**MI 165** (1986) **FORD TRANSIT**

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| © year on base: 1986  scale: 1:63 (cast on base / not cast on base)  length: 74mm  width: 31mm  height: 33mm  MATCHBOX lettering on base: bold italic in frame  additional lettering on base: none  company on base: MATCHBOX INT'L LTD.  number on base: none  cast license plate: TRANSIT (front & rear / front only) | plastic base  plastic interior  black plastic wheels  **headlights separate** |  |

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| 001 | red | dk. gray M | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | MOTORSPORT w/ blue & orange stripes tampo | LH | yes | A | a | #60 |  | ROW | 001 | 1986-06 | 1986 |
| 004 | red | dk. gray M | gray | colorless | **dot dash** 9.5x5mm | silver | MOTORSPORT w/ blue & orange stripes tampo | LH | yes | A | a | #60 |  | ROW | 004 | 1986-12 | 1986 |
| 002 | red | dk. gray M | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | **none** | **RH** | yes | A | a |  | PR | GB | 002 | 1986-07 | 1986 |
| 003 | red | dk. gray M | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | **none** | LH | yes | A |  |  | PR |  | 003 | 1986-11 | 1986 |
| 005 | white | dk. gray M | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | red cross, red stripe, gray rectangle tampo | **none** | yes | A |  | #60 |  | ROW | 005 | 1987-05 | 1987 |
| 006 | white | dk. gray M | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | red cross, red stripe, gray rectangle tampo | LH | yes | A | a | #60 |  | ROW | 006 | 1987-05 | 1987 |
| 010 | white | dk. gray **C** | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | red cross, red stripe, gray rectangle tampo | LH | yes | D or E | d, e | #60 |  | ROW | 010, 029 | 1988-02 1989-08 | 1987 |
| f29 | white | **white** C | gray | **amber** | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | red cross, red stripe tampo (**no** gray rectangle) | LH | yes | D or E | e |  |  | CN |  |  | 1991 |
| 007 | white | dk. gray M | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | FEDERAL EXPRESS tampo | LH | yes | A | a | G-5 | G |  | 007 | 1987-07 | 1987 |
| 014 | white | dk. gray **C** | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | FEDERAL EXPRESS tampo | LH | yes | D or E | d | G-5 | G |  | 014 | 1988-03 | 1988 |
| 033 | white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | FEDERAL EXPRESS tampo | **RH** | yes | D or E | d, e | #60 |  | GB | 033, 034 | 1989-08 | 1989 |
| 008 | yellow | dk. gray M | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | BRITISH TELECOM tampo | LH | yes | A | a | CY-206 | CY | GB | 008 | 1987-08 | 1987 |
| 009 | red | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | AUSTRALIA POST tampo | LH | yes | D or E | d |  | PR | AUS | 009 | 1987-10 | 1987 |
| 011 | white | dk. gray M | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | UNICHEM w/ black & green stripes tampo | **RH** | yes | A | a |  | PR | GB | 011 | 1988-01 | 1987 |
| f27 | white | dk. gray M | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | UNICHEM w/ black & green stripes tampo | LH | yes | A | a |  | PR | GB |  |  | 1987 |
| 013 | white | dk. gray M | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | JCB SITE SHOP tampo | **RH** | yes | A | a | G-3 | G | GB | 013 | 1988-03 | 1988 |
| 012 | white | dk. gray M | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | JCB SITE SHOP tampo | **RH** | yes | **B** | b | G-3 | G | GB | 012 | 1988-02 | 1988 |
| 015 | white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | XP w/ yellow & green stripes tampo | **RH** | yes | D or E | d | #60 |  | GB | 015, 031 | 1988-06 1989-08 | 1988 |
| 016 | white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | XP w/ yellow & green stripes tampo | LH | yes | D or E | d, e | #60 |  | ROW | 016, 032 | 1988-06 1989-08 | 1988 |
| 017 | red | **red** M | **black** | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | ROYAL MAIL tampo | **RH** | yes | **C** | c | 3 pack | PR | GB | 017 | 1988-06 | 1988 |
| 018 | orange-red | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | AUSTRALIA POST / WE DELIVER tampo | **RH** | yes | D or E | d, e |  | PR | AUS | 018, 030 | 1988-09 1989-08 | 1988 |
| 023 | orange-red | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | AUSTRALIA POST / WE DELIVER tampo | LH | yes | D or E | d |  | PR | AUS | 023 | 1989-01 | 1988 |
| 068 | orange-red | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | AUSTRALIA POST / WE DELIVER tampo | **RH** | **no** | D or E | d |  | PR | AUS | 068, 069 | 1995-02 | 1995 |
| 075 | orange-red, **white roof** | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | AUSTRALIA POST / WE DELIVER tampo | **RH** | no | D or E | e |  | PR | AUS | 074, 075 | 1995-05 | 1995 |
| 019 | white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | WIGWAM tampo | LH | yes | D or E | d, e |  | PR | NL | 019, 022 | 1988-12 1989-01 | 1988 |
| 020 | lime green | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | none | LH | yes | D or E | d, e |  | PR | NL | 020, 021 | 1988-12 | 1988 |
| 024 | white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | WISHING WELL APPEAL tampo | **RH** | yes | D or E | d, e |  | PR | GB | 024, 025 | 1989-02 | 1989 |
