

# OWNER'S (OPERATOR'S) MANUAL AND SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS FOR KITO ELECTRIC CHAIN HOIST

# ER series

125kg through 5t capacity

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# 1. DEFINITIONS



: indicates an imminently hazardous situation which, if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury.

: indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.



: indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, **may** result in **minor or moderate injury.** It may also be used to alert against unsafe practices.

Capacity : The measuring weight in this manual is indicated in metric tons. The values from 125 to 500 are indicated in kg, whereas all other values are indicated in t(tonne).

# 2. INTENDED PURPOSE

KITO electric chain hoist is designed for vertically lifting, lowering and horizontally carrying loads by means of switching the pendant push button under normal atmospheric conditions of the workplace.

# 3. BEFORE USE

## 3.1 Safety summary

Danger exists when heavy loads are transported, particularly when the equipment is not being used properly or is poorly maintained. Because accidents and serious injury could result, special safety precautions apply to the operation, maintenance and inspection of the KITO electric chain hoist ER series.

## A WARNINNG

NEVER	use a hoist for lifting, supporting or transporting people.
NEVER	lift or transport loads over or near people.
NEVER	lift more than the rated capacity which is shown on the hoist name plate
ALWAYS	let people around you know when a lift is about to begin.
ALWAYS	read the operation and safety instructions.

Remember proper rigging and lifting techniques are the responsibility of the operator. Check all applicable safety codes, regulations and other applicable laws for further information about the safe use of your hoist.



## 3.2 Safety instructions

# A WARNINNG 3.2.1 Before use **ALWAYS** allow the instructed (trained in safety and operation) people to operate the hoist. **ALWAYS** check the hoist before daily use according to the "Daily inspection" (Refer to 7.3.2). **ALWAYS** make sure that the chain length is long enough for the intended work. **ALWAYS** check that the hook latches work properly and replace missing or broken hook latches (Refer to 7.3). -----**ALWAYS** check the brake before use (Refer to 7.3). **ALWAYS** use two hoists which each has Capacity equal to or more than the load to be lifted whenever you must use two hoists to lift a load. **ALWAYS** use KITO original chains or authorized chains. **ALWAYS** check and keep the surface of the load chain oiled. NEVER use a hoist without a hoist name plate. NEVER use a modified or deformed hook. NEVER use a hoist in explosive atmosphere. 3.2.2 While operation **ALWAYS** make sure that the load is properly seated in the hook. **ALWAYS** tighten the slack out of the chain and sling when starting a lift to prevent a sudden loading. **ALWAYS** avoid excessive inching operation. **ALWAYS** make sure the hoist motor completely stops before reversing. **ALWAYS** use a hoist within the "Duty rating", ED% or time rating. operate unless the load is centered under the hoist. -----NEVER \_\_\_\_\_ NEVER use the hoist chain as a sling. NEVER use a twisted. kinked, damaged or stretched load chain. -----NEVER swing a suspended load.



NEVER	support a load on the tip of the hook.	
NEVER	contact the load chain over an edge.	

- **NEVER** weld or cut a load suspended by a hoist.
- **NEVER** use the hoist chain as a welding electrode.
- **NEVER** operate a hoist if chain jumping or excessive noise occurs.
- **NEVER** use the capsized load chain.
- **NEVER** use the friction clutch or limit switch regularly, which may cause several damage to the hoist and cause serious injury.
- **NEVER** pull the push button cord.

**NEVER** leave a suspended load unattended.

3.2.4 Maintenance

- **ALWAYS** let the qualified service personnel inspect the hoist periodically (Refer to 7.3.3).
- **ALWAYS** oil the load chain (Refer to 7.2).
- **NEVER** splice. add and weld a load chain for extension.
- **NEVER** touch live electrical parts.
- **NEVER** adjust the friction clutch.

3.2.5 Others

**ALWAYS** consult the manufacturer or your dealer if you plan to use a hoist in an excessively corrosive environment (salt water, sea air and/or acid, explosive environment or other corrosive compounds, etc.).



<sup>3.2.3</sup> After operation

# 4. MAIN SPECIFICATIONS

## 4.1 Specifications

The following specifications are common to all KITO ER series electric chain hoists, Capacity 5t or less.

Ite	em	Specification										
Working tempe	rature range (°C)	-20	to +40 (-	4 to +104	•F)							
Working hum	idity range (%)	85 or less										
Ductosticu	Hoist	IP 55										
Protection	Push button		IP	65								
	1					220V						
Electric po	wer supply	Three phase	60	Hz		440V						
						575V						
	Capacity	Nominal dian	neter	Pitch	l	Chain fall						
	(kg or t)	(mm)		(mm)	)							
	125(H)	5		15.0		1						
	250(S)	3		15.0		1						
Chain aire	250(H)	( )		10.0		1						
chain size	500(L), 500(S)	0.3		19.0		1						
Chain fall	1(L), $1(M)$ , $1(S)$	8		24.0		1						
Chain fair	1.5(S), 2(L), 2(M), 2(S)	10		30.0		1						
	2. 5(S)	11.2		34.0		1						
	3(C)	10		30.0		2						
	3(L), 3(S)	12.5		38.0		1						
	5(L)	11.2		34.0		2						

Table 4-1 Specifications

Remarks : (1) Contact KITO or an authorized KITO dealer for information on using the hoist outside the working temperature or humidity range.

- (2) For dimensions and further details, refer to the latest catalogue.
- (3) For larger Capacity hoists (7.5t and larger), refer to the ERML-9806-MC manual.
- (4) The letters (L), (M), (S) and (H) show low, medium, standard and high speed models respectively.

## 4.2 Mechanical classification (Grade) and life

Safety and life for electric chain hoists are guaranteed only when the said equipment is operated in accordance with the prescribed grade.

KITO electric chain hoists ER series are designed for grade 1Am, 2m in the FEM regulations (FEM 9.511) and M4, M5 in the ISO regulations (ISO 4301) shown in Table 4-2. The grades are provided in Table 4-3 to Table 4-6. Average daily operating time and total operating time are determined by load distribution.

Capacity	GRA	ADE
(kg or t)	FEM	ISO
125	2m	M5
250	2m	M5
250	2m	M5
500	1Am	M4
500	2m	M5
1	1Am	M4
1	1Am	M4
1	2m	M5
1.5	2m	M5
2	1Am	M4
2	1Am	M4
2	2m	M5
2.5	1Am	M4
3	1Am	M4
3	1Am	M4
3	1Am	M4
5	1Am	M4
7.5	1Am	M4
10	1Am	M4
10	1Am	M4
15	1Am	M4
20	1Am	M4
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Table 4-2

Load spectrum $\begin{pmatrix} Load \\ distribution \end{pmatrix}$	Definitions	Cubic mean value	Average daily operating time(h)	Total operating time(h)
l (light)	Mechanisms or parts thereof, usually subject to very small loads, seldom to maximum loads.	k 0.50	2 - 4	6300
2 (medium)	Mechanisms or parts thereof, usually subject to small loads, but rather often to maximum loads.	0.50 <b>&lt;</b> k 0.63	1 - 2	3200
3 (heavy)	Mechanisms or parts thereof, usually subject to medium loads and frequently to maximum loads.	0.63 <b>&lt;</b> k 0.80	0.5 - 1	1600
4 (very heavy)	Mechanisms or parts thereof, mainly subject to maximum or almost maximum loads.	0.80 < k 1.00	0.25 - 0.5	800

Table 4-3 1Am(FEM)

Table 4-4 2m(FEM)

Load spectrum (Load distribution)	Definitions	Cubic mean value	Average daily operating time(h)	Total operating time(h)
1 (light)	Mechanisms or parts thereof, usually subject to very small loads, seldom to maximum loads.	k 0.50	4 - 8	12500
2 (medium)	Mechanisms or parts thereof, usually subject to small loads but rather often to maximum loads.	0.50 <b>&lt;</b> k 0.63	2 - 4	6300
3 (heavy)	Mechanisms or parts thereof, usually subject to medium loads and frequently to maximum loads.	0.63 <b>&lt;</b> k 0.80	1 - 2	3200
4 (very heavy)	Mechanisms or parts thereof, mainly subject to maximum or almost maximum loads.	0.80 < k 1.00	0.5 - 1	1600

state of loading / load rate	Definitions	Nominal load spectrum factor (Km)	Total running time (h)	Total operating time(h)
1 (light)	ISO; Mechanisms subjected very rarely to the maximum load and, normally, to light loads	0.125	-	6300
(light)	JIS; Use at about 1/3 of rated load usually and at rated load rarely	-	2 - 4	/ 0400
2 (medium	ISO; Mechanisms subjected fairly frequently to the maximum load but, normally, to rather moderate loads	0.25	-	3200
/ middle)	JIS; Use at about 1/3 to 2/3 of rated load usually and at rated load at times	1 - 2		
3 (heavy)	ISO; Mechanisms subjected frequently to the maximum load and, normally, to loads of heavy magnitude	0.50	-	1600
(licavy)	JIS; Use at 2/3 of rated load or over usually and at rated load many times	-	0.5 - 1	
4	ISO; Mechanisms subjected regularly to the maximum load	1.00	-	800
(very neavy)	JIS; Use at rated load or near load almost all the time	-	0.25 - 0.5	

