HY-RAIL® Guide Wheel Equipment



Harsco Track Technologies' HR1820 Series B3 HY-RAIL® guide wheel attachments adapt medium duty chassis-cab trucks and similar vehicles meeting HTT's recommended vehicle specifications, for railway applications requiring travel on the highway and on the rail.

These units are ideal for applications utilizing vehicles in the medium duty range, and that have a front axle width not compatible to track gauge.

Model 1820 Series B3 guide wheel equipment consists of a vertical lift type front unit and an individual wheel arm type rear unit. The front unit features coil spring suspension and the rear unit is disc-spring equipped to provide a smooth ride, enhance on-rail traction of the vehicle's drive wheels. and help maintain essential guide wheel to rail contact.

Guide wheels are raised and lowered hydraulically with power supplied from vehicle equipment systems or from an optional power pack. Double-acting hydraulic cylinders make raising and lowering of each unit easy. Positioning of the guide wheels is controlled by manually-actuated valves located at each unit.

MAJOR FEATURES

- Vertical-lift front unit minimizes front end overhang for easier handling and a smoother highway ride.
- Individual wheel arm design of rear unit increases vehicle payload capacity and simplifies mounting. This feature allows compact mounting around rear fuel tanks.

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HR1820 Series B3 HY-RAIL® Unit Specifications

COMPATIBLE VEHICLES

Medium-duty, cab-chassis trucks and utility vehicles Type

Weight Class GAWR-Front......7.000-lbs (3,175-kg)

GAWR-Rear13,500-lbs (6,123-kg)

GUIDE WHEEL UNITS

Construction Fabricated steel unit; welded and bolted construction

Attachment to Vehicle Universally mountable front unit bolts to vehicle front end with

custom mounting brackets specific to each approved vehicle model. Universally mountable rear unit bolts to vehicle chassis rails. Units are fitted with incrementally spaced mounting holes facilitating full adjustment of unit mounting for vehicle's frame

height, base curb weight and on-rail tracking.

Suspension Front Unit.....Coil Spring

Rear Unit......Disc Spring - adjustable preload

Rail Wheels Austempered ductile iron; precision machined

Tread Diameter 11.00-in. (279.4-mm) Flange Diameter 13.25-in. (336.5-mm)

Wheel Bearings Heavy-duty, tapered roller; re-lubrication by hand pack method

Brakes (Recommended safety option) - Brakes on each front and rear

rail wheel; actuated by in-cab control

Safety Locks Front Unit......Pin type positive mechanical lock on each guide

tube; locked in rail and highway positions; lock

pins secured by a retainer pin

Rear Unit.....Positive mechanical lock on unit in highway

position; hydraulically locked in rail position

Derail Skids Built-in; standard on front and rear units

Rail Sweeps FrontBolt-on; manually actuated (recommended

safety option for front unit)

RearBolt-on; fixed-adjustable (recommended safety

option for rear unit)

Raise/Lower Actuation Hydraulic: double-acting cylinders: manual control valve located

on each unit

Bumpers Front bumper w/sight rods-standard

WEIGHTS & DIMENSIONS

Front Unit 463-lbs. (210-kg) Rear Unit 440-lbs. (199.6-kg)

Track Gauge 56.5-in. (1435-mm) - Standard

LOAD CAPACITY

Front Unit 7,000-lbs. (3,175-kg) / 3,500-lbs. (1,588-kg) max. load per wheel 6,750-lbs. (3,062-kg) / 3,375-lbs. (1,531-kg) max. load per wheel Rear Unit

REQUIRED AUXILIARY EQUIPMENT

Steering Lock Steering column mounted; manual actuation on steering wheel

Mounting Brackets Specific design for each approved vehicle model

& Spacers

HYDRAULIC SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS

5-8-gpm (18.9-30.2-lpm) Flow Range

Operating Pressure Front Unit......1,800-psi (124.1-bar) maximum

Rear Unit2,200-psi (151.7-bar) maximum

Note: The vehicle's rear inner dual wheels carry the remaining vehicle load capacity. Do not exceed the tire manufacturer's and/or the wheel manufacturer's load rating capacity for the rear inner dual wheels on track.











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