Lifting & Rigging Capabilities

High quality global brands that come with local specialised manufacturing, fully supported by specialist lifting & rigging engineering and backed up by Nobles industry-first Customer Promise.

Stronger. Faster. Smarter.
Why you can trust Nobles to supply your specialist lifting & rigging products

Nobles is Australia’s leading specialist provider of lifting & rigging equipment, technical services and engineering design for complete solutions to your heaviest and most complex lifting requirements.

With over 100 years of experience, Nobles can provide a complete lifting product and service solution comprising engineering design, product selection and supply, technical service, manufacture, inspection, testing, repair, training and project management.

Supply and support across Australia

With locations across all mainland states of Australia and the Northern Territory, Nobles supplies and services geographically dispersed and highly demanding industries, such as mining, oil & gas, cranes & construction, shipping & transport, heavy industry & manufacturing, defence, utilities and ports.

State based warehousing and production centres carry substantial stock and testing facilities, allowing Nobles to undertake the manufacture and testing of products. These nationwide locations provide significant warehousing and distribution capabilities, so we can support an extensive network of regionally based service centres.

Fully integrated service backed by our industry-first Customer Promise

Nobles can partner with you to provide a full service lifting solution, working alongside you from the initial concept and design stage to the fabrication or supply of materials to overseeing the final lift, saving you time and money. We have recently invested significantly in our customer and technical service teams to ensure we provide a prompt and reliable level of service.

Proudly Australian owned and operated, Nobles employs approximately 200 staff across 13 locations nationwide, so you can rest assured that you will be serviced by someone local who understands your business. And, every product and service we supply is backed up by our Customer Promise guarantee (see inside back cover).
Quality and safety practices exceeding local and international standards

We operate under externally certified and audited systems for quality, occupational health and safety and environmental management in accordance with Australian and International Standards (AS/NZS ISO 9001, AS/NZS 4801 and AS/NZS ISO 14001).

Partnering with world-class manufacturers and brands as well as directly sourcing quality product from Asia, Nobles ensures the product lines we stock are extensively quality tested for compliance with both Australian and International Standards. We work closely with our local and international manufacturers to provide strict safety and quality standards, ensuring we offer superior functionality, improved safety, ease of use and greater durability and service.

Our long-held involvement with NATA, DNV and other industry certification bodies

Nobles maintains NATA accreditation for mechanical testing, certified visual inspection, non-destructive testing and calibration. Our mechanical testing can certify up to 1,000 tonnes and we have testing facilities across Australia to test a broad range of lifting & rigging equipment, with proof load or destruction testing services available.

Our decades long association with NATA, DNV and LEEA demonstrates our commitment to provide the safest possible choices with a focus on engineering excellence. Our quality processes ensure that lifting equipment tested by Nobles is in accordance with the relevant Australian Standard and, on successful completion of the proof testing, will be in a safe and serviceable condition.

Manufacturing highly specialised products based on extensive expertise

We have a vast library of ‘manufactured to standard’ as well as supplying specialised lifting gear, purpose-designed and built for specific lifting solutions. At our production plants we have the capabilities to assemble, fabricate, repair, test and certify the following locally: chain & wire rope lifting slings; specially designed lifting equipment; blocks, hooks, sheaves & swivels; rigging screws & turnbuckles; and DNV container slings for offshore use.

Nobles stocks and sells the following quality products from world class manufacturers:
Wire Rope & Strand

Wire rope and strand is stocked in a range of diameters, constructions and tensiles, from general purpose six strand to high performance eight strand and rotation resistant types. Nobles’ wire rope stock profile covers small galvanised ropes from 1.5mm to heavy lift sling and tow ropes up to 92mm. Nobles partners with Bridon-Bekaert, the world’s #1 wire rope and strand manufacturer, to supply high performance wire rope to the industrial, oil & gas, port & construction crane and underground mining sectors.

Wire Rope & Synthetic Slings

Wire rope slings are manufactured to order and produced in ferrule secured and Flemish eye configurations. An extensive range of synthetic slings are available both in standard polyester and in Dyneema fibre for heavy lift applications. Nobles also exclusively imports and stocks high performance Technotex slings from Europe.
Wire Rope & Strand Terminations

Nobles manufactures a wide range of wire rope and strand terminations and stocks the Crosby Group range of sockets.

Lifting Chain & Chain Slings

Nobles Grade 80 and pewag Grade 100, Grade 120 and Inox Grade 60 stainless steel chain slings can be assembled in various configurations and capacities to specific customer requirements. All chain slings are proof load tested after assembly and prior to despatch. Premade Grade 80 and 100 chain slings are also available off the shelf in various sizes and configurations.

General Purpose & Mooring Chain

Nobles is a leading stockist of galvanised hardware chain and Australian made PWB Anchor proof coil chain, in both regular and long-link configurations. PWB Anchor Grade L chain is also highly regarded for applications in the marine and mining industries.
Lifting & Rigging Hardware

Nobles stocks a complete range of lifting and rigging hardware, including hooks and shackles with an extensive range of pewag lifting and lashing points and Van Beest green-pin shackles.

Blocks & Swivels

Nobles manufactures our own range of sheaves, sheave blocks and swivels in a range of capacities and configurations. Nobles blocks have been in the market for decades and have an excellent reputation for durability in both lifting and recovery applications.

Hoisting & Winching

Nobles Rig-Mate range of hoisting and materials handling equipment includes chain and lever hoists, girder trolleys and clamps, plate clamps, magnetic lifters and creeper winches. Nobles is also an Australian distributor for Nitchi hoists of Japan and Ingersoll Rand air hoists and winches from the USA and France.
Materials Handling

Nobles has in-house specialist lifting & rigging engineering capabilities and stocks a range of high quality engineered products. We are able to manufacture special lifting and materials handling devices for almost any application. Nobles also maintains a close association with Reliance Hexham, who are a specialist engineering house for mining and supply of wire rope attachments for underground mining hoists.