#### Table 4-5 M4(ISO/JIS)

state of loading / load rate	Definitions	Nominal load spectrum factor (Km)	Total running time (h)	Total operating time(h)
1 (light)	ISO; Mechanisms subjected very rarely to the maximum load and, normally, to light loads	0.125	-	12500
(iight)	JIS; Use at about 1/3 of rated load usually and at rated load rarely	-	4 - 8	
2 (medium	ISO; Mechanisms subjected fairly frequently to the maximum load but, normally, to rather moderate loads	0.25	-	6300
/ middle)	JIS; Use at about 1/3 to 2/3 of rated load usually and at rated load at times	-	2 - 4	/ 0400
3 (heavy)	ISO; Mechanisms subjected frequently to the maximum load and, normally, to loads of heavy magnitude	0.50	-	3200
	JIS; Use at 2/3 of rated load or over usually and at rated load many times	-	1 - 2	
4	ISO; Mechanisms subjected regularly to the maximum load	1.00	-	1600
(very neavy)	JIS; Use at rated load or near load almost all the time	-	0.5 - 1	

#### Table 4-6 M5(ISO/JIS)

## 4. 3 Special features

#### (1) Motor brake

The motor brake is unique with the pull rotor braking structure and its powerful braking force enables the hoist to support the load surely. Non-asbestos material is used in the motor brake.

(2) Hook and hook latch

The hook is drop-forged from the special carbon steel and will not fracture but will open gradually when overloaded. In addition, the hook is equipped with a hook latch which acts to keep the load captive in the hook under slack load conditions.

(3) Limit switch

An electric limit switch mechanism is employed to prevent overwinding.

Refer to table 4-1 to make sure which models are equipped with the limit switch as a standard or optional feature.

(a) Upper limit switch

The hoist is automatically stopped instantly in case of overlifting.

(b) Upper /lower limit switch

The hoist is automatically stopped instantly in case of overwinding.

(4) Friction clutch

The friction clutch mechanism, originally developed by KITO, enables the motor to idle when excessively overloaded or overwinded. Thus the mechanism prevents damage due to overload or overwind. Non-asbestos material is used in the friction clutch.

(5) Emergency stop device

This device is an option for the electric chain hoist, a standard for the electric chain hoist with motorized trolley.

The mushroom type button, in red at the uppermost position on the pendant switch, is used stop the hoist and trolley in an emergency situation. When pressed, power to the equipment is shut off and the button locks automatically. Turn it to the right to release the locks and to enable re-start.

## **A** CAUTION

The set value (1.25 times or more) may change if loads over the WLL are lifted often.



# 5. PREPARATION AND CHECKING BEFORE USE

5.1 Assembly of the electric chain hoist - Hook Suspension

## **WARNINNG**

**ALWAYS** make sure that the supporting structures and load-attaching device are strong enough to hold the weight of the load and hoist.

#### (1) Attaching the chain container

Remark : For large Capacity hoists (7.5t and larger), refer to the ERML-9806-MC manual.

The chain container stores the load chain when a load is lifted. The installation procedure is as shown in Fig.5-1,Fig.5-2 and Fig.5-3. Check that the stopper is properly attached to the 3rd link from the no load side end, and also for 030C and 050L(D), attach the stopper to the 6th link from the load side end for the upper limit switch; to the 8th link for the upper-lower limit switch. Feed the chain into the container from the free end, avoiding twists and links. To avoid lumping and twisting, **NEVER** put all the chain into the container at once. Lumped or twisted chain may activate the limit switch (in case of the hoist equipped with limit switch) and stop the hoist during lowering.

Additionally, each chain container indicates the maximum length of the load chain stored in the container. It is very dangerous to use a chain container with a storage capacity less than the length of the load chain, if all of the necessary chain can not be stored in the container, and limit switch will not operate properly. Determine the length of load chain and select a chain container with proper capacity.

Remark : For the relationship between chain length and chain container, refer to the periodic inspection tables in 7.3.6 "Inspection procedure".

#### 1. Plastic chain container

#### For B size

Hold the chain container and chain container spring against the hoist in the orientation shown in Fig.5-1, and slide the socket bolt through all holes on the chain container, chain guide A and spring until protruding on the other end.

#### For C,D size

Hook the chain container suspender on the spring pin on the no load side of chain guide A.

Turn the chain container suspender until fitting inside the opening on chain container P as shown in Fig.5-2, and press upward until fitting snugly against the upper inside surface of chain container P as shown in the figure.

Slide the socket bolt through the hole on chain container P and tightly lock on the other end with the lever nut.

Note : Make sure the socket bolt passes underneath the chain container suspender and securely locks both chain container P and the chain container suspender in place.

Hold the chain container spring over the chain container P, caring about the direction of the spring, and put the plain washers on both side of the spring and lock on the chain guide A with the socket bolt and the lever nuts.

# **A** CAUTION

Remove the chain container P when you put down the hoist on the ground.

2. Chain container

Install to the hoist body as shown Fig 5-3.







If a chain container is not used, remove the stopper from the free end of the chain and secure to the 13th, 15th or 25th link from the free end as shown in Fig.5-4. Then attach the end link to the chain guide A with the chain end suspender except the 5t capacity with the end link directly attached to the chain guide A.

## **A** CAUTION

Using the lock nut (U nut), tighten it properly. Prevent deformation of the chain guide A caused by screwing it too much.

When a chain container is used, the stopper is attached to the 3rd link from the free end of the load chain. Therefore, the lift is slightly shorter when a container is not used.



\*For 125kg capacity with the upper-lower limit switch and dual speed, attach the stopper to the 25th link.

#### (2) Lubricating the gear case

Remark : For larger Capacity hoists (7.5t and larger), refer to the ERML-9806-MC manual.

The gear case does not contain oil at time of delivery. Remove the oil plug and pour all the gear oil, packed with the hoist, into the gear case by using the pot nozzle, and reinstall oil plug. The specified gear oil is allowed for the ER hoist.

Table 5-1 Gear oil quantity												
Hoist Size	Oil quantity (liters)											
В	0.7											
С	1.0											
D	1.7											
Е	3.0											



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Gear oil is different between friction clutch and mechanical brake combined with a friction clutch (option). Use one of the below listed gear oils.

- (1) Friction clutch
  - a) KITO standard oil : Bonnoc M260 (NIPPON MITSUBISHI OIL)
  - b) Recommended oil : Meropa 320 (TEXACO)
  - c) Recommended oil : Meropa 320 (CALTEX)
- (2) Mechanical brake combined with a friction clutch (option).
  - a) KITO standard oil : Farm Gear B (NIPPON MITSUBISHI OIL)
  - b) Recommended oil : Meropa No.68 (TEXACO)
- Remark : For hoist applications in temperatures below -20°C (-4°F), contact KITO or authorized KITO dealer for special instructions regarding gear oil.

Handling the oil cap for the mechanical brake combined with friction clutch In case of the mechanical brake combined with friction clutch, the oil cap as shown in Fig.A is located on the side of the gear casing.

Before hooking up the hoist, pull the oil cap arm to expose a few mm of the inner part of it or pull off it to maintain the air path to the outside of the gear casing.

When transferring the hoist, unhook the hoist and push it back into the original position because inclining the hoist too much while transferring may cause oil leakage.



(3) Lubricating the load chain

To lubricate the chain, lightly coat the chain with machine oil or gear oil. Regular lubrication will help prevent wear and corrosion, which will extend the service life of the chain. Be sure oil is applied to surfaces of the chain.

(4) Checking chain alignment

Remark : For larger capacity hoists (7.5t and larger), refer to the ERML-9806-MC manual.

ER series hoist have double chain fall models for 3t or 5t capacity. Ensure that the bottom hook on the double fall models is not capsized. If it is capsized, restore it to normal and make sure the welds on the chain links are in alignment. Never try to suspend a load on a hoist with twisted chain.



