

Line Capacity Requirements by Type & Strain

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Minimum line capacity requirements for mono and braid by breaking strain, tailored to typical UK carp venues.

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Line Type	Breaking Strain	Typical UK Venue Requirement
Mono	12lb	200m minimum
Mono	15lb	250m minimum
Mono	18lb	250m minimum
Braid	30lb	150m minimum (low stretch)

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