

# Tailoring your Volvo FE.

Welcome to the Volvo FE. The flexible chassis layout and VBI (Volvo Bodybuilder Instructions) make it easy to prepare your vehicle for a superstructure. With driveline, cabs and equipment packages that provide you with a wealth of options, the Volvo FE is the perfect truck for your specific business needs.

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<b>WHEELBASES</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Wheelbase (mm)	4x2 rigid	6x2 rigid	6x4 rigid
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<b>CHASSIS HEIGHT</b>			
		<b>Tyre</b>	<b>Height (mm)</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Low		315/60R22.5"	880
<input type="checkbox"/> Medium		315/70R22.5"	950
<input type="checkbox"/> High		315/80R22.5"	1050

### FUEL TANKS

The fuel tanks are available in plastic, steel or aluminium. Fuel volume varies from 160 to 630 litres. There are two heights of D-shaped tanks – 560 mm and 710 mm.

### ADBLUE TANK

The AdBlue tank is made of plastic and the volume is 32 litres. The AdBlue pump is integrated in the tank module.

### REAR AXLES

There are four different rear axles available. Maximum axle load varies from 13 up to 23 tonnes. All axles have differential lock as standard.

### FRONT AXLES

Front axle loads vary from 7.1 up to 8 tonnes.

### TAG AXLES

These are available in several configurations – fixed with single or dual wheels, or with fixed or steered tag axle. Axle load 6.7, 7.1, 7.5, 9.5 or 10.5 tonnes.

<b>REAR SUSPENSION</b>						
Type	Axle combination	Suspension type	Axle/bogie load (tonnes)	Axle type	Tag axle	
<b>Solo axle</b>						
<input type="checkbox"/> RAD-L90	4x2	Parabolic/S-spring	13	Single/hub		
<input type="checkbox"/> RAD-KR	4x2	Air	13	Single/hub		
<b>Bogie</b>						
<input type="checkbox"/> RADT-KR	6x2	Air	19/21	Single/hub	Fixed/steered	
<input type="checkbox"/> RADD-BR	6x4	Parabolic	21	Single/hub		

# 1 CHASSIS

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## CHASSIS FEATURES

The chassis is developed to give optimum space for superstructure and equipment. Here are some of the key features, which may vary depending on the truck's specification.

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### FRAME BODY BUILDER HOLE ROW

The upper hole row is reserved for the body builder. All brackets in the upper hole row have an offset and an 8 mm spacer. No rivets are used in the upper hole row.

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### CRANE PREPARATION

Crane plates on the chassis can be factory-mounted.

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## BRAKES

The Volvo FE has pneumatic brakes with ventilated discs front and rear. The EBS (Electronically controlled Brake System) anti-locking disc-brake system provides both faster and safer braking response and promotes less brake wear. The system includes features such as ABS and Brake Blending. With Brake Blending, the system utilises the vehicle's various brakes for more uniform brake application and less wear on both the wheel brakes and tyres. The extended EBS medium package includes "Hill Hold".

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### ESP (ELECTRONIC STABILITY PROGRAM)

Standard ESP helps maintain directional stability in difficult conditions, and also helps in preventing rollover.

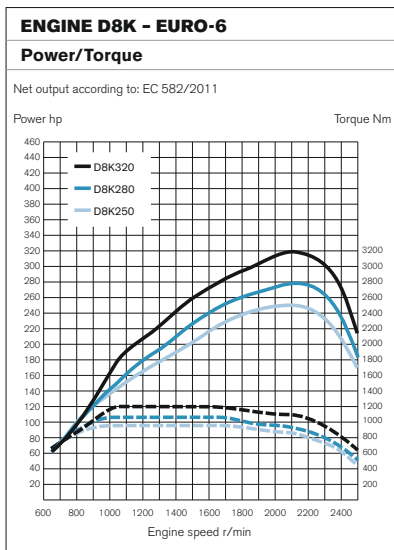
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### HYDRAULIC RETARDER FOR AL306 AUTOMATIC GEARBOXES

The compact, integrated hydraulic retarder (RET-HYDR and RET-TPT variants) is mounted on the gearbox. The max effect is 400 kW. Maximum ratio in the torque converter (TC418) is 1.98:1.