## **A** CAUTION

Check for twisting in the chain.

## 5.2 Assembly of the electric chain hoist with motorized trolley

For the following four items (1), (2), (3) and (4), refer to the same items in 5.1 "Assembly of the electric chain hoist - Hook Suspension".

- (1) Attaching the chain container
- (2) Lubricating the gear case
- (3) Lubricating the load chain
- (4) Checking chain alignment
- (5) Assembling trolley and connecting with hoist

Remark : For larger Capacity hoists (7.5t and larger), refer to the ERML-9806-MC manual.

- (a) Assembling trolley
  - 1) Insert the suspension shaft to side plate G and lock it with the suspension shaft bolt, slotted nut and split pin. Securely bend both branches of the split pin after insertion.
  - 2) Insert the fixing shaft to side plate G and lock it with the split pin. Securely bend both branches of the split pin after insertion.
  - 3) Insert the suspension shaft with the inner adjusting spacers as shown in Table 5-2.
  - 4) Insert the suspension shaft and fixing shaft into the suspender T attached to hoist body. Make sure the nameplates of the hoist and trolley are facing in the same direction.
  - 5) Insert more spacers into the suspension shaft and insert the suspension shaft and fixing shaft onto side plate S.
  - 6) Put the outer adjusting spacers on the suspension shaft. Insert the shaft stopper pin into suspension shaft and also insert split pin into shaft stopper pin. Insert shaft stopper pin so that split pin is to the left when seen from the front side of trolley switch box.

																				Nu	ımt	ber (	of /	Adj	ust	ing	g Sp	ace	ers																						
E	Beam flange vidth	(in)	$2\frac{5}{16}\Big _{2}^{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$ $2\frac{7}{8}$ $\frac{5}{8}$ $2\frac{15}{16}$	3	$3\frac{1}{4}$	$3\frac{9}{16}$	$3\frac{7}{8}$	$-3\frac{13}{10}$	$\frac{5}{5}$ 4	$4\frac{3}{16}$	$\frac{1}{5} 4\frac{5}{16}$	$4\frac{7}{16}$	$4\frac{11}{16}$ $4\frac{3}{4}$	$4\frac{15}{16}$	5	$5\frac{3}{16}$	$5\frac{5}{16}$	$5\frac{3}{8}$	$5\frac{5}{8}$	$5\frac{11}{16}$ $5\frac{3}{4}$	6	$6\frac{1}{8}$	$-6\frac{3}{1}$	5 6 6	$\frac{7}{16}e$	$6\frac{11}{16}$	$6\frac{7}{8}$	7	$7\frac{1}{16}$ $7\frac{1}{8}$	$7\frac{1}{4}$ $7\frac{5}{16}$	$7\frac{7}{8}$	8	$8\frac{7}{16}8\frac{1}{1}$	$\frac{1}{6}$ 9	9-1-8	$\frac{1}{3}9\frac{7}{8}$	- 10	$10\frac{1}{8}$	$-10\frac{1}{4}$	$-10\frac{3}{8}$	10-1	11	$11\frac{1}{\xi}$	$\frac{1}{3}$ 11 $\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{11}{8}$	$-11\frac{5}{8}$	$-11\frac{3}{4}$	$11\frac{13}{16}$	$\frac{11\frac{7}{8}}{11\frac{7}{8}}$	12
Capacity(t)	Part Name	(mm)	58 6 6	4 73 5 74	75 76	82	90 91	98	100	) 102	2 106	5 110	113	119 120	125	127	131	135	137	143	149 150	153	15:	5 16	0 16	63 1	170	175	178	180 181	184 185	200	203	215 22	0 22	9 23	2 250	) 254	1 257	260	) 264	4 26'	7 279	9 28:	3 286	5 289	) 295	298	300	302	305
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5	Thick spacer	Inner							0							0+1						1+	1	1	+2	+1	0	1+2		2+2		3+3		4 +	4			5+5	5		5+	6		6+	5		<u> </u>	6+7			
		Outer							-			0			5							2		1			0	1	0	1(	)	9		7		5				3			2			1				0	
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1		Outer		_				_	1			2																						0																	

## Table 5-2 Adjusting spacer arrangement for Low Head Suspension

Remarks : (1) Description for inner spacers

For example, 0 + 1

0 : the number of spacers on the left side of the shaft

1 : the number of spacers on the right side of the shaft

(2) Adjustment of trolley width

Refer to (b) of 5.2 on the next page.

Adjust the dimensions by appropriately increasing or decreasing the number of inner or outer adjusting spacers, without strictly adhering to the number of adjusting spacers shown in the above table.

(3) Spacer arrangement example





## Table 5-2 Adjusting spacer arrangement for Lug Suspension

																								N	uml	ber	of	Ad	jus	ting	g S	pac	er	S																									
Be wi	am flange dth	(in)	$2\frac{4}{1}$	$\frac{5}{6} = 2\frac{1}{2}$	$-2\frac{7}{8}$ $-2\frac{13}{10}$	5 3	3-	$\frac{1}{4} 3\frac{1}{1}$	$\frac{9}{16}$ 3	7 8	$3\frac{15}{16}$	4	$4\frac{3}{10}$	$\frac{1}{5}$ 4 $\frac{1}{1}$	$\frac{5}{16}$ 4	$\frac{7}{16}$	$4\frac{11}{16}$ $4\frac{3}{4}$	$4\frac{15}{16}$	5	5-	$\frac{3}{16}$ 5	$\frac{5}{16}$	$5\frac{3}{8}$	$5\frac{5}{8}$	$5\frac{11}{16}$ $5\frac{3}{4}$	6	6-	$\frac{1}{8}$ 6	$\frac{5}{16}$ 6	$5\frac{7}{16}$	$6\frac{11}{16}$	$6\frac{7}{8}$	7	$7\frac{1}{1}$ $7\frac{1}{\frac{1}{8}}$	$\frac{1}{6}$ 7 · $\frac{1}{3}$ 7 ·	$\frac{\frac{1}{4}}{\frac{5}{16}}$	$7\frac{7}{8}$	8	$8\frac{7}{16}$	$\frac{1}{5} 8\frac{1}{10}$	<u> </u> 9	9-8	<u>-</u> <u>-</u> <u>-</u>	$\frac{7}{8}$ 1	0 10	$0\frac{1}{8}$	$0\frac{1}{4}$	$10\frac{3}{8}$	$10\frac{1}{2}$	- 11	$11\frac{1}{8}$	$-11\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{11}{11}$	11-	5 3 11-	$\frac{3}{4}$ 11	$\frac{13}{16}$ 11	$1\frac{7}{8}$	12
Capacity(t)	Part Name	(mm	) 58	8 64 66	73 74	7:	5 6 8	2 90 91	0 1	98	100	102	10	5 11	0 1	13	119 120	125	127	7 13	31 1	35	137	143	149 150	15	3 15	55 1	50 1	163	170	175	17	8 18 18	0 18	84 85 <sup>2</sup>	200	203	215	5 220	) 229	9 23	2 25	0 25	54 2	:57	260	264	267	279	283	; 286	5 289	9 29:	5 29	8 30	00 3	02 3	305
	Thin spacer	Inne	r								0	1+0	1+	11+	22	+2	3 <b>+</b> 3	0	1+(	0 1 +	•1	2+	2	3 <b>+</b> 3	3 4 + (	) 4 +	1 1 +	12	+ 2 2	2+3	3 <b>+</b> 0	4 <b>+</b> 4	4 +	1 5 +	14-	+34	4 <b>+</b> 4	1 <b>+</b> 0	2+3	3 3 +	4 1 +	1 1 +	24+	4 1 +	•1 1	+ 2 2	2+2	2 <b>+</b> 3	3+3	3 5 + 1	1+2	2 2 + 2	2 2 +	3 4 +	3 4 +	4 4 +	+04	+1 5	; <b>+</b> 1
5	Thin space	Oute	r								8	7	6	5	5	4	2	8	7	6	;	4		2	4	3	6	5	1	3	5	0	3	2	1	1	0	7	3	1	6	5	0	6	5	5	4	3		2	5	4	3	1	0	4	4	3	2
	Thick spacer	Inne	r											0							1+1	l		•	1	+2		2	+ 2		2 <b>+</b> 3	2 <b>+</b> 2		2+	3	3	3 <b>+</b> 3		4 <b>+</b> 4	1		5+	5			(	5 <b>+</b> 6		•	6 <b>+</b> 7	7		7 <b>+</b> ′	7			7	+ 8	
	THICK Space	Oute	r											5							3					2			1		0	1	0		10		9		7			5					3			2			1					0	

Note: The arrangement for 1t to 3t is compatible with the low head suspension. Refer also to Table 5-2 for low head suspension.



