# **CHASSIS ENGINEERING GUIDELINES**

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DESIGN GUIDELINES FOR: FUSO ENDURO FO 8x4 MODELS:

FOX2WN

## APPLICATIONS - FLAT DECK, TIPPER, 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 & Bus Body Equipment Mounting Directives available on the FUSO Body Builder Portal.

#### **CHASSIS FRAME MATERIAL**

Hot Rolled Steel, 500 MPa tensile, 460 MPa yield. Refer to chassis section modulus drawing for each model.

#### LOAD CONSIDERATIONS

TIPPER		
AT LIFT OFF	Point when body raised just clear of the chassis thus imposing two point loads on the chassis rails at hinge and hoist mount.	
AT MAX TIP	Point when the body is raised to tip angle of 48°, (tail door closed) so loads act at the hoist mounting and hinge pivot points.	
LOAD CENTRE	Determined as water level load 600mm above chassis.	
SPREADING	Spreading work imposes higher frame loads and may require chassis reinforcement.	
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	

body and taillifts.

above chassis.

conjunction with point loads imposed by

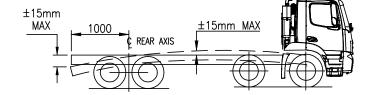
Determined as water level load 600mm

### **MAXIMUM DESIGN STRESS**

Recommended maximum design stress = 35% of chassis yield stress (161 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.

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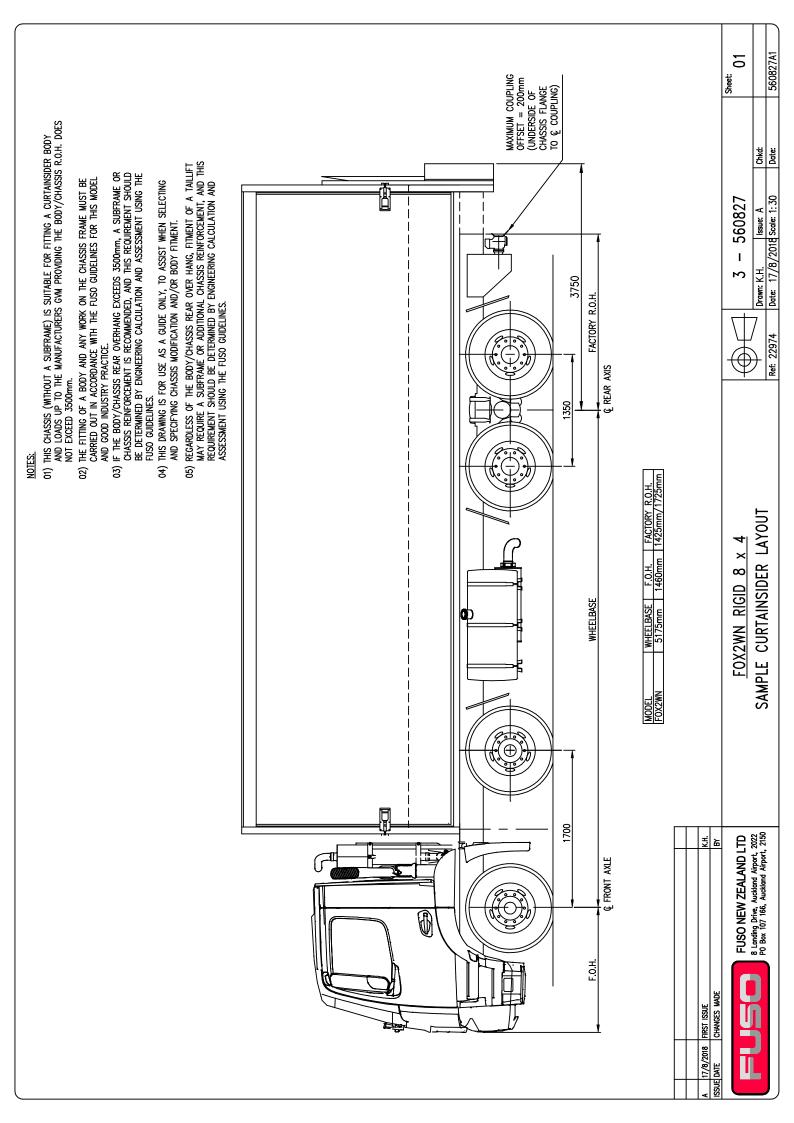
CASE 1	Between front and rear axis. Maximum permissible deflection: ±15mm.
CASE 2	Rear overhang. Maximum permissible deflection: 15mm at 1000mm or greater, rear of rear axis.

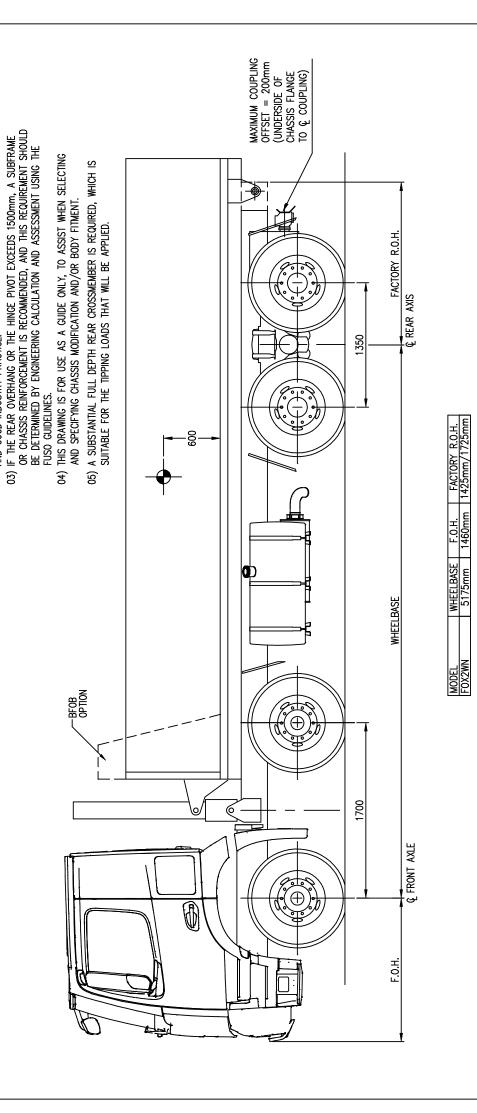


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**LOAD CENTRE** 





01) THIS CHASSIS FRAME IS SUITABLE FOR FITTING AN F.O.B. (OR B.F.O.B.) HOIST AND BODY WITHOUT A SUBFRAME, PROVIDING THE BODY OR HINGE PIVOT DO NOT EXCEED A R.O.H. OF 1500mm.

NOTES:

THE FITTING OF A BODY AND ANY WORK ON THE CHASSIS FRAME MUST BE CARRIED OUT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FUSO GUIDELINES FOR THIS MODEL AND GOOD INDUSTRY PRACTICE.

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<u>FOX2WN RIGID 8 x 4</u> SAMPLE FOB TIPPER LAYOUT

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