| 026 | white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | WELLA tampo | LH | yes | D or E | d, e | #60 |  | ROW | 026, 027 | 1989-04 | 1989 |
| 028 | white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | TELECOM AUSTRALIA tampo | **RH** | yes | D or E | d, e |  | PR | AUS | 028 | 1989-07 | 1989 |
| 035 | white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | PETER COX PRESERVATION tampo | **RH** | yes | D or E | d, e |  | PR | GB | 035, 036 | 1989-10 | 1989 |
| 037 | white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | KIOSK AG tampo | LH | yes | D or E | d, e |  |  | CH | 037, 038 | 1989-12 | 1989 |
| 039 | red | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | BLICK tampo | LH | yes | D or E | d, e |  |  | CH | 039, 040 | 1989-12 | 1989 |
| 041 | orange | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | OVOMALTINE tampo | LH | yes | D or E | d, e |  |  | CH | 041, 042 | 1989-12 | 1989 |
| 043 | silver-gray | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | ISOSTAR / PERFORM / POWERPLAY tampo | LH | yes | D or E | d, e |  |  | CH | 043, 044 | 1989-12 | 1989 |
| 045 | white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | KELLOGG'S tampo | LH | yes | D or E | d, e |  | PR | A / CH | 045, 046 | 1990-03 | 1990 |
| 047 | yellow | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | RYDER tampo | LH | yes | D or E | d, e | #57 / 60 |  |  | 047, 048 | 1990-06 | 1990 |
| 050 | white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | DCS tampo | LH | yes | D or E | e |  | PR | GB | 049, 050 | 1991-01 | 1990 |
| 051 | white | **white** C | **white** | **amber** | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | none | LH | yes | D or E | d, e |  | GF |  | 051, 052 | 1991-05 | 1991 |
| 053 | white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | SUPERTOYS tampo | LH | yes | D or E | d, e |  | PR | IRL | 053, 054 | 1991-05 | 1991 |
| 055 | met. green | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | TARONGA ZOOMOBILE tampo | LH | yes | D or E | d, e | var. SN | PR | AUS | 055, 056 | 1992-07 | 1992 |
| 058 | white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | McKESSON tampo | LH | yes | D or E | e |  | PR | USA | 057, 058 | 1992-07 | 1992 |
| 059a | yellow | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | CADBURY'S FLAKE tampo | LH | yes | D or E | d, e | #60 |  | ROW | 059, 060 | 1992-09 | 1992 |
| 059b | **dk.** yellow | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | CADBURY'S FLAKE tampo | LH | yes | D or E | d | #60 |  | ROW |  |  | 1992 |
| 072 | yellow | dk..gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | CADBURY'S FLAKE tampo | LH | **no** | D or E | d, e | #60 |  | ROW | 072, 073 | 1995-03 | 1995 |
| f20 | yellow | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | CADBURY'S FLAKE tampo | LH | **no** | **F** |  |  |  | CN |  |  | 1998 |
| 061 | white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | GARDEN FESTIVAL WALES w/ green stripe tampo | LH | yes | D or E | d, e | MC-806 | PR | GB | 061, 062 | 1992-11 | 1992 |
| 064 | pwdr. blue & white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | OCS w/ large front logo tampo | LH | yes | D or E | d, e | var. SP | PR | AUS | 064, 065 | 1994-04 1993-05 | 1993 |
| f33 | pwdr. blue & white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | OCS w/ **small** front logo tampo | LH | yes | D or E | e | var. SP | PR | AUS |  |  | 1994 |
| f04 | white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | MATCHBOX tampo | LH | **yes** | D or E |  | #60 |  | ROW |  |  | 1994 |
| 066 | white | dk..gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | MATCHBOX tampo | LH | no | D or E | d, e | #60 |  | ROW | 066, 067 | 1994-12 | 1994 |
| 070 | yellow | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | EXPRESS POST tampo | **RH** | no | D or E | d, e |  | PR | AUS | 070, 071 | 1995-02 | 1995 |
| f31 | yellow | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | EXPRESS POST tampo | LH | no | D or E | e |  | PR | AUS |  |  | 1995 |
| f06 | olive green | dk. gray C | gray | **blue** | **5 arch** 11x5.5mm | **black** | LS 20I0 w/ red cross tampo | LH | **yes** | D or E | d |  | CF | CN |  |  | 1995 |
| f08 | olive green | dk. gray C | gray | **blue** | **5 arch** 11x5.5mm | **black** | LS 20I0 w/ red cross tampo | LH | no | D or E |  |  | CF | CN |  |  | 1995 |
| f10 | olive green | dk. gray C | gray | **blue** | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | LS 20I0 w/ red cross tampo | LH | **yes** | D or E |  |  | CF | CN |  |  | 1995 |
| f12 | olive green | dk. gray C | gray | **blue** | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | LS 20I0 w/ red cross tampo | LH | no | D or E |  |  | CF | CN |  |  | 1995 |
| f23 | olive green | dk. gray C | gray | **blue** | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | LS 20I0 w/ red cross tampo | LH | no | **F** | f |  | CF | CN |  |  | 1998 |
| f14 | white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | **none** | LH | no | D or E |  | CQ | BLK | GB |  |  | 1995 |
| f16 | red | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | **none** | LH | no | D or E | d, e | CQ | BLK | GB |  |  | 1995 |
| f18 | dk. blue | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | **none** | LH | no | D or E |  | CQ | BLK | GB |  |  | 1995 |