(b) Adjusting trolley width

Adjust the trolley width for the following proper clearance referring to Fig.5-8.

The proper "A" dimension is measured when both side plates are spread fully outward.

The "A" dimension is :

Rail flange width (B) + 4 mm approximately

If necessary to obtain the above "A" dimension, increase or decrease the number of adjusting spacers irrespective of the quantities in Table 5-2.

After obtaining the proper "A" dimension, insert the split pin into the shaft stopper pin and securely bend both branches of the split pin.



#### A WARNINNG

**ALWAYS** fasten the slotted nut firmly, then insert and bend the split pin completely.

(6) Mounting trolley to traversing rail

Remark : For larger Capacity hoists (7.5t and larger), refer to the ERML-9806-MC manual.

- (a) Mounting to traversing rail.
  - 1) Slide the trolley with an electric chain hoist connected onto the traversing rail from the rail end. This is the most convenient and recommended way.
  - 2) When the connected unit can not be mounted onto the rail sliding from the rail end, follow the next steps referring to Fig.5-9.
    - a) Remove the stopper pin from hole A and insert it into hole B of the suspension shaft. Reinsert and bend it fully.
    - b) With the side plates S and G spread outward, lift the trolley until the track wheels are on the same level of the rail surface (tread), and place the track wheels of side plate G on the rail tread.
    - c) Holding the side plate G securely so that it does not come off the rail, push the side plate S to put its wheels onto the rail tread.
    - d) Remove the stopper pin from hole B and insert it into hole A, and bend the split pin securely.

## A WARNINNG

Never use the hole B to adjust trolley width. Hole B is only used when installing the trolley on the rail.



b) Installation of balance weight

The trolleys with capacity 1 tonne or less in dual speed, need a balance weight on them to keep stability on a rail flange of 75 mm in width.

As shown in Fig 5-10, place the balance weight over the suspension shaft and align with holes B and C. Fit the bolt into hole C and lock on the other end with the slotted nut and split pin.



(c) Installation of stopper onto traversing rail

If using two or more trolleys on the same rail, separate them with end stops between every two trolleys. The distance between the end stops depends on the site requirements. Contact KITO or a KITO authorized dealer for help if required.

Make sure to install the end stops at both ends of the traversing rail.

5.3 Wiring and installation of power supply

# **A** DANGER

**ALWAYS** turn off the power source or breaker switch before wiring to prevent electric shock Remark : For larger Capacity hoists (7.5t and larger), refer to the ERML-9806-MC manual.

# **A** CAUTION

Have all wiring performed by an authorized electrician or KITO dealer.

(1) Checking and changing wiring

Check or change wiring of the electric chain hoist and motorized trolley depending on the required voltage. Make wiring referring to the following figure. In case of the equipment for 575V, it is not necessary to change those connections.







#### (2) Wiring of power supply cable

Remove the switch box cover and switch box packing.

Install firmly the cable holder to the switch box with screw.

Connect firmly red, black and blue lead wires of the cable to the terminal plate-16p referring to Fig.5-13. (Be sure to make each number of mark band of the lead wire consistently correspond to each number of the terminal plate)

The green and yellow stripped lead wire is the ground wire. Connect the wire to the ground mark of the plate firmly.

After checking if there is no mistake in wiring work, install the switch box packing and the cover of switch box.

Note : Refer to the wiring diagram attached on the inside of controller cover of the hoist and or the switch box cover of the motorized trolley if necessary.



(3) Installation of power supply cable.

Install power supply cable as the following procedure.

(a) Providing messenger wire

Provide messenger wire (3 to 6 mm diameter steel cable) along the beam, make the power supply cable run with the cable hangers through the messenger wire so that it would not be twisted.

(b) Setting messenger wire to the position of wire guide (Fig 5-14)

Fit cable support to the cable support arm.

When the curved beam is used, the messenger wire can not be attached to the beam. For this case, a special T type cable hanger for the curved beam should be ordered as an optional item.

The number of special T type cable hanger and the intervals of installation depend on the position and the radius of the curve.

Therefore consult KITO dealer for this matter.



Consult KITO dealer in case the electrical power supply is by means of any other method

(4) Connection of power supply cable to electric power source

(a) Connection to electric power switch

Three wires of red, black and blue of the power supply cable should be connected to the electric power switch. Sometimes it may be required to change the connections but lead wires should be firmly connected again to the power source for better function. (See Fig. 5-15)



(b) Fuse and breaker capacity

The fuse and breaker should be chosen for each rated capacity shown in the following table for safety.

Table 5-3	Canacity	of fuse	and circuit	hreaker
rable 5 5	Cupacity	or ruse	and circuit	oreater

	Motor	output	Minim	um size			Rat	ing			C	Ordinar	y	
Capacity (kg or t)	L	ift	of w (m	iring m²)	F	Fuse(A	)	Br	eaker(	A)	gr of	aduatio amme	on ter	Minimum size of ground wire
(kg of t)	kW	HP	220/ 440V	575V	220 v	440 v	575 v	220 v	440 v	575 v	220 v	440 v	575 v	(mm <sup>2</sup> )
125(H),250(S) 500(L)	0.56	0.75			10	5	5	15	5	5	5	5	5	
250(H),500(S) 1(L)	0.9	1.2	AWG		10	5	5	10	5	5	10	5	5	
1(M)	1.4	1.9	14	AWG										AWG1/
1(S),1.5(S),2(L)	1.8	2.4		14	15	10	5	15	10	5	15	10	5	AWOI4
2(M), 3(C)	2.8	3.8			15	10	5	15	10	5	15	10	5	
2(S),2.5(S),	35	47	AWG		30	15	10	30	15	10	20	10	10	
3(L),5(L)	5.5	4.7	12			15	10	50			20	10	10	
3(S)	4.6	6.1	12		40	20	15	40	20	15	30	15	10	

ER, ERP, ERG (single speed type)

ER, ERP, ERG (dual speed type)	
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	Motor	output	Minim	um size			Rat	ting			C	Ordinar	у	
Capacity	L	ift	of w (m	iring m²)	F	Fuse(A	)	Br	eaker(	A)	gr of	aduati amme	on ter	Minimum size of ground wire
(kg 01 t)	kW	HP	220/ 440V	575V	220 v	440 v	575 v	220 v	440 v	575 v	220 v	440 v	$\frac{\text{mmeter}}{440}  575 \\ \frac{\text{v}}{\text{v}}  \frac{\text{v}}{\text{v}}  \frac{5}{5}  5  \frac{5}{5}  5  \frac{5}{5}  5  \frac{5}{5}  5  \frac{5}{5}  5  \frac{5}{5}  \frac{5}{5$	(mm <sup>2</sup> )
125(H),250(S) 500(L)	0. 45 / 0.15	0.6 / 0.2			10	5	5	10	5	5	5	5	5	
250(H),500(S) 1(L)	0.9 / 0.3	1.2 / 0.4	AWG		10	5	5	10	5	5	10	5	5	
1(S),1.5(S),2(L)	1.8 / 0.6	2.4 / 0.8	-	AWG 14	15	10	5	15	10	5	10	5	5	AWG14
2(S),2.5(S), 3(L),5(L)	3.5 / 1.2	4.7 / 1.6	AWG		30	15	15	30	15	15	20	10	10	
3(S)	4.6 / 1.5	6.1 / 2.0	12		40	20	20	40	20	20	30	15	10	

## ERM (single speed type)

	I	Motor	outpu	t	Minim	um size			Rat	ting			0	rdina	ry	
Capacity (kg or t)	Li	ift	Tra	wel	of w (m	iring m²)	F	use(A	A)	Br	eaker(	(A)	gra of	aduati amme	on eter	Minimum size of ground wire
(kg of  t)	1-W/	ЦD	1-W	п	220/	5751	220	440	575	220	440	575	220	440	575	(mm <sup>2</sup> )
	ĸw	пr	K VV	nr	440V	5751	v	v	v	v	v	v	v	v	v	
125(H),250(S)	0.56	0.75					10	5	5	10	5	5	10	5	5	
500(L)	0.50	0.75					10	5	5	10	5	5	10	5	5	
250(H),500(S)	0.0	1.2														
1(L)	0.9	1.2					15	10	5	15	10	5	10	5	5	
1(M)	1.4	1.9	0.4	0.53	AWG	AWG										
1(S),1.5(S),2(L)	1.8	2.4			12	14	20	10	10	20	10	10	15	10	10	AWG14
2(M), 3(C)	2.8	3.8			12	14	20	10	10	20	10	10	15	10	10	
2(S),2.5(S),	2.5	47					20	15	15	20	15	15	20	10	10	
3(L)	5.5	4./					50	15	15	50	15	15	50	10	10	
5(L)	3.5	4.7	0.75	1		30	15	15	30	15	15	30	15	15		
3(S)	4.6	6.1	04	0.53			40	20	15	40	20	15	30	15	15	

