



ELEVATOR PLANNING AND SELECTION GUIDE 2009

SELECTION PROCESS

HYDRAULIC ELEVATORS

GEN2[®] MACHINE-ROOMLESS ELEVATOR

ESCALATORS

FINISHES AND FIXTURES

Otis...the global leader in elevator and escalator systems

Planning and design programs to meet every need

Before You Begin:

Otis Elevator Company, the world's leading manufacturer of elevator and escalator systems, meets the most rigid demands of planning, building and design professionals. We offer you two easy-to-use planning and selection guides:

- Architect's Assistant—Available on Otis.com. This simple, online plug-and-play program will generate customized CSI specifications and CAD drawings. It will help you design and build an elevator that meets building specification and code requirements
- Our E-Z Elevator Selection Process

These two distinct planning and selection tools are designed to help you meet the most demanding project requirements quickly and cost-effectively.

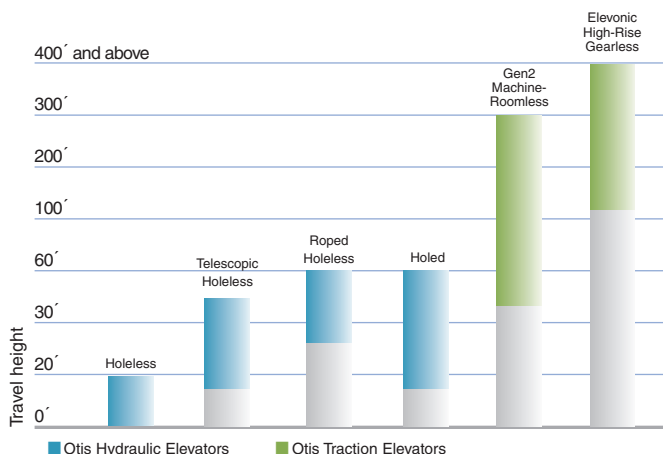
Otis E-Z Elevator Selection Process

Step 1: Travel Height

- Selecting the optimal elevator type for your project depends upon the elevator travel distance
- The chart below identifies Otis elevators most commonly selected for specific travel heights (see product pages in this guide for other criteria):

Elevator Selection Chart

Use this chart to determine which elevators are applicable for specific travel heights. Colors indicate recommended range of minimum and maximum travel height.



Step 2: Elevator Quantity and Size

- These are determined by floor population, building use or building type and national and local codes. Consult with your local Otis representative to have a professional study preformed using OtisPlan and Elevatoring Tool.

Refer to Architect's Assistant at Otis.com for additional help in selecting proper size and number of elevators.

Step 3: Hoistway Requirements

- To accommodate heavier reinforcements to rails in seismic zones 2 or greater, additional hoistway space is required

Assess specific requirements by reviewing individual product pages in this guide.

Step 4: Machine/Control Room Requirements

Hydraulic Systems

- Separate machine room required at bottom landing
- Machine room can be located remotely or adjacent to hoistway at bottom landing

Gen2 Machine-Roomless System

- Requires separate control space/room
- Flexible control space/room placement—up to 250 feet away from top of hoistway (depending on wiring configuration within the building)

Required dimensions will be found on specific product pages in this guide. Consult your Otis representative for specific requirements.

Step 5: Car Design and Finishes

- Otis offers flexibility in designing and selecting car walls, ceilings, lighting, handrails, bumper rails and fixtures

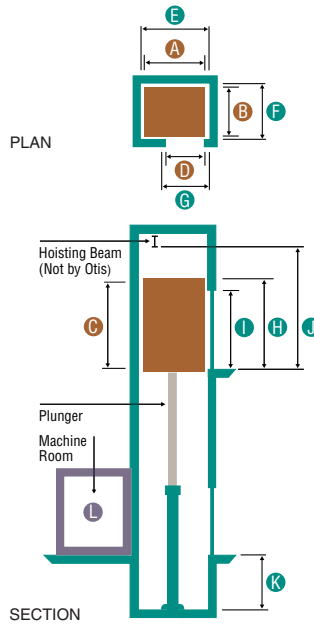
See page 7 for additional information.

