**LS 08-C** (1975) **DE TOMASO PANTERA**

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| © year on base: 1975  scale: 1:56 (not cast on base)  length: 76mm  width: 34mm  height: 21mm  MATCHBOX lettering on base: bold italic  additional lettering on base: Superfast (script)  company on base: LESNEY PRODUCTS & CO LTD  number on base: 8  cast license plate: VLO 344 (CALIFORNIA) (rear only) | metal base  plastic interior & rear louvers  black plastic wheels with silver hubs  pat. no. on rear axle cover: 1238927  tow guide  cream, black or red plastic wheel strip (cream 40979-135, black no number, red number unknown) |  |

| **#** | **body** | **base** | **interior** | **windows** | **front wheels** | **rear wheels** | **side deco** | **hood deco** | **sub-var** | **note** | **cate** | **area** | **Mack #** | **Mack date** | **date** |
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| 01a | white | blue E | lt. orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | blue & orange 8 labels (sided - slanted right / left) | blue & orange 8 label | **llc**, lrc, **lrcoa**, lrk, **rlc**,(**rrk**) | #8 |  |  | 01 |  | 1975 |
| 01b | white | **dk.** blue E | lt. orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | blue & orange 8 labels (sided - slanted right / left) | blue & orange 8 label | lrc | #8 |  |  |  |  | 1975 |
| 01c | white | **lt.** blue E | lt. orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | blue & orange 8 labels (sided - slanted right / left) | blue & orange 8 label | **rlc** | #8 |  |  |  |  | 1975 |
| 01d | white | blue E | **pale** orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | blue & orange 8 labels (sided - slanted right / left) | blue & orange 8 label | lrc | #8 |  |  |  |  | 1975 |
| 04 | white | blue E | **dk.** orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | blue & orange 8 labels (sided - slanted right / left) | blue & orange 8 label | lrc | #8 |  |  | 04 |  | 1975 |
| 11a | white | blue E | lt. orange | colorless | **5 square** 14x7mm | **malt. cross** 12x6.5mm | blue & orange 8 labels (sided - slanted right / left) | blue & orange 8 label |  | #8 |  |  | 11 |  | 1975 |
| 11b | white | **dk.** blue E | lt. orange | colorless | **5 square** 14x7mm | **malt. cross** 12x6.5mm | blue & orange 8 labels (sided - slanted right / left) | blue & orange 8 label |  | #8 |  |  |  |  | 1975 |
| 11c | white | **lt.** blue E | lt. orange | colorless | **5 square** 14x7mm | **malt. cross** 12x6.5mm | blue & orange 8 labels (sided - slanted right / left) | blue & orange 8 label |  | #8 |  |  |  |  | 1975 |
| f11 | white | blue E | lt. orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | **malt. cross** 12x6.5mm | blue & orange 8 labels (sided - slanted right / left) | blue & orange 8 label |  | #8 |  |  |  |  | 1975 |
| 02 | white | **unpainted** E | lt. orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | blue & orange 8 labels (sided - slanted right / left) | blue & orange 8 label | lrc | #8 |  |  | 02 |  | 1975 |
| f12 | white | **unpainted** E | lt. orange | colorless | **5 square** 14x7mm | **malt. cross** 12x6.5mm | blue & orange 8 labels (sided - slanted right / left) | blue & orange 8 label | lrc | #8 |  |  |  |  | 1975 |
| 03 | white | **unpainted** E | lt. orange | colorless | **5 square** 10x5.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | blue & orange 8 labels (sided - slanted right / left) | blue & orange 8 label | lrc | #8 |  |  | 03 |  | 1975 |
| 06a | white | blue E | lt. orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | **none** | blue & orange 8 label | c, **cob** | #8 |  |  | 06 |  | 1975 |
| 06b | white | **dk.** blue E | lt. orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | **none** | blue & orange 8 label |  | #8 |  |  |  |  | 1975 |
| 06c | white | **lt.** blue E | lt. orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | **none** | blue & orange 8 label |  | #8 |  |  |  |  | 1975 |
| 06d | white | blue E | **pale** orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | **none** | blue & orange 8 label | c | #8 |  |  |  |  | 1975 |
| 05 | white | blue E | **dk.** orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | **none** | blue & orange 8 label | c | #8 |  |  | 05 |  | 1975 |
| 10a | white | blue E | lt. orange | colorless | **5 square** 14x7mm | **malt. cross** 12x6.5mm | **none** | blue & orange 8 label | c | #8 |  |  | 10 |  | 1975 |
| 10b | white | **dk.** blue E | lt. orange | colorless | **5 square** 14x7mm | **malt. cross** 12x6.5mm | **none** | blue & orange 8 label |  | #8 |  |  |  |  | 1975 |
| 10c | white | **lt.** blue E | lt. orange | colorless | **5 square** 14x7mm | **malt. cross** 12x6.5mm | **none** | blue & orange 8 label | c | #8 |  |  |  |  | 1975 |
| 08a | white | blue E | **red** | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | **none** | blue & orange 8 label | c | #8 |  |  | 08 |  | 1975 |
| 08b | white | **dk.** blue E | **red** | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | **none** | blue & orange 8 label | c | #8 |  |  |  |  | 1975 |
| 09 | white | blue E | **red** | colorless | **5 square** 14x7mm | **malt. cross** 12x6.5mm | **none** | blue & orange 8 label |  | #8 |  |  | 09 |  | 1975 |
| 07 | white | **unpainted** E | lt. orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | **none** | blue & orange 8 label | c | #8 |  |  | 07 |  | 1975 |
| 12a | white | blue E | lt. orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | none | **yellow, red & green 9** label (from LS 62-C) |  | #8 |  |  | 12 |  | 1975 |
| 12b | white | blue E | **pale** orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | none | **yellow, red & green 9** label (from LS 62-C) | c | #8 |  |  |  |  | 1975 |
| 12c | white | blue E | **dk.** orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | none | **yellow, red & green 9** label (from LS 62-C) |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1975 |
| f03a | white | blue E | lt. orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | none | **yellow, red & green 6** label (from LS 62-C) |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1975 |
| f03b | white | blue E | **pale** orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | none | **yellow, red & green 6** label (from LS 62-C) |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1975 |
| f03c | white | blue E | **dk.** orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | none | **yellow, red & green 6** label (from LS 62-C) |  | #8 |  |  |  |  | 1975 |
| 13a | white | blue E | lt. orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | none | **blue & yellow sun** label (from LS 47-B) | c | #8 |  |  | 13 |  | 1975 |
| 13b | white | blue E | **pale** orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | none | **blue & yellow sun** label (from LS 47-B) | c | #8 |  |  |  |  | 1975 |
| 19 | white | blue E | **dk.** orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | none | **blue & yellow sun** label (from LS 47-B) |  | #8 |  |  | 19 | 1985-02 | 1975 |
| f01 | white | blue E | lt. orange | colorless | **5 square** 14x7mm | **malt. cross** 12x6.5mm | none | **blue & yellow sun** label (from LS 47-B) | c | #8 |  |  |  |  | 1975 |
| f08 | white | blue E | lt. orange | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | **none** | **none** | c | #8 |  |  |  |  | 1975 |
| 16 | blue | **gloss** blk. **Ho** | black | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | 17 in white circle tampo | white tampo |  | #8 |  | USA | 16 |  | 1981 |
| 17 | blue | flat blk. **Ho** | black | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | 17 in white circle tampo | white tampo | c, **r** | #8 |  | USA | 17 |  | 1981 |
| 18 | blue | flat blk. **Ho** | black | colorless | malt. cross 12x6.5mm | 5 square 14x7mm | 17 in white circle tampo | white tampo **w/ PANTERA** | c, **r** | #8 |  | USA | 18 |  | 1982 |

