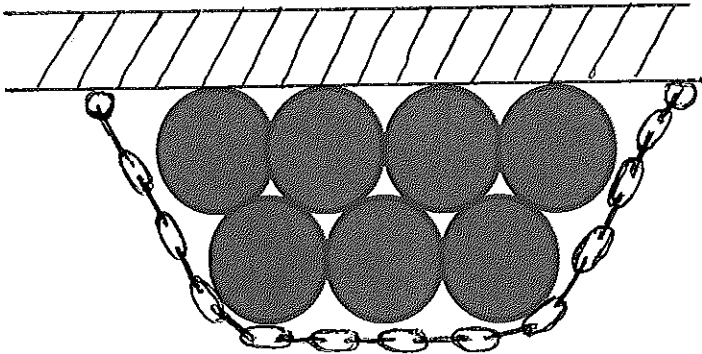


PROPERLY NESTED CYLINDERS

All compressed gas cylinders in service or in storage at users' sites must be secured to prevent them from falling. This includes full, partially full, empty cylinders and cylinders awaiting shipment.

An appropriate method for securing cylinders is by providing a substantial chain, rope, or strap that is positioned in front of or around the cylinder(s) and secured to a solid structure.

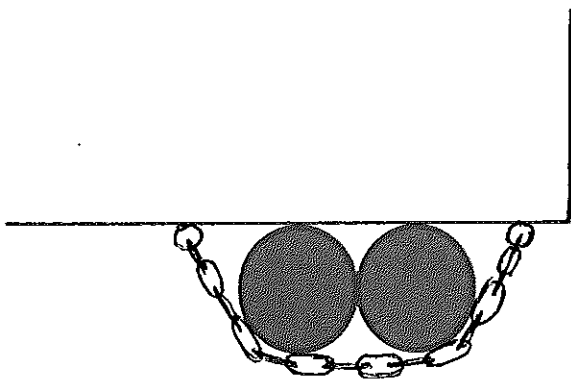
WALL SUPPORTED



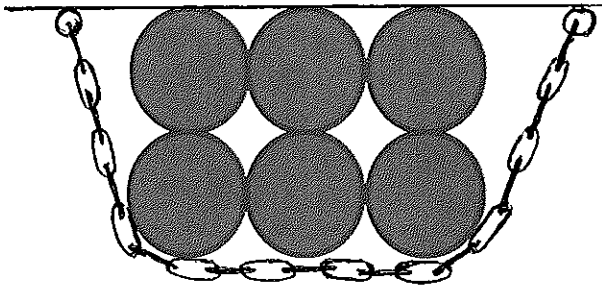
Three Point Contact System

All cylinders are in contact on three points – either with other cylinders or a wall.

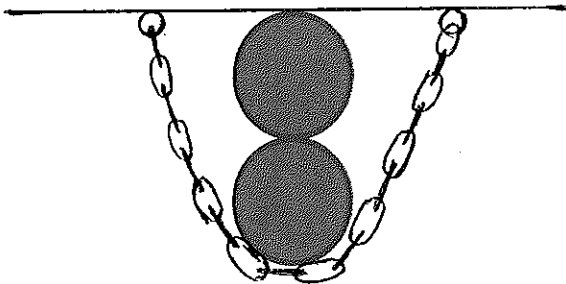
Secure Object Such as Table (not equipped with wheels)



Improperly Nested Cylinders



The end cylinders are in contact with other cylinders on only two points.



The end cylinder is in contact with one point of one cylinder.

Securing chain is below $\frac{1}{2}$ the height of cylinders.