**CODE 2 ISSUES:**

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| f01 | lime green | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | AUTORENT **decals** | LH | yes | D or E | 020 | d |  | C2 | NL |  |  | 1988 |
| 077 | red | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | 14TH TOY SHOW / FT. WASHINGTON PA tampo | LH | no | D or E | f16 | e |  | CQ CL | USA | 076, 077 | 1995-07 | 1995 |
| 078 | white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | HANKOOK TYRES tampo | LH | no | D or E | f14 | d, e |  | CQ | M | 078, 079 | 1995-07 | 1995 |
| 080 | red | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | BRANTHO-KORRUX tampo | LH | no | D or E | f16 | d, e |  | CQ | D | 080, 081 | 1995-11 | 1995 |
| 082 | red | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | VIEW-MASTER tampo | LH | no | D or E | f16 | d |  | CQ | USA | 092, 083 | 1996-02 | 1996 |
| 084 | white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | VIEW-MASTER tampo | LH | no | D or E | f14 | d, e |  | CQ | USA | 084, 085 | 1996-02 | 1996 |
| 086 | white | dk..gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | PICKFORDS RECORDS MANAGEMENT tampo | LH | no | D or E | f14 | d, e |  | CQ | GB | 086, 087 | 1996-05 | 1996 |
| 088 | red | dk..gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | KIT KAT tampo | LH | no | D or E | f16 | d, e |  | CQ | GB | 088, 089 | 1996-05 | 1996 |
| 090 | white & teal | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | HILTON tampo (**red** letters) | LH | no | D or E | f14 | d, e |  | CQ | USA | 090, 091 | 1996-07 | 1996 |
| 092 | white & teal | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | HILTON tampo (black letters) | LH | no | D or E | f14 | d, e |  | CQ | USA | 092, 093 | 1996-07 | 1996 |
| 094 | white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | 97.5 PST tampo (black letters) | LH | no | D or E | f14 | d, e |  | CQ | USA | 094, 095 | 1996-07 | 1996 |
| 096 | dk. blue | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | 97.5 PST tampo (pink letters) | LH | no | D or E | f18 | d, e |  | CQ | USA | 096, 097 | 1996-07 | 1996 |
| 098 | dk. blue | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | MIDWEST DIE-CAST MINIATURES tampo | LH | no | D or E | f18 | d, e |  | CQ | USA | 098, 099 | 1996-07 | 1996 |
| 100 | white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | EVENING GAZETTE tampo | LH | no | D or E | f14 | d, e |  | CQ | GB | 100, 101 | 1996-09 | 1996 |
| 102 | white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | 24TH NATIONAL TRUCK-IN tampo | LH | no | D or E | f14 | d, e |  | CQ | USA | 102, 103 | 1996-09 | 1996 |
| 104 | red | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | 24TH NATIONAL TRUCK-IN tampo | LH | no | D or E | f16 | e |  | CQ | USA | 104, 105 | 1996-09 | 1996 |
| 106 | red | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | ADDISON FIRE DEPT. tampo | LH | no | D or E | f16 | d |  | CQ | USA | 106, 107 | 1996-09 | 1996 |
| 108 | dk. blue | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | SCOOTER'S SNOWBOARD SHOPPE tampo | LH | no | D or E | f18 | d, e |  | CQ | USA | 108, 109 | 1996-12 | 1996 |
| 110 | red | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | HANKOOK NO. 1 TYRE tampo | LH | no | D or E | f16 | d, e |  | CQ | GB | 110, 111 | 1997-08 | 1997 |
