**LS 69-C** (1978) **ARMORED TRUCK**

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| © year on base: 1978  scale: 1:89 (not cast on base)  length: 73mm  width: 33mm  height: 33mm  MATCHBOX lettering on base: bold italic  additional lettering on base: Superfast (script)  company on base: LESNEY PROD & CO LTD  number on base: 69  cast license plate: 17 M 643 (front only) | metal grille & base  no interior  plastic roof light is part of window glazing  black plastic wheels with silver hubs  plastic roof |  |

| **#** | **body** | **grille / base** | **windows / roof light** | **wheels** | **deco** | **roof** | **sub-var** | **note** | **cate** | **area** | **Mack #** | **Mack date** | **date** |
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| 01 | red | silver-gray E | **colorless** | 5 crown 12.5x6.5mm | WELLS FARGO, 732-2031 tampo | white |  | #69 |  |  | 01 |  | 1978 |
| 03 | red | silver-gray E | lt. blue | 5 crown 12.5x6.5mm | WELLS FARGO, 732-2031 tampo | white | h, l | #69 |  |  | 03 |  | 1978 |
| f10 | red | silver-gray E | **med.** blue | 5 crown 12.5x6.5mm | WELLS FARGO, 732-2031 tampo | white |  | #69 |  |  |  |  | 1978 |
| 05 | red | silver-gray E | **dk.** blue | 5 crown 12.5x6.5mm | WELLS FARGO, 732-2031 tampo | white | l | #69 |  |  | 05 |  | 1978 |
| 06 | red | **unpainted** E | lt. blue | 5 crown 12.5x6.5mm | WELLS FARGO, 732-2031 tampo | white | h | #69 |  |  | 06 |  | 1978 |
| 04 | red | silver-gray E | lt. blue | **5 arch** 11x5.5mm | WELLS FARGO, 732-2031 tampo | white |  | #69 |  |  | 04 |  | 1978 |
| f13 | **dk.** red | silver-gray E | lt. blue | 5 crown 12.5x6.5mm | WELLS FARGO, 732-2031 tampo | white | l | #69 |  |  |  |  | 1978 |
| f14 | **dk.** red | silver-gray E | **dk.** blue | 5 crown 12.5x6.5mm | WELLS FARGO, 732-2031 tampo | white | h | #69 |  |  |  |  | 1978 |
| f12 | red | silver-gray E | **colorless** | 5 crown 12.5x6.5mm | WELLS FARGO, **QZ-2031** tampo | white | h | #69 |  |  |  |  | 1979 |
| 07 | red | silver-gray E | lt. blue | 5 crown 12.5x6.5mm | WELLS FARGO, **QZ-2031** tampo | white | h, (l) | #69 |  |  | 07 |  | 1979 |
| f06 | red | silver-gray E | **med.** blue | 5 crown 12.5x6.5mm | WELLS FARGO, **QZ-2031** tampo | white | l | #69 |  |  |  |  | 1979 |
| f11 | red | silver-gray E | **dk.** blue | 5 crown 12.5x6.5mm | WELLS FARGO, **QZ-2031** tampo | white | l | #69 |  |  |  |  | 1979 |
| f01 | red | silver-gray E | lt. blue | **5 arch** 11x5.5mm front, 5 crown 12.5x6.5mm rear | WELLS FARGO, **QZ-2031** tampo | white |  | #69 |  |  |  |  | 1979 |
| 02 | red | silver-gray E | lt. blue | 5 crown 12.5x6.5mm | **none** | white | h | #69 |  |  | 02 |  | 1978 |
| f02 | **med.** green | silver-gray E | lt. blue | 5 crown 12.5x6.5mm | DRESDNER BANK tampo | white | h | #69 |  | D |  |  | 1981 |
| f03 | **med.** green | silver-gray E | **med.** blue | 5 crown 12.5x6.5mm | DRESDNER BANK tampo | white | h | #69 |  | D |  |  | 1981 |
| f04 | **med.** green | silver-gray E | **dk.** blue | 5 crown 12.5x6.5mm | DRESDNER BANK tampo | white |  | #69 |  | D |  |  | 1981 |
| 08 | dk. green | silver-gray E | lt. blue | 5 crown 12.5x6.5mm | DRESDNER BANK tampo | white | h, l | #69 |  | D | 08 |  | 1981 |
| f05 | dk. green | silver-gray E | **med.** blue | 5 crown 12.5x6.5mm | DRESDNER BANK tampo | white |  | #69 |  | D |  |  | 1981 |
| 09 | dk. green | silver-gray E | **dk.** blue | 5 crown 12.5x6.5mm | DRESDNER BANK tampo | white |  | #69 |  | D | 09 | 1985-04 | 1981 |
| f07 | **very** dk. green | silver-gray E | lt. blue | 5 crown 12.5x6.5mm | DRESDNER BANK tampo | white | h, l | #69 |  | D |  |  | 1981 |
| f08 | **very** dk. green | silver-gray E | **med.** blue | 5 crown 12.5x6.5mm | DRESDNER BANK tampo | white |  | #69 |  | D |  |  | 1981 |
| f09 | **very** dk. green | silver-gray E | **dk.** blue | 5 crown 12.5x6.5mm | DRESDNER BANK tampo | white |  | #69 |  | D |  |  | 1981 |

**USA codes:**

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| **MB 69-C** |  |  |  |

**UK codes:**

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| **69E** |  |  |  |

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| **ROW numbers:** | **69** (1978-1982) |
| **USA numbers:** | **69** (1978-1981) |
| **Other numbers:** | **none** |

**NOTES:**

**White roofs are prone to fading to cream.**

**This model was allocated the MAN number 069 in 1982.**

**SUB-VARIATIONS:**

| **code** | **base casting** |
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| h | high baseplate text, narrow gap between "Superfast" and model number |
| l | low baseplate text, wide gap between "Superfast" and model number |

**Previous ref.: none**

**Later ref.: ⇒ ⇒ ⇒ BR 69-C ARMORED TRUCK**

**⇒ ⇒ ⇒ MI 069 ARMORED TRUCK**

**BOX TYPES:**

| **#** | **type** | **description** | **note** | **area** | **date** |
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| 01 | L | with NEW, "MATCHBOX" (MARCA REGISTRADA)..., two lines in rectangle, no CONFORMITÉ... in rectangle, MARK 6 on end flaps, circled cross on inner end flaps |  |  | 1978 |
| 02 | L | with NEW, "MATCHBOX" (MARCA REGISTRADA)..., two lines in rectangle, CONFORMITÉ... in rectangle, MARK 6 on end flaps, circled cross on inner end flaps |  |  | 1979 |
| 03 | L | with NEW, "MATCHBOX" (MARCA REGISTRADA)..., two lines in rectangle, CONFORMITÉ... in rectangle, MARK 6 on end flaps, no circled cross on inner end flaps |  |  | 1980 |
| 04 | L | without NEW, "MATCHBOX" IS THE REGISTERED..., five lines in rectangle, MARK 6 on end flaps, no circled cross on inner end flaps |  |  | 1981/82 |
| 05 | Ger-B | red & yellow window box with individual picture |  | D | 1979/80 |
| 06 | Ger-B | red & yellow generic window box |  | D | 1981/82 |
| 07 | Ita | black & white generic window box |  | I | 1981 |
| 08 | Win-A | med. blue generic window box, 1981 LESNEY, ENGLAND, with MATCHBOX logo at bottom |  | ROW | 1982 |
| 09 | Win-A | med. blue generic window box, 1981 LESNEY, ENGLAND, without MATCHBOX logo at bottom, without barcode |  | ROW | 1982 |