**LS 61-B** (1978) **Ford WRECK TRUCK**

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| © year on base: 1978  scale: unknown  length: 76mm  width: 32mm  height: 39mm  MATCHBOX lettering on base: bold italic  additional lettering on base: Superfast (script)  company on base: LESNEY PRODUCTS & CO. LTD  number on base: 61  cast license plate: KJB 894T (rear only) | metal grille & base  tow guide  no interior  frosted windows  black plastic wheels with silver hubs  plastic roof lights are part of window glazing  plastic booms & hooks |  |

| **#** | **body** | **grille / base** | **windows / roof lights** | **wheels** | **deco** | **booms** | **booms design** | **hooks** | **sub-var** | **note** | **cate** | **area** | **Mack #** | **Mack date** | **date** |
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| f01 | red | matt black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **green** | **circles** | red | p | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1978 |
| f07 | red | **charcoal** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **green** | **circles** | red | p | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1978 |
| f02 | red | matt black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **green** | zigzag | red |  | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1978 |
| f03 | red | matt black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **red** | **circles** | red | p | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1978 |
| 06 | red | matt black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **red** | zigzag | red | p | #61 |  |  | 06 |  | 1978 |
| 31 | red | **charcoal** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **red** | zigzag | red | p | #61 |  |  | 31 | 1984-08 | 1978 |
| 32 | red | matt black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **red** | zigzag | **black** | p | #61 |  |  | 32 | 1984-10 | 1978 |
| f04 | red | **charcoal** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **red** | zigzag | **black** |  | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1978 |
| 01a | red | matt black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | white | zigzag | red | p, **poa**, **u** | #61 |  |  | 02 |  | 1978 |
| 01b | **dull** red | matt black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | white | zigzag | red | p | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1978 |
| 02 | red | **flat** black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | white | zigzag | red |  | #61 |  |  | 01 |  | 1978 |
| 39 | red | **gloss** black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | white | zigzag | red | **u** | #61 |  |  | 39 | 1985-11 | 1978 |
| 04 | red | **charcoal** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | white | zigzag | red | p | #61 |  |  | 04 |  | 1978 |
| f09a | red | matt black E | **dk.** amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | white | zigzag | red | p | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1978 |
| f09b | **dull** red | matt black E | **dk.** amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | white | zigzag | red | (p) | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1978 |
| 05 | red | matt black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | white | zigzag | **black** | p | #61 |  |  | 05 |  | 1978 |
| f08 | red | **gloss** black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | white | zigzag | **black** | p | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1978 |
| f11 | red | **charcoal** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | white | zigzag | **black** |  | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1978 |
| 03 | red | matt black E | **blue** | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | white | zigzag | red | p | #61 |  |  | 03 |  | 1978 |
| 07 | brt. yellow | matt black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **white** | zigzag | red |  | #61 |  |  | 07 |  | 1981 |
| 08 | dull yellow | matt black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **white** | zigzag | red |  | #61 |  |  | 08 |  | 1981 |
| 28 | brt. yellow | **gloss** black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **white** | zigzag | black |  | #61 |  |  | 28 |  | 1981 |
| 40 | brt. yellow | **blue-gray** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **white** | zigzag | red | **u** | #61 |  |  | 40 | 1985-11 | 1981 |
| 44 | **lemon** | **blue-gray** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **white** | zigzag | red |  | #61 |  |  | 44 | 1988-08 | 1981 |
| 09 | brt. yellow | matt black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **green** | zigzag | red |  | #61 |  |  | 09 |  | 1981 |
| 10 | dull yellow | matt black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **green** | zigzag | red |  | #61 |  |  | 10 |  | 1981 |
| f12 | brt. yellow | **gloss** black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **green** | zigzag | red |  | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| 29 | dull yellow | **gloss** black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **green** | zigzag | red |  | #61 |  |  | 29 |  | 1981 |
| 11 | brt. yellow | **charcoal** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **green** | zigzag | red | p | #61 |  |  | 11 |  | 1981 |
| 12 | dull yellow | **charcoal** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **green** | zigzag | red |  | #61 |  |  | 12 |  | 1981 |
| 13 | brt. yellow | matt black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **green** | zigzag | **black** | p | #61 |  |  | 13 |  | 1981 |
| 14 | dull yellow | matt black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **green** | zigzag | **black** |  | #61 |  |  | 14 |  | 1981 |
| f13 | brt. yellow | **gloss** black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **green** | zigzag | **black** |  | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| 35 | dull yellow | **gloss** black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **green** | zigzag | **black** |  | #61 |  |  | 35 | 1984-10 | 1981 |
| 15 | brt. yellow | **charcoal** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **green** | zigzag | **black** | p | #61 |  |  | 15 |  | 1981 |
| 16 | dull yellow | **charcoal** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **green** | zigzag | **black** |  | #61 |  |  | 16 |  | 1981 |
| 17 | brt. yellow | matt black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | red | p | #61 |  |  | 17 |  | 1981 |
| 18 | dull yellow | matt black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | red |  | #61 |  |  | 18 |  | 1981 |
| f23 | brt. yellow | **flat** black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | red | p | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| f24 | dull yellow | **flat** black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | red |  | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| f06 | brt. yellow | **gloss** black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | red | **u** | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| f14 | dull yellow | **gloss** black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | red |  | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| 19 | brt. yellow | **charcoal** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | red |  | #61 |  |  | 19 |  | 1981 |
| 20 | dull yellow | **charcoal** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | red |  | #61 |  |  | 20 |  | 1981 |
| 21 | brt. yellow | **blue-gray** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | red | **u** | #61 |  |  | 21 |  | 1981 |
| 22 | dull yellow | **blue-gray** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | red |  | #61 |  |  | 22 |  | 1981 |
| f15 | brt. yellow | **gray-brown** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | red |  | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| f16 | dull yellow | **gray-brown** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | red |  | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| f17 | brt. yellow | **unpainted** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | red |  | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| f18 | dull yellow | **unpainted** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | red |  | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| f25 | brt. yellow | matt black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | **black** |  | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| f26 | dull yellow | matt black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | **black** |  | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| 38 | brt. yellow | **flat** black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | **black** | p | #61 |  |  | 38 | 1985-04 | 1981 |
| f19 | dull yellow | **flat** black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | **black** |  | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| 36 | brt. yellow | **gloss** black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | **black** | p | #61 |  |  | 36 | 1985-04 | 1981 |
| 37 | dull yellow | **gloss** black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | **black** |  | #61 |  |  | 37 | 1985-04 | 1981 |
| f20 | brt. yellow | **charcoal** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | **black** |  | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| f21 | dull yellow | **charcoal** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | **black** |  | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| 27 | brt. yellow | **blue-gray** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | **black** | p | #61 |  |  | 27 |  | 1981 |
| f22 | dull yellow | **blue-gray** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | **black** | **u** | #61 |  |  |  |  | 1981 |
| 33 | brt. yellow | **gray-brown** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | **black** |  | #61 |  |  | 33 | 1984-10 | 1981 |
| 34 | dull yellow | **gray-brown** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | **black** | p | #61 |  |  | 34 | 1984-10 | 1981 |
| 23 | brt. yellow | **unpainted** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | **black** | **u** | #61 |  |  | 23 |  | 1981 |
| 24 | dull yellow | **unpainted** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | red | zigzag | **black** |  | #61 |  |  | 24 |  | 1981 |
| 41 | dull yellow | **unpainted** E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | none | **pale** red | zigzag | **black** |  | #61 |  |  | 41 | 1985-11 | 1981 |
| 25 | red | flat black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | **RADIO DISPATCHES / 24 HOUR** tampo | white | zigzag | red | p | TP-32 | TP |  | 25 |  | 1982 |
| 45 | red | flat black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | **RADIO DISPATCHES / 24 HOUR** tampo | white | zigzag | **black** | **u** | TP-32 | TP |  | 45 | 1990-03 | 1982 |
| f27 | red | **gloss** black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | **RADIO DISPATCHES / 24 HOUR** tampo | white | zigzag | red |  | TP-32 | TP |  |  |  | 1982 |
| f28 | red | **gloss** black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | **RADIO DISPATCHES / 24 HOUR** tampo | white | zigzag | **black** | **u** | TP-32 | TP |  |  |  | 1982 |
| f10 | red | flat black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | **RADIO DISPATCHES / 24 HOUR** tampo | **red** | zigzag | red | p | TP-32 | TP |  |  |  | 1982 |
| 46 | red | flat black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | **RADIO DISPATCHES / 24 HOUR** tampo | **red** | zigzag | **black** |  | TP-32 | TP |  | 46 |  | 1982 |

