



## JCB Loadall Division choose Nu-Star Power Pusher

JCB, the UK's leading construction & agricultural equipment manufacturer, has recently taken delivery of a Nu-Star Power Pusher at its site in Rocester, Staffordshire.

The Power Pusher is used to push, pull and manoeuvre trolleys loaded with up to 5 tonnes of steel plate. Previously these trolleys were moved around by forklift truck.

A representative from JCB Loadall, explained; "Waiting for an available fork-truck to move these trolleys wasted time and the size of the fork-truck turning circle took up valuable floor space. We assessed a variety of possible solutions but none of them was as flexible or rugged as the Power Pusher. By welding a simple attachment on to our trolleys we can use the Power Pusher to move a variety of loads on site. This has helped increase the work flow and freed up valuable floor space."

Typically used to help increase productivity and as an aid to Health & Safety by reducing the likelihood of workplace injury, the Power Pusher is a pedestrian operated, battery powered, tug unit designed for pushing, pulling and manoeuvring rolling loads in a wide variety of industrial applications.

Measuring just 1.4m long and 670mm wide, the Power Pusher is completely self-contained, has its own on-board battery charging system (240V or 110V input), may be used both inside and outside and often replaces a more expensive forklift in factories.

Nu-Star offer a bespoke design & manufacturing service to meet demand from an ever growing range of industrial customers across Europe.

Matthew Smith (Nu-Star's Managing Director) commented; "It was especially pleasing to win this order from such a prestigious local company and knowing that JCB evaluated the Power Pusher against several other possible solutions."



*Nu-Star Power Pusher, as used by JCB in Rocester, Staffs.*

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