

Terex Forklift

Terex Forklifts takes immense satisfaction in producing quality equipment that helps enhance their customers' efficiency while standing by their goal to offer a cost effective yet reliable product line. Through numerous divestitures and acquisitions designed to expand the product offering, Terex has recently expanded dramatically. They have improved their geographic coverage to enable them to present quality standards and value for their broad customer base.

Terex has remained a competitive player in the materials handling and industrialized equipment sector. They are working towards building a franchise under the brand name Terex by incorporating all of their earlier brand names for many of the products used in conjunction business the brand Terex. Presently, Terex goods are principally marketed under the Terex name. A few of the following historic name brands and transitional names include: ATC, Amida, American Truck Company, American, Advance, Bartell, Benford, Bendini, Bid-Well, CMI, CMI-Cifali, CMI Johnson-Ross, Cedarapids, Canica, Comedil, Demag, ELJay, Franna, Fermac, Finlay, Fuchs, Genie, Hi-Ranger, Jaques, Load King, Morrison, O&K, Peiner, PPM, Powerscreen, Pegson, Reedrill, Schaeff, Simplicity, Standard Havens, Tatra, TerexLift, Telelect and Unit Rig.

Terex has shown steady evolution, acquiring PPM Cranes, in 1995 while divesting Clark Material Handling in 1995. In 1997 Terex acquires Telelect and Simon-RO. BPI Handlers in Baraga, Michigan is also acquired this same year.

Acquiring O&K Mining and Payhauled in 1998, enabled Terex to grow their mining operations. The same year their crane offering expanded their operations greatly with the acquisitions of Gru Comedil, TerexLift, American Crane and Peiner. A Light Construction business soon followed in 1999 when Terex acquired Amida, Bartell and Benford. They soon became a leader within the crushing and screening market by purchasing Cedarapids, Powerscreen, BL Pegson, Re-Tech, and Finlay. Franna, Kooi and Princeton crane suppliers were also added to Terex in 1999.

By the year 2000, Terex extended into the Compact Equipment industry, buying Fermac who is a producer specializing in tractor loader backhoes. Their Light Construction business continued to expand business with the acquisition of Coleman Engineering. This same year, Terex divested Moffett, Kooi and Princeton.

Terex added to its Roadbuilding division in 2001, business with the acquisitions of Bid-well, Load King, CMI, Jaques and Atlas.

Several acquisitions in 2002 placed Terex amongst the leaders in their respective categories. Terex became a primary crane business as Demag fills out the Terex Cranes product offerings. Advance Mixer places Terex within the concrete mixing business. Buying German suppliers Fuchs and Schaeff placed Terex in a top position in the Compact Equipment category. Genie became a principal maker of Aerial Work Platforms. This busy year was completed operations with the acquisitions of EPAC and Pacific Utility, which supplied company-owned circulation for Terex Utilities.

A company called Tatra was acquired in 2003. This company created heavy duty vehicles for military and off-road industrial applications. Buying Combatel and Commercial Body the same year enabled Terex to continue to expand its company-owned Terex Utilities distribution.

In the year 2004, Terex purchased a maker of surface drilling equipment used in mining, construction and utility markets, called Reedrill. Also in the same year, Noble CE (formerly known as Terex Mexico) was purchased by Terex. They produce high capacity surface mining vehicles and also produce numerous components for other Terex businesses.