**LR 70-B** (1966) **Ford GRIT-SPREADING TRUCK**

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| © year on base: none  scale: 1:85 (not cast on base)  length: 67mm  width: 27mm  height: 35mm  MATCHBOX lettering on base: straight  additional lettering on base: none  company on base: MADE IN ENGLAND BY LESNEY  number on base: 70  cast license plate: none | metal grille & cab base  metal chassis is part of body  no interior  plastic wheels  dome head rounded axles |  |

| **#** | **body / chassis** | **dump** | **grille / cab base** | **windows** | **wheels** | **deco** | **dump slide** | **rear axle braces** | **dump ejector ring** | **sub-var** | **note** | **cate** | **area** | **Stannard #** | **Jones #** | **date** |
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| 0010 | red E | pale lemon metal | unpainted | green | 12.5x40 black | none | **black** plastic | **narrow** | **no** | (ha), (hb), la | #70 |  |  | 01, 02 | 02, 04 | 1966 |
| 0020 | red E | pale lemon metal | unpainted | green | 12.5x40 black | none | **black** plastic | **narrow** | yes | ha, hb, (la) | #70 |  |  |  | 01, 03 | 1966 |
| 0030 | red E | pale lemon metal | unpainted | green | 12.5x40 black | none | **black** plastic | wide | **no** | (ha) | #70 |  |  |  | 06, 08 | 1967 |
| 0040 | red E | pale lemon metal | unpainted | green | 12.5x40 black | none | **black** plastic | wide | yes | ha, lb | #70 |  |  | 03 | 05, 07 | 1967 |
| 0050 | red E | pale lemon metal | unpainted | green | 12.5x40 black | none | gray plastic | wide | yes | ha, (hb), lb | #70 |  |  | 04, 05 | 09, 10 | 1968 |
| 0060 | **brt.** red E | pale lemon metal | unpainted | green | 12.5x40 black | none | gray plastic | wide | yes | ha | #70 |  |  |  |  | 1970 |
| 0070 | red E | **yellow** metal | unpainted | green | 12.5x40 black | none | gray plastic | wide | yes | (hb) | #70 |  |  |  |  | 1969 |
| 0080 | red E | **brt. yellow** metal | unpainted | green | 12.5x40 black | none | gray plastic | wide | yes | (hb) | #70 |  |  | 09, 10 | 11 | 1970 |
| 0090 | **brt.** red E | **brt. yellow** metal | unpainted | green | 12.5x40 black | none | gray plastic | wide | yes | hb, lb | #70 |  |  |  | 15, 16 | 1970 |

**UK codes:**

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| **70B** |  |  |  |

**NOTE:**

**The die number 1 or 2 is cast on the chassis in front of the rear rivet.**

**SUB-VARIATIONS:**

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| **code** | **cab base text** | **chassis die number** |
| ha | high (number 4mm above front axle) | 1 |
| hb | high (number 4mm above front axle) | 2 |
| la | low (number 2mm above front axle) | 1 |
| lb | low (number 2mm above front axle) | 2 |

**Previous ref.: none**

**Later ref.: ⇒ ⇒ ⇒ LS 70-A Ford GRIT SPREADER**

**BOX TYPES:**

| **#** | **type** | **description** | **note** | **area** | **date** |
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| 01 | E2 | two blue sides, black & white picture on end flaps, with NEW MODEL, no ®, flags on inner end flaps |  |  | 1966 |
| 02 | E2 | light blue sides, black & white picture on end flaps, with NEW MODEL, no ®, flags on inner end flaps |  |  | 1966 |
| 03 | E2 | light blue sides, black & white picture on end flaps, without NEW MODEL, no ®, flags on inner end flaps |  |  | 1966 |
| 04 | E3 | light blue sides, color picture without "MATCHBOX" on end flaps, without NEW MODEL, no ®, flags on inner end flaps |  |  | 1967 |
| 05 | E4 | light blue sides, color picture with "MATCHBOX" on end flaps, without NEW MODEL, no ®, flags on inner end flaps |  |  | 1968 |
| 06 | F | without NEW, A LESNEY PRODUCT, no trademark on end flaps, no MARK on end flaps |  |  | 1969 |
| 07 | F | without NEW, A LESNEY PRODUCT, trademark on end flaps, no MARK on end flaps |  |  | 1969/70 |