

Operation Section

General Safety Operating Instructions

DANGER



Do not stand in the platform's work area while operating the liftgate. Serious injury or death could result if the load shifts or is unstable on the platform.

The following is a list of Do's and Don'ts for the operation of the liftgate.

✓ Do's

- ✓ Read and follow warning decals, operating decals, and owners manual.
- ✓ Keep all decals in place and legible and retain the owners manual in the vehicle or all Warranties are void.
- ✓ Make sure the vehicle is properly and securely braked before using the liftgate.
- ✓ Keep yourself clear of all moving parts.
- ✓ Make sure the area in which the platform will open and close is clear before opening, closing, raising, or lowering the platform.
- ✓ Make sure the platform area, including the area in which loads may fall from the platform, is clear before, during, and at all times while operating the liftgate.
- ✓ Always place the load as close to the center of the platform as possible. Also, position the load as close to the center of the truck's rear sill as possible.

- ✓ Only operate the liftgate with the push button/switch controls mounted on the truck body.
- ✓ Check the oil level in the hydraulic monthly. Change it if it is contaminated or dirty.
- ✓ Visually inspect your liftgate frequently and keep it properly adjusted.
- ✓ Repair any damage to the liftgate to prevent accidents.
- ✓ Lock the liftgate into the storage position with the latch pin when the liftgate is not in use.

✗ Don'ts

- ✗ Do not overload the platform. The maximum rated capacity is based on an evenly distributed load on the platform's flat surface.
- ✗ Do not ride on the liftgate. Always stand clear of liftgate when it is operating.
- ✗ Do not allow children to play around or operate the liftgate.
- ✗ Do not allow your liftgate to be used by persons not familiar with its operation.
- ✗ Do not use your liftgate if it shows signs of abuse or fails to operate freely.
- ✗ Do not allow the motor/pump to run after the liftgate is closed, or in the up position.
- ✗ Do not use brake fluid in the hydraulic reservoir.

- ✘ Do not bounce the platform by pushing and releasing the control button/switch abruptly.
- ✘ Do not use the liftgate for anything other than its intended use of loading and unloading cargo.
- ✘ Do not operate lift trucks on or over any part of the platform.
- ✘ Do not stand under or place any object under the liftgate work area.

Operating Instructions

Opening and Closing the Liftgate

Step 1

Twist and slide the latch pin toward curb-side of the liftgate.

Step 2

Stand clear of the platform and lower the liftgate by pressing "Down" on control button/switch.

Step 3

Open the platform.

Step 4

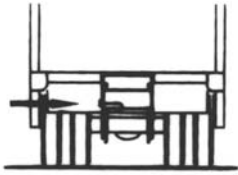
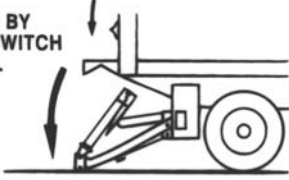
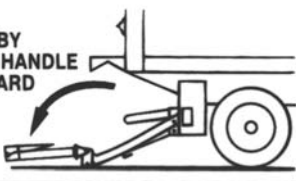
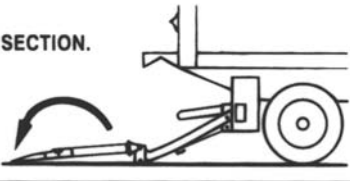

Open the flipover ramp.

Step 5

Press the "Up" switch to raise platform or the "Down" switch to lower the platform.

Step 6

To tuck the liftgate into its storage position after use, reverse Steps 1, 2, 3, and 4 from ground level.

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1	UNLATCH LIFTGATE BY TWISTING, THEN SLIDING "LATCH PIN" IN DIRECTION OF ARROW. 
2	LOWER PLATFORM BY PUSHING CONTROL SWITCH TO "DOWN" POSITION. Platform will begin to open as it lowers. 
3	UNFOLD PLATFORM BY PULLING PLATFORM HANDLE OUTWARD AND TOWARD GROUND. 
4	UNFOLD "FLIP" SECTION. 
5	FLIP SWITCH "UP" TO RAISE PLATFORM -OR- FLIP SWITCH "DOWN" TO LOWER PLATFORM 
6	TO TUCK UNIT UNDER AFTER USE, LOWER PLATFORM TO GROUND AND REVERSE STEPS 1 2 3 4
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