

Binder Chain Assembly Usage Chart

Calculating the minimum number of Tie-Downs depends on the cargo length, cargo weight and cargo type. The sum of the working load limits from all Tie-Downs must be at least 50% of the weight of the cargo.

Articles 5' or shorter require 1 Tie-Down. Articles 5' or shorter and weighing more than 1100 Lbs. require 2 Tie-Downs. Articles more than 5' up thru 10' require 2 Tie-Downs. Add an additional Tie-Down for articles more than 10' and for each additional 10' or part thereof. Articles prevented from forward movement by a bulkhead or another load require a Tie-Down for every 10' and for each 10' or part thereof. When calculating the minimum number of tie downs required for securement and there is a remaining fraction, the number must always be rounded upward to add an additional tie down.

Wheeled or tracked vehicles over 10,000 Lbs. require a minimum of 4 Anchor (Direct) Tie-Downs and 4 Tightening Devices – each with a minimum working load limit of 5000 Lbs. Anchor Tie-Downs are a direct connection between the load and the trailer. All accessory attachments such as booms, shovels, and backhoes must be lowered and properly secured - usually with an additional Tie-Down and Tie-Down Device.

Indirect Tie-Downs (not Anchor Tie-Downs) should form a minimum angle of 30 degrees to the trailer floor. Steel coils, paper rolls, concrete pipe, dressed lumber, boulders, flattened cars, automobiles, light trucks, vans, and containers require special calculations. Always consult FMCSA regarding special applications.

This chart is provided as a guide to meet the basic minimum current in-service requirements in accordance to the FMCSA† and the DOT‡. The following table lists the minimum number of chain assemblies required to secure a load per DOT, CVSA§ and CCMTA. *This chart is only to be used as a reference.

†FMCSA:

Federal Motor Carrier Safety Admin.

‡DOT:

Department of Transportation

§CVSA:

The Commercial Vehicle Safety Alliance

CCMTA:

Council of Motor Transportation Administrators

			Working I	_oad Limit		ı	Net w	eight of car	argo to be secured in Lbs. (kg.)					
	Chair	n Size	(WLL)											
Chain Grade	Inches	MM	Lbs.	Kg	10,000 (4,540)	15,000 (6,800)	20,000 (9,070)	25,000 (11,334)	30,000 (13,608)	35,000 (15,876)	40,000 (18,144)	45,000 (20,412)	50,000 (22,680)	
	9/32	7	4,300	1,950	2	2	3	3	4	4	5	6	6	
Alloy	5/16	8	5,700	2,600	1	2	2	3	3	4	4	4	5	
G100	3/8	10	8,800	4,000	1	1	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	
2100	1/2	13	15,000	6,800	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	
	5/8	16	22,600	10,300	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	
	9/32	7	3,500	1,570	2	3	3	4	5	5	6	7	8	
	5/16	8	4,500	2,000	2	2	3	3	4	4	5	5	6	
Alloy G80	3/8	10	7,100	3,200	1	2	2	2	3	3	3	4	4	
	1/2	13	12,000	5,400	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	3	
	5/8	16	18,100	8,200	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	
	1/4	7	3,150	1,430	2	3	4	4	5	6	7	8	8	
Tuo io aio a ut	5/16	8	4,700	2,130	2	2	3	3	4	4	5	5	6	
Transport G70	3/8	10	6,600	2,990	1	2	2	2	3	3	4	4	4	
G/0	1/2	13	11,300	5,130	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	3	
	5/8	16	15,800	7,170	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	
	1/4	7	2,600	1,180	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
High Test	5/16	8	3,900	1,770	2	2	3	4	4	5	6	6	7	
G43	3/8	10	5,400	2,450	1	2	2	3	3	4	4	5	5	
	1/2	13	9,200	4,170	1	1	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	

Load Binders



*Red in color

Stock #	Chain Size (In.)						Take- Up	Handle Length	Qty. Per	Lbs. Per	Workin Lir	ig Load nit
Blue	G70	G43	(ln.)	(In.)	Pkg.	Pkg.	Lbs.	Kgs.				
5200320	5/16	3/8	8.00	15.50	4	50	5,400	2,449				
*5200675	3/8	1/2	8.00	14.00	4	50	9,200	4,173				





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Load Binders



3 position pawl.



