

Notice Type: Train Operating Conditions (TOC) Waiver**Subject Title:** Operation of BGIH Grain Hoppers on the ARTC Network – Amended 31/10/2025**Operator(s):** SSR**Effective From:** 28/10/2025**Effective To:** Until Published**Reference Documents:****Route Access Standard:** RAS General Information**TOC Manual:** TOC Manual 10**General Details / Operating Condition:**

This TOC Waiver has been amended, changes are in red.

A waiver to the published conditions of the ARTC Train Operating Conditions Manual is granted for the operation of BGIH Class wagons on the ARTC Network.

Details of the wagon operation are as below:

Vehicle Code	Description	Maximum Speed (km/h)	MAX GROSS MASS (tonne)	TARE (tonne)	Length (m)	Draw Capacity (MN)	Brake Type	Notes
BGIH	Grain Hopper Pair	100	100	21.3	16.4	2.2	ECP B4 ••	1

Combined operating parameters for each wagon pair of BGIH wagons is detailed as follows:

- Gross Paired Mass: 200 tonne
- Tare: 42.6 tonne
- Length: 32.7 m

Notes

1. Requirements for “Automatic Park Brake” (APB) operation

- The APB on these vehicles are recognised as a “handbrake”.
- These APBs do not operate when the wagon is in the ACO condition. Where 90% of a train’s wagons (by mass) has approved APBs that are not ACO, the train is considered to be held by Park Brakes equivalent to 100% Handbrakes.

Approval:**Approved by:** Carolyn Southern**Date:** 27/10/2025