

## **SPECIFICATION SHEET**



### 1058-HEAVY DUTY GOODS CAGE





1058.3 STANDARD DOOR

1058.3R FOLD DOWN RAMP

The 1058 heavy duty goods carrying cage is the ideal answer to moving un-palletised bulk products and items around site by either fork lift truck or crane, with a choice of 1500kg or 3000 kg capacity

Product Code	SWL (kg)	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Length (mm)	Weight (kg)
1058.3	1500	1000	1250	1250	160
1058.3R	1500	1000	1250	1250	195
1058.5	3000	1000	2500	1250	380

Appearance may vary from picture above.

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## SAFE USE INSTRUCTIONS



The following instructions must be read and understood by each intended user of this equipment; if there is anything you do not understand contact Eichinger Equipment Ltd.

Ensure the equipment is adequate for the job you need to carry out.

You must not operate this equipment if you are under the influence of alcohol, drugs or if you are feeling unwell.

A risk assessment should be carried out prior to moving or using this equipment.

The following PPE (Personal protective equipment should be worn when using this equipment:

Gloves / Goggles / Hard Hat / Steel Toecap boots / Hi-Vis Vest

We also suggest suitable clothing should be worn.

# Familiarise yourself with the equipment, its use and how it works!

As this equipment is used at multi-level, ensure the intended area for use is clear of overhead cables and power lines or similar hazards which may affect its safe use. This equipment must always be used in conjunction with your site safety policies.

The work area must be clear of obstructions with adequate space for the operative to work safely around the equipment.

Check and ensure the equipment is inspected and in a safe condition prior to its use. Also ensure that its load is stable and secure.











USING THE EQUIPMENT

#### WITH A CRANE AND CHAIN SLING:

Attach a suitably rated four-leg chain sling to each of the four lifting eyes. If using the 1508.5 (3000kg) version, the spreader bar must be located across the width of the cage to stop deflection of the sides and loads being applied to the gates.

#### LOADING THE CAGE:

Before loading the cage it must be positioned on firm level ground. Open the cage door and proceed to load in a uniform manor ensuring the weight is evenly distributed. DO NOT place items, which are higher than the cage's mesh side panels. If the load is too large, use a bigger goods cage. Close and lock the cage door. The cage can now be moved to where it is required.

#### LIFTING AND LOWERING A LOAD:

Raise the cage and ensure that the load is even and safe/secure. If all is OK proceed to move the load to its required location in a smooth manner avoiding fast or jolting movements. Once in position lower the load on to the cleared area. Depending upon load and application you may unload the cage with the chains still attached or disconnected. Once the cage, is empty close and lock the gate ensuring that the unit is ready to be lifted and returned to its start point.

### USING WITH A TELEHANDLER:

Load the cage as detailed above.

Set the forklift's forks to the correct width for the cage's fork pockets making sure that they are equidistant from the centre. Drive the forklift to the cage aligning the forks with the fork pockets. Confirm that the forks are the correct distance for the fork pockets and drive the forks into the fork pockets.

### CLEANING & MAINTENANCE:

Once work is complete ensure the cage is clean and empty with the gate closed and locked. Where the 1058.5 has been used ensure the spreader bar is still in place again with the gates closed and locked. Where possible the cage should be stored in a clean and safe area.

### WARNING

The 1058 must not be used to transport personnel.

Under no circumstances should the load being lifted exceed the height of the side walls of the cage.

The cage should ALWAYS be on a level plane when used by a telehandler to ensure it cannot slip off during transit.

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#### OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

By Forklift Truck / Telehandler:

Approach the grounded unit to the rear with the forklift truck; adjust the fork tines to the required width as necessary.

Take the heel retaining bracket off of the access cage and drive the forklift into the fork pockets at the bottom of the unit.

Lift the unit to approx. 1m in order to replace the heel retaining bracket.

# PERSONNEL SHOULD NOT ENTER THE ACCESS CAGE IF THE HEEL RETAINING BRACKET HAS NOT BEEN REPLACED!!!

Intended personnel should only attempt to enter the unit when it is full grounded and have been given the "all-clear" from the forklift truck operator.

Release the gate catch and enter the unit through the inward swinging door.

Once the intended users are in the unit close the door ensuring that the door catch has engaged. If personnel are wearing harnesses and lanyards attach the lanyard to the overhead anchor point.

Any tools or equipment should only be carried in the tool tray to the front of the platform. Always ensure that the load being lifted (including personnel) does not exceed the maximum capacity of the unit.

Also check that the load being lifted is secure and even.

We advise that communication between the hoist operator and the user of the equipment is efficient at all times either via radio or where necessary a third person as a guide.

### CLEANING AND STORAGE:

Having lowered the platform leave the unit and close the door ensuring it is in the closed / locked position. Take it to its storage location and remove from crane / forklift truck. Now clean the unit and ensure it is ready for the next user











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