Height Safety

Nobles is a key distributor of the highly regarded, German manufactured, Skylotec range of height safety equipment such as harnesses, lanyards, fall arrest devices and rescue systems. Engineered installed height safety system solutions can also be scoped and provided.
Load Restraint

A range of webbing and chain load restraint equipment is available under Nobles Restraint-Mate brand as well as premium load binders from pewag. Componentry and fittings for the logging industry are also stocked in some branches.

Vehicle Recovery

Nobles Recovery-Mate range of 4WD accessories includes snatch straps, tree trunk protectors, winch extension straps, recovery kits, Grade 70 chain and components, off road blocks, blue pin shackles and the Rig-Mate recovery winch. High capacity towing strops to 300 tonnes can be provided in a range of high tech fibres to ensure maximum towing capacity and durability for minimal size and weight.
Technical Services

Nobles offers a complete and extensive range of technical services that can be completed on-site or in-house. We offer custom engineering, crane servicing, lifting equipment repairs, load cell hire and calibration, non-destructive testing, asset management, testing and inspections, Water Weights and wire rope lubrication. Nobles has an experienced team operating throughout the country with the capacity to conduct regular inspections, on-site testing and ongoing maintenance and repairs.

All these services are available in-house at all our branches or we can come to you. We have extensive in-house test facilities ranging in capacity up to 1,000 tonnes or we can offer a mobile testing service of up to 30 tonnes at customer sites. With our team of 10+ specialist lifting & rigging engineers, you can count on Nobles to solve difficult lifting problems and improve product performance in your industry.

Nobles Tech Inspect is a completely computerised on-site inspection service for lifting, height safety, rigging, load restraint and mooring equipment. Tech Inspect is updated in real time as assets are inspected and enables customers to view their assets online 24/7 via a secure area of the Nobles website with various sorting and filtering criteria.

Electronic Load Measurement

Nobles manufactures a range of standard and special application load cells, as well as stocking and supporting the range of Rig-Mate and Scotload/Strainstall crane scales and load cells. Nobles’ Customer Engineering & Electronics team has been designing and manufacturing load cells and load indicating equipment for over 30 years and is regarded as a leader in this field. We have expanded scope over the years to include a range of simple off the shelf ready to use products, plus custom designed and engineered load cell solutions to meet specific customer requirements.

Nobles has NATA accreditation for the calibration of electronic load cell equipment and complies with the requirements of ISO/IEC 17025 for force measuring devices and testing machines. We can verify the accuracy of your load cell and certify it in accordance with Australian Standard AS 2193.
Big-Lift

Nobles Customer Engineering team, based in Adelaide, has the capability to produce large wire rope slings in varying configurations. The NATA accredited testing facilities include a 1,000 tonne test machine, which can apply a load over a 35m length. Nobles also has a 2,500 tonne wire rope swaging press, making us the leaders in large wire rope sling supply in Australia. Our test facility is regularly employed not only for our own manufacturing, but in the testing of customers’ equipment for proof load testing, destruction testing and R&D purposes.

Fibre Ropes

High tenacity polypropylene and polyethylene ropes are a speciality of Nobles. We carry extensive stocks of these ropes as well as the latest generation of PP/Polyester mix mooring ropes and high technology Dyneema ropes. Dyneema ropes provide extremely high breaking loads but are very lightweight.
Nobles Customer Promise

As Australia’s leading lifting & rigging equipment, service and engineering supplier this is what we promise to you, our customer.

Product quality & performance

- Source the broadest range of the world’s best lifting & rigging brands as well as high quality “value” products.
- Comply with relevant Australian Standards and undertake rigorous product type-testing to ensure stated specifications are always met.
- Manufacture your assembly or custom lifting equipment using ISO 9001 quality systems with mandatory proof loading via NATA certified testing processes.

Engineering & technical services

- Respond to your enquiry within 48 hours in full and/or let you know when we will fully answer your more complex, technical request.
- Aim to scope and quote your engineering and non-destructive testing/wire rope service enquiries within 5 business days.*
- Aim to quote and schedule equipment inspections and service bookings within 24 hours of your initial enquiry.*
- Aim to quote and schedule crane services and lifting gear repair work within 3 working days.*
- Arrive for your scheduled technical services and inspections with the proper accreditations to complete the work at the agreed time and date.
- If we need to reschedule, we will provide as much advance notice as possible and maintain the month/quarter of service to ensure ongoing compliance of your equipment.

Product delivery

- Despatch any standalone in-stock item the next working day when you order by 5pm.
- Despatch any standard manufactured item within 3 working days.*
- Offer shipping via our appointed carrier or collection from our state warehouse at an agreed time.

Sales & customer service

- Ensure our local sales and customer service teams respond to your enquiries within 24 hours, or the next working day.
- Provide you with same day quotes when you contact Nobles Customer Service before 12 noon for standard products and manufactured items.*

Value for money

- Offer the Nobles Best Value Guarantee for standard stocked products and manufactured item quotes – beating any equivalent competitor quoted product price by 10%.*
- Provide a 10% discount on our standard list trade pricing when you purchase products online.*

Our Promise Guarantee

If you feel we have not kept our promise, call 1300 711 559 or email promise@nobles.com.au. We guarantee to investigate your complaint and respond with our proposed resolution within 2 working days. This may include a credit on future orders in proportion to the order size and nature of any broken promise.

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