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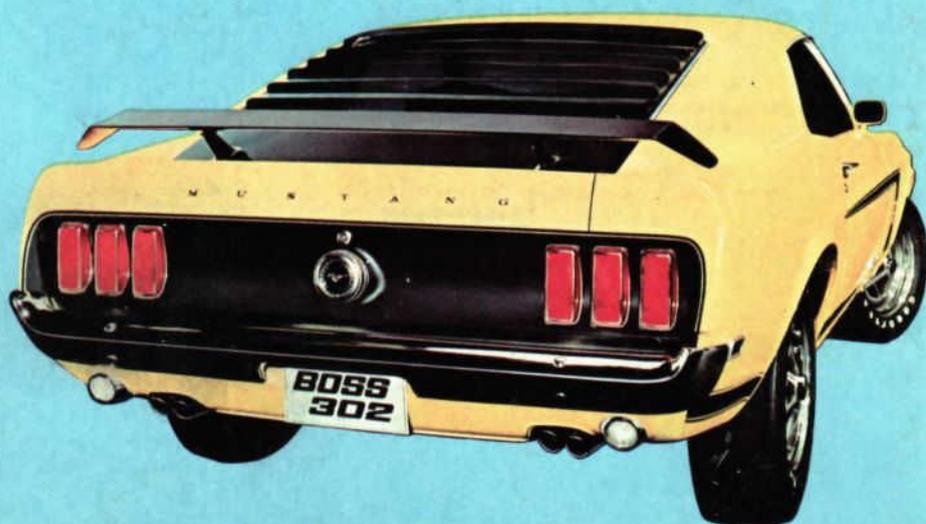
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INTRODUCTION

Ford has just introduced a brand-new concept in trucks . . . the 1970 FORD LOUISVILLE LINE! These new trucks replace a number of trucks found in the 1969 line-up, and are denoted by an "L-" in the series designation.

The LOUISVILLE LINE includes:

Medium short conventionals—95.3" BBC **Replaces 1969 Series:**
Gas LN-500, 600, 700, 750 N-500-750
Diesel LN-6000, 7000 N-6000-7000

Heavy short conventionals—93.3" BBC
Gas LN-LNT-800 (No equivalent 1969 models)
LN-LNT-900 N-NT-850-1000
Diesel LN-LNT-8000 N-NT-8000 Special Order vehicles
LN-LNT-9000 N-1000-D, NT-850, -950-D

Heavy conventionals—105.3" BBC
Gas L-LT-800 F-T-800
L-LT-900 F-T-850-1000
Diesel L-LT-8000 F-T-8000
L-LT-9000 F-T-850-1000-D

For the first time Ford will offer a long conventional series with the front axle set back for maximum front axle loadings.

Heavy Conventionals w/Set-Back Front Axle—105.3" BBC
(1971 models. Availability to be announced.) Gas LTS-800, LTS-900
Diesel LTS-8000, LTS-9000

IDENTIFYING THE LOUISVILLE LINE

IDENTIFICATION MODEL CODE	PREFIX	SERIES NUMBER	SERIES DESCRIPTION
F	L	800 thru 900	Heavy Conventional 105.3 BBC (Gas)
K	L	8000 thru 9000	Heavy Conventional 105.3 BBC (Diesel)
T	LT	800 thru 900	Heavy Conventional Tandem 105.3 BBC (Gas)
U	LT	8000 thru 9000	Heavy Conventional Tandem 105.3 BBC (Diesel)
V	LTS	800 thru 900	Heavy Conventional Set-Back Axle (Gas)
Y	LTS	8000 thru 9000	Heavy Conventional Set-Back Axle (Diesel)
N	LN	500 thru 750	Medium Short Conventional 95.3 BBC (Gas)
R	LN	6000 thru 7000	Medium Short Conventional 95.3 BBC (Diesel)
N	LN	800 thru 900	Heavy Short Conventional 93.3 BBC (Gas)
R	LN	8000 thru 9000	Heavy Short Conventional 93.3 BBC (Diesel)
S	LNT	800 thru 900	Heavy Short Conventional Tandem (Gas)
W	LNT	8000 thru 9000	Heavy Short Conventional Tandem (Diesel)

LOUISVILLE LINE

Features and Specifications



MANEUVERABILITY, VISIBILITY, ACCESSIBILITY

The Ford LN-500 thru 750 and 6000-7000 LOUISVILLE LINE Series trucks are the only medium-heavy short conventionals (95.3" BBC) in the industry which provide, in a single package, exceptional maneuverability with full 40 degree wheel cuts—total visibility with the largest windshield, side window and total glass area of any medium-heavy short conventional truck in the industry—largest interior working room and comfortable, straight up seating with chair-high bench or optional bucket seats—complete accessibility with a full tilting steel reinforced fiberglass hood and fender assembly which tilts forward a full 60 degrees for stand-up servicing of all engine compartment accessories.

A wide selection of job tailored wheelbases and just right cab-to-axle dimensions permit the installation of bodies up to 22 feet long.



STRENGTH, ENDURANCE, FLEXIBILITY

The Ford L-LT-LN- and LNT-800-8000-900-9000 forward set front axle short conventionals (93.3" BBC) and conventionals (105.3" BBC) and the LTS -800-8000-900-9000 set back front axle conventionals (105.3" BBC) provide truckers operating their vehicles in extreme service applications including dump, mixer, low-boy, semi-trailers, logging, oil field exploration, etc., the necessary combination of proven durability in all areas; wide-open engine compartment and in-cab serviceability and the most spacious cab interior with unmatched driver visibility in the industry.

Durability of these LOUISVILLE LINE series trucks has been proven by frame, cab, front end fiberglass assembly, radiator, etc., laboratory testing which simulated varying types of off-road applications of over 300,000 miles off-road duration.



The Ford LOUISVILLE LINE tractor models include the LN-500 thru 750 and 6000-7000 series (95.3" BBC) which are designed and powered for stop-start, city-suburban delivery type operations. Also available are the L- and LT-800-8000 conventional series (105.3" BBC) and the LN- and LNT-800-8000 short conventionals (93.3" BBC) which will prove to be the industry pacesetters in the short haul-shuttle tractor market. Rounding out this complete line are the high mileage, high durability road tractors including the L- and LT-900-9000 series full conventionals (105.3" BBC) and the LN- and LNT-900-9000 series short conventionals (93.3" BBC).

This complete line of models provides operators with a selection of Ford's proven durable and economical gasoline engines ranging in power from 150 to 266 horsepower and a selection of the most popular diesels in the industry with horsepowers from 150 to 335 supplied by Caterpillar, Cummins and Detroit Diesel. Also available is a wide selection of BBC's including 93.3", 95.3" and 105.3" with front axle settings of from 27.3" on the L-LT-LN- and LNT-800 thru 9000 series, ideal for operation in bridge formula states, to 46.3" on the set-back front axle LTS-Series, providing maximum front axle loadings in non-bridge formula states.

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Here is a graphic blueprint of the better ideas that increase roadtime by giving Ford LOUISVILLE LINE trucks the strength and dependability that help keep trucks on the job. While these better ideas concentrate on durability, they also cover a wide spectrum of other factors that contribute to lower operating costs. And behind every LOUISVILLE LINE truck stands another better idea—the better idea of a completely new assembly plant that was built for the exclusive manufacture of medium, heavy and extra-heavy-duty trucks. The world's largest, most modern truck manufacturing facility, this new plant gives you the benefits of new production and quality control procedures that provide new standards of truck reliability.

Four strategically located electrical junction blocks on forward underside of hood, firewall, rear cab panel, and at the rear of frame are easily accessible for adding or testing circuits.

Underhood, dry-type air cleaner. Two-stage design traps up to 99.9% of the dirt for near perfect cleaning efficiency, longer engine life, and reduced maintenance. Standard with Diesels and on 900 Series.

Check-at-a-glance sight gauge. New "go, no-go" sight gauge allows checking coolant level without removing the cap on cross-flow radiators.

Breathable, heavy-duty knitted vinyl upholstery (standard on 9000 Series and all individual seats) is attractive, comfortable and long wearing. Resilient foam seat cushion and back, plus chair-height seats add to driving comfort.

Easy-to-reach circuit breaker or fuse panel. On linehaul panels, the circuit breaker (standard on 9000 Series, optional 8000 and 900) or fuse panel is on the right side of the instrument panel behind a hinged, padded door.