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Travel Height
 – Maximum 20 ft
Maximum stops 3
Speed (ft/min) 100, 125

Key Attributes

- No need for well hole drilling and its associated costs
- Above-ground solution substantially reduces risk of soil and ground water contamination
- Applicable for:
 - Hazard-sensitive sites
 - Waterfront sites
 - Existing buildings
- Available in both passenger and service elevator configurations and capacities
- Solid-state starter improves performance through precise control of electric current
- Optional:
 - Front and rear entrances
 - Ceiling height of 9'-7"
 - 8'-0" clear opening
 - Glassback
 - REM® remote elevator monitoring



Dimensions	Passenger elevators					Service elevators				
Rated lbs.	2000	2100	2500	3000	3500	4500	5000	5000 AIA		
Passenger Capacity ¹	13/12	13/12	16/15	20/18	23/21	30/28	33/31	33/31		
Car²										
A Interior width	5'-8"	5'-8"	6'-8"	6'-8"	6'-8"	5'-8"	5'-11"	5'-8"		
B Interior depth	4'-3"	4'-3"	4'-3"	4'-9"	5'-5"	7'-11"	8'-6"	9'-0"		
C Interior height	8'-0" (Optional 9'-7")									
D Car door width	3'-0"	3'-0"	3'-6"	3'-6"	3'-6"	4'-0"	4'-6"	4'-0"		
Hoistway										
E Width	7'-4"	7'-4"	8'-4"	8'-4"	8'-4"	7'-7"	8'-4"	7'-7"		
Width in seismic zones ³	7'-6"	7'-6"	8'-6"	8'-6"	8'-6"	7'-7"	8'-4"	7'-7"		
F Depth ⁴	5'-9"	5'-9"	5'-9"	6'-3"	6'-11"	9'-8"	10'-3"	10'-9"		
G Rough opening width	4'-8"	4'-8"	5'-2"	5'-2"	5'-2"	5'-8"	6'-2"	5'-8"		
H Rough opening height	7'-10"									
I Clear opening height	7'-0" (Optional 8'-0")									
J Clear overhead to hoist beam										
@ 100ft./min.	12'-4"	12'-4"	12'-4"	12'-4"	12'-4"	12'-4"	12'-5"	12'-4"		
@ 125ft./min.	12'-7"	12'-7"	12'-7"	12'-7"	12'-7"	12'-7"	12'-8"	12'-7"		
K Minimum pit depth ⁵	4'-0" (5'-0" for Canadian Province of Ontario)									
Machine Room										
L Number of elevators in group	1		2			3		4		
Width x depth	5'-9" x 7'-4"		11'-6" x 8'-6"			17'-0" x 8'-6"		22'-0" x 8'-6"		

¹ Capacity code requirements: US/Canada.

² Interior dimensions may vary depending on interior finishes.

³ In seismic zones 2 or greater.

⁴ For cars with front and rear doors, add 9/16" to depth for 2000 to 3500 lb. capacities; add 12/16" for 4500 and 5000 lb. capacities.

⁵ Pit depth changes based on speed: For 100 fpm, pit depth increases 1" in depth for each 1" increase in rise over 13'-7" up to 20'-0".

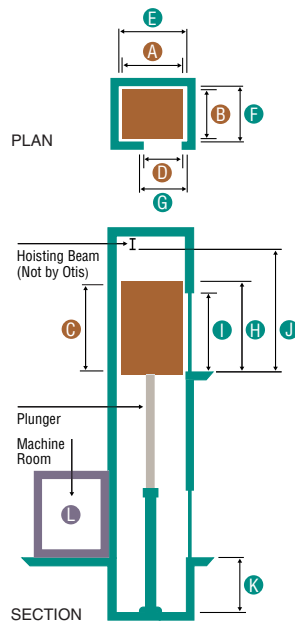
For 125 fpm, pit depth increases 1" in depth for each 1" increase in rise over 12'-8" up to 20'-0".

Telescopic Holeless Hydraulic

Travel Height
 – Maximum 44 ft 1 in
Maximum stops 5
Speed (ft/min) 100, 125

Key Attributes

- No need for well hole drilling and its associated costs
- Above-ground solution substantially reduces risk of soil and ground water contamination
- Applicable for:
 - Hazard-sensitive sites
 - Waterfront sites
 - Existing buildings
- Available in passenger elevator configurations and capacities only
- Solid-state starter improves performance through precise control of electric current
- Optional:
 - Front and rear entrances
 - Ceiling height of 9'-7"
 - 8'-0" clear opening
 - Glassback
 - REM® remote elevator monitoring



Dimensions

Passenger elevators

Rated lbs.	2000	2100	2500	3000	3500
Passenger Capacity ¹	13/12	13/12	16/15	20/18	23/21

