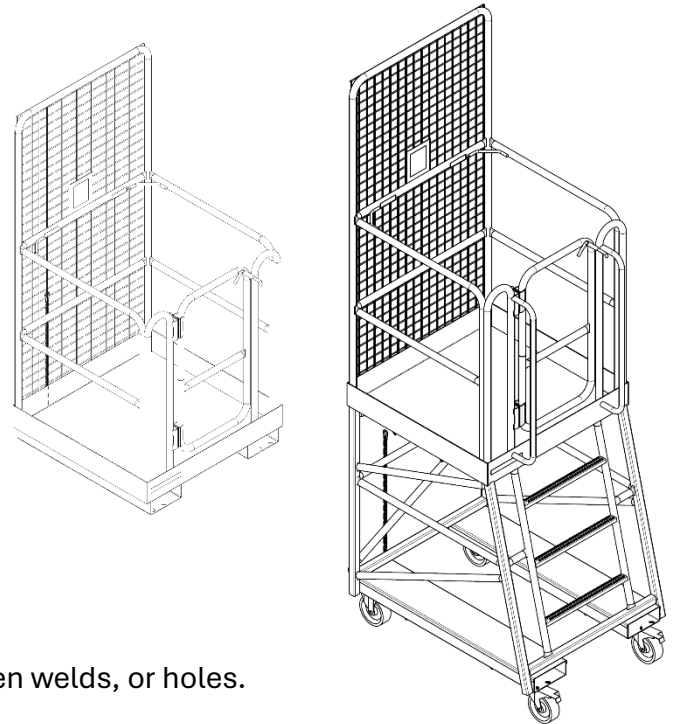


WORK PLATFORM USER MANUAL

Models WP and WPM

GENERAL

1. Upon receipt of the unit, inspect for any visible defects or shipping damage. If there is damage, do not use, note your findings on the waybill before signing, and contact your Canway distributor.
2. Note: It is the responsibility of the end-user to ensure the product complies with local laws, regulations, codes, and/or standards.



INSPECTION

Inspection shall include, but not be limited to:

1. Overall structure of the unit, excessive corrosion, broken welds, or holes.
2. Damage or dents to any of the tubular members.
3. Lanyard attachment points - not damaged or bent in any way.
4. Safety chain to secure the work platform to the fork lift is in good condition.
5. Gate - swings freely and locks closed.
6. Casters, if equipped, are securely fastened.
7. Manufacturing label (see page 3 for sample)
8. Non slip floor is free from debris, oils, etc.
9. The back mesh panel is in place and not damaged or modified.

USING THE PLATFORM

1. Inspect before use.
2. Confirm the forklift capacity is adequate prior to use.
3. Secure the platform to the forklift. Connect the safety chain to secure the work platform to the forklift.
4. Secure the door before use.
5. Inspect all safety features before use. See "Inspection" above.
6. Latch safety lanyard when occupying the work platform.
7. Engage handbrake on forklift before raising the platform.
8. Do not transport a person in the platform.

9. Do not use near high voltage.
10. Operate only on level ground.
11. Use only with counterbalanced forklift trucks.

ANSI B56.1 Section 4.17.3 sentences “b” through “r” provides the following precautions and instructions:

- (b) The work platform attachment means are applied and the work platform is securely attached to the lifting carriage or forks.
- (c) When the lifting carriage and/or forks are supporting the work platform used to elevate personnel, the lifting carriage and/or forks are secured to prevent them from pivoting upward.
- (d) The mast is vertical – do not operate on a side slope.
- (e) The work platform is horizontal and centered and not tilted forward or rearward when elevated.
- (f) The truck has a firm and level footing.
- (g) Place all travel controls in neutral and set parking brake.
- (h) Before elevating personnel, mark area with cones or other devices to warn of work by elevated personnel.
- (i) Lift and lower personnel smoothly, with caution, and only at their request.
- (j) Avoid overhead obstructions and electric wires.
- (k) Keep hands and feet clear of controls other than those in use.
- (l) Move truck and/or work platform slowly, only for minor adjustments in horizontal positioning when personnel are on the work platform, and only at their request.
- (m) On trucks equipped with rotators, mechanically secure the rotator to prevent movement.
- (n) Have a trained operator in position to control the truck, or available to operate controls. When the operator is not in the operating position, engage the parking brake and block the wheels.

(o) The combined weight of the work platform, load, and personnel is not to exceed one-half of the capacity as indicated on the nameplate of the truck on which the work platform is used.

(p) Personnel are to remain on the platform floor. Use of railings, planks, ladders, etc., on the work platform for purpose of achieving additional reach or height is prohibited.

(q) Personnel and equipment on the work platform are not to exceed the available space.

(r) Lower work platform to floor level for personnel to enter and exit. Do not climb on any part of the truck in attempting to enter and exit.

DESIGN

1. Meets and exceeds ANSI/ITSDF B56.1 Safety Standards, when a harness and lanyard is worn.
2. Professional engineer approved.
3. Platforms designated with "WPM" meet additional design considerations of the SAFE Work Manitoba, Bulletin #223.
4. Elevated work platforms do not meet clause 7.37.3(b) of ANSI/ITSDF B56.1.

LABELS

1. If the manufacturer label is missing, do not use the platform. Contact your Canway distributor or Canway customer service for a replacement label at info@canwayequipment.com
2. A sample manufacturer label, label 019, is shown below. Refer to the label affixed to the work platform:

CAUTION

Read the following instructions before use

- Read forklift capacity before use
- Secure platform to forklift before use
- Secure door before use
- Inspect all safety features before use
- Latch safety lanyard when in use
- Put on handbrake before raising
- Do not transport person in platform
- Do not use near high voltage
- Operate only on level ground
- Designed for counterbalanced forklift trucks

- Meets and exceeds ANSI/ITSDF B56.1 Safety Standards, when a safety belt and lanyard is worn
- Professional Engineer approved
- Platforms Designated with "WPM" meets design considerations of the SAFE Work Manitoba, Bulletin #223
- Elevated work platforms do not meet clause 7.37.3(b) of ANSI/ITSDF B56.1

Model #	Tare Weight	Minimum Forklift Capacity
36X36-WP(M)	200 LB (91 Kg)	1400 LB (635 Kg)
48X48-WP(M)	275 LB (125 Kg)	1475 LB (670 Kg)
36X36X48-WP	350 LB (159 Kg)	1550 LB (703 Kg)
48X48X48-WP	450 LB (204 Kg)	1650 LB (749 Kg)
36X36X72-WP	400 LB (181 Kg)	1600 LB (726 Kg)
48X48X72-WP	500 LB (227 Kg)	1700 LB (771 Kg)

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