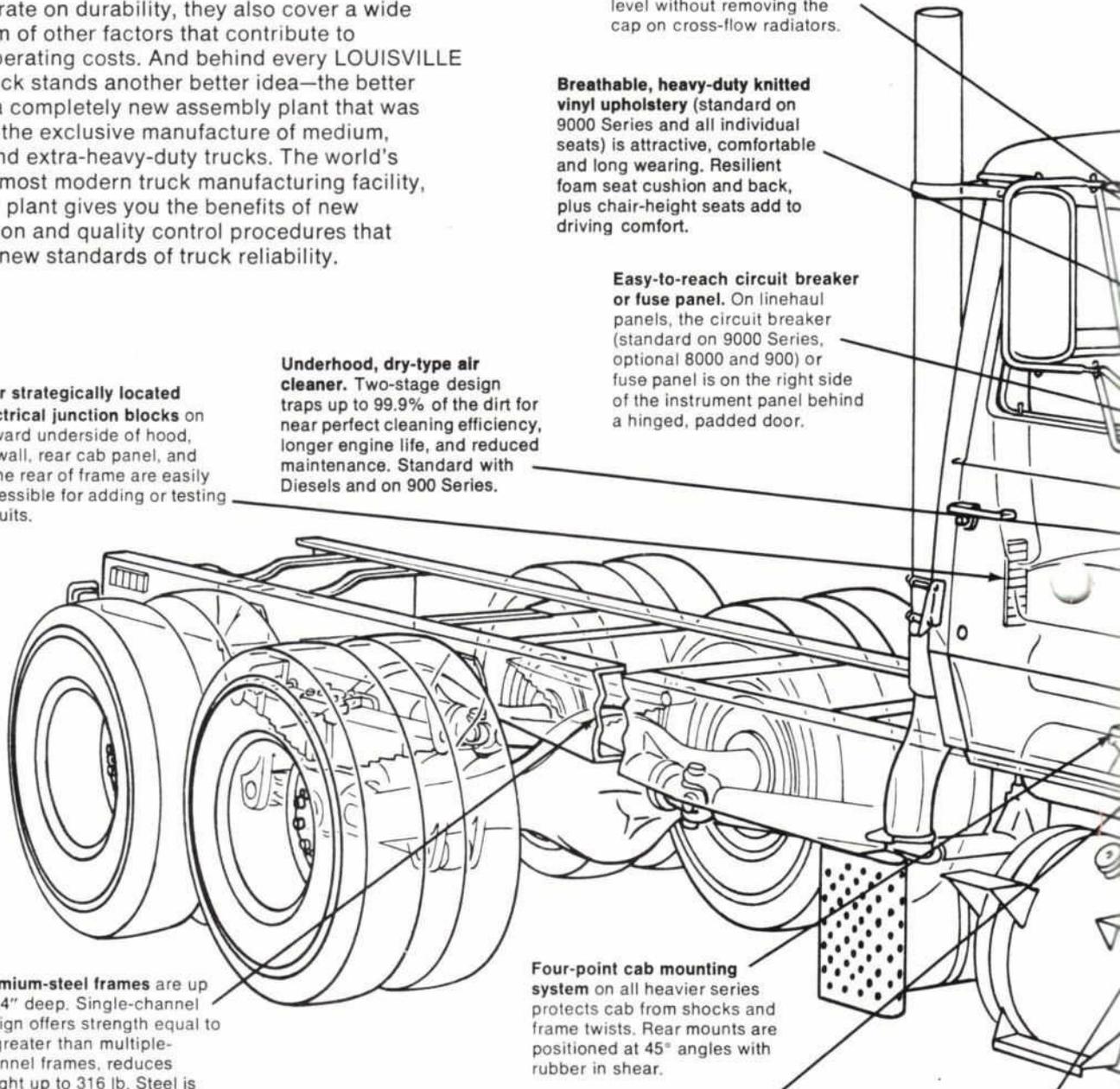
Premium-steel frames are up to 14" deep. Single-channel design offers strength equal to or greater than multiple-channel frames, reduces weight up to 316 lb. Steel is up to 110,000 psi. Bolted frames available.

Four-point cab mounting system on all heavier series protects cab from shocks and frame twists. Rear mounts are positioned at 45° angles with rubber in shear.

Two large air tanks replace the usual three or four. Vehicle weight and service complexity are reduced. Automatic moisture ejectors eliminate hand draining.

Neoprene® adds extra protection to Hypalon® electrical insulation. Cab and engine wiring harnesses are wrapped with Neoprene tape that is fused together forming a tough moisture and abrasion-resistant covering.

Space to spare to service the biggest engines in both long and short conventionals. With the hood tilted, mechanics can walk right up to the frame for "feet-on-the-ground" engine compartment service.



Models, Features and Specifications *Continued*

Heavy-duty precision instruments. Direct reading, mechanical-type oil pressure and water temperature gauges are standard with linehaul instrument panel for long life and accurate readings.

Adjustable steering column maintains constant, 20° optimum wheel angle and adjusts 4½ inches fore and aft. Standard LN- and LNT-9000, optional 800, 8000 and up.

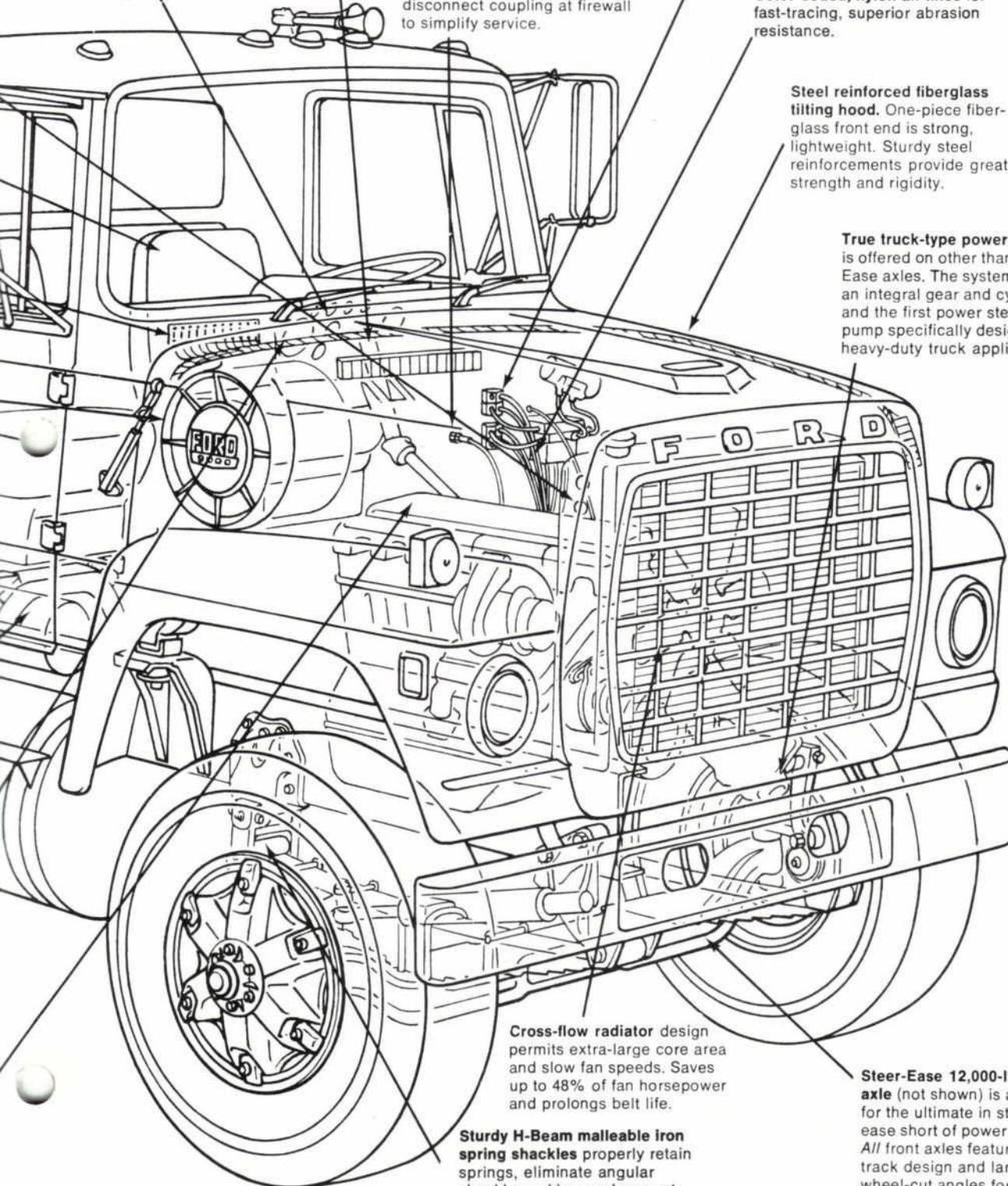
Two-piece speedometer and tachometer cables on most models have a quick-disconnect coupling at firewall to simplify service.

Dual brakes. All models—air or hydraulic—have essentially two brake systems. Air brakes have been designed to provide faster air transmission times for quicker response and shorter stopping distances.

Color-coded, nylon air lines for fast-tracing, superior abrasion resistance.

Steel reinforced fiberglass tilting hood. One-piece fiberglass front end is strong, lightweight. Sturdy steel reinforcements provide greater strength and rigidity.

True truck-type power steering is offered on other than Steer-Ease axles. The system has an integral gear and cylinder, and the first power steering pump specifically designed for heavy-duty truck applications.



Cross-flow radiator design permits extra-large core area and slow fan speeds. Saves up to 48% of fan horsepower and prolongs belt life.

Sturdy H-Beam malleable iron spring shackles properly retain springs, eliminate angular shackle cocking, and prevent overtightening or "frozen" shackles.

Steer-Ease 12,000-lb. front axle (not shown) is available for the ultimate in steering ease short of power steering. All front axles feature wide-track design and large wheel-cut angles for tight-turning maneuverability.