Car²

A Interior width	5'-8"	5'-8"	6'-8"	6'-8"	6'-8"
B Interior depth	4'-3"	4'-3"	4'-3"	4'-9"	5'-5"
C Interior height	8'-0" (Optional 9'-7")				
D Car door width	3'-0"	3'-0"	3'-6"	3'-6"	3'-6"

Hoistway³

E Width (rise up to 30 ft 1 in)	7'-4"	7'-4"	8'-4"	8'-4"	8'-4"
Width (rise up to 30 ft 1 in) in seismic zones ⁴	7'-6"	7'-6"	8'-6"	8'-6"	8'-6"
Width (rise over 30 ft 1 in)	7'-10"	7'-10"	8'-10"	8'-10"	8'-10"
F Depth ⁵	5'-9"	5'-9"	5'-9"	6'-3"	6'-11"
G Rough opening width	4'-8"	4'-8"	5'-2"	5'-2"	5'-2"
H Rough opening height	7'-10"				
I Clear opening height	7'-0" (Optional 8'-0")				
J Clear overhead to hoisting beam (rise up to 30 ft 1 in)					
@ 100ft./min.				12'-8"	
@ 125ft./min.				12'-11"	
Clear overhead to hoisting beam (rise over 30 ft 1 in)					
@ 100ft./min.				13'-0"	
@ 125ft./min.				13'-2"	
K Minimum pit depth ⁶	4'-0" (5'-0" for Canadian Province of Ontario) to 7'-6" depending on rise				

Machine Room

L Number of elevators in group	1	2	3	4
Width x depth	5'-9" x 7'-4"	11'-6" x 8'-6"	17'-0" x 8'-6"	22'-0" x 8'-6"

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² Interior dimensions may vary depending on interior finishes.

³ A 3-stage plunger may require additional hoistway width.

Contact your local Otis representative.

⁴ In seismic zones 2 or greater.

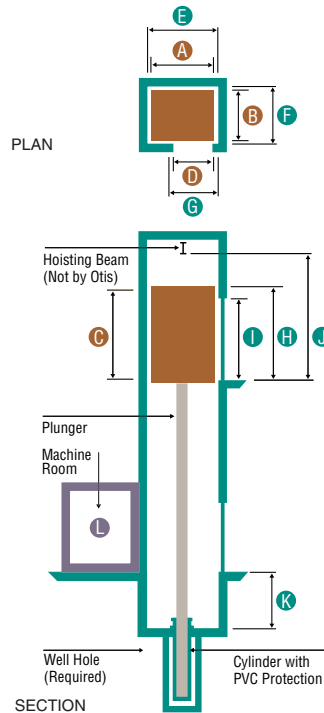
⁵ For cars with front and rear doors add 9 1/4" to depth.

⁶ Maximum rise with 4'-0" pit depth is 34'-4". Consult Otis.com or your local Otis representative

Travel Height
 – Maximum 60 ft
Maximum stops 7
Speed (ft/min) 100, 125, 150

Key Attributes

- Well hole drilling required
- PVC protection surrounds wall and bottom of in-ground cylinder to prevent contact with underground contaminants
- Solid-state starter improves performance through precise control of electric current
- Available in both passenger and service elevator configurations and capacities
- Optional:
 - Front and rear entrances
 - Ceiling height of 9'-7"
 - 8'-0" clear opening
 - Glassback
 - REM® remote elevator monitoring



Dimensions	Passenger elevators					Service elevators		
Rated lbs.	2000	2100	2500	3000	3500	4500	5000	5000 AIA
Passenger Capacity ¹	13/12	13/12	16/15	20/18	23/21	30/28	33/31	33/31
Car²								
A Interior width	5'-8"	5'-8"	6'-8"	6'-8"	6'-8"	5'-8"	5'-11"	5'-8"
B Interior depth	4'-3"	4'-3"	4'-3"	4'-9"	5'-5"	7'-11"	8'-6"	9'-0"
C Interior height	8'-0" (Optional 9'-7")							
D Car door width	3'-0"	3'-0"	3'-6"	3'-6"	3'-6"	4'-0"	4'-6"	4'-0"
Hoistway								
E Width	7'-4"	7'-4"	8'-4"	8'-4"	8'-4"	7'-5"	8'-2"	7'-5"
Width in seismic zones ³	7'-6"	7'-6"	8'-6"	8'-6"	8'-6"	7'-7"	8'-4"	7'-7"
F Depth ⁴	5'-9"	5'-9"	5'-9"	6'-3"	6'-11"	9'-8"	10'-3"	10'-9"
G Rough opening width	4'-8"	4'-8"	5'-2"	5'-2"	5'-2"	5'-8"	6'-2"	5'-8"
H Rough opening height	7'-10"							
I Clear opening height	7'-0" (Optional 8'-0")							
J Clear overhead to hoist beam								
@ 100 ft./min.	12'-0"	12'-0"	12'-0"	12'-0"	12'-0"	12'-0"	12'-5"	12'-0"
@ 125 ft./min.	12'-3"	12'-3"	12'-3"	12'-3"	12'-3"	12'-3"	12'-8"	12'-3"
@ 150 ft./min.	12'-3"	12'-3"	12'-3"	12'-3"	12'-3"	12'-3"	12'-8"	12'-3"
K Minimum pit depth	4'-0" (5'-0" for Canadian Province of Ontario)							
Machine Room								
L Number of elevators in group	1		2		3		4	
Width x depth	5'-9" x 7'-4"		11'-6" x 8'-6"		17'-0" x 8'-6"		22'-0" x 8'-6"	

