

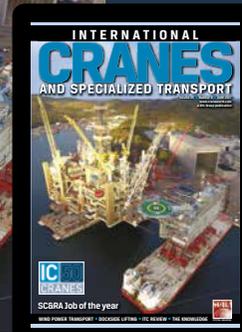
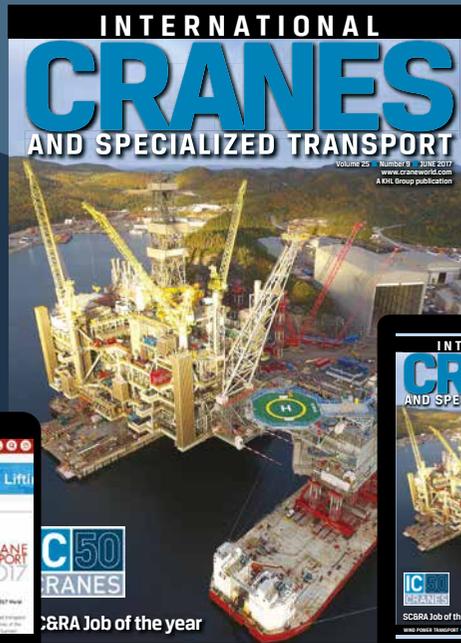
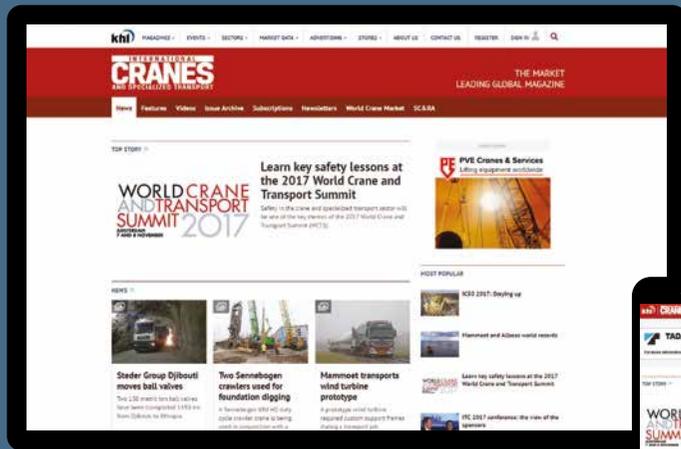


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January

Rental confidence survey

ICST's annual worldwide survey of rates for mobile and crawler cranes gives an insight into trends.

Repair and refurbishment

Maximising the value and return on investment is a priority for crane owners. Crucial to this is the economics of repair and refurbishment versus replacement, while prioritising safety, reliability and availability.

SC&RA Specialized Transportation Symposium preview

What to see at the SC&RA Specialized Transportation Symposium, 27 February to 2 March 2018 in Missouri, USA.

Self erecting tower cranes and mobile folding construction cranes

Fast erection and simple operation are key features in this sector. Up and over lifting capability is a valuable benefit of this crane type.

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February

Intermat preview

A preliminary look at what visitors can expect to see at the world's largest crane and construction equipment event in 2018. Intermat is from 23 to 28 April 2018 in Paris, France.



Maximise your investment at the biggest construction show this year and advertise your presence and stand location in these issues.

Rope and winches

Crucial to safe operation of a crane are its rope and the winches. Rope, whether made of steel or synthetic fibre, has to be the correct type and size, and properly looked after.

Industrial lifting

Equipment and methods for lifting in industrial environments, from electric overhead travelling cranes to yard cranes, skates and jacks.

SC&RA Annual Conference preview

What to see at the SC&RA Annual Conference, 17 to 21 April 2018, in Boca Raton, Florida, USA.

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March

Intermat show guide

ICST provides a definitive guide to the new cranes, trailers and other specialized transport and lifting-related equipment, components and services that will be on show.

Operator training and certification

Proper training is vital but equally important is to ensure its effective implementation.

Truck cranes

This crane type can offer decisive competitive advantage.

ESTA update

News from the association.

Tellescopic boom crawler cranes

What's new in this niche market equipment sector that has enjoyed major expansion in recent years.

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April

Intermat stop press

A last minute update on who is showing what at the Intermat exhibition in France, late April.

Remote controls

Looking at ways technological developments continue to improve remote controls.

Tower cranes and operator hoists

Among other things, tower crane users demand shorter erection and dismantling times, easier transport and minimal site space occupation from their machines.

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May

Articulating loader cranes

What's new for buyers and end users in this busy crane sector.

Operator assistance devices

A roundup of what's new in load moment and rated capacity indicators, among other equipment to help operators work safely.

ESTA update

News from the association, including the annual ESTA Awards of Excellence presentation and dinner event.