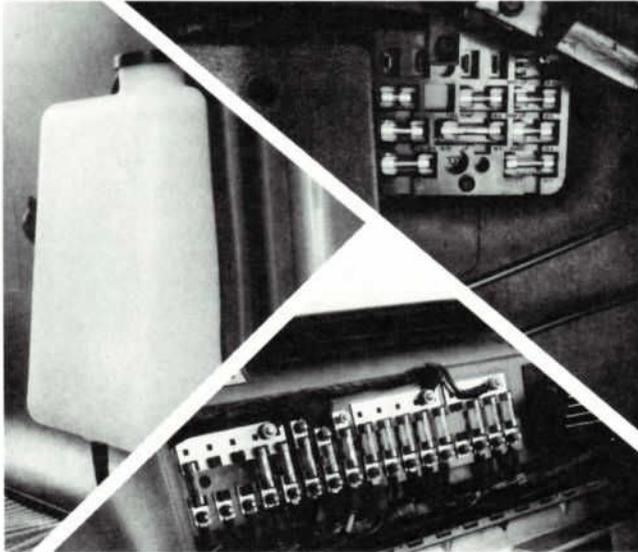
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SERVICE AND MAINTENANCE

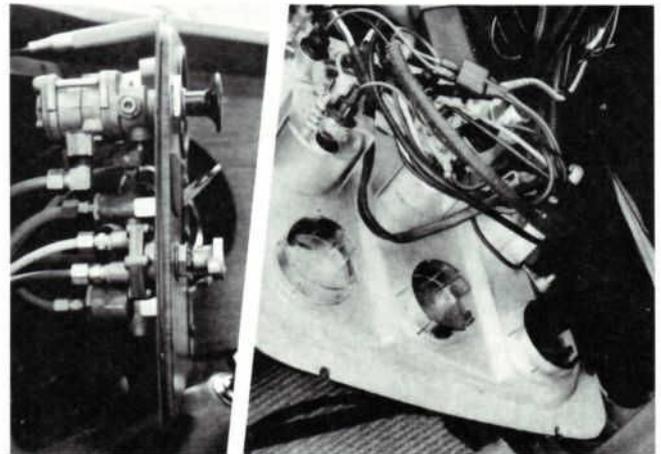
• INTERIOR OF CAB

Cab service checks are easily performed in the LOUISVILLE LINE. Full accessibility without the need to remove body panels is a highlight of these trucks. The following items are noted:



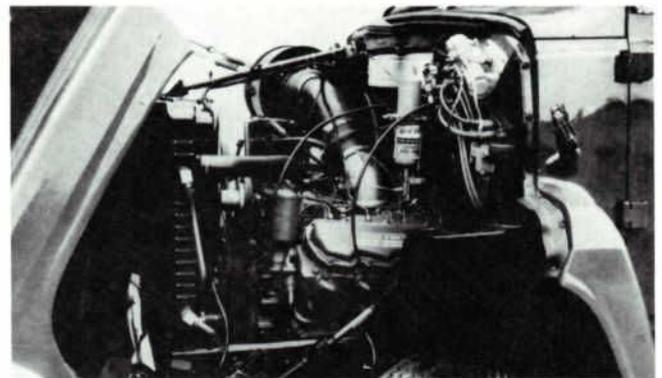
- Windshield washer reservoir is a translucent plastic container located on the cab back panel near the driver's door opening that can be visually checked without removing a cap.
- Air tanks are equipped with automatic "spitter" valves and do not normally require draining.
- Batteries are located to provide a maximum degree of serviceability.
- Servicing of electrical system fuses is particularly easy. The linehaul panel fuse block (or circuit breaker block) is located behind a hinged door on the right side of, and is part of, the instrument panel. The city delivery panel fuse block is located centrally in the cab on the toeboard below the instrument panel. Fuses in both the city and linehaul blocks are labeled for immediate function identification.
- The removable instrument panel and the hinged engine and operating gauge section in the linehaul panel provides unsurpassed serviceability of gauges, wiring and the gauge lighting.
- An Air Pac, locating all air controls in one area of the instrument panel, is standard on air brake equipped vehicles. The Air Pac and distribution manifold which is located on the engine firewall can be removed as an assembly for easy servicing. All air hoses are color coded as follows, to provide easier troubleshooting and servicing: GREEN—Primary System; RED—Secondary System; ORANGE—Parking Brake System; and ALL OTHER COLORS—Accessories (Horns, Wipers, etc.). All lines $\frac{3}{8}$ " or larger also have a two-layer color construction that incorporates an orange undercoating that shows through the code color if the hose suffers abrasion.

- Electrical junction blocks on the cab back panel and cowl feature eyelet connectors and color coded terminals for quicker system troubleshooting.
- By-pass oil filters including the Ford-Cummins and the Luber-Finer are mounted for quick, easy maintenance. The standard location is under the battery carrier or optionally, on the back of cab. Simplified disconnect is provided in the battery carrier installation to remove the bypass filter for servicing.
- The door and window opening mechanism and the door locking system is easily serviced by simply removing the snap-in access cover plate in the bottom of the door.



• EXTERIOR OF CAB

Ford is the only truck manufacturer in the industry to provide full walk-in, stand-up front end serviceability for medium, heavy and extra-heavy trucks with a tilting front end hood and fender assembly. And, when front mounted equipment is installed and the optional butterfly hood is specified, operators are still provided with a tilting front end should the front end mounted equipment be removed.

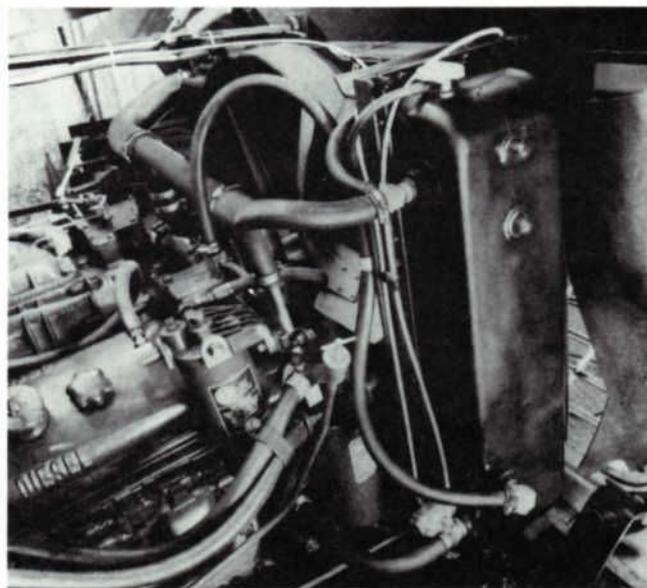


LOUISVILLE LINE

Features and Specifications *Continued*

This full, 60° tilting front end assembly permits ready accessibility to the following components and systems:

- Radiator water level can be checked on all heavy (800 Series and up) models by referring to the sight gauges which are located on the right hand side of the filler tank. The 800 sq. in. crossflow radiator features one sight gauge while the larger, bolted, 1040 sq. in. crossflow radiator has two. Should it be required, coolant can be added from a ground level location. The convenient 640 sq. in. downflow radiator water level is easily checked and coolant added through the filler neck located at the upper right of the radiator on 500 thru 750-Series trucks.
- Accessible drain cocks located outside the frame rails, one on each side of the crossflow radiators, makes radiator draining very easy with the front end tilted.
- Oil dipstick and filler cap are also located in the right front corner of the engine compartment, in most cases.
- The frame-mounted, underhood battery is quickly and easily checked and serviced from right side of the vehicle.
- Cowl mounted two-stage dry type air cleaner is protected and easily serviced in its underhood, right side location, with the front end tilted or the butterfly front end opened. A restriction indicator visually signals when servicing is required.
- Engine mounted air cleaners are also fully accessible and easily serviced as a result of the "walk in-stand up" service room provided by the full, 60° tilting front end.
- The water filter and conditioner where used is mounted on the engine for easy accessibility.
- Mechanical clutch linkage is easily serviced from the engine area.
- Accelerator linkage is readily accessible and easily adjusted without disconnecting the ball joint ends.
- Complete in-vehicle overhaul of the engine is possible with the new LOUISVILLE LINE. On the L-LT- and LTS*-Series conventionals and on the LN- and LNT-Series short conventionals with gasoline and V-Series diesels, the major portion of the overhaul can be accomplished from within the engine compartment. On the short conventional LN- and LNT-Series with the longer, in-line diesels, overhaul is performed from both in the cab and in the engine compartment.
- The entire front end assembly is easily removed by simply removing the two hinge pins and disconnecting the check cables and the front end wiring harness at the junction block. This permits complete engine removal from the chassis should it ever be required.
- The full, 60° tilting front end provides free access to the manual and power steering gears for checking and adding lubricant and quickly checking and adjusting belts if required.
- Two piece speedometer and tachometer drive cables are easily lubricated from the engine area.
- Air stoplight switch is mounted to the air manifold in the engine compartment. It is easily reached from the ground with the front end tilted.
- Electrical junction blocks on the cowl panel and in the fiberglass front end provide quick and easy servicing of electrical wiring and components.



FRAME MODIFICATION RECOMMENDATIONS

The Louisville Line trucks have "application designed" frames, built to do a job without requiring hundreds of pounds of additional "deadweight" reinforcements. This was accomplished by the strategic use of high tensile strength (110,000 PSI) heat-treated steel on most models. If there is any modification required with these type frames, the following recommendations should be noted:

• Drilling (Side Members)

No holes permitted in side member flanges. Holes may be added to the side member web providing a 2.00 inch minimum edge of hole to inside of frame side member flange edge distance is maintained. Maximum drilled hole to be added must not exceed 1.00 inch diameter. Caution should be taken when adding any holes to frame side members to avoid close grouping of holes. At least 1.00 inch of metal should separate any two adjacent holes.

• Drilling (Cross Member)

Addition of holes in cross members is not recommended.

• Welding (Side Member)

No welding permitted on frame side members.

• Welding (Cross Member)

Welding of cross members is not recommended.

