction. The particular design allows the swing mast to function effectively in constricted aisles.