Industry focus: energy

As world demand for energy continues to rise, more capacity is required which means building and maintaining power generation facilities.

Intermat review

A roundup of the news from April's Intermat exhibition. excavators, loader attachments. An overview of the latest equipment in the sector.

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June

IC50

The original and best listing of the world's largest crane operating companies keeps evolving. Wheeled and crawler mobile crane owners are ranked in this main listing.



Wind power transport

A special type of equipment and particular techniques are used for ways to transport wind turbine components in the most efficient manner.

Dockside lifting

Investigating the trends in moving and handling goods using, among others, ship to shore, mobile harbour, RTG and crawler cranes.

SC&RA jobs of the year

Details of the winning projects in this year's contest to find the SC&RA lifting and hauling jobs of the year.

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July

All terrain cranes

The five and six axle sectors are active with new products but developments continue across the range.

Hydraulic gantries

Product news and site reports for this equipment sector with many areas of application.

Wind turbine erection

A roundup of the latest news on projects and techniques in a busy application area for cranes and other lifting equipment.

Region focus: The Middle East

One of the few areas where business remains strong and has also diversified in recent years.

SC&RA Crane & Rigging Workshop preview

What to see at the annual how-to event for the lifting industry from 26 to 28 September 2018, in Kentucky, USA.

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Transport 50

The *ICT50* is a ranking of the world's largest specialized transport equipment-owning companies.



Specialized transport

A review of the industry looking at special-purpose equipment for moving oversize and overweight loads.

Environmental matters and engines

How your business affects the environment, how negative impact can be reduced and where to reduce cost.

Transport legislation and training

Rules and regulations are often perceived as the bane of many people's lives but they are widely considered essential as a way of improving safety.

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September

Tower cranes and operator hoists

Key news and issues for products in this sector.

ICTower Index

The original and best ranking of the world's largest tower crane operating companies.

TopLift preview

The entries in *ICST*'s annual contest to find the best lift of the last 12 months, as determined by readers' votes.



Rope and winches

Crucial to safe operation of a crane are its ropes and winches. *ICST* reports.



Cranes and Transport Middle East (CATME)

What's on at this conference and networking reception in Dubai, UAE, for industry professionals.

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October

Crawler cranes

This year's latest models, the projects they are working on and what is next in crawler crane development.

Offshore lifting

Operations in this tough sector require special safety, maintenance and operating procedures and equipment.

On board electronics

Load view cameras and other equipment, including load moment indicators and rated capacity indicators is designed to help the operator do a safer job more comfortably and efficiently.

Bauma China and BC India show previews

What to expect from the two big shows of the year for the industry in Asia.

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November

ICm20 International Cranes and Specialized Transport's ranking of the world's 20 largest crane manufacturers according to sales from crane-related activity.



Below the hook

The latest product developments, including slings and spreader beams, and procedures below the hook and implications for users.

Rough terrain cranes

As the primary workhorse on site in many countries and in many application sectors, the RT crane is a commodity but not to be taken for granted.

Specialized transport: SPMT

The self propelled modular transporter (SPMT) is ubiquitous in transporting the largest and heaviest loads.

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December

Special issue: heavy lifting

Reports on the often-spectacular heavy lifting sector around the world, its equipment, the companies, the people and their impressive activities and achievements.



TopLift result

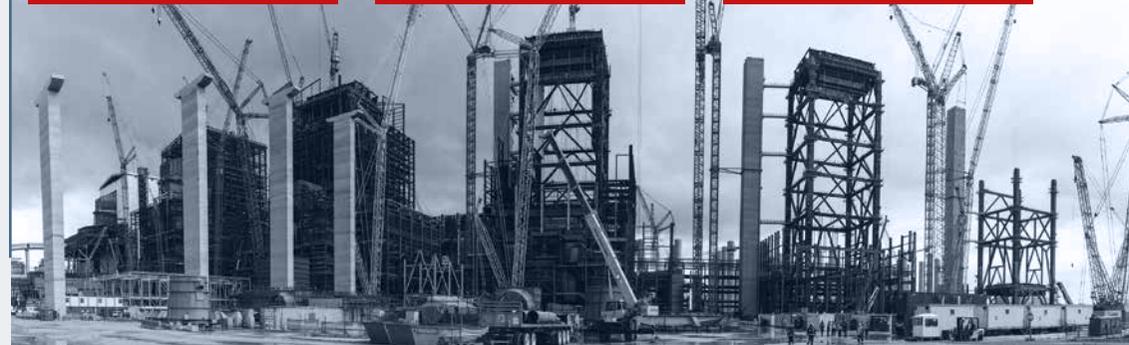
Find out which project readers voted as the *IC* TopLift for 2017.

Wind turbine erection and transport

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