**1971 model with set back front axle to be available approximately April, 1970.*



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Models, Features and Specifications *Continued*

FORD LN-500 THROUGH LN-7000 SPECIFICATIONS

Single-Axle	Gasoline Powered				Diesel Powered	
SERIES	LN-500	LN-600	LN-700	LN-750	LN-6000	LN-7000
GVW RATING (lb.)	Max. 20,000	24,000	25,500	25,500	25,500	25,500
GCW RATING (lb.)	Max. 25,500	32,000	42,000	50,000	42,000	24,000
AXLE, FRONT— Cap'y (lb.)	Std. 5,000 Opt. —	5,000 5,500 6,000, 7,000	5,000 5,500 6,000, 7,000	5,500 6,000, 7,000 9,000	5,000 5,500, 6,000 7,000	5,000 5,500, 6,000 7,000, 9,000
AXLE, REAR— Cap'y (lb.)	Std. 11,000 Opt. 13,000, 15,000	15,000 17,500	17,500 18,500	17,500 18,500	15,000 17,500	17,500 18,500
BRAKES, SERVICE SPLIT-SYSTEM†	Std. Vac.-Hyd. Opt. —	Vac.-Hyd. HD Vac.-Hyd. Full Air*	Vac.-Hyd. HD Vac.-Hyd. Full Air*	Vac.-Hyd. HD Vac.-Hyd. Full Air*	Vac.-Hyd. HD Vac.-Hyd. Full Air*	Vac.-Hyd. HD Vac.-Hyd. Full Air*
BRAKES, PARKING	Std.	Internal Shoe with Vac.-Hyd. Brakes Spring-Set w/Air Brakes				
ENGINES	Std. 240 Six Opt. 300 Six 330 V-8	300 HD Six 330 & 330 HD V-8 361 HD V-8	330 HD V-8 361 HD V-8	361 HD V-8 391 HD V-8	V150 V-8 V175 V-8	V175 V-8 V200 V-8
CLUTCH (Dia. in.)	Std. 11 Opt. 4-Spd. 5-Spd.	12 4-Spd. 5-Spd.	13 4-Spd. 5-Spd.	13 5-Spd.	13 4-Spd. 5-Spd., 10-Spd.	13 5-Spd., 10-Spd.
TRANSMISSIONS	Std. 4-Spd. Opt. 5-Spd.	4-Spd. 5-Spd.	4-Spd. 5-Spd.	5-Spd.	4-Spd. 5-Spd., 10-Spd.	5-Spd., 10-Spd.
SPRINGS, FRONT—Cap'y (lb.)	Std. 2,600 Opt. 4,500	3,000 6,700	3,000 8,100	3,000 8,100	3,000 6,700	3,000 8,100
SPRINGS, REAR— Cap'y (lb.)	Std. 4,500 Opt. 6,700	8,100, 9,300 10,400 2,250	9,300, 10,400 2,250	9,300, 10,400 2,250	8,100 9,300, 10,400 2,250	9,300 10,400 2,250
Optional auxiliaries	2,250	2,250	2,250	2,250	2,250	2,250
POWER STEERING	Optional	Optional	Optional	Optional	Optional	Optional
WHEELS	Std. 6-Hole Disc Opt. —	6-Hole Disc Cast Spoke	Cast Spoke	Cast Spoke	6-Hole Disc Cast Spoke	Cast Spoke 6- or 10-Hole Disc
TIRES (Tube-type nylon) Maximum	Std. 7.00 x 20 8PR Opt. 8.25 x 20 12PR	7.50 x 20 8PR 9.00 x 20 12PR	8.25 x 20 10PR 10.00 x 20 12PR	9.00 x 20 10PR 10.00 x 20 12PR	7.50 x 20 8PR 9.00 x 20 12PR	8.25 x 20 10PR 10.00 x 20 12PR

Note: Use adequate tires for loads and types of service. *Full air brakes: wedge type or cam type. †Single vac.-hyd. system optional.

FORD 800- THROUGH 9000-SERIES SPECIFICATIONS

	SINGLE-AXLE SERIES				TANDEM-AXLE SERIES				
	GASOLINE POWERED		DIESEL POWERED		GASOLINE POWERED		DIESEL POWERED		
SERIES	L- & LN-800	L- & LN-9000	L- & LN-8000	L- & LN-9000	LT- & LNT-800	LT- & LTN-900	LT- & LNT-8000	LT- & LNT-9000	
GVW RATING (lb.)	Max. 34,000	35,000	35,000	35,000	50,000	54,000 60,000 (LT)	54,000 60,000 (LT)	54,000 60,000 (LT)	
GCW RATING (lb.)	Max. 50,000	80,000	50,000	80,000	50,000	80,000	50,000	80,000	
AXLE, FRONT— Cap'y (lb.)	Std. 6,000 Opt. 7,000, 9,000 12,000†	7,000 9,000 12,000†	7,000 9,000 12,000†	9,000 12,000†	7,000 9,000 12,000†, 16,000	9,000 12,000† 16,000	9,000 12,000† 16,000	9,000 12,000† 16,000	
AXLE, REAR— Cap'y (lb.)	Std. 17,500 Opt. 18,500 22,000	18,500 22,000 23,000	22,000 23,000	23,000	34,000	34,000 38,000 44,000 (LT)	34,000 38,000 44,000 (LT)	34,000 38,000 44,000 (LT)	
BRAKES, SERVICE SPLIT-SYSTEM*	Std. Vac.-Hyd. Opt. HD Vac.-Hyd. Full Air*	Vac.-Hyd. (L) Full Air (LN)	Full Air*	Full Air*	Vac.-Hyd. HD Vac.-Hyd. Full Air*	Vac.-Hyd. Full Air (LNT)	Full Air*	Full Air*	
BRAKES, PARKING	Std.	Internal Shoe with Vac.-Hyd. Brakes Spring-Set Type with Full Air Brakes				Internal Shoe with Vac.-Hyd. Brakes Spring-Set Type with Full Air Brakes			
ENGINE	Std. 361 HD V-8 Opt. 391 HD V-8	401 SD V-8 477 SD V-8 534 SD V-8	V175 V-8 V200 V-8 V225 V-8 6V-53N	NH-230 NHC-250 Series NTC-335 Series 6-71N Series 8V-71N Series (L) NHCT-CT (LN)	330 HD V-8 361 HD V-8 391 HD V-8	401 SD V-8 477 SD V-8 534 SD V-8	V175 V-8 V200 V-8 V225 V-8 6V-53N	NH-230 NHC-250 Series NTC-335 Series 6-71N Series 8V-71N Series (LT) NHCT-CT (LNT)	
CLUTCH (Dia. in.)	Std. 13—1 Plate	13—2 Plate	13—1 Plate	14—2 Plate	13—1 Plate	13—2 Plate	13—1 Plate	14—2 Plate	
TRANSMISSIONS (Direct)	Std. 5-Speed	5-Speed	5-Speed	5-Speed	5-Speed	5-Speed	5-Speed	5-Speed	
5-speed transmissions available with wide or close ratio and O.D.	Opt. 5-Speed Transmatic	5-Speed Transmatic (L) 10-Speed 4-Spd. (L)	5-Speed Transmatic 10-Speed	5-Spd., 6-Spd. (LN) 10-Spd., 13-Spd. 16-Spd. 3-Spd. (L)	5-Speed Transmatic	5-Speed Transmatic 10-Speed	5-Speed Transmatic 10-Speed	5-Spd., 6-Spd. (LN) 10-Spd., 13-Spd. 16-Spd. 3- & 4-Spd. (LT)	
Auxiliary					3- & 4-Spd. (LT)	3- & 4-Spd. (LT)	3- & 4-Spd. (LT)	3- & 4-Spd. (LT)	
SPRINGS FRONT Cap'y (lb.)	Std. 3,000 Opt. 4,000†, 5,000† 5,400, 6,000	4,000 4,000†, 5,000† 5,400, 6,000	4,000 4,000†, 5,000† 5,400, 6,000	4,000 4,000†, 5,000† 5,400, 6,000	4,000 4,000†, 5,000† 5,400, 6,000 7,200	4,000 4,000†, 5,000† 5,400, 6,000 7,200	4,000 4,000†, 5,000† 5,400, 6,000 7,200	4,000 4,000†, 5,000† 5,400, 6,000 7,200	
SPRINGS REAR— Cap'y (lb.)	Std. 8,100 Opt. 9,300 10,400	8,100 9,300, 10,400 13,000	8,100 9,300 10,400	9,300 10,400 13,000	15,500	15,500	15,500	14,000 15,500 (LT)	
Optional auxiliaries	2,250	2,250	2,250	2,250					
POWER STEERING	Optional	Optional	Optional	Optional	Optional	Optional	Optional	Optional	
WHEELS	Std. Cast Spoke Opt. 6- or 10-Hole Disc	Cast Spoke 10-Hole Disc	Cast Spoke 10-Hole Disc	Cast Spoke 10-Hole Disc	Cast Spoke 10-Hole Disc	Cast Spoke 10-Hole Disc	Cast Spoke 10-Hole Disc	Cast Spoke 10-Hole Disc	
TIRES (turbo-type) Maximum**	Std. 9.00 x 20 10PR Opt. 12.00 x 20 14PR	9.00 x 20 10PR 12.00 x 20 10PR	9.00 x 20 10PR 12.00 x 20 14PR	10.00 x 20 12PR 12.00 x 20 14PR	9.00 x 20 10PR 12.00 x 20 14PR	9.00 x 20 10PR 12.00 x 20 14PR	9.00 x 20 10PR 12.00 x 20 14PR	10.00 x 20 12PR 12.00 x 20 14PR	

NOTE: Use adequate tires for loads and type of service. †Conventional or Steer-Ease steering. †Soft deflection rate type. *Single vac.-hyd. system optional on single-axle models.
**Flotation and wire cord tires available. Consult your Ford Dealer. *Air brakes available—wedge or cam type.

