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Part 14: Rough-terrain variable-reach trucks

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- *Part 1: General*
- *Part 2: Counterbalanced trucks with mast*
- *Part 3: Reach and straddle trucks*
- *Part 4: Pallet stackers, double stackers and order-picking trucks with operator position elevating up to and including 1 200 mm lift height*
- *Part 7: Bidirectional and multidirectional trucks*
- *Part 8: Additional stability test for trucks operating in the special condition of stacking with mast tilted forward and load elevated*
- *Part 10: Additional stability test for trucks operating in the special condition of stacking with load laterally displaced by powered devices*
- *Part 11: Industrial variable-reach trucks*
- *Part 14: Rough-terrain variable-reach trucks*
- *Part 20: Additional stability test for trucks operating in the special condition of offset load, offset by utilization*
- *Part 21: Order-picking trucks with operator position elevating above 1 200 mm*

The following part is under preparation:

— *Part 13: Rough-terrain trucks with mast*

Lateral- and front-stacking trucks with elevating operator position are to form the subject of a future Part 22.

# Industrial trucks — Verification of stability —

## Part 14: Rough-terrain variable-reach trucks

### 1 Scope

This part of ISO 22915 specifies tests for verifying the stability of rough-terrain variable-reach trucks, equipped with fork arms or with load carrying or non-load carrying attachments. It is not applicable to those trucks designed for handling freight containers or for lifting people or suspended loads.

### 2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 22915-1, *Industrial trucks — Verification of stability — Part 1: General*

### 3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in ISO 22915-1 apply.

### 4 Test conditions

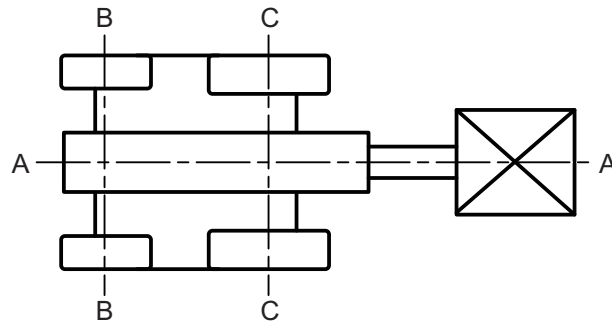
#### 4.1 General

See ISO 22915-1.

#### 4.2 Position of truck on the tilt table

##### 4.2.1 Load and steer axles

The load axle and the steer axle are defined by Figure 1.



**Key**

- A-A longitudinal centre plane of truck
- B-B steer axle
- C-C load axle

NOTE The load axle may also be a steer axle on four-wheel steer trucks.

**Figure 1 — Load and steer axes**

**4.2.2 Tests 1 and 2**

The truck shall be positioned on the tilt table so that its load axle, C-C, is parallel to the tilt axis, X-Y, of the tilt table. See Table 1.

**4.2.3 Tests 3, 4 and 5**

The truck shall be positioned on the tilt table in a turning position with the line, M-N, parallel to the tilt axis, X-Y, of the tilt table. See Table 1.

For trucks with an articulating steer axle, the wheel on the steer axle nearest to the tilt axis, X-Y, shall be parallel to X-Y. See Table 1.

Point M is defined as follows:

- a) For trucks with an articulating steer axle: point M shall be the projection onto the tilt table of the intersection of the longitudinal centre plane, A-A, of the truck with the axis of the steer axle (see Table 1).
- b) For trucks with an articulating chassis: point M shall be the projection onto the tilt table of the intersection of the longitudinal centre plane, J-J, of the rear chassis module and the axis of the rear axle (see Table 1) when fully articulated.
- c) For trucks with axle locking: point M shall be the centre point of the area of contact between the tilt table and the rear wheel nearest to the tilt axis of the tilt table (see Table 1).

As shown in Table 1, point N is defined as the centre point of the area of contact between the tilt table surface and the load wheel (or stabilizer pad, if fitted) closest to the tilt axis, X-Y, of the tilt table.

**4.3 Test load**

Tests 1 and 3 shall be conducted with the test load in the least stable combination of lift and reach, with the fork arms parallel with the tilt table, and this shall remain unchanged during the tests.

The centre of gravity of the test load shall be positioned, according to ISO 22915-1, on the longitudinal centre plane of the truck, except where a lateral slope correction device is used, which is the case for Test 3.