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**D8K250** (184 kW)

Max power at 2,100 r/min 250 hp

Max torque at 900–1,700 r/min 950 Nm

**D8K280** (206 kW)

Max power at 2,100 r/min 280 hp

Max torque at 950–1,700 r/min 1,050 Nm

**D8K320** (235 kW)

Max power at 2,100 r/min 320 hp

Max torque at 1,050–1,600 r/min 1,200 Nm

**D8K**

No. of cylinders 6

Displacement 7.7 dm<sup>3</sup>

Stroke 135 mm

Bore 110 mm

Compression ratio 17.5:1

Economy revs 1,000–1,700 r/min

Exhaust braking effect (2,800 r/min) 120 kW

Compression brake effect (2,800 r/min)

170 kW

Oil filters 1

Oil change volume, incl. filter 25.5 l

Cooling system, total volume 17 l

Oil change interval: Up to 100,000 km,  
or once a year (Long haul)/75,000  
or once a year (Distribution): using VDS4.

**FUEL**

EN 590 (EU norm) max 10 ppm sulphur.

**ENGINE-MOUNTED POWER TAKE-OFF**

Ratio 1:1 600 Nm\*

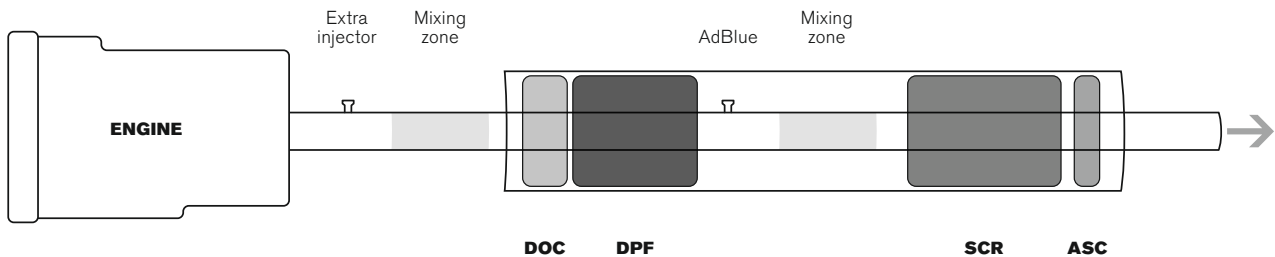
\* Torque output both when driving and standing still.

## 2 DRIVELINE

### EURO-6

We've come a long way in reducing environmental impact. Now it's time for Euro-6, the toughest step so far, putting extremely strict limits on emissions of particulate matter PM (0.01 g/kWh) and oxides of nitrogen NO<sub>x</sub>(0.40 g/kWh for steady-state cycle and 0.46 g/kWh for transient cycle).

### OUR SOLUTION FOR EURO-6



#### ENGINE

A closed loop butterfly exhaust brake, a turbo, a cooled EGR and more. The new engine components serve two main purposes: to improve gas-flow and make sure the exhausts reach the after-treatment system at optimum temperature.

#### EXTRA INJECTOR

A special diesel injector is used for heat management of the Diesel Particulate Filter DOC and ensures the efficiency of the Diesel Particulate Filter DPF and good Selective Catalytic Reduction SCR functionality.

#### DIESEL OXIDATION CATALYST (DOC)

The DOC produces the NO<sub>2</sub> necessary for the DPF to efficiently combust the particulates. In cold conditions, it also provides the heat needed for regeneration.

#### DIESEL PARTICULATE FILTER (DPF)

The filter collects particulate matter (PM) and stores it until it's burned off during auto-regeneration. If the temperature is not achieved during the duty cycle there is a switch in the cab to regenerate the DPF when stationary. There is also a regeneration gauge in the dash.