Further detailed product information, installation instructions for accessories, and body repair information is available through your Ford Truck Dealer. As applicable service information becomes available, it will be included in future issues of Shop Tips magazine.

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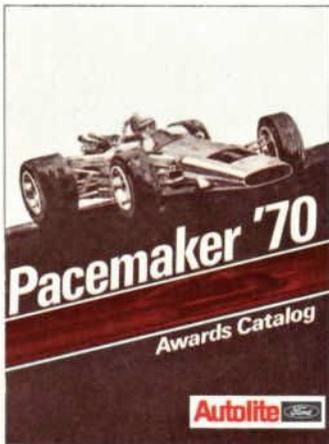
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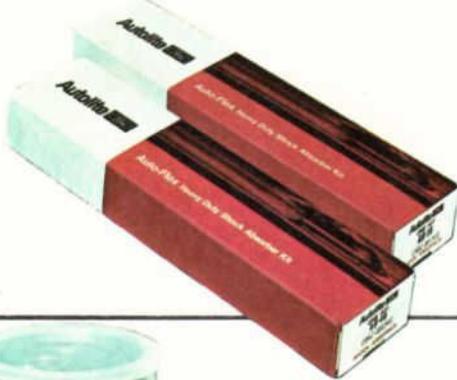
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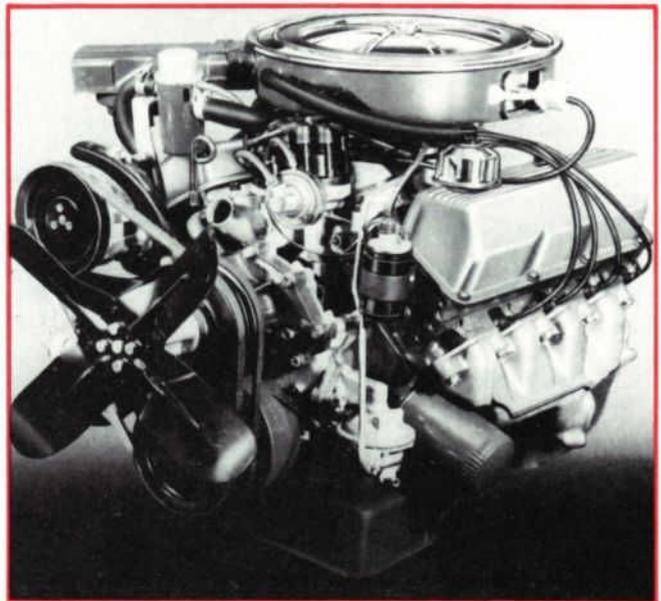


302 BOSS ENGINE SERVICE and Blueprinting Specifications

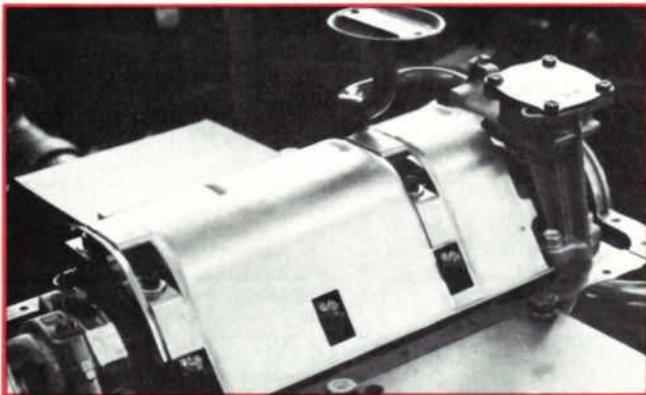
302 BOSS ENGINE

The 302 BOSS engine is available on BOSS 302 Mustang and Cougar Eliminator models. 302 BOSS engine features, as well as features of these two car models that use it, were covered in the August, 1969 issue of Shop Tips. Specifications, however, were not included. This article is a supplement to the August Shop Tips.

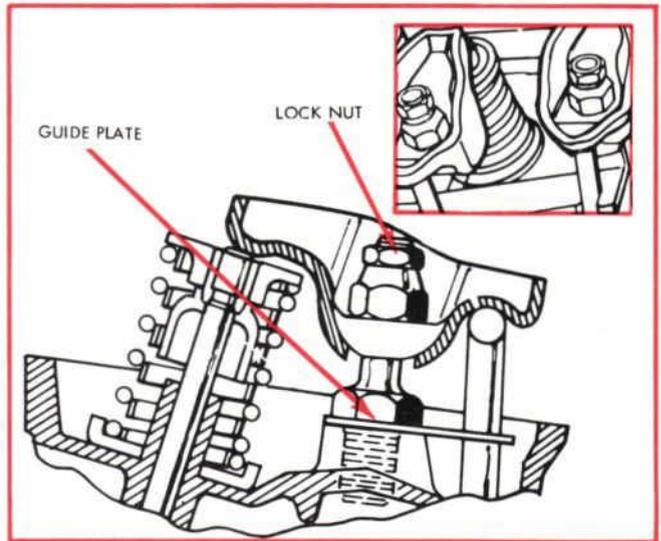
Essentially, the 302 BOSS engine is a high output version of the standard 302 CID engine used in many Ford-built vehicles. However, very few parts are interchangeable; and in fact most are completely different such as the "canted" valve design—making for special service procedures. For instance, the 302 BOSS has an oil baffle tray connected to the main bearing caps to resist oil frothing and aeration in the crankcase, during high output operation. The baffle must be removed to service the main bearings or connecting rods. 302 BOSS engines also use a guide plate for each pair of push rods, to keep them properly aligned at high rpm. Other significant service differences include high compression "pop-up" pistons with arrows that must point towards the front of the engine, an aluminum intake manifold that must be retained in the torque sequence shown, and Autolite AF-32 14mm diameter spark plugs instead of the more conventional BF-32 18mm spark plugs.



302 Boss Engine



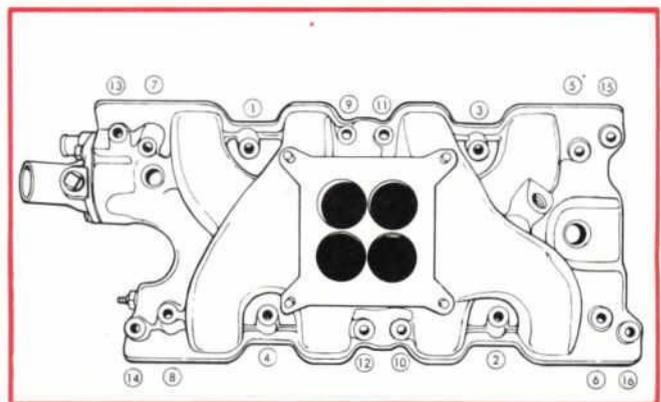
Oil Baffle Tray



Push Rod Guide Plate



Pop-up Piston and Rod Assembly



Intake, Manifold Torque Sequence



302 BOSS ENGINE SERVICE

SERVICE SPECIFICATIONS

GENERAL

Compression Ratio	10.5:1	Curb Idle RPM	800
Bore and Stroke (Inches)	4.00 x 3.00	Fast Idle RPM	2150
Taxable Horsepower	51.2	Ignition Timing (BTDC)	6°
Brake Horsepower	290 @ 5800 rpm		16°
Gross Torque	290 ft.-lbs. @ 4300	Dwell Angle at Idle	30°-33°
Engine Idle Manifold Vacuum	12 Inches of Mercury	Point Gap	0.020"
	@ Sea Level	Spark Plug Gap	0.032"-0.036"
Oil Pressure—Hot @ 2000 rpm	35-60 psi	Spark Plug No.	Autolite AF-32 14mm
Drive Belt Tension (All)	140—New	Firing Order	1-5-4-2-6-3-7-8
	110—Used		

Compression Pressure PSI (Sea Level) @ Cranking Speed See Chart Below

COMPRESSION PRESSURE LIMIT CHART

Maximum PSI	Minimum PSI	Maximum PSI	Minimum PSI	Maximum PSI	Minimum PSI	Maximum PSI	Minimum PSI	Maximum PSI	Minimum PSI
134	101	158	118	182	136	206	154	230	172
136	102	160	120	184	138	208	156	232	174
138	104	162	121	186	140	210	157	234	175
140	105	164	123	188	141	212	158	236	177
142	107	166	124	190	142	214	160	238	178
144	108	168	126	192	144	216	162	240	180
146	110	170	127	194	145	218	163	242	181
148	111	172	129	196	147	220	165	244	183
150	113	174	131	198	148	222	166	246	184
152	114	176	132	200	150	224	168	248	186
154	115	178	133	202	151	226	169	250	187
156	117	180	135	204	153	228	171		

DISTRIBUTOR

C9ZF-12127-B

Centrifugal Advance RPM (Distributor)	Vacuum Advance In. Hg.	Vacuum Retard In. Hg.
350 0—½°	5 0—2°	5 0—5½°
500 0—¾°	10 5¼—8¾°	10
750 0—1¼°	15	15 5—6°
1000 ¾—2¼°	20 8½—11°	20
1500 2½—5°	25	
2000 4½—7°		
Maximum Centrifugal	Maximum Vacuum	Maximum Retard
Advance 11° @ 2950 RPM	Advance 11° @ 20 In. Hg.	6° @ 20 In. Hg.