	1	Motor	outpu	t	Minim	um size			Rat	ing			0	rdina	ry	Minimum sizo
Capacity (kg or t)	L	ift	Tra	wel	of w (m:	iring m²)	F	use(A	L)	Br	eaker(	(A)	gra of	aduati amme	on eter	of ground
(kg 01 t)	kW	HP	kW	HP	220/ 440V	575V	220 v	440 v	575 v	220 v	440 v	575 v	220 v	440 v	y on ter 575 v 5 5 10 10 10 15	(mm <sup>2</sup> )
125(H),250(S) 500(L)	0.45 / 0.15	0.6 / 0.2					10	5	5	10	5	5	10	5	5	
250(H),500(S) 1(L)	0.9 / 0.3	1.2 / 0.4	0.32	0.43			15	10	5	15	10	5	10	5	5	
1(S),1.5(S),2(L)	1.8 / 0.6	2.4 / 0.8	0.08	0.11	AWG	AWG	20	10	10	20	10	10	15	10	10	
2(S)	3.5 / 1.2	4.7 / 1.6			12	14	30	15	15	30	15	15	30	10	10	AW014
2.5(S),3(L),5(L)	3.5 / 1.2	4.7 / 1.6	0.64	0.85			30	15	15	30	15	15	30	15	15	
3(S)	4.6 / 1.5	6.1 / 2.0	0.16	0.21			40	20	20	40	20	20	30	15	15	

#### ERM (dual speed type)

(c) Ground wire

The green and yellow stripped wire is the ground wire, which should always be connected to a suitable ground. Unless the wire is grounded, operator may sometimes feel a shock when touching any part of the hoist or chain.

**NEVER** paint the trolley running surface of the beam.

#### 5.4 Trial run

(1) Before proceeding

Review the previous sections of the manual to be sure that each step was completed properly and that all parts are attached securely.

For example :

- (a) Whether the electric chain hoist is properly installed to the trolley. (See, Fig.6-7)
- (b) Whether the stopper of the trolley on the beam is correctly positioned.
- (c) Whether the bolts, nuts, and split pins are all sufficiently fastened.
- (d) Whether the push button cord wire supports the force if the pendant is pulled.
- (e) Whether the cable support is firmly installed to the cable support arm.

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ALWAYS turn off the power source or breaker switch before performing any mechanical or electrical maintenance on the equipment.

(2) Check lifting

Connect the main switch supplying power to the equipment. Push the () push button switch and if the hook does not move in the correct direction, the power supply is phased incorrectly. In this case, turn off the power source or breaker switch and then reverse any two of the three power supply wires at the hoist *s'* power source. The hook will then move in accordance with the directions of the push button.

(3) Check traversing

Verify that the controls agree with trolley direction. Make sure the trolly runs smoothly and attach the E/W or N/S direction labels to the buttons.

(4) Check limit switch function

Refer to the name plate AB or AC, written "Upper Limit" or "Upper/Lower Limit", which is attached on the hoist to make sure which types limit switch is equipped with the hoist. No name plate means no limit switch.

(a) Upper limit switch

Hold down the ( ) button until the bottom hook activates the upper limit switch, and make sure if the hoist stops at the upper limit position.

(b) Upper and lower limit switch

Hold down the ( ) button until the bottom hook activates the limit switch, and make sure if the hoist stops at the upper limit position. Then hold down the button until the bottom hook reaches the lower limit position to activate the limit switch, and make sure if the hoist stops. In both cases, make sure that the chain spring is compressed with enough clearance.

(5) Check the lift and lower brake functions

Lift up a suitable load. Push the 1 or 2 and 2 or 2 buttons on the push button switch to raise or lower the hook a few times. Make certain the brake stops the motor immediately when releasing the buttons.

(6) Check the optional emergency stop device function (as option)

This device is an option for the electric chain hoist, a standard for electric chain hoist with motorized trolley. While holding down either the (), (), (), or () button on the push button switch, push the emergency stop button. Check that the hook stops when the emergency stop button is pushed. Also, check the hoist does not move in response to the push button switch. Finally, release the emergency stop button which pops out by turning it to the right, and then operation can be resumed thereafter. If the equipment fails to pass any of the above checks, check the wiring and automatic locking function of the emergency stop device.

# 6. OPERATION

After pre-usage preparation and checks are completed, the hoist will be ready for normal operation.

## 6.1 Intended purpose of hoist operation

The hoist is designed for vertically lifting, lowering and horizontally carrying loads by means of switching the pendant push button under normal atmospheric conditions of the workplace.

Since dealing with heavy loads may involve unexpected danger, all the "Safety instructions" (Refer to 3.2.) must be followed.

## 6.2 Safe working environment

## WARNINNG

The operator must be aware of the following points while using the hoist.

- (1) The operator must have a clear and unobstructed view of the entire travel area before operating the hoist. When not possible, a second or more persons must serve as scouts in the nearby area.
- (2) The operator must check the entire work place is safe and secure before operating the hoist.
- (3) The operator must make sure to prevent his hands or other parts of his body from being caught in the moving hoist.

### 6.3 Electric chain hoist

KITO electric chain hoists ER series come in single speed and dual speed models.

For an explanation on how to operate the hoists, refer to Table 6-1.



#### Table 6-1 Operation of hoist

Operation method	lifting or lowering	The push button is a single step push type. Push and hold down the button to lift and the button	The push button is a dual step type. The first step is for low speed and the second step for high speed. Push and hold down
		to lower the load. Release the	the <b>()</b> button to lift and the <b>()</b>
		outon to stop.	button to stop.
	Emergency	This button is used to stop lifting or low	ering in an emergency
	stop	situation. It is a red, mushroom type but	ton, located in the uppermost
	device	position on the push button switch box.	When pushed, power to the
	(option)	equipment is shut off and the button loc	ks automatically. Turn it to
		the right to release the lock.	

## 6.4 Electric chain hoist with motorized trolley

### 6.4.1 Operation

KITO electric chain hoist ER series and motorized trolley MR series both come in single speed and dual speed models.

For an explanation on how to operate the hoist, refer to Table 6-2.

Table 6-2	Operation	of hoist	and	trollev
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Operation	lifting	Refer to Table 6-1.	
operation	or		
method	lowering		
	Traversing	The push button switch is a	The push button switch is a dual
		single step push type. The hoist	step push type. The first step is
		will move in the direction of the	for low speed and the second
		EW or NS marks when the	step for high speed. The hoist
		lower two buttons are pushed.	will move in the direction of the
		Release the button to stop.	EW or NS marks when either of
			the lower two buttons is pushed.
			Release the button to stop.
	Emergency	Refer to Table 6-1.	1
	stop		
	device		

6.4.2 Precautions in usage

The more the load swings, the more difficult and dangerous it is to operate the trolley. Use the method undermentioned to minimize the load swing. Refer to Fig.6-1.

- (1) Push the button of trolley traversing.
- (2) Immediately after the load moves to the position shown in (b), release the button till the load comes to (c).
- (3) When the load moves to the position shown in (c), push the same button again.



# 7. MAINTENANCE

## A WARNINNG

**NEVER** perform maintenance on the hoist while it is supporting a load. However, this does not apply when checking the brake, friction clutch or limit switch in the periodic inspection.

Before performing maintenance, attach tags to the power source and the push button switch reading;

"DANGER" NEVER OPERATE EQUIPMENT BEING REPAIRED!

**ALWAYS** use the hoist manufacturer's genuine parts when repairing a hoist. Only allow qualified service personnel to perform maintenance.

**ALWAYS** lock-out power source before conducting maintenance. However, this does not apply when checking push button switch operation and power supply voltage.

After performing any maintenance on the hoist, **ALWAYS** test to its Capacity before returning into service.

**ALWAYS** make sure to prevent hands or other parts of your body from being caught in the moving parts.

## 7.1 Lubrication

7.1.1 Gear lubrication

Change the gear oil, referring to the rate of loading and the operating hours in the following table. At least, however, change it every 5 years even though the operating hour doesn't reach the specified hour.

