



Wirelife® Almasol® Coating Grease (452)

Antillean Shipping – Miami, Fla.

Taylor Forklifts

- Eliminated chain rusting and wearing

Customer Profile

Antillean Shipping began as a family owned business shipping goods from the island of Cuba to locations throughout the Caribbean and Gulf of Mexico. After the Cuban revolution, the business relocated to Miami and located its terminal on the Miami River. They now operate a fleet of six container ships serving mainly Haiti and the Dominican Republic.

Application

Antillean Shipping have 12 Taylor model 950 and 975 forklifts, with a capacity of 90,000 lbs lifting power each.

Challenge

Several years ago, Augusto Posada, chief mechanic, noticed that the chains on the Taylor forklifts were rusting and wearing out prematurely due to the humid south Florida climate, resulting in thousands of dollars in replacement and labor costs. The chains would also seize unexpectedly causing vessel loading delays.

LE Solution

The local LE lubrication consultant, recommended Wirelife® Almasol® Coating Grease (452) to solve their issue. Wirelife 452 penetrates rapidly into the chain and will not sling off easily. It is tacky, water resistant and contains Almasol, LE's exclusive wear-reducing additive.



Results

Since using Wirelife 452, the issues of the chains rusting and wearing out prematurely have been resolved.

Augusto Posada stated, "I've never noticed rust coming off chains as much as after applying LE Wirelife the first time. After the first application I've noticed such little rust buildup. It really protects."

Other Products Used

Wirelife® Almasol® Coating Lubricant (2002)

Thank you to Augusto Posada, chief mechanic, and to the local LE lubrication consultant, for providing the information used in this report.



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