C9ZF-12127-E

Centrifugal Advance RPM (Distributor)	Vacuum Advance In. Hg.	Vacuum Retard In. Hg.
350 0—½°	5 0—1°	5 0—2°
500 0—½°	10 2½—5½°	10 3—6°
750 0—1½°	15	15 5—6°
1000 2½—4¾°	20 4½—7°	20
1500 7¼—10°	25	
2000 8½—11°		
Maximum Centrifugal	Maximum Vacuum	Maximum Retard
Advance 11° @ 2000 RPM	Advance 7° @ 25 In. Hg.	6° @ 20 In. Hg.

4-BBL CARBURETOR C9ZF-9510-J

Fuel System	Choke System	Manual
Fuel Level	Lower Edge of Sight Plug	
Dry Float Setting	Parallel With Floor of Float Bowl with Bowl Inverted	
Fuel Pressure (psi)	5.0	19-26
Vent Valve Setting	0.070	No. 2
Main Metering Jet		White
Primary	68	Override Spring Adjustment (Min.)
Secondary	82	0.015
Power Valve Timing (In. Hg.)	5½—7½	Dashpot
Secondary Throttle Opening	½ Turn of Secondary Throttle Stop Screw	Solenoid Equipped
		Idle RPM
		800
		Fast Idle RPM ①
		2150
		Air Fuel Ratio (Idle)
		13.8:1

① On the Kickdown or Second Step of Cam.

CYLINDER HEAD

Combustion Chamber Volume	.....61.3-64.3 cc.
Valve Guide Bore Dia. (Std. Int/Exh)	.....0.3433"-0.3443"
Valve Seat Width	.....0.060"-0.080"
Valve Seat Angle	.....45°
Valve Seat Runout (Max.)	.....0.0015"
Valve Arrangement (Front to Rear)	
-Right Side	.....I-E-I-E-I-E-I-E
-Left Side	.....E-I-E-I-E-I-E-I
Rocker Arm Stud	.....7/16 - 14 Threaded
Gasket Surface Flatness	.....0.003" in any 6 Inches 0.007" Overall
Head Gasket Surface Finish	.....90-150 RMS

CYLINDER BLOCK

Cylinder Bore Diameter	.....4.0004" - 4.0028"
Out of Round (Max.)	.....0.001"
Wear Limit (Max.)	.....0.005"
Surface Finish	.....15-35 RMS
Cylinder Bore Diameter (0.003 O.S.)	.....4.0028" - 4.0040"
Tappet Bore Diameter	.....0.8752" - 0.8767"
Main Bearing Bore Diameter	.....2.4412" - 2.4420"
Distributor Shaft Bore Diameter	.....0.4525" - 0.4541"
Head Gasket Surface Flatness	.....0.003" in any 6 Inches 0.007" Overall
Head Gasket Surface Finish	.....90-150 RMS

CRANKSHAFT AND FLYWHEEL

Main Bearing Journal Diameter	.....2.2482" - 2.2490"
Out of Round (Max.)	.....0.0004"
Runout (Max.)	.....0.002"
Wear Limit (Max.)	.....0.003"
Main Bearing Journal Thrust Face Runout	.....0.001"
Main Bearing Journal Taper (Max.)	.....0.0003" per inch
Thrust Bearing Journal Length	.....1.137" - 1.139"
Main Bearing Surface Finish (Max.)	
-Journal	.....12 RMS
-Thrust Face	.....35 RMS Front 25 RMS Rear
Connecting Rod Journal Diameter	.....2.1222" - 2.1230"
Out of Round (Max.)	.....0.0004"
Taper (Max.)	.....0.0004" per inch
Crankshaft Free End Play	.....0.004" - 0.008"
Wear Limit (Max.)	.....0.012"
Crankshaft To Rear Face of Block Runout T.I.R. (Max.)	.....0.010"
Flywheel Clutch Face Runout	.....0.010"
Flywheel O.D. Runout	.....0.018"

CRANKSHAFT BEARINGS

Connecting Rod Bearings	
To Crankshaft Clearance	
-Desired	.....0.0015" - 0.0025"
-Allowable	.....0.0010" - 0.0028"
Wall Thickness Standard	.....0.0759" - 0.0764"
(0.002" U.S. Thickness, Add 0.0010" to Std. Thickness)	

CRANKSHAFT BEARINGS continued

Main Bearings	
To Crankshaft Clearance	
-Desired	.....0.0005" - 0.0015"
-Allowable	.....0.0001" - 0.0018" #1 0.0005" - 0.0024" All Others
Wall Thickness Standard	.....0.0961" - 0.0966" #1 0.0957" - 0.0962" All Others
(0.002" U.S. Thickness, Add 0.0010" to Std. Thickness)	

CONNECTING ROD

Piston Pin Bore or Bushing I.D.	.....0.9104" - 0.9112"
Connecting Rod Bearing Bore Diameter	.....2.2390" - 2.2398"
Out of Round and Taper (Max.)	.....0.0004"
Length—Center to Center	.....5.1485" - 5.1515"
Alignment (Note: Pin bushing and crankshaft bearing bore must be parallel and in same vertical plane within specified total difference at ends of 8-inch long bar measured 4-inches on each side of rod.)	
Maximum Total Difference	
-Twist	.....0.012"
-Bend	.....0.004"
Assembled To Crankshaft	
-Side Clearance	.....0.013" - 0.025"
-Wear Limits	.....0.028"

PISTON

Diameter (At pin bore centerline 90° to pin bore)	
Coded Red	.....3.9984" - 3.9990"
Coded Blue	.....3.9996" - 4.0002"
0.003" Oversize	.....4.0008" - 4.0014"
Piston to Cylinder Bore Clearance	.....0.0018" - 0.0026"
Piston Bore Diameter	.....0.9124" - 0.9127"
Ring Groove Width	
Upper Compression Ring	.....0.080" - 0.081"
Lower Compression Ring	.....0.080" - 0.081"
Oil Ring	.....0.1880" - 0.1890"

PISTON PIN

Length	.....3.020" - 3.030"
Diameter	
-Standard	.....0.9119" - 0.9124"
-0.001" Oversize	.....0.9130" - 0.9133"
To Piston Clearance	.....0.0002" - 0.0004"
Wear Limit	.....0.0008"
To Connecting Rod Bushing Clearance	.....Interference Fit

PISTON RINGS

Ring Width	
Compression Ring	
-Top & Bottom	.....0.077" - 0.078"
Side Clearance	
Compression Ring	
-Top & Bottom	.....0.002" - 0.004"
Compression Ring Wear Limit	.....0.006"
Oil Ring	.....Snug
Ring Gap Width	
Compression Ring	
-Top & Bottom	.....0.010" - 0.020"
Oil Ring (Steel Rail)	.....0.015" - 0.069"



302 BOSS ENGINE SERVICE

OIL PUMP

Relief Valve Spring Tension	14.3 - 15.3 Lbs. @ 1.70"
Drive Shaft to Housing Bearing Clearance	0.0015" - 0.0029"
Relief Valve Clearance	0.0015" - 0.0029"
Rotor Assembly End Clearance	0.0011" - 0.0041"
Outer Race to Housing Radial Clearance	0.006" - 0.013"

OIL PAN CAPACITY

Including 1 quart with filter	5 quarts
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CAMSHAFT

Lobe Lift	
-Intake & Exhaust	0.290"
-Maximum allowable loss	0.005"
Theoretical Valve Lift	
-Intake & Exhaust	0.477"
Overlap	58°
Duration (Intake and Exhaust)	290°
Lobe Timing Events	Open Close
-Intake Valves	34° BTC 76° ABC
-Exhaust Valves	86° BBC 24° ATC
Camshaft End Play	0.0005" - 0.0055"
Camshaft Wear Limit	0.007"
Journal to Bearing	
-Clearance	0.001" - 0.002"
-Wear Limit	0.006"
Journal Diameter	
-Bearing No. 1	2.0805" - 2.0815"
2	2.0655" - 2.0665"
3	2.0505" - 2.0515"
4	2.0355" - 2.0365"
5	2.0205" - 2.0215"
Bearing Inside Diameter	
-Bearing No. 1	2.0825" - 2.0835"
2	2.0675" - 2.0685"
3	2.0525" - 2.0535"
4	2.0375" - 2.0385"
5	2.0225" - 2.0235"
Camshaft Journal Maximum Runout	0.005"
Camshaft Journal Maximum Out-of-Round	0.0005"
Camshaft Bearing Location-	
Distance in inches that front edge of No. 1 bearing is installed towards rear from front face of the cylinder block	0.0050" - 0.0200"

CAMSHAFT DRIVE MECHANISM

Camshaft Gear or Sprocket	
Face Runout T.I.R. (Max.)	0.001"
Assembled Face Runout T.I.R. (Max.)	0.006"
Crankshaft Gear or Sprocket	
Face Runout T.I.R. (Max.)	0.001"
Assembled Face Runout T.I.R. (Max.)	0.006"
Timing Chain Deflection (Max)	0.500"