Rate of Loadi	Operating Hours	120 hrs	240 hrs	360 hrs
Light	When normally working with an approximate 1/3 of the rated load and rarely with the rated load.			
Medium	When normally working with an approximate 1/3 to 2/3 of the rated load and sometimes with the rated load.			
Heavy	When normally working with an approximate 2/3 of the rated load and often with the rated load.			
Very heavy	When normally working with the rated load or near the rated load.			

To change the gear oil, remove both the oil plug and the drain plug and drain the old gear oil completely before refilling the new specified one.

## **WARNINNG**

Using oils other than the specified standard or similar grade oils may prevent the friction clutch from working properly and may cause the hoist to drop the load.

Notice : Dispose old oil in accordance with local regulations.

#### 7.1.2 Load chain lubrication

Refer to ' 5.1(3) Lubricating the load chain. '

## A WARNINNG

- **ALWAYS** lubricate load chain once a week, or more frequently, depending on severity of service.
- **ALWAYS** lubricate more frequently than normal in corrosive environment (In salt water, sea air and/or acid or other corrosive compounds)

#### 7.2 Chain replacement

Observe the procedure below when replacing the chain referring to Fig.7-1. For single and double fall chains. Refer to 7-2-1 and 7-2-2 respectively.

- 7.2.1 Single fall chain
  - (1) Remove the stopper from the no load side.
  - (2) Hook the C-link to the end link.
  - (3) Hook the end link of the new chain to the C-link.
  - (4) Operate the hoist to lower the chain.
  - (5) Stop to lower the chain when a sufficient amount of new chain is accumulated on the load side.
  - (6) Attach the chain spring or cushion rubber and bottom hook from the old chain to the end of the new chain on the load side.
  - (7) Attach the chain spring or cushion rubber and stopper from the old chain to the correct link on the new chain on the no load side.

#### 7.2.2 Double fall chain

- (1) Remove the stopper from the no load side.
- (2) Hook the C-link to the end link.
- (3) Hook the end link of the new chain to the C-link.
- (4) Operate the hoist to lower the chain.
- (5) Stop lowering the chain when a sufficient amount of new chain is accumulated on the load side.
- (6) Feed the end link on the load side of the new chain through the idle sheave completely.
- (7) When connecting the end link to the connection yoke by a chain pin, make sure that the chain is not twisted throughout the whole links.
- (8) Attach the chain spring or cushion rubber and stopper from the old chain to the correct link on the new chain on the no load side.

## Fig. 7-1 Chain replacement



#### 7.3 inspection

#### 7.3.1 Inspection classification

- (1) Initial inspection : Prior to initial use, all new, altered or modified hoists shall be inspected by a designated personnel to ensure compliance with the applicable provisions of this manual.
- (2) Inspection procedure for hoists in regular service is divided into two general classifications based upon the intervals at which inspection should be performed. The intervals in turn are dependent upon the nature of the critical components of the hoist and the degree of their exposure to wear, deterioration or malfunction. The two general classifications are herein designated as daily and periodic with respective intervals between inspections as defined below.
  - (a) Daily inspection : visual examinations by the operator or other designated personnel
  - (b) Periodic inspection : visual inspection by a designated personnel
    - 1) normal service; yearly
    - 2) heavy service; semiannually
    - 3) strict service; quarterly
    - 4) special or infrequent service; as recommended by a qualified personnel before the first such occurrence and as directed by the qualified personnel for any subsequent occurrences

#### 7.3.2 Daily inspection

(see table)

Items such as those listed in the recommended "Daily inspection" in the section 7.3.6 should be inspected for defects and damages. This includes observations during operation for any defects or damages that might appear between "Periodic inspection". A designated personnel shall determine whether any defects or damages constitute a hazard or will require more detailed inspection.

#### 7.3.3 Periodic inspection

#### (see table)

Complete inspections of the hoist shall be performed as recommended periodic inspection. These inspections may be performed with the hoist in its normal location and do not require the entire hoist to be dismantled. Covers and other components should be opened or removed for these inspection.

The recommended periodic inspection in the section 7.3.6 shall be examined by a designated personnel to determine whether they constitute a hazard or whether complete disassembly is necessary. These inspections shall include the requirements of daily inspection.

#### 7.3.4 Occasionally used hoist

- (1) A hoist which is idle for a period of one month or more but less than one year shall be given an inspection conforming to the requirements of section 7.3.2 before it is placed in service.
- (2) A hoist which is idle for a period of one year shall be given an inspection conforming to the requirements of section 7.3.3 before it is placed into service.

#### 7.3.5 Inspection record

Dated inspection reports and records should be maintained at time intervals specified in section 7.3.1 (2)(b) and such records are stored where they are available to authorized personnel.

#### 7.3.6 Inspection procedure

Remark : For larger Capacity hoists (for ER : 7.5t and larger, ERM : 7.5t and larger), refer to "Inspection procedure" in 7.3.6 and instruction manual ERML-9806-MC.

(1) Daily inspection

Class	Item	Inspection method	Discard limit/criteria	Remedy
Common for electric chain hoist and trolley	1. Push button (1) Emergency stop	Press the emergency stop button while the hoist is under no load condition.	The emergency stop function operates and the suspended state remains. After turning the emergency stop button to the right, the hook can be lifted or lowered, or the trolley can be traversed.	If equipment fails to stop in response to the emergency stop button or if the suspended state cannot remain, replace the emergency stop device. If the button cannot be reset, replace the device.
	(2) Cracked housing	Check visually.	No cracks.	Replace with a new case.
hain hoist	1. Push button (1) Function	Operate the push buttons under no load condition.	Bottom hook can be lifted and lowered.	If the bottom hook won't move, check power source or see if the cord is disconnected.
Electric c	2. Brake (1) Function	Lift and lower 2 or 3 times under no load condition.	When the push button is released, the brake operates and the motor stops immediately.	If the motor does not stop immediately, ask the service personnel to inspect and repair it.

Class	Item	Inspection method	Discard limit/criteria	Remedy
	3. Limit switch (overwind limiting device)	Refer to the name plate which is attached on th with the hoist. No name	AB or AC (written "Upper Limit" or "U he hoist to make sure which types limit s plate means no limit switch.	pper/Lower Limit") witch are equipped
	(1) Upper limit switch function	Operate the hoist under no load condition until bottom hook reaches the limit lever.	When the bottom hook reaches the limit lever, the motor stops automatically. (Limit lever positions during motor stoppage and operation are shown below.)	If there are abnormalities, ask the service personnel to inspect and repair them.
			When the hook pushes up the limit lever, the limit switch is activated to stop the motor during lifting.	
chain hoist	(2) Upper and lower limit switch function	Operate the hoist under no load condition until bottom hook or stopper reaches the limit lever.	When the bottom hook or the stopper reaches the limit lever, the motor stops automatically. (Limit lever positions during motor stoppage and operation are shown below.)	If there are abnormalities, ask the service personnel to inspect and repair them.
Electric			When the stopper pushes up the limit lever, the limit switch is activated to stop the motor during lowering. During stoppage or operation When the hook pushes up the limit lever, the limit switch is activated to stop the motor during lifting.	
	4. Load chain (1) Appearance	Check visually for greasing and twisting.	Load chain is well lubricated.	If chain is dry, apply the specified lubricant in the
		×	Load chain is not twisted or capsized.	section ' 5.1(3). ' If chain is twisted, untwist it and restore it to normal chain condition.

Class	Item	Inspection method	Discard limit/criteria	Remedy
lain hoist	<ul> <li>5. Hook</li> <li>(1) Bottom hook deformation</li> <li>(2) Hook latch operation</li> </ul>	Check visually Move with hand or check visually.	Shape has not deformed from what it was at time of purchase. Free of deformation and damage. Operates normally.	Replace the hook with a new one if deformed. Replace the hook latch with a new one if deformed or malfunctioning.
Electric ch	<ul> <li>6. Chain spring and cushion rubber</li> <li>(1) Chain spring deformation</li> <li>(2) Cushion rubber deformation</li> </ul>	Check visually.	NEVER use spring if it is deformed as illustrated or if it stays compressed and won't open. NEVER use cushion rubber if it is deformed as illustrated.	Replace chain spring with a new one if deformed. Replace cushion rubber with a new one if deformed.
	1. Push button (1) Function	Operate the push buttons under no load condition.	Traverses smoothly.	If trolley does not move, check power source or see if the cord is disconnected.
Trolley	<ul> <li>2. Traversing unit</li> <li>(1) Motor brake operation</li> <li>(2) Function</li> </ul>	Run and stop 2 or 3 times under no load condition.	When the brake is used, the motor stops immediately. The trolley runs smoothly.	If there are any abnormalities, ask the service personnel to inspect and repair them.
	3. Side plate (1) Deformation	Check visually	<b>NEVER</b> use if it seems to be deformed (as revealed by visual check).	Replace the side plate with a new one if deformed.

