**MI 053** (1983) **Ford FLARESIDE PICK-UP**

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| © year on base: 1982  scale: 1:76 (cast on base)  length: 77mm  width: 34mm  height: 34/36mm  MATCHBOX lettering on base: bold italic in frame  additional lettering on base: none  company on base: MATCHBOX TOYS LTD  number on base: none  cast license plate: 44F150 | plastic base  plastic interior, grille, roll-bar & side exhausts  plastic wheels  no load  plastic tow hook is part of base |  |

| **#** | **body** | **base** | **interior / roll-bar / side exhausts** | **windows** | **wheels** | **hubs** | **deco** | **sub-var** | **note** | **cate** | **area** | **Mack #** | **Mack date** | **date** |
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| 0010 | **lt.** orange | black M | white | colorless | black 8 sp concave 11x5.5mm | silver | 326 BAJA BOUNCER (hood), 326 (sides) tampo | (x) | #53 |  |  | 04 |  | 1983 |
| 0020 | dk. orange | black M | white | colorless | black 8 sp concave 11x5.5mm | silver | 326 BAJA BOUNCER (hood), 326 (sides) tampo | x | #53 |  |  | 05 |  | 1983 |
| 0030 | yellow | black M | **white** | colorless | black **8 sp concave** 11x5.5mm | silver | dk. & lt. blue FORD 460 tampo | x | #53 |  |  | 10 | 1986-09 | 1986 |
| 0040 | yellow | black M | **white** | colorless | black **8 sp concave** 11x5.5mm | silver | **med.** & lt. blue FORD 460 tampo |  | #53 |  |  |  |  | 1986 |
| 0050 | yellow | black M | black | colorless | black **8 sp concave** 11x5.5mm | silver | dk. & lt. blue FORD 460 tampo |  | #53 |  |  | 11 | 1986-12 | 1986 |
| 0060 | yellow | black M | black | **lt. amber** | black racing spec 15x7.5mm, **silver** lettering | black | dk. & lt. blue FORD 460 tampo | x | #53 |  |  | 08 | 1986-03 | 1986 |
| 0070 | yellow | black M | black | **lt. amber** | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | dk. & lt. blue FORD 460 tampo | x | #53 |  |  |  |  | 1986 |
| 0080 | yellow | black M | black | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | dk. & lt. blue FORD 460 tampo | x | #53 |  |  | 09 | 1986-03 | 1986 |
| 0090 | yellow | black M | black | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | **med.** & lt. blue FORD 460 tampo | x | #53 |  |  |  |  | 1986 |
| 0100 | dk. yellow | black **T** | black | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | dk. & lt. blue FORD 460 tampo | x | MP-104 | MP | ROW | 20 | 1994-11 | 1994 |
| 0110 | khaki green | black M | black | opaque green | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | dk. purple & lt. blue design tampo | x | red-brown armament | RB |  | 12 | 1987-10 | 1987 |
| 0120 | white | black M | black | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | blue DEB tampo | x |  | PR | GB | 13 | 1990-05 | 1990 |
| 0130 | lime | yellow T | red | colorless | **red** racing spec 15x7.5mm | **yellow** | jack & wheel design tampo | x |  | LL |  |  |  | 1991 |
| 0140 | lime | yellow T | red | colorless | **red** racing spec 15x7.5mm | **red** | jack & wheel design tampo | x |  | LL |  | 15 | 1991-11 | 1991 |
| 0150 | red | black T | black | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | BILL ELLIOT 11 tampo | x | TC-65 | WR TC | USA | 16 | 1993-01 | 1992 |
| 0160 | fluor. yellow | silver plated T | none | silver chrome | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | pink, red & blue flash tampo | x |  | ST | USA | 17 | 1993-06 | 1993 |
| 0170 | met. blue | silver plated T | none | silver chrome | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | yellow & orange flames tampo | x |  | ST | USA | 18 | 1993-06 | 1993 |
| 0180 | red | silver plated T | black | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | orange & yellow flames tampo | x | #55 |  |  | 19 | 1994-04 | 1994 |
| 0190 | red | silver plated **C** | black | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | orange & yellow flames tampo | x | #55 |  | USA | 24 | 1996-01 | 1995 |
| 0200 | white | silver plated T | silver | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | **silver** | silver band & red stripe tampo | x | #3 var. P1 | CC | USA | 21 | 1994-09 | 1994 |
| 0210 | dk. blue | black T | silver | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | QUALITY CARE / QC 15 tampo | x | TC-15 | WR TC | USA | 22 | 1994-10 | 1994 |
| 0220 | fluor. orange | silver plated **T** | black | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | black front design tampo (to edge of windshield) |  | #55 I95 |  | USA | 23 | 1995-12 | 1995 |
| 0230 | fluor. orange | silver plated C | black | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | black front design tampo (to ¼" from windshield) | x | #55 |  |  | 25 | 1996-03 | 1996 |
| 0240 | silver-gray | silver plated C | purple | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | purple & lavender flames tampo | x | Off Road | 5P |  | 26 | 1996-05 | 1996 |
| 0250 | bluish gray | silver plated C | purple | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | purple & lavender flames tampo |  | Off Road | 5P |  |  |  | 1996 |
| 0260 | blue | silver plated C | **pale** orange | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | white splash tampo | x | #55 |  |  | 27 | 1997-04 | 1997 |
| 0270 | blue | silver plated C | dk. orange | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | white splash tampo | x | #55 |  |  | 29 | 1997-12 | 1997 |
| 0280 | silver-gray | silver plated C | black | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | JAY'S FLIGHT TEAM tampo | x | Action System Avon | TP LT | USA | 28 | 1997-05 | 1997 1998 |
| 0290 | met. gold | silver plated C | black | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | none | x | #55 (10 pack) #20 | 75C | USA CDN CN | 30 | 1998-02 | 1998 |
| 0300 | black | silver plated C | yellow | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | yellow & orange flames tampo | x | Rugged Riders | 5P |  | 31 | 1998-08 | 1998 |
| 0310 | black | silver plated C **#** | yellow | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | yellow & orange flames tampo | b | Rugged Riders | 5P |  | 35 | 1999-09 | 1999 |
| 0320 | dk. purple | silver plated C | gray | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | white splash tampo | x | #55 |  | USA | 32 | 1998-08 | 1998 |
| 0330 | dk. purple | silver plated C **#** | gray | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | white splash tampo | a | #55 |  | USA | 34 | 1999-05 | 1999 |