#### SELECTIVE CATALYTIC REDUCTION (SCR)

In the mixing zone, the exhaust gas is sprayed with AdBlue – which is an ammonia NH<sub>3</sub> solution. When they reach the catalysts, the oxides of nitrogen (NO<sub>x</sub>) are efficiently transformed into harmless nitrogen gas and water.

#### AMMONIA SLIP CATALYST (ASC)

The last step before the tailpipe where the remaining ammonia (NH<sub>3</sub>), if any, is removed.

### EUROPEAN EMISSION STANDARDS 1993-2013

PM (g/kWh)

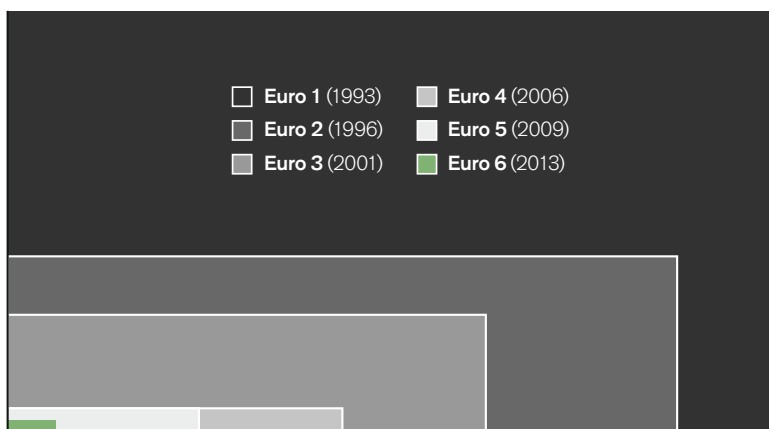
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0.20

0.10

0.01



PM = Particulate Matter

NO<sub>x</sub> = Oxides of Nitrogen

## GEARBOXES

The manual gearboxes are operated with servo assistance. The short gear lever, on the engine tunnel, and offers short, vibration free lever movements. The automatic transmission is operated via push-buttons. And the new I-Shift two pedal transmission control is mounted on the steering column. All gearboxes can be specified with a power take-off.

## GEARBOXES

Type		Number of gears	Max torque (Nm)	GCW approval (tonnes)	D8K250	D8K280	D8K320
<input type="checkbox"/> ZTO1006	Manual	6	1050	32	•	•	
<input type="checkbox"/> ZTO1109	Manual	9	1200	44	•	•	•
<input type="checkbox"/> AT2412E	I-Shift	12	2400	44	•	•	•
<input type="checkbox"/> AL306	Automatic	6	1300	32	•	•	•

## I-SHIFT

I-Shift is Volvo's gearbox with automated gearchanging for all applications. Well known for fast gear shifting, it both increases driver comfort and reduces fuel consumption. Can be fitted with a power take-off. For certain applications, an extra transmission oil cooler is available.

## I-SHIFT SOFTWARE PACKAGES

### BASIC

The basic software designed to suit most transport demands.

## DISTRIBUTION & CONSTRUCTION

Improving performance in more challenging conditions, for example tight manoeuvring.

## FUEL ECONOMY

Designed to optimise the driving for best fuel economy.

## I-SHIFT SOFTWARE PACKAGES

Functions	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Distribution &amp; Construction</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Fuel Economy</b>		
	Basic	Distribution & Construction	Fuel Economy
Basic Shift Strategy	•	•	•
Performance Shift	•	•	•
Basic Gear Selection Adjustment	•	•	•
Gearbox Oil Temperature Monitor	•	•	•
Enhanced Shift Strategy		•	•
Launch Control		•	•
I-Roll			•
Kick-down inhibition/activation			•
<b>Additional options</b>			
Enhanced PTO Functions	•	•	•
Enhanced Gear Selection Adjustment, including kick-down	•	•	•

