CHASSIS ENGINEERING GUIDELINES

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DESIGN GUIDELINES FOR: FUSO FIGHTER 6x2

MODELS:

FU1828, FU2328

APPLICATIONS - FLAT DECK, CURTAINSIDER

These recommendations have been prepared for design engineers and body builders as a guide to assist when selecting and specifying chassis modification and/or body fitment.

These guidelines should be read in conjunction with the Mitsubishi Fuso Truck and/or Bus Body Equipment Mounting Directives available on the FUSO Body Builder Portal.

CHASSIS FRAME MATERIAL

Hot Rolled Steel, 540 Mpa tensile, 390 Mpa yield.

LOAD CONSIDERATIONS

FLAT DECK

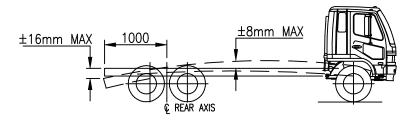
U.D.L.	Consider as a uniformly distributed load over whole or part of deck length.
CURTAINSIDER	Consider as a uniformly distributed load over whole or part of deck length in conjunction with point loads imposed by body and taillifts.
TAIL LIFT	Depending on rear overhang, fitment of a taillift may require additional chassis reinforcement.
REAR OVERHANG	Body or unreinforced chassis rear overhangs exceeding 3.5m may require chassis reinforcement.
LOAD CENTRE	Determined as water level load 600mm above chassis.

MAXIMUM DESIGN STRESS

Recommended maximum design stress = 35% of chassis yield stress (136 MPa) for sections of frame that are unmodified or do not contain stress raisers. Appropriate allowance should be made for details in the frame that have been modified or contain stress raisers. refer to the body builders manual for stress levels using static load applications.

MAXIMUM CHASSIS DEFLECTION

CASE 1	Between front and rear axis. Maximum permissible deflection: ±8mm.
CASE 2	Rear overhang. Maximum permissable deflection: 16mm at 1000mm or greater, rear of axis.



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