

Lorry Loader Stabilizer Loads / Mat Area Consideration



Assuming a Permissible Bearing Capacity of 200 kN/m² (approx. 20.4 tonnes / m²); Consider Mat Areas Required To Reduce Applied Pressures To Permissible Levels;

The table data (produced by ALLMI) gives approximate calculated vertical loads on stabilizers in kN for loader cranes from 50kNm to 800kNm payload moment. UCM Ltd has added the colour coded mat area guidance relating to a specific bearing capacity of 400 kN/m².

These approximate figures are calculated using the following method;

- Total load moment is assumed to be 1.3 x crane class and taken about the truck centre-line
- Self weight of crane is assumed to be 14% of calculated lift at 1m radius
- Stabilizing widths are assumed to be split equally along the truck centre line
- The working radius is 8m
- The truck weight is determined by a moment calculation about the stabilizer
- The calculated stabilizer load is the sum of the calculated truck weight, the assumed crane self weight and the calculated payload at 8m working radius.

Mat Area	Mat Area	Loads / mat areas for guidance only. Machine / task specific loads and ground investigation / engineering consideration are required to ensure the mat size and structure are adequate for specific machine loads and ground / site conditions.	Mat Area	Mat Area
400mm x 400mm	0.16 m ²		500mm x 500mm	0.25 m ²
600mm x 600mm	0.36 m ²		800mm x 800mm	0.64 m ²
1000mm x 1000mm	1.0 m ²		> 1m x 1m	> 1m ²

Crane class (tm)	Crane class (kNm)	Stabilizer width – centre leg to centre leg (m)									
		2.5	3.5	4.5	5.5	6.5	7.5	8.5	9.5	10.5	
5	50	55	42	32	29						
6	60	66	50	39	35						
7	70	78	58	45	40						
8	80	89	67	52	46						
9	90	100	75	58	52						
10	100	111	84	65	58						
12	120	133	100	77	69	60					
14	140	155	117	90	81	70	58				
16	160	177	134	103	92	80	66				
18	180	199	150	116	104	90	75				
20	200	222	167	129	115	101	83				
22	220	244	184	142	127	111	91				
24	240	266	200	155	138	121	99	90			
26	260	288	217	168	150	131	108	97			
28	280	310	234	181	161	141	116	105			
30	300	332	251	194	173	151	124	112			
32	320	354	267	206	184	161	133	119			
34	340	377	284	219	196	171	141	127			
36	360	399	301	232	207	181	149	134			
38	380	421	317	245	219	191	157	142			
40	400	443	334	258	230	201	166	149			
42	420	465	351	271	242	211	174	157			
45	450	498	376	290	259	226	186	168			
50	500	554	418	323	288	251	207	187	171	158	
60	600	665	501	387	345	302	249	224	205	189	
70	700	775	585	452	403	352	290	261	239	221	
80	800	886	668	516	460	402	331	299	273	252	

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Assuming a Permissible Bearing Capacity of 400 kN/m² (approx. 40.8 tonnes / m²); Consider Mat Areas Required To Reduce Applied Pressures to Permissible Levels;

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