See Table 1.



#### 4.4 Lift height

For tests simulating travel, i.e. Tests 2 and 4, the upper face of the fork arms, measured at the heel of the fork arm when fully tilted rearward, shall be positioned

- 300 mm above the tilt table for trucks of 10 t rated capacity or less, and
- 500 mm for trucks of greater than 10 t rated capacity.

Test 5 shall be conducted at maximum and minimum boom extension, at maximum boom angle and with the fork arms in the horizontal position.

See Table 1.

#### 4.5 Lateral test procedure

For trucks fitted with operator-selectable stabilizers and/or manual axle locking, Tests 1 and 3 shall be conducted both with stabilizers/axle locking engaged and disengaged.

For trucks fitted with operator-selectable stabilizers, or chassis levelling, Test 3 shall be performed with a maximum lateral slope correction of 7 % (4°). Lateral slope correction shall only be achieved by either operator-selectable stabilizers or lateral levelling.

For the other tests, the lateral slope correction shall not be used.

See Table 1.

### 5 Verification of stability

The stability of a truck shall be verified in accordance with Table 1.

### 6 Marking

The additional capacity, as determined by stability tests with stabilizers and or chassis levelling (see 4.5), shall be indicated on the load chart (see Annex A).

Table 1 — Verification of stability

Test criteria		Test 1	Test 2	Test 3	Test 4	Test 5
Direction of test	Longitudinal	x	x			
	Lateral			x	x	x
Direction of load-handling device	Load leading	x	x			
	Load trailing					
Mode of operation	Travelling		x		x	
	Stacking/retrieving	x		x		x
Load at load centre	With	x	x	x		
	Without				x	x
Lift/reach position	Max. and min. boom extension at max. boom angle					x
	Least stable combination	x		x		
	Travel		x		x	
Stabilizer device and/or axle locking device	With	x		x		
	Without	x	x	x	x	x
Lateral slope correction				x		
Position of fork arms	Horizontal	x		x		x
	Full rearward		x		x	
Tilt-table angle for actual capacity	≤ 10 000 kg	7 %	22 %	12 %	50 %	10 %
	> 10 000 kg	6 %		10 %	45 %	

Table 1 (continued)

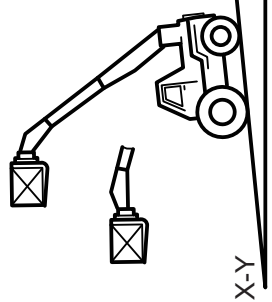
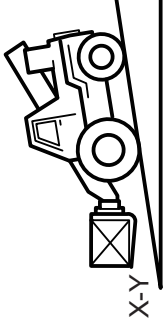
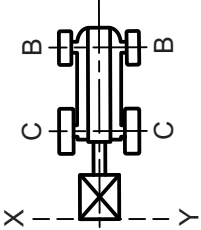
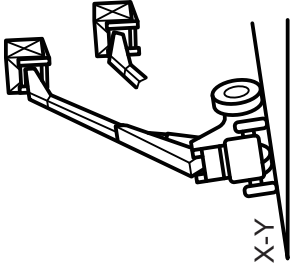
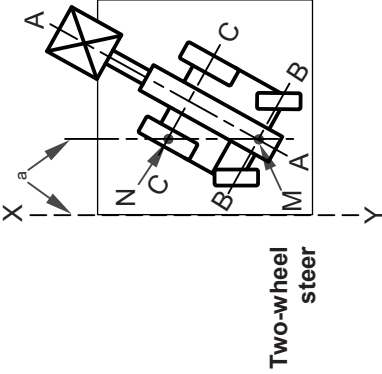
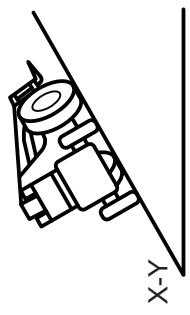
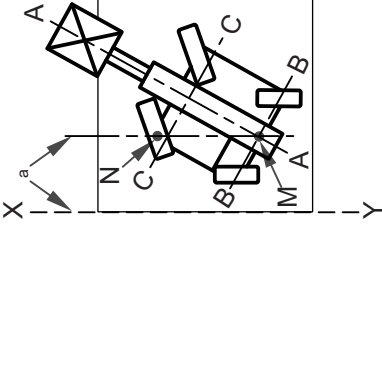
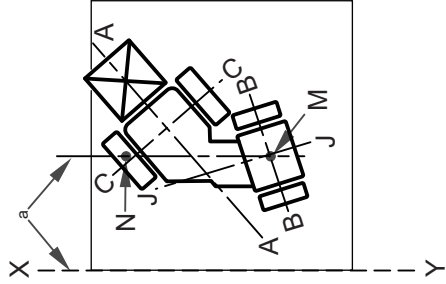
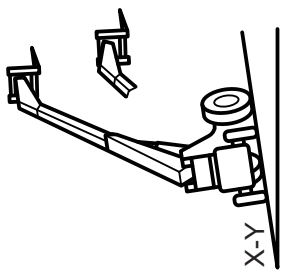
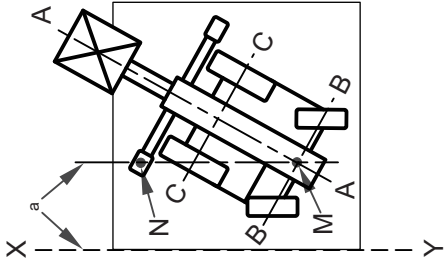
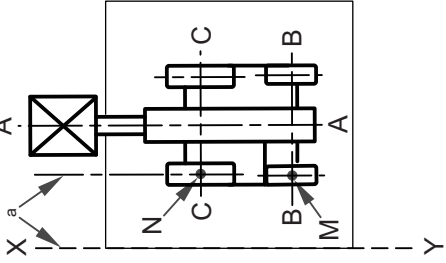
Test criteria	Test 1	Test 2	Test 3	Test 4	Test 5
Truck position on tilt table		 	  <p style="text-align: center;">Two-wheel steer</p>	  <p style="text-align: center;">Four-wheel steer</p>  <p style="text-align: center;">Articulating chassis</p>	