## 2 DRIVELINE

### POWER TAKE-OFFS

Name/Variant	Gearbox	Type	Speed ratio	Max torque (Nm)	Rotation
<input type="checkbox"/> PR-HP4T	AL306	Pump con.	1:1.401	400	Same
<input type="checkbox"/> PR-HF4TL	AL306	Flange	1:1.139	400	Same
<input type="checkbox"/> PR-HF6TH	AL306	Flange	1:1.401	600	Same
<input type="checkbox"/> PR-HP6TL	AL306	Pump con.	1:1.139	600	Same
<input type="checkbox"/> PTRD-D1D	AT2412E	Flange	1:1.300-1.650	550	Inverse
		Pump con.	1:0.600-0.770	1000	Same
<input type="checkbox"/> PTR-FH1	AT2412E/ZTO1109	Flange	1:0.970	800	Inverse
<input type="checkbox"/> PTR-PH1	AT2412E/ZTO1109	Pump con.	1:0.970	800	Inverse
<input type="checkbox"/> PTR-FH2	AT2412E/ZTO1109	Flange	1:1.253	430	Same
<input type="checkbox"/> PTR-PH2	AT2412E/ZTO1109	Pump con.	1:1.253	430	Same
<input type="checkbox"/> PTR-FH5	AT2412E/ZTO1109	Flange	1:1.778	450	Same
<input type="checkbox"/> PTR-PH4	AT2412E/ZTO1109	Pump con.	1:1.778	450	Inverse
<input type="checkbox"/> PTR-ZF4	ZTO1006/ATO1056	Flange	1:1.700	320	Same
<input type="checkbox"/> PTR-ZF5	ZTO1006/ATO1056	Pump con.	1:1.700	320	Same
<input type="checkbox"/> PTR-FH5	ZTO1006/ATO1056	Flange	1:0.962	450	Same
<input type="checkbox"/> PTR-PH4	ZTO1006/ATO1056	Pump con.	1:0.962	450	Same
<input type="checkbox"/> PTR-ZF2	ZTO1109	Flange	1:1.900	410	Same
<input type="checkbox"/> PTR-ZF3	ZTO1109	Pump con.	1:1.900	410	Same
<input type="checkbox"/> PTR-A-PH1	ZTO1109	Pump con.	1:0.970	600	Inverse
<input type="checkbox"/> PTR-A-PH2	ZTO1109	Pump con.	1:1.253	430	Same

### REAR AXLES

Type	Axle	Gear	Max torque (Nm)	Max axle load (tonnes)	GCW approval (tonnes)
<b>Single reduction</b>					
<input type="checkbox"/> RSS1344C	Solo	Hypoid	2600	13	44
<input type="checkbox"/> RTS2370A	Tandem	Hypoid	3550	23	70
<b>Hub reduction</b>					
<input type="checkbox"/> RSH1370F	Solo	Spiral bevel	3550	13	70
<input type="checkbox"/> RTH2180C	Tandem	Hypoid	2100	13	65

### REAR AXLE RATIOS

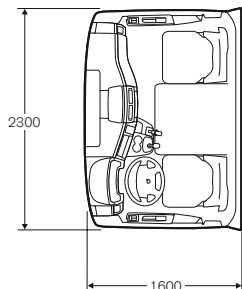
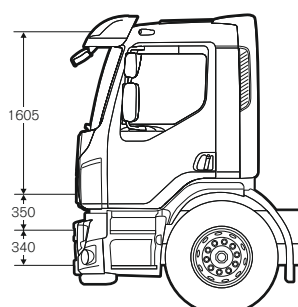
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3.08:1	3.78:1	4.55:1	3.22:1
3.36:1	4.13:1	4.67:1	3.36:1
3.70:1	4.50:1	5.41:1	3.52:1
4.11:1	5.14:1	6.18:1	3.70:1
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			4.82:1
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## CABS

All Volvo FE cabs are aerodynamically designed to reduce air resistance and the interiors are equipped with a variety of storage facilities. Additional storage units are available as options. All seats are ergonomic and feature integrated seatbelts and head-restraints.

