

# Titan 53' Tri-Axle THINWALL™ Walking Floor Trailer



## CUSTOM BUILT FOR:

### **Valley Pulp & Sawdust Carriers Ltd.** **Abbotsford, B.C.**

Neil and Rita Klassen had already been trucking in the lower mainland of B.C. for almost 20 years when they first started to add live floor trailers to their fleet in the early 1980s. They had seen an opportunity to stockpile and deliver sawdust, shavings and firewood to farms in the Matsqui Village and surrounding areas. To supply the business, the Klassens went into long distance trucking to haul their stock materials from a number of major mills.

The enterprise grew into a successful family business: from playgrounds to stables to garden centres, Valley Pulp and Sawdust Carriers Ltd. is a major regional supplier of widely varied pulp and wood products.

Mountainous roads and hard winters call for special equipment. Neil Klassen says "When it came time to replace some of the older trailers, we looked long and hard before going with the Titan THINWALL. The trailer is light, super tough and can do any job we put it on." His fleet reflects a wide range of tasks. Along with his triaxle Titan trailers, he runs a special-duty quad-axle and 29 ft. unit for local routes.

Whatever the differences in the job, what they have in common is THINWALL bodies and Titan quality.



## **JOB PROFILE**

- high bulk capacity and low weight to maximize payloads
- sure tracking and cornering for easy handling on mountain roads
- maximum fuel efficiency for long routes and returns
- low maintenance and long lifecycle for low operating costs

## **KEY FEATURES**

- original THINWALL horizontal extruded aluminum sidewalls
- hollow-core panels help insulate loads against freeze-up
- KEITH® WALKING FLOOR® self unloading system
- all-aluminum and stainless steel



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## Work Order

WO #	4166
Customer Since	2000
Type	3-axle Walking Floor
Payload	Sawdust/hog fuel/ wood chips

## Dimensions

Length	53' (16.2 m)
Width	102" (2.59 m)
Overall Height	13.6' (4.11 m)
Volume	143.5 cu.yd. (110 m <sup>3</sup> )
Weight (without tarp)	20,900 lb (9,480 kg)

## Running Gear

Axles	Dana Canada
Hub & Drum Assembly	Duralite 10 Stud Centrifuse Drum
Seals	Chicago Rawhide
ABS	2S/2M Meritor Wabco
Slack Adjuster	Haldex auto slack adjusters
Cam Enclosures	All axles
Suspension	Reyco
Springs	Air Ride
Tires	Bridgestone, R250
Rims	Accuride
Landing Gear	Holland Mark V

## Body

Side Panels	Combination of heavy duty and light duty patented THINWALL™ horizontal hollow-core extruded panels
Top Rail	Heavy duty, tapered for self-cleaning
Front Access Door	None
Live Floor	KEITH® Running Floor II
Rear Door	Van style
Mudflaps	Black rubber
Tarp	None
Top Spring Bar	2 pc
Paint	Landing and running gear painted with epoxy primer & urethane paint
Lights	Trucklite LED (Standard Package)



The patented THINWALL panel features a horizontal tongue-in-groove joint that allows 100% machine welding inside and out for end-to-end strength. Its light weight and smooth-side profile typically results in fuel savings of 10% to 15%.



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