Table 1 (continued)

Test criteria	Test 1	Test 2	Test 3	Test 4	Test 5
Truck position on tilt table			 <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Stabilized</b></p>	 <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Axles locked</b></p>	

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## Annex A (informative)

### Example of load chart

See Figure A.1.

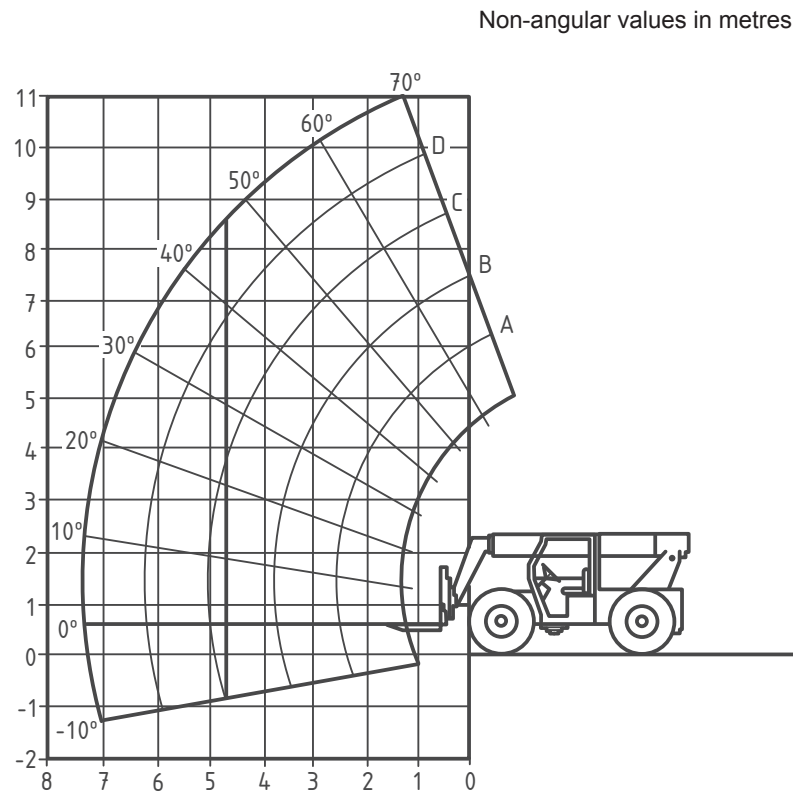


Figure A.1 — Load chart — Example





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