**LS 12-A** (1970) **LAND ROVER SAFARI**

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| © year on base: none  scale: 1:72 (not cast on base)  length: 72mm  width: 27mm  height: 37mm  MATCHBOX lettering on base: straight  additional lettering on base: SUPERFAST (straight)  company on base: LESNEY  number on base: 12  cast license plate: NMH 449 | plastic base  plastic interior  black plastic wheels with silver hubs  plastic luggage on roof turns  plastic tow hook is part of interior  tow guide  tow hook support on base  single removable plastic axle covers |  |

| **#** | **body** | **base** | **interior** | **windows** | **wheels** | **deco** | **roof luggage** | **axle covers** | **sub-var** | **note** | **cate** | **area** | **Mack #** | **Mack date** | **date** |
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| 03a | **blue** | black E | white | colorless | 5 slot 10x2mm | none | red-brown | long - black |  | #12 |  |  | 03 |  | 1970 |
| 03b | **blue** | black E | white | colorless | 5 slot 10x2mm | none | red-brown | **short** - black |  | #12 |  |  |  |  | 1970 |
| 03c | **blue** | black E | white | colorless | 5 slot 10x2mm | none | red-brown | **short - red** |  | #12 |  |  |  |  | 1970 |
| f01a | lt. gold | black E | white | colorless | 5 slot 10x2mm | none | **brown** | long - black | (ahh) | #12 |  |  |  |  | 1970 |
| f01b | lt. gold | black E | white | colorless | 5 slot 10x2mm | none | **brown** | **short** - black |  | #12 |  |  |  |  | 1970 |
| f01c | lt. gold | black E | white | colorless | 5 slot 10x2mm | none |  | **short - red** |  | #12 |  |  |  |  | 1970 |
| 01a | lt. gold | black E | white | colorless | 5 slot 10x2mm | none | red-brown | long - black | (ass), bss | #12 |  |  | 01 |  | 1970 |
| 01b | lt. gold | black E | white | colorless | 5 slot 10x2mm | none | red-brown | **short** - black | ass, (bss) | #12 |  |  |  |  | 1970 |
| 01c | lt. gold | black E | white | colorless | 5 slot 10x2mm | none | red-brown | **short - red** |  | #12 |  |  |  |  | 1970 |
| 02a | **dk.** gold | black E | white | colorless | 5 slot 10x2mm | none | red-brown | long - black | (**ash**), ahh, bhh | #12 |  |  | 02 |  | 1970 |
| 02b | **dk.** gold | black E | white | colorless | 5 slot 10x2mm | none | red-brown | **short** - black | bss | #12 |  |  |  |  | 1970 |
| 02c | **dk.** gold | black E | white | colorless | 5 slot 10x2mm | none | red-brown | **short - red** |  | #12 |  |  |  |  | 1970 |
| f02a | lt. gold | black E | white | colorless | 5 slot 10x**4**mm | none | red-brown | long - black |  | #12 |  |  |  |  | 1970 |
| f02b | lt. gold | black E | white | colorless | 5 slot 10x**4**mm | none | red-brown | **short** - black |  | #12 |  |  |  |  | 1970 |
| f02c | lt. gold | black E | white | colorless | 5 slot 10x**4**mm | none | red-brown | **short - red** |  | #12 |  |  |  |  | 1970 |
| f03a | **silver-gray** | black E | white | colorless | 5 slot 10x2mm | none | red-brown | long - black |  | #12 |  |  |  |  | 1970 |
| f03b | **silver-gray** | black E | white | colorless | 5 slot 10x2mm | none | red-brown | **short** - black |  | #12 |  |  |  |  | 1970 |
| f03c | **silver-gray** | black E | white | colorless | 5 slot 10x2mm | none | red-brown | **short - red** |  | #12 |  |  |  |  | 1970 |

**USA codes:**

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| **MB 12-A** |  |  |  |

**UK codes:**

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| **12C** |  |  |  |

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| **ROW numbers:** | **12** (1970) |
| **USA numbers:** | **12** (1970) |
| **Other numbers:** | **none** |

**NOTE:**

**Interior without or with transmission tunnel in center.**

**SUB-VARIATIONS:**

| **code** | **transmission tunnel** | **front wheels** | **rear wheels** |
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| ass | no | solid | solid |
| ash | no | solid | hollow |
| ahs | no | hollow | solid |
| ahh | no | hollow | hollow |
| a | no | irrelevant (always hollow) | |
| bss | **yes** | solid | solid |
| bsh | **yes** | solid | hollow |
| bhs | **yes** | hollow | solid |
| bhh | **yes** | hollow | hollow |
| b | **yes** | irrelevant (always hollow) | |

**Previous ref.: ⇒ ⇒ ⇒ LR 12-C LAND ROVER SAFARI**

**Later ref.: ⇒ ⇒ ⇒ BR 12-A LAND ROVER SAFARI**

**BOX TYPES:**

| **#** | **type** | **description** | **note** | **area** | **date** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 01 | F | without NEW, RW model shown, black SF, LESNEY PRODUCTS & CO. LTD. ..., SF on sides, MARK 2 on end flaps |  |  | 1970 |
| 02 | G | with NEW, black TM, "MATCHBOX" IS THE..., SF parallel on sides, MARK 3 on end flaps, no SPECIFICATION... on end flaps |  |  | 1970 |
| 03 | G | with NEW, black TM, "MATCHBOX" REG'D T.M. ..., SF parallel on sides, MARK 3 on end flaps, no SPECIFICATION... on end flaps |  |  | 1970 |