#### (2) Periodic inspection

Class	Item	Inspection meth	od		Discard lim	it/criteria		R	Remedy
	1. Push button								
& Trolley	(1) Operation	Push buttons in turn.		Moven extrem	nent is smooth e play and int	n without erference.		Inspect repair operate abnor	et and it if tion is
ric chain hoist d	(2) Emergency stop function	Stop and reset the equipment 2 or 3 times using the emergency stop		The bu smoot play ar	tton should op hly and be v nd interference	perate void of extre e.	eme	Inspec repair operat abnor	et and it if tion is mal.
Elect	(3) Loose wiring joint	button. Check visually.		Screws	s are not loose	or missing.		Tighte furthe is loos	en r if it sened.
	2. Main body and traversing unit								
	(1) Cable or cord joint damage	Check visually.		Free of	f noticeable da	amage.		Repair cords them ones.	r cables / or replace with new
ley	3. Power supply, ground, insulation, control circuit								
loist & Troll	(1) Control circuit fuse installation	Remove the controller cover and check visually	1	The fu the pro	se should be s escribed locati	ecurely fit in ion.		Fit in prescr locatio	the ibed on.
Ц	and capacity	Check fuse capacity.		As ind	icated on the l	oelow table.		Install of the capaci	a fuse proper ity.
		Capacity	Lo	cation		Fuse capaci	ty (Am	pere)	
		(kg or t)	(ii	nside)	E	R	0.1	ER	RM
		$\frac{125 \text{kg to } 1.5 \ 2(\text{L})}{125 \text{kg to } 1.5 \ 2(\text{L})}$	swi	tch box	Single speed	Dual speed	Singl	e speed	Dual speed
		2(M), 3(C)	contro	oller cover	2	2		2	2
		2(S) 25 2(I) 5	swi	tch box				2	2
		2(3), 2.3, 3(L), 3	contro	oller cover	3	3		3	3
		3(S)	swi	tch box		·····		2	2
			contro	oller cover	3	5		3	5

Class	Item	Inspection method	Discard limit/criteria	Remedy
	(2) Grounding	Check grounded point.	Grounding resistance should be 100 Ohm or less.	Ground in compliance with local laws and regulations.
			For the collector type, the trolley-running surface of the beam is free of insulating materials, such as paint. Also, the beam is perfectly grounded.	Remove insulating materials.
t Trolley	(3) Voltage measurement of the connection box at receiving point	Measure with a voltmeter.	Voltage is within $\pm$ 10% of rated voltage during rated running (of the electric chain hoist).	Check that both the cable and power source capacity are appropriate.
Hoist &	(4) Measurement of insulation resistance	Measure charged and uncharged parts with an insulation resistance tester.	Insulation resistance is 5 M.Ohm or more.	Investigate cause and replace defective parts.
	1. Main body			
	(1) Casing damage	Check visually.	Body is free of flaws and cracks.	Replace casing with a new one if damaged or cracked.
	(2) Abnormal sound during operation	Lift and lower by suspending a light load.	Motor or main body interior does not generate vibration, noise or irregular sounds.	If abnormal sounds are heard, ask the service personnel to inspect.

Class	Item	Inspection method	Discard limit/criteria	Remedy
	(3) Quantity of gear oil and contamination	Check visually.	Change oil regularly in keeping with work frequency.	Provide oil if the quantity is insufficient. If oil is badly contaminated, replace it with new oil. Notice : Dispose old oil in accordance with local regulations.
& Trolley	(4) Controller cover damage	Check visually.	Free of deformation and cracks.	If the deformation exists, replace the controller cover with a new one.
Hoist	(5) Name plate damage	Check visually.	WLL is readable.	Replace the name plate with a new one if illegible.
	(6) Loose or missing screws	Check visually.	Screws are not loose or missing.	Tighten or replace.
	2. Brake			
	(1) Function	Suspend the rated load. Lift, lower and stop it.	When switched off in the middle of lowering, the chain stops within about two links and less than 1% of lifting speed (m/min.) after turning off the hoist.	If the stopping distance is too large, ask the service personnel to inspect and repair it.

Class	Item	Inspection method	Discard limit/criteria	Remedy
	3. Friction clutch (1) Function	Lift up a grounded load. Press the button and check from the outside that the motor rotates. After confirming the	The motor should rotate.	If the motor fails to rotate, ask the service personnel to inspect. <b>Never</b> adjust the friction clutch and
t & Trolley		function of Friction Clutch, don't keep slipping longer than 5 seconds. Lift up the rated load.	The rated load should be lifted up.	replace the friction clutch as needed. If not, ask the service personnel to inspect. <b>Never</b> adjust the friction clutch and replace the friction clutch as needed.
Hois	4. Limit switch (overwind limiting device)	Refer to the name plate which is attached on th with the hoist. No name	AB or AC (written "Upper Limit" or "Upper Limit" or "Upper hoist to determine which types limit so plate means no limit switch.	pper/Lower Limit") witch are equipped
	(1) Limit lever and cross guide damage	Check visually.	The limit lever and cross guide are free of damage and deformation.	Replace with new ones if damaged or deformed.
	(2) Stopper damage	Check visually.	The stopper, and cushion rubber or chain springs at chain ends are not deformed or detached.	Replace with new ones if damaged or deformed.
	(3) Function	Suspend the rated load and operate the limit switch until the bottom hook or stopper reaches the limit lever.	The chain spring should give sufficient allowance of chain after the motor has stopped. (For the position of the limit lever, refer to item 3 in the figure entitled "Daily inspection".)	If there are any abnormalities, ask the service personnel to inspect and repair them.

Class	Item	Inspection me	ethod	Discard	l limit/criteria	a	Rer	nedy
	5. Load chain (1) Abrasion	To measure pitc with slide calipe Measure at the point that is mo frequently enga with load sheav	ch ers: st ged e.	Dimension (P) of exceed the limit the table below.	or (d) shall no s presented i	ot n	If limit exceeds, <b>ALWAY</b> the servi personne inspectio	<b>'S</b> ask ce el to run an on.
Ń			Choin			Pirch of	measured	Discord
rolle			size	Capacity	measured	link	s : P	limit
& Τ			(d)		links	Standard	Limit	of (d)
Hoist			5.0	125(H) 250(S)	5	75.5	77.7	4.5
			6.3	250(H) 500(L), 500(S)	5	95.5	98.3	5.7
			8.0	1(L), 1(M), 1(S)	5	121.0	124.6	7.2
			10.0	1.5, 2(L), 2(M), 2(S), 3(C)	5	151.0	155.5	9.0
			11.2	2.5(S), 5(L)	3	102.6	105.6	10.1
			12.5	3(L), 3(S)	3	114.6	118.0	11.3
	6. Accessories (1) Hook deformation / twist of hook opening	Measure dime "a" at time of purchase with s calipers. Check visually.	ension lide	No deformation shape (at time o Twist shall not b	from origina f purchase) pe large enou	ıl	Replace new hoo deforme Replace	with k if d. with
				to detect visuall	у.		new hoo twisted.	k if

Class	Item	Inspection method	Discard li	mit/criteria	ı	Ren	nedy
	(2) Hook wear	Measure "b" and "c" with slide calipers.	<b>NEVER</b> use the h "b" or "c" become of normal.	ook if dim s less than	ension 90%	Replace hook if v	with new vorn.
ey						*	
roll			Capacity	b (r	nm)	c (n	nm)
& Τ			(kg or t)	Normal	Discard	Normal	Discard
ist			H),250(S),250(H),500(L),500(S)	17.5	16	23.5	21
Hc			1(L), 1(M), 1(S)	22.5	20	31	28
			(3)	20.3	24	30.3	26
			2(L), 2(W), 2(S)	29	20	40	30
			$\frac{2.3(3)}{3(1),3(5),3(C)}$	34.5	31	43.5	13
			5(L), 5(S), 5(C) 5(L)	42.5	38	56	50
			5(E)	12.5	50	50	
	(3) Hook neck deformation	Check visually.	NEVER use bent	hook.		Replace new hool	with k.
	(4) Hook swivel operation	Rotate hook.	Hook turns smooth	hly.		Replace new hool not turn s	with k if it dose smoothly.
	(5) Upper / lower fitting damage	Check visually.	No damage or defe Rivets, bolts and r loosened or becon	ormation. auts have n ane detached	ot 1.	Replace new fittin damaged deformed	with ngs if l or l.