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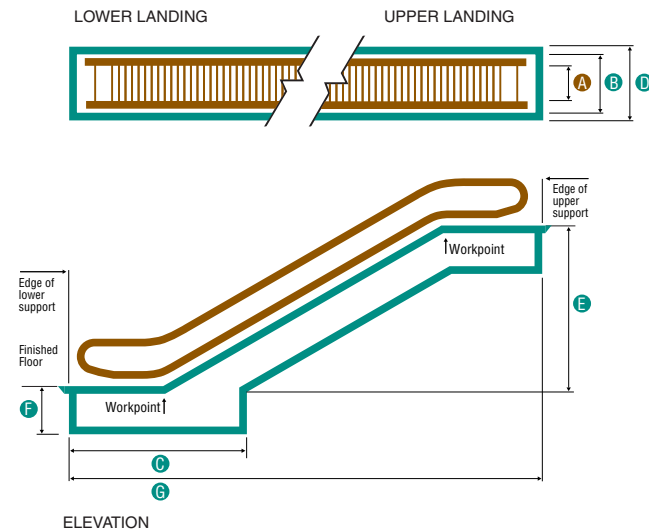
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Maximum rise 21 ft 4 in (NCE model)¹

Key Attributes

- Quiet and smooth operation ensured by hypoid helical gear drive, which produces lower noise levels [maximum 60 dB(A)] and uses less energy than conventional worm-gear machines
- Guardian® skirt panels with extremely low coefficient of friction to reduce risk of objects becoming entrapped
- Wide range of decking finishes available including powder coated sheet steel, stainless steel and several anodized aluminum options



Dimensions²

NCE Model	50632	50640	50648
A Step width	24"	32"	40"
B Finish width	3'-9"	4'-5"	5'-1"
C Minimum pit opening	14'-7 ³ / ₁₆ "	14'-7 ³ / ₁₆ "	14'-7 ³ / ₁₆ "
D Minimum rough opening	4'-0 ¹ / ₈ "	4'-8 ¹ / ₈ "	5'-4 ¹ / ₈ "
E Maximum rise	21'-4"	21'-4"	21'-4"
Minimum rise	4'-11 ¹ / ₁₆ "	4'-11 ¹ / ₁₆ "	4'-11 ¹ / ₁₆ "
F Minimum pit depth	3'-5 ⁵ / ₈ "	3'-5 ⁵ / ₈ "	3'-5 ⁵ / ₈ "
G Beam-to-beam calculation	1.732x E +17'-10 ³ / ₈ "	1.732x E +17'-10 ³ / ₈ "	1.732x E +16'-2 ¹¹ / ₁₆ "

¹ Higher rises available (NPE model). Contact your Otis representative for dimensions.

² Dimensions listed assume 2 flat steps and escalator is installed under non-seismic conditions.

Finishes and Fixtures

No matter what your most critical design criteria—esthetic, budgetary, maximum durability—Otis offers an exceptional degree of flexibility in the selection of:

- Entrance frames and doors
- Car interior surfaces
- Car ceilings and lighting solutions
- Handrails and bumper rails
- Car and hall fixtures, including operating panels, hall lanterns and position indicators

In addition to a broad palette of standard interior finishes, Otis also works with architects to create virtually unlimited custom car finishes to ensure that elevator systems coordinate seamlessly with any design concept.

Contact your Otis representative to explore the full range of finishes and fixtures through our Architectural Design catalogue and Finishes brochure.

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