

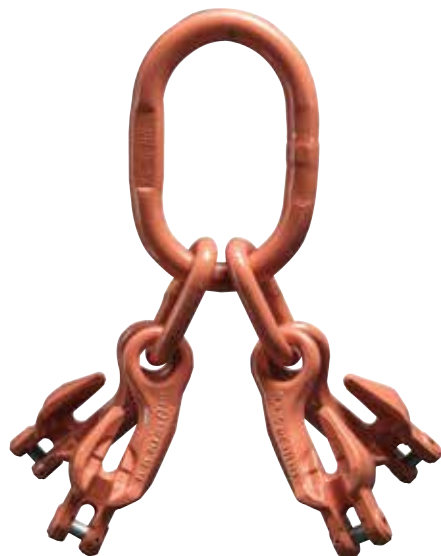
# NEW PRODUCTS

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## AMH introduces new CDFXA shortening hook assemblies from Cartec

All Material Handling is excited to introduce the new CARTEC Grab-IT clevis shortening hook line. The CDFXA is available in one single hook piece, but also with an integrated master link for one, two, and four leg chain slings. This a great addition to a quality line of Grade 100 chain fittings from CARTEC. Sizes range from 9/32" to 5/8", giving the CDFXA a more complete offering than the competition. CDFX individual hooks are available down to 7/32".

Adjustable chain slings are quite common, but the conventional way of constructing those is changing. The Grab-IT offers the ability to have an adjustable sling, with less components



CARTEC Grab-IT clevis shortening hooks from All Material Handling



than the conventional method. For example, let's look at a 2-leg adjustable chain sling bridle: the CDFXA2, for instance, will reduce the number of fittings at the top of the sling from 7 pieces down to just 3. That assembly offers the functionality of a master link, connecting link and grab hook. There is no need for an adjuster leg. Having less hardware typically means less weight, which is another plus.

Fewer components also means there is less hardware to inspect for wear or damage. Get the job done more efficiently by spending less time on pre-lift inspections. Riggers can now have these benefits while maintaining the versatility of an adjustable sling for a variety of loads. There is benefit for those assembling adjustable slings, as there are less fittings to mechanically attach, potentially saving time and labor costs as a result.

High quality Italian forged chain fittings, competitively priced, and readily available from stock in the US makes for a winning combination. Please contact your local representative or the AMH office in Chicago at 312.698.8658 with any questions. [www.allmaterialhandling.com](http://www.allmaterialhandling.com)

## Columbus McKinnon introduces CM® Rocket™ Universal Pendant Control

*Comfort-fit design and responsive rocker switch give operators maximum control with minimal effort*

Engineered for operator comfort, the new CM® Rocket™ universal pendant control from Columbus McKinnon Corporation, a leading designer, manufacturer and marketer of material handling products, systems and services, delivers precision control and accuracy.

Compared to competitors' traditional straight-grip and push-button configurations, the CM Rocket pendant control's unique rocker switch and comfort-fit design give operators ultimate load control while reducing hand strain and fatigue. This allows for safer and more efficient operation of hoists and industrial equipment with momentary operation. The wide shape of the rocker switch, along with its rugged, no-slip directional indicators, allows for easy operation with or without gloves.

The CM Rocket's curved, well-balanced shape fits comfortably in the palm of your hand, requiring minimal



CM® Rocket™ from Columbus McKinnon

wrist flexion for operation. And, the ribbed grip helps ensure the operator maintains a secure and comfortable hold in all environments.

"At Columbus McKinnon, we are always looking for ways to increase productivity while decreasing the risk of workplace injury," said John Vander Linden, Global Product Manager - Powered Chain Hoists. "After a series of voice-of-customer interviews and beta tests with Channel Partners and end users, we engineered the CM Rocket pendant control to provide ultimate safety and ease of operation in an ergonomic and economical design."

The CM Rocket pendant control is

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