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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Standards Australia Committee ME-026, Industrial Trucks to supersede AS 2359.9—1995, *Powered industrial trucks, Part 9: High-lift rider trucks—Overhead guards—Specification and testing*. This Standard has been adopted with national modifications and has been reproduced from ISO 6055:2004, *Industrial trucks—Overhead guards—Specification and testing*. Additional requirements for Australia are given in Appendix ZZ.

This Standard is Part 9 of AS 2359, *Powered industrial trucks*, which is published in part as follows:

- Part 1: General requirements
- Part 2: Operation
- Part 3: Counterbalanced fork-lift trucks—Stability tests
- Part 4: Reach and straddle fork-lift trucks—Stability tests
- Part 5: Symbols for operator controls and other displays
- Part 6: Safety code
- Part 7: Terminology
- Part 8: Pallet stackers and high-lift platform trucks—Stability tests
- Part 9: Overhead guards—Specification and testing (this Standard)
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- Part 11: Hook-on type fork arms and fork carriers—Mounting dimensions
- Part 12: Hazardous areas
- Part 13: Brake performance and component strength
- Part 14: Fork arms—Technical characteristics and testing
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- Part 16: Safety signs and hazards pictorials—General principals

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