In a market that requires durable, lightweight suspensions, HAULMAAX® EX heavy-duty vocational suspensions and COMPOSILITE® EXS steerable lift axles deliver outstanding performance and reliability.

**HAULMAAX® EX**

**COMPOSILITE® EXS**

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MAAXIMIZE Payload and Durability

Suspension geometry is optimized to provide better job-site rating, increased capacity ranges and improved durability. Utilizing industry leading validation techniques, high strength materials, and advanced manufacturing methods, HAULMAAX® EX meets increasing rigorous application demands by delivering the reliability and quality you’ve come to expect from Hendrickson, the leader in suspension technology.

TRAAX ROD® – Torque Rods
- Fabricated heavy-duty torque rods provide greater durability over conventional rods
- Enhance handling during cornering by controlling lateral forces to maintain axle position

Saddle and Frame Bracket
- Lightweight, modular design simplifies installation

Equalizing Beam
- Formed and robotically-welded beam provides a narrow profile for weight savings
- Distributes load equally between both axles for improved maneuverability, stability and handling
- Lowers the center of gravity to increase stability
- Narrow, offset beam allows for better packaging and increased tire clearance
- Center bushing eliminated for reduced maintenance

Premium Rubber Bolster Springs
- The unique design works with the Progressive Load Spring to deliver exceptional empty ride quality and loaded stability
- Optimized angle allows bolster springs to carry the majority of the payload and still react to braking and accelerating forces with minimal displacement

Bar Pin End Connection
- Rugged axle connection extends bushing life and allows easy axle alignment and serviceability

Shock Absorbers
- Provide additional driver comfort
- Required for tractor and logging applications
- Available as production or aftermarket options

Dual Strap Kit
- Provides additional bolster spring protection
- Required on vehicles equipped with outriggers
- Available as production or aftermarket options

Progressive Load Spring
- Increases stiffness as the load increases, providing a unique balance of empty ride quality and loaded stability
- Provides long service life and easy replacement for reduced down time
- Eliminates shim adjustments for lower maintenance
Hendrickson introduces the COMPOSILITE® EXS series of lift axles for steerable applications, delivering the advantages haulers have come to expect from Hendrickson. The new and innovative features and benefits help provide enhanced reliability and cost-effective operation. This EXS steerable product family offers a full range of capacities from 8,000 to 20,000 pounds.

The EXS 13.5K is rated at 13,500 pounds, our most popular capacity offering, with a minimized package space of 22.1 inches. Hendrickson has implemented an inset lower beam design to provide increased built-in lateral stiffness. The new axle design provides a bolt-on seat for an easier, less costly axle change. The new zero-torsion rubber bushings, were developed for enhanced performance and reduced replacement cycle time.

**EXS 13.5K Specifications**

- **Capacity:** Up to 13,500 pounds
- **Weight:** 913 pounds
- **Travel:** 13 inches
- **Lift:** Up to 10 inches
- **Wheel Cut:** 31 degrees
- **Packaging Space:** 22.1 inches
Hendrickson approves the use of Haulmaax® EX in the following vocational truck applications: dump, concrete mixer, refuse, logging, crane / boom, platform and fire / rescue.

1. Installed weight includes complete suspension, torque rods, axle brackets and frame brackets; add 31 lbs. for shock absorbers.

2. Contact Hendrickson or vehicle manufacturer for applications that may exceed GVW / GCW approval ratings.

3. Job-site travel rating — operators using vehicles equipped with liftable pusher or tag axles must not exceed published ratings. Job-site ratings are limited to no more than five percent of vehicle operation at speeds not to exceed five mph. Liftable pusher or tag axles should only be raised (or unloaded) to improve vehicle maneuverability in job-site applications or when vehicle is empty. Job-site travel ratings are consistent with published axle manufacturer’s limitations. Axle and suspension job-site travel specifications must not be exceeded.

4. Suspension articulation may exceed vehicle’s capability and may be limited by vehicle manufacturer; vehicle manufacturer installed axle stops may restrict suspension’s articulation.

5. Haulmaax EX ride height measurements are taken from the centerline of the axle to the bottom of the truck frame.

6. Contact Hendrickson for availability of beam lengths.

7. Shock absorbers are required in tractor and logging applications. Ride and traction may be improved in other applications with shock absorbers. Ride performance can be subjective and may be dependent on many factors beyond the suspension design such as cab suspension, road conditions, body / auxiliary equipment, frame specifications, etc. Contact Hendrickson or your truck manufacturer / dealer for further information.

8. HMX EX 520 installed weight includes complete suspension, double rebound straps, longitudinal torque rods, Hendrickson TRAAX ROD® transverse torque rods, axle brackets and frame brackets; add 31 lbs. for shock absorbers.

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COMPOSILITE® EXS Steerable Lift Axle Specifications

Worldwide, OEMs, fleets and owner operators put their trust in Hendrickson for innovative truck air lift axle suspension technology. Over the years, Hendrickson lift axle suspensions have proven their ability to handle the rigors of severe truck applications. COMPOSILITE® lift axle platforms bring a wide breadth of features to meet your hauling challenges. You have the choice of various ride height ranges for light- or extreme-duty applications, as well as single or dual tire accommodation for maximum capacity range and turning radius or wheel cut.

In demanding truck lift axle applications, Hendrickson helps to increase your payload, protect your cargo, and keep your equipment operating at peak efficiency.

Actual product performance may vary depending upon vehicle configuration, operation, service and other factors.

All applications must comply with applicable Hendrickson specifications and must be approved by the respective vehicle manufacturer with the vehicle in its original, as-built configuration.

Contact Hendrickson for additional details regarding specifications, applications, capacities, and operation, service and maintenance instructions.

Contact Hendrickson for additional information.

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