

Trailer Selection Guide

Understanding the Key Benefits of Common ATS Trailer Types and How They Can Be Modified

Trailer Types Common Modifications Additional continuous Low-profile Load loading space Beavertails Ramps levelers Outriggers Conestogas tires DRY VANS ** · Versatile and able to accommodate many types of freight Freight is protected from the elements · Additional protection from cargo theft Relatively affordable STRAIGHT FRAME **FLATBEDS** · Most continuous loading space (up to 53') · Can haul the most weight compared to other trailers with same number of axles · At dock-loading height · Perfect for construction site crane or forklift offloading DROP DECKS, STEP DECKS & SINGLE DROP TRAILERS · Two separate decks (top and bottom) and deck heights • Bottom deck allows loads to be 1' 8" –2' taller and remain legal compared to straight frame flatbeds **DOUBLE DROP &** LOWBOY TRAILERS · Three separate decks (two top and one bottom) and two deck heights • Bottom deck allows loads to be 1'-1' 4" taller and remain legal compared to drop decks, step decks and single drop trailers REMOVABLE GOOSENECK (RGN) TRAILERS · Three separate decks (two top and one bottom) and two deck heights • Bottom deck allows loads to be 1'-1' 4" taller and remain legal compared to drop decks, step decks and single drop trailers · Removable neck allows equipment to drive directly onto them SPECIALTY HEAVY HAUL **TRAILERS * * *** ⊗ ⊗ ⊗ Designed to ship specific types of equipment • 7–19-axle trailers can accommodate up to 200,000 pounds

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