**CODE 2 ISSUES:**

| **#** | **body** | **base** | **interior / roll-bar / side exhausts** | **windows** | **wheels** | **hubs** | **deco** | **donor #** | **sub-var** | **note** | **cate** | **area** | **Mack #** | **Mack date** | **date** |
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| 2010 | beige | black M | black | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | green camouflage, KFOR tampo | 0120 |  | MCCD | C2 | D |  |  | 2017 |
| 2020 | green | black M | black | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | beige & black camouflage, KFOR tampo | 0120 |  | MCCD | C2 | D |  |  | 2017 |
| 2030 | beige | black M | black | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | green camouflage, DOUBLE TROUBLE tampo | 0120 |  | MCCD | C2 | D |  |  | 2017 |
| 2040 | green | black M | black | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | beige & black camouflage, DOUBLE TROUBLE tampo | 0120 |  | MCCD | C2 | D |  |  | 2017 |
| 2050 | **lt. blue** | black M | black | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | blue DEB tampo | 0120 |  | MCCD | C2 | D |  |  | 2017 |
| 2060 | **lavender** | black M | black | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | blue DEB tampo | 0120 |  | MCCD | C2 | D |  |  | 2017 |
| 2070 | **pink** | black M | black | colorless | black racing spec 15x7.5mm | black | blue DEB tampo | 0120 |  | MCCD | C2 | D |  |  | 2017 |

**PRE-PRODUCTIONS:**

| **#** | **body** | **base** | **interior / roll-bar / side exhausts** | **windows** | **wheels** | **hubs** | **deco** | **prod #** | **sub-var** | **note** | **cate** | **area** | **Mack #** | **Mack date** | **date** |
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| 9020 | dk. orange | black M | white | colorless | black **dot dash** 14x7mm | silver | **none** | 0020 | x |  | P |  |  |  | 1983 |

**USA codes:**

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| **MB 53-D** | **MB 55-J** |  |  |

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| **ROW numbers:** | **53** (1983-1988) | **55** (1994-1997) |
| **USA numbers:** | **53** (1983-1989) | **55** (1994-1998) |
| **Other numbers:** | **J 60** (1984-1987) |  |

**SUB-VARIATIONS:**

| **code** | **batch number location** |
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| a | below MADE IN (BJ) |
| b | above scale (BJ) |
| x | no batch number |

**Previous ref.: ⇒ ⇒ ⇒ LS 53-D Ford FLARESIDE PICK-UP**

**Later ref.: ⇒ ⇒ ⇒ BR 053 Ford FLARESIDE PICK-UP**

**⇒ ⇒ ⇒ MI 266 Ford FLARESIDE PICK-UP with Load**