Class	Item	Inspection method	Discard limit/criteria	Remedy
	(6) Rotation of idle sheave	Turn idle sheave by lifting the load chain up and down, as illustrated.	The idle sheave rotates smoothly.	Inspect and repair if rotation is not smooth.
	(7) Chain container damage	Check visually.	Attachment screws, pins, hangers, fittings, machine screws, chain containers, etc., are not loosened or become detached or damaged.	Replace with new chain container if damaged.
Hoist & Trolley			Hanger Fitting Rivet Chain container	
	(8) Chain container capacity	Measure the chain length.	No foreign matter or dust.	Remove any foreign matter and dust. If the load chain length
	$\begin{array}{c c} \hline WLL & 125(H) \\ \hline (kg \text{ or } t) & 250(S) \\ \hline \hline \hline \end{array} \\ \hline \hline \\ \hline \hline \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c ccccc} 0(L) & 250(H) & 1(L) \\ 500(S) & 1(M) \\ \hline 4 & 6 & 4 & 6 \\ \hline \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	exceeds the following length in the table,
	length S 6	- 8 8	- 12 8 - 6 4	ALWAYS use the
	(m) L 12	8 15 8 15	12 18 12 6 8 6	larger optional
	P : Plastic container S : Small container L : Large container			container.

Class	Item	Inspection method	Discard	limit/criteria		Remedy
	1. Power supply fitting					
	(1) Messenger wire tension	Check visually.	Wire dose not sa	gexcessively.	Tigh tensi	ten to proper on.
	(2) Condition of cable hanger	Check visually.	Cable hangers an equal intervals s twist. Free of damage a smoothly.	re attached at to that cable doo and moves	es not defe with	ace ctive hangers new ones.
	2. Traversing unit					
	(1) Trolley inclination	Run trolley with light load suspended.	Trolley is not tilt running. If tilt worn incorrectly	ted when ed, a wheel m	ay be trolle	isting titled ey
	(2) Bolts and screws loosening	Check visually.	Each of fitting p loosened.	oints are not	Faste	en tightly.
rolley	(3) Missing snap rings	Check visually.	No snap rings ar	e missing.	Inser	rt snap s if missing.
Hoist & Tı	(4) Wheel abrasion	Measure with slide calipers.	Abrasion of treat not exceed limits shown below.	d and flange do s on the table	Repl whe exce	lace with new els if limit is eded.
			d			
		Capacity	Tread	d outside neter : D	Treac diam	l inside eter : d
		(kg or t)	Standard	Limit	Standard	Limit
		125kg to 1	95	91	91.5	87.5
		1.5 to 2	110	105	106	101
		<u> </u>	123	132	121	114

Class	Item	Inspection method	Discard limit/criteria			Remedy
	(5) Side plate deformation	Check visually or with slide calipers, as necessary.	No obvious deformation must evident.	t be	If o obv rep	damaged viously, lace it with a
	(6) Suspension shaft deformation and abrasion	Check visually or with slide calipers as necessary.	<b>NEVER</b> use a suspension sha if bent. <b>NEVER</b> use a suspension sha if its diameter is worn down more.	ıft ıft 10% or	Re sus sha	place with new spension aft.
	(7) Movement of joint fittings	Move electric chain hoist back and forth and right and left.	Joint fittings move smoothly.		If t not sup top	the movement is t smooth, oply oil to the o pin.
oist & Trolley	(8) Side roller wear	Check visually or with slide calipers, as necessary.	Conpact part of the side roller not worn to exceed limit dimensions on the table show below.	r is n	Re rol exc	place with new lers if abrasion ceeds limit.
Η		Move rollers by hand.	Rollers rotate smoothly.		Suj rol occ	pply oil to ler shafts casionally.
			Capacity	Outsid	e diar	neter (mm)
			(kg or t)	Standard	d	Limit
			125kg to 1	38		37
			1.5 to 3	43		42
			5(L)	55		54
	(9) Split pins damaged for shaft stopper pins and	Check visually.	Split pins are not damaged by wear.	y rust or	Re pin	place with new is if thinned.
	missing split pins		Split pins should not be missi	ng.	Ins pin	ert split as if missing.

8. TROUBLESH	DNITOOH		
Situation	Cause	Explanation	Remedy
Moves in the reverse direction.	Reversed connection.	Connect correctly two lead wires of three wires for power supply.	See 5.3 "Trial run".
Won't move.	<ol> <li>Blown power circuit fuse or the power circuit breaker is switched off.</li> <li>Blown control circuit fuse.</li> <li>Disconnection of power cable or; disconnection of push button cord</li> <li>Voltage drop</li> <li>The emergency stop button was pushed.</li> <li>Trouble in the internal wiring (loose contact, disconnection)</li> <li>Damaged contact in electromagnetic contactor</li> </ol>	Replace the fuse. Check current rating is correct. Replace the fuse or reset the breaker switch as necessary. Replace the fuse. Check current rating is correct and replace the fuse. Check current rating is correct and replace fuse as necessary/ Check for disconnection in cable or cord which are subjected to frequent bending, and repair disconnected point. Check voltage with a tester, and check connecting condition at the power source. Turn the emergency stop button to the right to release. Check internal wiring and repair where necessary. Replace the electromagnetic contactor.	If motor hums and does not rotate, stop operation immediately.
Won't stop.	Welded contacts in electromagnetic contactor	Replace the electromagnetic contactor.	
Brake slips.	Abrasion of motor brake	Check and repair the motor brake.	
Load fails to rise.	<ul><li>(1) Trouble with the friction clutch</li><li>(2) voltage drop</li></ul>	Contact KITO or an authorized KITO dealer. Check voltage with a tester, and check connecting condition at the power source.	If motor hums and does not rotate, stop operation immediately.
Abnormal sound come from load chain	<ul><li>(1) Trouble with the friction clutch</li><li>(2) Worn load sheave</li></ul>	Supply oil to load chin. Replace the load sheave.	Wear limit for chain link diameter at the gearing part of chain is 10%. Total wear limit for every 5 links pitch is 3%.
The trolley does not stop immediately	Loose trolley motor brake	Check and repair the motor brake.	Keep braking time to less than 1 second.
The trolley wheels slip.	<ul><li>(1) Tilted rail</li><li>(2) Excessive oil on tread of traversing rail</li></ul>	Check and correct rail tilting. Wipe off oil.	Slightly grease the tread for better result.
Electric shock	<ul> <li>(1) Improper grounding work</li> <li>(2) Accumulated foreign matter or moisture on electric parts</li> </ul>	Provide correct grounding. Remove foreign matters or dry whole electric parts completely.	Ground equipment according to local laws. The traversing rail may serve as a grounding conductor when four conductors cable is not used for power supply to the motorized trolley. Be sure to ground the rail in this case.
Oil leak	<ul> <li>(1) No oil plug</li> <li>(2) Loose fitting or oil plug</li> <li>(3) No plug packing</li> <li>(4) Worn or deteriorated oil packing</li> </ul>	Attach the normal oil plug. Fasten the plug tightly. Attach normal packing. Replace with new packing.	

# 9. WARRANTY

KITO Corporation ("KITO") extends the following warranty to the original purchaser ("Purchaser") of new products manufactured by "KITO" (KITO's Products).

- (1) "KITO" warrants that KITO's Products, when shipped, shall be free from defects in workmanship and/or materials under normal use and service and "KITO" shall, at the election of "KITO", repair or replace free of charge any parts or items which are proven to have said defects, provided that all claims for defects under this warranty shall be made in writing immediately upon discovery and, in any event. within one (1) year from the date of purchase of KITO's Products by "Purchaser" and provided, further, that defective parts or items shall be kept for examination by "KITO" or its authorized agents or returned to KITO's factory or authorized service center upon request by "KITO".
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- (3) Except for the repair or replacement mentioned in (1) above which is "KITO"'s sole liability and purchaser's exclusive remedy under this warranty, "KITO" shall not be responsible for any other claims arising out of the purchase and use of KITO's Products, regardless of whether "Purchaser"'s claims are based on breach of contract, tort or other theories, including claims for any damages whether direct, indirect incidental or consequential.
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