| 112 | red | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | WATERWAY RECOVERY GROUP tampo | LH | no | D or E | f16 | d, e |  | CQ | GB | 112, 113 | 1997-08 | 1997 |
| 114 | red | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | MANROSE EXTRACTOR FANS tampo | LH | no | D or E | f16 | d |  | CQ | GB | 114, 115 | 1997-08 | 1997 |
| 116 | red | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | MAGNA tampo | LH | no | D or E | f16 |  |  | CQ | GB | 116, 117 | 1997-08 | 1997 |
| 118 | red | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | BELFAST EVENING TELEGRAPH tampo | LH | no | D or E | f16 |  |  | CQ | GB | 118, 119 | 1998-02 | 1998 |
| 120 | dk. blue | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | N.S.V.A. 25TH ANNIVERSARY MEMBERS VAN tampo | LH | no | D or E | f18 | d, e |  | CQ | GB | 120, 121 | 1998-07 | 1998 |
| 122 | dk. blue | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | N.S.V.A. 25TH ANNIVERSARY COMMITTEE VAN tampo | LH | no | D or E | f18 |  |  | CQ | GB | 122, 123 | 1998-07 | 1998 |
| 124 | dk. blue | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | LONG TIME VANNERS 1999 CLUB MEMBER tampo | LH | no | D or E | f18 | d, e |  | CQ | GB | 124 | 1999-07 | 1999 |
| f21 | dk. blue | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | DULUX tampo | LH | no | D or E | f18 |  |  | CQ | GB |  |  | 1999 |
| f25 | dk. blue | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | white logo tampo (Peterborough City Council) | LH | no | D or E | f18 |  |  | CQ | GB |  |  | 1999 |
| 125 | red | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | JIAYI EXPRESS tampo (white & yellow, sides) | LH | yes | D or E | 009 | d | MB USA | CCI | USA | 125 | 2013-10 | 2013 |

**PRE-PRODUCTIONS:**

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| 020pr | lime green | dk. gray **M** | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | none | **RH** | yes | **B** | 020 | b |  | P | NL |  |  | 1988 |
| p01 | white | dk. gray C | gray | colorless | 8 dot 10x5mm | silver | bear head & cakes tampo | **RH** | yes | D or E |  | d |  | P LL |  |  |  | 1989 |

**USA codes:**

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| **MB 60-G** | **MB 57-G** |  |  |

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| **ROW numbers:** | **60** (1986-1994) |
| **USA numbers:** | **57** (1990) |
| **Other numbers:** | **J 14** (1986-1987) |

**NOTE:**

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| **Base types:** | **A** | **MB logo, MADE IN MACAU cast flat** |
|  | **B** | **MB logo, MADE IN MACAU imprinted on high rectangular platform** |
|  | **C** | **MB logo, MADE IN MACAU imprinted on low rounded platform** |
|  | **D** | **MB logo, MADE IN CHINA cast on high rectangular platform** |
|  | **E** | **MB logo, MADE IN CHINA cast on low rounded platform** |
|  | **F** | **SUTC logo, MADE IN CHINA cast flat** |

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

**SUB-VARIATIONS:**

| **code** | **base type** |
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| a | A |
| b | B |
| c | C |
| d | D |
| e | E |
| f | F |

**Previous ref.: none**

**Later ref.: ⇒ ⇒ ⇒ MI 281 FORD TRANSIT**