VALVES

To Valve Guide Clearance	
-Exhaust	0.0015" - 0.0032"
-Intake	0.0010" - 0.0027"
Intake Valve Guide Wear Limit	0.0045"
Valve Head Diameter	
-Exhaust	1.70" - 1.71"
-Intake	2.185" - 2.195"

Valve Face Angle	
-Intake & Exhaust	44°
Valve Face Runout (Max.)	0.002"
Valve Lash (Hot)	0.025"
Valve Stem Diameter	
Standard	
-Exhaust	0.3411" - 0.3418"
-Intake	0.3416" - 0.3423"
0.003 Oversize	
-Exhaust	0.3441" - 0.3448"
-Intake	0.3446" - 0.3453"
0.015 Oversize	
-Exhaust	0.3561" - 0.3568"
-Intake	0.3566" - 0.3573"
0.030 Oversize	
-Exhaust	0.3711" - 0.3718"
-Intake	0.3716" - 0.3723"

VALVE SPRINGS

Valve Spring Pressure	
-Closed	88-96 Lbs. @ 1.82"
-Open	299-331 Lbs. @ 1.32"
Spring Pressure Wear Limit	
-Closed	79 Lbs. @ 1.82"
-Open	269 Lbs. @ 1.32"
Valve Spring Free Length (Approximate)	2.03"
Assembled Height Pad to Retainer	1 ¹³ / ₁₆ " - 1 ²⁷ / ₃₂ "
Out-of-square (Max.)	5/64" (0.078")

VALVE ROCKER ARMS, ROCKER ARM SHAFT, PUSH RODS AND TAPPETS

Rocker Arm Lift Ratio	1.73:1
Valve Push Rod Maximum Runout	0.015"
Valve Tappet or Lifter	
-Std. Diameter	0.8740" - 0.8745"
Clearance to Bore	0.0005" - 0.0020"
Wear Limit	0.005"

TORQUE LIMITS (Foot-Pounds)

Cylinder Head Bolts	
-Step 1	40-50
-Step 2	50-60
-Step 3	65-72
Oil Pan to Cylinder Block	
-(5/16" - 18)	9-11
-(1/4" - 20)	7-9
Manifolds to Cylinder Head	
-Intake (5/16")	23-25
(3/8")	28-32
-Exhaust	12-16
Water Outlet Housing	12-15
Distributor Vacuum Control Valve	15-18
Flywheel to Crankshaft	75-85
Main Bearing Cap Bolts	60-70
(Outer bolts on No. 2, 3 & 4)	35-40
Oil Pan Drain Plug	15-20
Oil Pump to Cylinder Block	23-28
Oil Pump Cover Plate	9-12
Oil Filter Adapter to Cylinder Block	60-100
Oil Filter to Cylinder Block-With grease on gasket surface, hand tighten until gasket contacts adapter face, then tighten 1/2 turn more!	

TORQUE LIMITS (Foot-Pounds) continued

Cylinder Front Cover	12-15	Adjusting Arm to Air Pump Thermactor.....	16-20
Water Pump to Cylinder Block or Front Cover	12-15	Air Pump Drive Pulley to Pump Hub Thermactor	7-9
Camshaft Sprocket to Camshaft	40-45	Valve Rocker Arm Stud to Cylinder Head	85
Camshaft Thrust Plate in Block	9-12	Valve Rocker Arm Adjuster Lock Nut	25-35
Damper or Pulley to Crankshaft	70-90	Front Engine Supports	
Connecting Rod Nuts	40-45	Front Insulator to Engine	35-50
Valve Rocker Arm Cover	3-5	Front Insulator to Support Bracket	35-50
Oil Inlet Tube to Oil Pump	12-15	Support Bracket to Mounting Bracket	20-30
Fuel Pump to Cylinder Front Cover	20-24	Mounting Bracket to Frame	20-30
Pulley to Damper Bolts	35-45	Rear Engine Supports	
Damper to Crankshaft Bolts	70-90	Insulator Assembly to Transmission	20-30
Check Valve to Air Manifold	16-19	Insulator to Crossmember	25-35
		Crossmember to Frame	10-20

TORQUE LIMITS FOR VARIOUS SIZE BOLTS

CAUTION: If any of the torque limits listed in this chart disagree with any of those listed in the preceding pages, the limits listed on the preceding pages prevail						
Size (Inches)	¼-20	¼-28	5/16-18	5/16-24	¾-16	¾-24
Torque (Ft.-Lbs.)	6-9	6-9	12-15	15-18	20-25	30-35
Size (Inches)	7/16-14	7/16-20	½-13	½-20	9/16-18	¾-18
Torque (Ft.-Lbs.)	45-50	50-60	60-70	70-80	85-95	130-145
Size (Inches)	¼ Pipe	¾ Pipe				
Torque (Ft.-Lbs.)	12-17	23-28				

302 BOSS "STREET 'N STRIP" BLUEPRINTING SPECIFICATIONS

These specifications reflect field experiences as well as Ford engineering tests, and are a recommended guideline for setting up a "stock" competition machine.

CRITICAL DIMENSIONS

Piston to Cylinder Bore Clearance	0.0045" - 0.0055"
Main Bearing Clearance	0.0025"
Connecting Rod Bearing Clearance	0.0025"
Connecting Rod Side Clearance (Min.)	0.025"
Piston Pin Clearance	0.0005" - 0.0008"
Piston to Deck Height (Obtain by slabbing block) ..	0.001"
*Valve Seat Width and Angle	
Intake (At outer edge of valve)	30°-0.070"
Exhaust (At outer edge of valve)	45°-0.090"
Compression Ring Gasket Thickness	0.046" - 0.048"
Valve Spring Installed Height	
-Intake & Exhaust	1.80" - 1.82"

*For all-out drag racing only, use 0.035" for intakes and 0.050" for exhausts. The valves require larger seating area for "street" operation to better dissipate heat and resist burning.

BALANCE

Balance weights for individual components are not given because this information is only of value if you have balance equipment. In which case, of course, you can balance the engine. The only specification shown here is the NOMINAL TOTAL BOBWEIGHT FOR THE CRANKSHAFT, FLYWHEEL AND HARMONIC BALANCER OF 3244.5 GRAMS. The 302 BOSS engine crankshaft must be unit balanced with the flywheel and harmonic balancer attached as opposed to certain other cranks that may be balanced individually.

STRIP TIPS FOR QUICK TRIPPERS*

*NOTE: Some of these modifications may affect the car warranty and/or emission control systems.

If you plan to modify, be sure and discuss it with your Ford or Lincoln-Mercury Dealer. The warranty does not apply to any vehicle used in a "competitive" event. Competitive Events are defined in the warranty as "... formal or informal time trials, competition with any other vehicle, or any abnormal application of stress to the vehicle or components thereof in a competitive situation."

Furthermore, Federal law prohibits the removal or adverse modification of any part of federally required, factory-installed emission control system on a car or truck prior to its retail sale.

In addition, certain states prohibit highway operation of a car or truck unless it has properly installed and operating emission control systems. Check the law of your home state.

Here are some touch-up tricks that will give you ultimate output from your BOSS 302 machine.

ENGINE

- **Distributor** - Remove speed limiter. Install 289 high performance dual point distributor C5OZ-12127-E. Set initial advance at 16°. Check distributor to desired rpm on distributor machine. Maximum safe advance is 38°. Retard spark as necessary to prevent pre-ignition damage to the aluminum pistons. When necessary to replace points, use C3AZ-12171-A (2 sets) which are identical to the points used in the 289 high performance dual point distributor. Check for 32-ounce tension. These are low-mass points to resist point bounce, but they also have a high wear rate.
- **Spark Plugs** - Use Autolite AF-22 spark plugs for the strip, and AF-32's for the street. Gap at 0.032" - 0.036".
- **Ignition Wire** - Use solid-core ignition wire in place of the production radio suppression type. Autolite "Steel-ductor Silicone" cable and connectors work well, and are also heat resistant.
- **Heat Riser** - Block the heat riser passage. To do this, remove the intake manifold and install two steel or brass plates about 2" x 2" x 0.005" thick over the by-pass cross-over passages in the middle of both banks. The plates should fit between the intake manifold gasket and cylinder



302 BOSS ENGINE SERVICE AND BLUEPRINTING SPECIFICATIONS

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head face. They may have to be stuck in place until the heads are tightened down. This will prevent hot gases from warming the intake manifold and create a cooler air/fuel mixture that produces extra power.

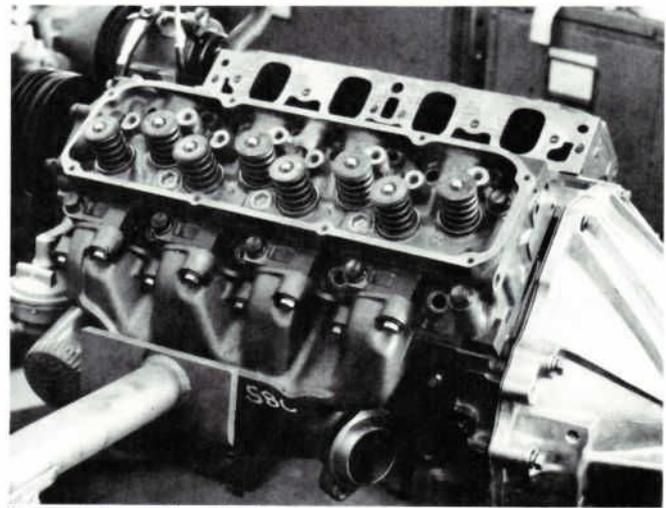
- **Fuel**—Install a 5-6 psi electric fuel pump at the tank, and use the highest octane fuel available. Replace factory carburetor jets with #70 primary's and #84 secondary's.
- **Exhaust**—Install lightweight, fabricated exhaust headers. Try 34" x 2" I.D. primary tubes into the collectors.

