

Dealers offer Forklift Simulators to enhance Forklift Operator Training with Virtual Reality

Really Virtual offers a number of forklift simulation solutions



Yorba Linda, Aug 30, 2018 ([Issuewire.com](http://www.issuewire.com)) - Wisconsin Lift Truck and Illinois Material Handling have expanded their safety training portfolio to include virtual reality forklift simulators for purchase or rent, to incorporate into customer training curriculums.

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"Our customers find it most important to be able to educate forklift operators while in a hazard-free environment and allow as much practice as needed before getting behind the wheel of the real thing," says Tony Parsons, operator training manager of Wolter Group. "Not only is it a safer solution, virtual reality forklift training is multi-sensory (which serves to) increase retention while minimising the time required to train."

Companies have the flexibility to purchase or rent full forklift simulator units or portable desktop models which provide the necessary tools for an enhanced training experience. Rentals are available per day, week or month, or on a long-term basis.

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