### ☐ DAY CAB

Day cab with comfortable and ergonomic driver area. Interior height 1,605 mm, length 1,600 mm, width 2,300 mm.



### CAB SUSPENSION

Mechanical suspension front and rear: coil spring and shock absorber. Option of four point air suspension

### DRIVER'S SEAT

Three different levels of comfort: Comfort, Standard and Economy. All three feature backrest, length, height and front tilt adjustment and integrated headrests.

### PASSENGER SEAT

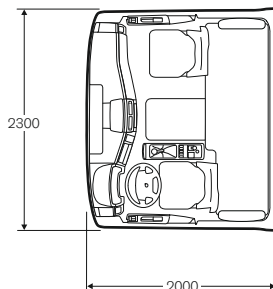
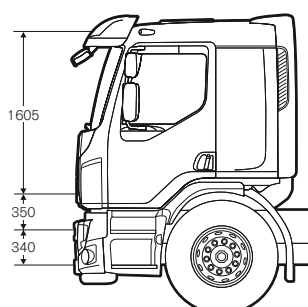
Three different levels of comfort are available: Standard, Economy or Basic.

### COLOURS

Available in 232 fixed variants. On top of that additional colours can be ordered on Customer Adaptation.

### ☐ COMFORT CAB

Comfort cab offers extra space that can be equipped with an occasional fold up single bunk or be used as office space with extra storage compartments. Interior height 1,605 mm, length 2,000 mm, width 2,300 mm.



### STEERING WHEEL

The steering wheel has a diameter of 460 mm or 500 mm depending on truck configuration and can be pneumatically adjusted to the desired position.

### ROOF HATCH

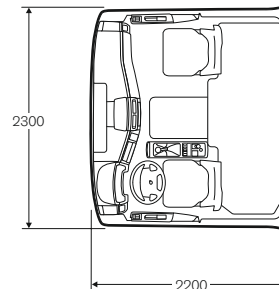
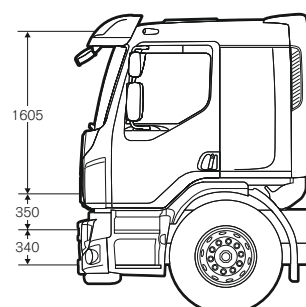
The cab can be equipped with either a manual or electrically operated roof hatch that can be opened 50 mm. It is available in either glass or steel.

### CAB HEATING

The cab heating system is available in two variants: manually controlled, heater only, or manually controlled heater and air conditioning. A 2 kW parking heater system is available as an option.

### ☐ SLEEPER CAB

Sleeper cab with a single bunk. Interior height 1,605 mm, length 2,200 mm, width 2,300 mm.



### INTERIOR STORAGE

The cab interior has many practical, easily accessible compartments for storage of documents and personal belongings. There are two storage units above the window, as well as four DIN compartments. A number of different storage and tunnel boxes, writing pad and clothes hooks can be specified as options.

### AIR HORNS

Option of two roof-mounted air horns.

### BED (COMFORT CAB)

The bed is offered as either a narrow 580 mm of fold up 780 mm fold up design.



## 4 EQUIPMENT PACKAGES

<b>AUDIO PACKAGES</b>			
	☐	☐	☐
	<b>Basic</b>	<b>Medium</b>	<b>High</b>
<b>Radio/CD unit</b>			
Audio CD	•	•	•
CD-R/CD-RW		•	•
wav/wma/mp3		•	•
Speed-dependant volume control		•	•
Extended mute functions	•	•	•
<b>Radio</b>			
FM/AM antenna	•	•	•
FM stations	12	18	18
AM stations	6	6	6
RDS	•	•	•
<b>Connections and interfaces</b>			
Low-level input, 4 channels	•	•	•
3.5 mm stereo line input			•
USB connection			•
iPod interface			•
Bluetooth		•	•
Wireless remote control			•
<b>Speakers</b>			
Number of speakers	2	2	2
Output	2×20 W	2×20 W	2×20 W

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