**CODE 2 ISSUES:**

| **#** | **body** | **base** | **windows / roof lights** | **wheels** | **deco** | **booms** | **booms design** | **hooks** | **donor #** | **sub-var** | **note** | **cate** | **area** | **Mack #** | **Mack date** | **date** |
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| 47 | red | flat black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | **10. TREFFEN MCCD** tampo | white | zigzag | red | 02 | p |  | C2 | D | 47 | 2006-06 | 2006 |
| f05 | **gold** | flat black E | lt. amber | 5 crown 11.5x4mm | **10. TREFFEN MCCD** tampo | white | zigzag | red | 02 |  |  | C2 | D |  |  | 2006 |

**USA codes:**

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| **MB 61-B** |  |  |  |

**UK codes:**

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| **61D** |  |  |  |

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| **ROW numbers:** | **61** (1978-1981) |
| **USA numbers:** | **61** (1978-1981) |
| **Other numbers:** | **none** |

**NOTES:**

**The die number 1 or 2 is cast on the inside of the base, visible in front of the bed below the booms.**

**Hooks come with varying die numbers from 1 to 16 found on the left side.**

**Hooks and booms are identical with LS 74-B and can be switched.**

**SUB-VARIATIONS:**

| **code** | **base inside** |
| --- | --- |
| p | painted |
| u | unpainted |

**ODDITIES:**

| **code** | **description** |
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| oa | black hub on left rear wheel |

**Previous ref.: none**

**Later ref.: ⇒ ⇒ ⇒ BR 61-B Ford WRECK TRUCK**

**BOX TYPES:**

| **#** | **type** | **description** | **note** | **area** | **date** |
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| 01 | L | with NEW, "MATCHBOX", MARCA REGISTRADA..., CONFORMITÉ..., NE CONVIENT..., color pictures on both sides, MARK 2 on end flaps, circled cross on inner end flaps |  |  | 1978 |
| 02 | L | with NEW, "MATCHBOX" (MARCA REGISTRADA)..., two lines in rectangle, MARK 2 on end flaps, circled cross on inner end flaps |  |  | 1979 |
| 03 | L | with NEW, "MATCHBOX" (MARCA REGISTRADA)..., two lines in rectangle, MARK 2 on end flaps, no circled cross on inner end flaps |  |  | 1980/81 |
| 04 | L | without NEW, "MATCHBOX" IS THE REGISTERED..., five lines in rectangle, no MARK on end flaps, no circled cross on inner end flaps |  |  | 1982 |
| 05 | Ger-B | red & yellow window box with individual picture |  | D | 1979/80 |
| 06 | Ger-B | red & yellow generic window box |  | D | 1981 |
| 07 | Ita | black & white generic window box |  | I | 1981 |