Tamper resistant.

QuikBinderA Ratchet Load Binder Like No Other

The QuikBinder® offers higher working load limits than standard ratchet load binders, and is designed for use with either Grade 70 Transport, Grade 80, or Grade 100 Alloy tie-down chains.

- Easier to install than standard ratchet load binders
- 3-position pawl offers the user a choice of ratchet extension, ratchet take-up or a "free spin"
- Available in three sizes
- Vinyl coated barrel for a strong, comfortable grip
- Folding handle offers additional safety
- Can be locked to the tie-down chain with a long shank padlock – see page 117!
- Meets all DOT/CVSA/CCMTA requirements
- Working Load Limit permanently marked on handle



QuikBinder® Ratchet Loadbinder

Stock #	Chain Grade and Size (Inches)				Handle Length (In.)				Working Load Limit	
Yellow	G70	G80	G100	Take-up (Inches)	Folded	Straight	Qty. Per Package	Lbs. Per Package	Lbs.	Kgs.
H5125-0658	5/16 & 3/8	5/16 & 3/8	5/16	6.00	9.50	13.90	4	46	7,100	3,220
H5125-0858	3/8 & 1/2	3/8 & 1/2	3/8	6.00	9.50	13.90	4	56	12,000	5,443
H5125-0958	1/2 & 5/8	1/2 & 5/8	1/2	6.00	9.50	13.90	2	37	18,100	8,210



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Load Binders Cont.

Our loadbinders meet all DOT/CVSA/CCMTA requirements. Special hook construction supports the load of the chain and will not bind. Loadbinders are heat treated and proof tested with forged heat treated hooks. The Working Load Limit is permanently marked on handle. All loadbinders feature special links with controlled flash welds and are painted with yellow, powdercoat enamel.



Ratchet Binder Plus has higher strength ratings for use with Grade 70 Transport, Grade 80, or Grade 100 Alloy tie-down chains.

Stock #	Chain Grade & Size Stock # (Inches)				Handle	0. 5		Working Load Limit	
Yellow	G70	G80	G100	Take-Up (Inches)	Length (Inches)	Qty. Per Package	Lbs. Per Package	Lbs.	Kgs.
H5121-4158	5/16 & 3/8	5/16 & 3/8	5/16	6.50	13.92	2	22	7,100	3,220
H5121-4258	3/8 & 1/2	3/8 & 1/2	3/8	6.50	13.92	2	28	12,000	5,443
H5121-4458	1/2 & 5/8	1/2 & 5/8	1/2	6.50	13.92	2	35	18,100	8,210



Ratchet Loadbinder

Stock #	Stock # Chain Size (Inches)		Take-Up	Handle Length	Qty. Per	Lbs. Per		ıg Load nit
Yellow	G70	G43			Package	Package	Lbs.	Kgs.
H5123-4052	1/4	5/16	5.00	6.75	2	9	3,900	1,769
H5123-4152	5/16	3/8	6.50	13.92	2	22	5,400	2,449
H5123-4252	3/8	1/2	6.50	13.92	2	26	9,200	4,173
H5123-4452	1/2	5/8	6.50	13.92	2	32	13,000	5,897

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CAM Release Lever Loadbinder

This binder is a lever load binder designed to allow the user to release the binder tension without any kickback of the handle. The center of the body of the binder independently rotates, free of the handle, to release the tension smoothly and easily.

Stock #	Chain Size (In.)		Take-	Handle	Ot D	III. D.	Workin Lir	g Load nit
Yellow	G70	G43	Up (In.)	Length (In.)	Qty. Per Pkg.	Lbs. Per Pkg.	Lbs.	Kgs.
H5250-0658	5/16	3/8	4.00	13.00	4	39	6,600	2,994
H5250-4252	3/8	1/2	4.75	17.24	4	58	9,200	4,173