DRIVE LINE

- **Transmission**—If faster power shifting is desired, remove teeth and second and third gear blocker rings.
- **Rear Axle**—For strip use, install 4.57 ratio, or higher, ring and pinion gear along with a C3AZ-4880-B Detroit Automotive Locker axle, that fits the 31-spline axle shaft. For street use, a 3.50:1 or 3.90:1 ratio is recommended.
- **Tires**—Install 7-inch wide slicks on the rear.

SUSPENSION

- Install a good set of traction bars on rear axle.



Staggered Valves & Large Intake Ports

302 BOSS PARTS LIST*

*Does not include parts also used on regular 302 engine.

PART NUMBER	NO. PER ENGINE	PART NAME	APPLICATION		PART NUMBER	NO. PER ENGINE	PART NAME	APPLICATION	
			'69	'70				'69	'70
C9ZZ-6007-Y	1	Engine Assembly (without oil cooler)	X	X	D0ZZ-6505-A	8	Exh. Valve (Std. size) (5.05"x1.71" Dia.)		X
D0ZZ-6007-G	1	Engine Assembly (with oil cooler)	X	X	D0ZZ-6505-C	8	Valve—Exhaust (.015" O/S)		X
C9ZZ-6009-C	1	Engine Short Block Assy.	X	X	C9ZZ-6507-A	8	Int. Valve (Std. size) (5.22"x2.23" Dia.)		X
D0ZZ-6010-B	1	Engine Short Block Assy.	X	X	C9ZZ-6507-B	8	Int. Valve (.003" O/S)	X	X
D0ZZ-6010-A	1	Engine Block Assy.	X	X	C9ZZ-6507-C	8	Int. Valve (.015" O/S)	X	X
D0ZZ-6023-A	1	Pointer—Engine Timing	X	X	C9ZZ-6507-D	8	Int. Valve (.030" O/S)	X	X
C9ZZ-6038-A	1	Shield—Engine Heat	X	X	D0ZZ-6507-A	8	Int. Valve (Std. size) (5.23"x2.19")		X
D0ZZ-6049-B	2	Cyl. Head, less gasket	X	X	C9ZZ-6514-A	16	Valve Spring (w/4 dark blue stripes)	X	X
D0ZZ-6049-A	2	Cyl. Head with gasket	X	X	C9ZZ-6518-A	32	Valve Retainer	X	X
C9ZZ-6051-C	2	Cyl. Head Gasket	X	X	C9ZZ-6A527-A	16	Key—Valve Spring Retainer	X	X
C9ZZ-6065-A	20	Cyl. Head Bolts (7/16"-14x4 1/2")	X	X	C9ZZ-6A528-A	16	Rocker Arm Stud (7/16"-20 & 1/16"-14)	X	X
D0ZZ-6108-A	8	Piston Assembly (Std. Red size)	X	X	C8S2-6A529-A	16	Rocker Arm Fulcrum Seat	X	X
D0ZZ-6108-B	8	Piston Assembly (Std. Blue size)	X	X	C9ZZ-6A536-A	16	Rocker Arm Stud Nut (7/16"-20)	X	X
D0ZZ-6108-C	8	Piston Assembly (.003" O/S)	X	X	C9ZZ-6564-A	16	Valve Spring Seat	X	X
C9ZZ-6135-E	8	Piston Pin	X	X	C9ZZ-6A564-A	16	Rocker Arm	X	X
C9ZZ-6200-B	8	Connecting Rod	X	X	C9ZZ-6565-A	8	Push Rod Guide	X	X
C30Z-6211-M	16	Bearing Connecting Rod (Std. size)	X	X	C9ZZ-6571-A	16	Push Rod (7.595" Long)	X	X
C30Z-6211-N	16	Bearing Connecting Rod (.001" U/S)	X	X	C9ZZ-6582-C	16	Valve Spring Seal	X	X
C30Z-6211-P	16	Bearing Connecting Rod (.002" U/S)	X	X	C9ZZ-6584-A	2	Chrome Rocker Arm Covers	X	X
C30Z-6211-R	16	Bearing Connecting Rod (.010" U/S)	X	X	C9ZZ-6600-B	1	Rocker Arm Cover Gasket	X	X
C30Z-6211-S	16	Bearing Connecting Rod (.020" U/S)	X	X			Oil Pump (Includes 1 C20Z-6626-C and 1 C20Z-6659-C gaskets)	X	X
C30Z-6211-T	16	Bearing Connecting Rod (.030" U/S)	X	X	C9ZZ-6622-A	1	Tube, Cover & Screen Assy.	X	X
C9AZ-6212-B	16	Con. Rod Nut (3/4"-24)	X	X	C9ZZ-6B633-A	1	Oil Cooler Bracket—Upper	X	X
C9ZZ-6214-B	16	Con. Rod Bolt (2 7/16" Long)	X	X	C9ZZ-6B634-A	1	Oil Cooler Bracket—Lower	X	X
C9ZZ-6250-A	1	Camshaft (Ident. #VE-B)	X	X	C9ZZ-6A636-A	1	Oil Filter Adapter to Block Gasket		X
D0ZZ-6250-A	1	Camshaft (Ident. #VE-D)	X	X	C90Z-6A642-A	1	Oil Cooler Assy.		X
D0ZZ-6303-A	1	Crankshaft Steel (Includes 8 Cup Plugs 377436-S and 8 Retainers 380249-S)	X	X	C7TZ-6666-B	1	Plug—Oil Filter By-Pass Valve		X
C9ZZ-6310-A	1	Crankshaft Oil Slinger	X	X	C70Z-6A666-A	1	PCV Valve	X	X
D0ZZ-6A312-A	1	Pulley—Crankshaft (3 grooves)	X	X	D0AZ-6A666-A	1	PCV Valve		X
C9ZZ-6316-B	1	Harmonic Damper—Crankshaft Assy.	X	X	C9ZZ-6670-C	1	Oil Pump Relief Valve Spring	X	X
D0ZZ-6316-A	1	Harmonic Damper—Crankshaft Assy.	X	X	C9ZZ-6675-C	1	Oil Pan Assy.	X	X
D0ZZ-6345-A	4	Bolt Main Bearing Cap (7/16"-14 x 3 3/4") for #2 & 3 to attach baffle		X	D0ZZ-6675-A	1	Oil Pan Assy.	X	X
C9ZZ-6345-A	4	Main Bearing Cap Bolts (7/16"-14 x 3 3/4" for #2, 4 & attach baffle) (Before 10-1-69)	X	X	C9ZZ-6687-B	1	Baffle—Oil Crankshaft—Windage	X	X
43007-S2 (B258A)	6	Main Bearing Cap Bolts (3/4"-16x2 1/2" for #2, 3, 4)	X	X	C70Z-6A706-A	1	PCV Valve Elbow (1/2-inch)	X	X
C9ZZ-6375-B	1	Flywheel & Ring Gear Assy. 164 teeth—1 1/2" bolt circle	X	X	C9ZZ-6A715-C	1	Oil Cooler Hose-Inlet		X
D0AZ-6500-C	16	Mechanical Tappets	X	X	C9ZZ-6A715-D	1	Oil Cooler Hose-Outlet		X
C9ZZ-6505-A	8	Exh. Valve (Std. size) (5.02"x1.71" Dia.)	X	X	C9ZZ-6750-A	1	Oil Level Indicator—Chrome	X	X
C9ZZ-6505-B	8	Exh. Valve (.003" O/S)	X	X	D0ZZ-6750-B	1	Oil Indicator Assy—Chrome		X
C9ZZ-6505-C	8	Exh. Valve (.015" O/S)	X	X	C9ZZ-6754-A	1	Oil Level Tube Indicator	X	X
C9ZZ-6505-D	8	Exh. Valve (.030" O/S)	X	X	C9ZZ-6837-A	1	Oil Filter By-pass Spring		X
					C9ZZ-6881-A	1	Oil Filter Adapter (w/oil cooler)		X
					B8A-6890-A	1	Oil Filter Adapter Mtg. Bolt Insert		X
					C9AZ-6890-A	1	Insert—Oil Filter Adaptor—Mtg.		X
					C7AZ-6A892-A	1	Vent Valve to Cover Retainer	X	X
					C8AZ-6A892-A	1	Elbow to Oil Filter Cap Retainer		X
					C4GY-6894-A	1	Oil Filter Adapter Mtg. Bolt Assy.		X
					C9ZZ-9424-C	1	Intake Manifold	X	X
					C9ZZ-9430-B	1	Exhaust Manifold (Right)	X	X
					C9ZZ-9431-A	1	Exhaust Manifold (Left)	X	X

Miscellaneous Cylinder Head Installation Materials—1. Chlorothane (Degreaser)
2. Silicone Rubber Primer 3. Silicone Rubber Sealant

NOTE: Essentially, 1969 and 1970 302 BOSS engines are pretty much the same, as evidenced by the application column. The most important difference is in the size of the intake valve. 1969 engines have a 2.23" diameter head, compared to a slightly smaller 2.19" diameter in 1970 for better response during acceleration. This, of course, requires different cylinder heads. If necessary to replace a '69 cylinder head for repairs, a '70 cylinder head can be used if the corresponding intake valves are also installed.

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