**USA codes:**

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| **MB 08-C** |  |  |  |

**UK codes:**

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| **08G** |  |  |  |

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| **ROW numbers:** | **8** (1975-1980) |
| **USA numbers:** | **8** (1975-1982) |
| **Other numbers:** | **J 13** (1978) |

**NOTES:**

**This model was allocated the MAN number 079 in 1982.**

**"Sided" labels: different labels on the left and right hand sides. Either of the labels may appear on either side. The label intended for the left side is always noted first.**

**SUB-VARIATIONS:**

| **code** | **left side label** | **right side label** | **wheel strip** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| llc | left | **left** | cream |
| llk | left | **left** | black |
| lrc | left | right | cream |
| lrk | left | right | black |
| rlc | **right** | **left** | cream |
| rlk | **right** | **left** | black |
| rrc | **right** | right | cream |
| rrk | **right** | right | black |
| c | non-sided or no label | non-sided or no label | cream |
| k | non-sided or no label | non-sided or no label | black |
| r | non-sided or no label | non-sided or no label | red |

**ODDITIES:**

| **code** | **description** |
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| oa | additional blue & orange 8 label on **roof** |
| ob | additional PANTERA label on **windshield** |

**Previous ref.: none**

**Later ref.: ⇒ ⇒ ⇒ BR 08-C DE TOMASO PANTERA**

**⇒ ⇒ ⇒ MI 079 DE TOMASO PANTERA (Greased Lightning)**

**BOX TYPES:**

| **#** | **type** | **description** | **note** | **area** | **date** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 01 | J | with NEW, "MATCHBOX" IS THE..., no rectangle on side, MARK 6 on end flaps, circled cross on inner end flaps | 2 shades |  | 1975 |
| 02 | J | with NEW, "MATCHBOX" IS THE..., NOT RECOMMENDED..., no rectangle on side, MARK 6 on end flaps, circled cross on inner end flaps |  |  | 1976-78 |
| 03 | J | with NEW, "MATCHBOX" (MARCA REGISTRADA)..., two lines in rectangle, MARK 6 on end flaps, circled cross on inner end flaps |  |  | 1979 |
| 04 | J | without NEW, "MATCHBOX" (MARCA REGISTRADA)..., two lines in rectangle, MARK 6 on end flaps, circled cross on inner end flaps |  |  | 1979 |
| 05 | J | without NEW, "MATCHBOX" (MARCA REGISTRADA)..., two lines in rectangle, MARK 6 on end flaps, no circled cross on inner end flaps |  |  | 1980 |
| 06 | J | without NEW, "MATCHBOX" IS THE REGISTERED..., five lines in rectangle, MARK 6 on end flaps, no circled cross on inner end flaps |  |  | 1981 |
| 07 | Ger-B | red & yellow window box with individual picture |  | D | 1979/80 |
| 08 | Ger-B | red & yellow generic window box |  | D | 1981 |
| 09 | L-USA | with NEW, "MATCHBOX" IS THE REGISTERED..., one line in rectangle, MARK on end flaps, no circled cross on inner end flaps |  | USA | 1981 |
| 10 | M | red & yellow generic picture box |  | USA | 1982 |