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Kito Introduces New 500kg Manual CX Chain Hoist

Tokyo, May 31, 2016 - Industrial hoist and crane maker Kito Corporation (head office: Nakakoma-gun, Yamanashi Prefecture; President: Yoshio Kito) announces the release of a new 500kg model to its CX line of chain hoists to Japanese market on July 15 and, for North American and European markets, July 1.

Since the 250kg model hit the market in 2006, a broad range of industries has adopted CX chain hoists, and a 500kg model has been in demand. Maintaining the light, compact features of the 250kg model, the power-enhanced 500kg version will expand application of the CX line. The hoist body that is designed with all-in-one aluminum structure weighs only 4.5kg (standard travel model). It's compact, easy to carry and set up on construction sites and in tight workspaces, even in high positions, for safe, efficient work.

Features

- Light and compact

The hoist body is as compact and light as possible at just 4.5kg (standard travel model). It's extremely portable and easy to operate in tight spaces and in high positions.

- Easy to operate

The new CX works smoothly with little effort. The deep-throat hook is easy to handle even in high places for a wider range of applications.

- High safety

The unit's overload limiter prevents hoisting of excess loads, and the anti-skid hook clutch helps ensure safe operation.

Product line

Rated loads: 250kg and 500kg (New)

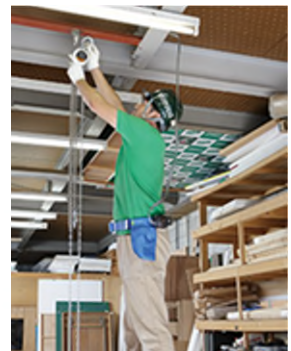
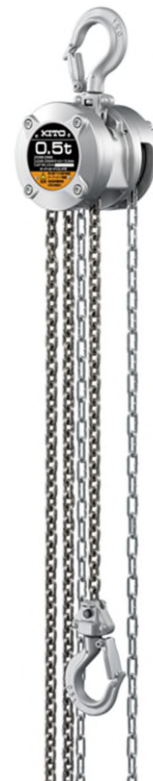
Release date to Japanese market

Friday, July 15, 2016

(Note) July 1 for North American and European markets

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