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4 WHEELED DUMPER CHASSIS
(Model DT. 745-6 Series)

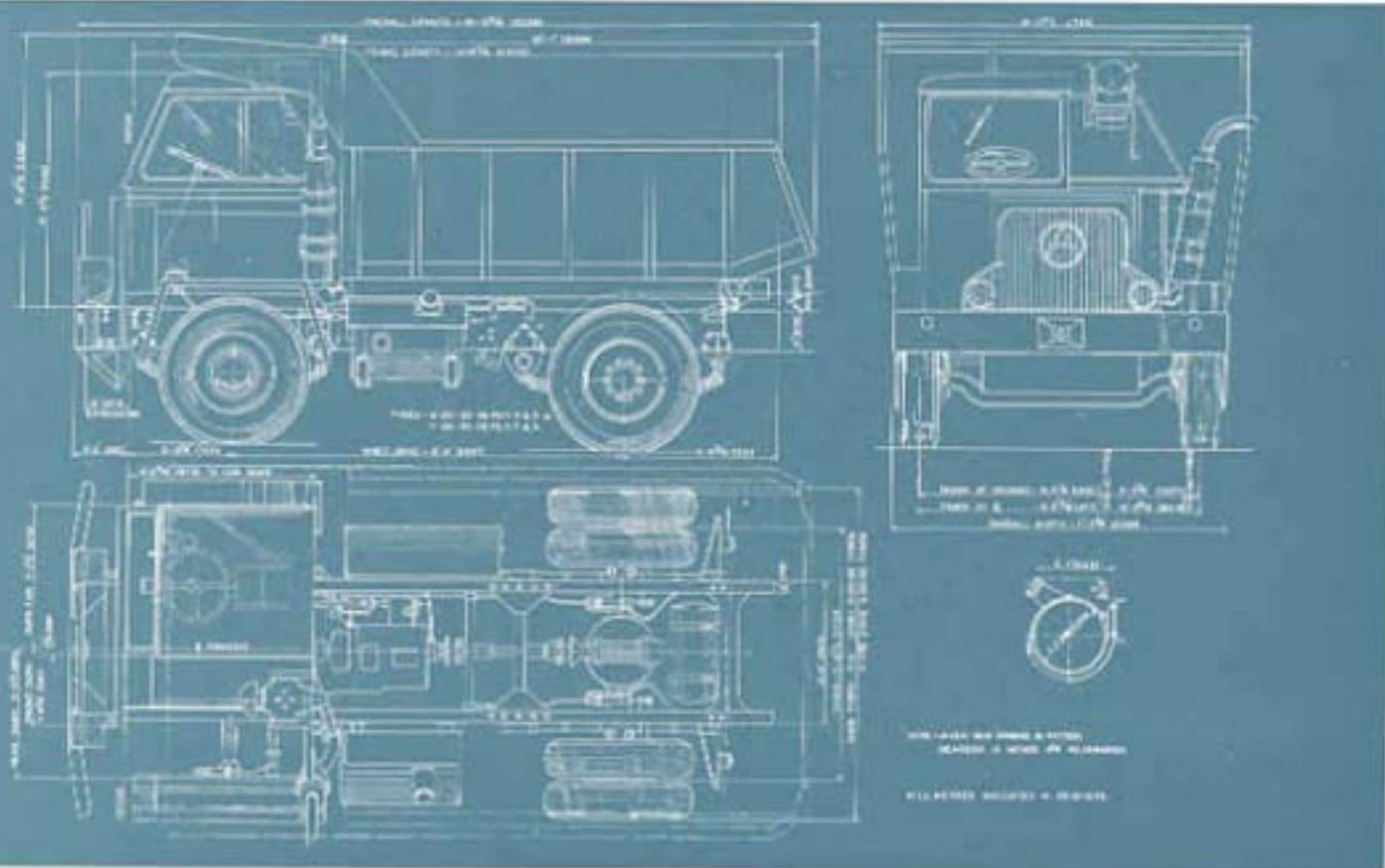
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Arrangement of Atkinson DT.745-6 Chassis



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A ATKINSON 4-WHEELER CHASSIS, DT 345-6 6.7 C.I. V.D. HEAVY DUMPER

This dumper truck has been specially designed for heavy-duty operation, under the most arduous conditions, on or off the road. The chassis can be supplied in either R.H. or L.H. form, and the following basic specifications can be modified to suit individual operating conditions.

ENGINE. Is the "Gardner" 6.W. compression ignition diesel injection diesel unit, having 4" bore, 6" stroke.

Model	Engine No. of	H.P. at 1,600 R.P.M.	lbs. per cu. in. Min.
DT 345	3.L.W.	92	300
DT 346	6.W.	112	355

In the above models the crankshaft is carried in a deep section rigid crankcase the dry silent cylinders being arranged in line. Block, with detachable heads and overhead valve location; pistons are fitted with chromium plated gas rings, all features ensuring long life with ease of maintenance. Forced lubrication to all crankshaft bearings is provided by submerged gear pump housed in a large capacity sump with strainers on both suction and delivery outlets. Cool air ventilation and a special high mounted air cleaner complete with pre-cleaner is fitted as standard. Air-cooled cooling is provided by a large diameter fan and centrifugal water pump, the system being thermostatically controlled. The particular feature of this unit is fuel economy ensured by the specially designed fuel pump, controlling by centrifugal governor the amount of fuel injected. Ready-starting from cold by electric start and positively driven dynamo are other features. The engine is a unit, with clutch and gearbox, in these positions mounted, with rubber insulation at each location. The engine sump is fully protected by a substantial steel guard.

CLUTCH. Is a 15" single diaphragm type, provided with a clutch stop and ample two stage adjustment to cater for full torque. Clutch slip torque is 510 lbs., 10% more than equal to all cells from the driver, yet smooth in operation under all conditions.

GEARBOX. Mounted as a unit with engine. This unit has five forward speeds and reverse gear being direct, controlled by one change speed lever only. All gears are high quality heat treated alloy steel, mounted on large diameter rigid shafts, carried in bearings of ample capacity. The ratios are particularly selected to suit the arduous duties the chassis will perform, and are as follows:-

1st	5.15	2.24	1st Third	7.82	1st First
2nd	5.65	4.68	2nd Second	7.92	2nd Reverse

TRANSMISSION. Power is transmitted to the driving axle by a single piece tubular propeller shaft, incorporating needle roller bearing side angle universal joints, and sliding coupling to allow full side articulation. All shafts are dynamically balanced to eliminate vibration.

REAR AXLE. The drive to the road wheels is provided by an overhauled drive worms and pinion having an 8:1 centre heavy duty axle fitted with a standard ratio of 8P with the following alternative ratios available 6P and 7P to 1.

FRONT AXLE. This unit incorporates a one piece 2 section high tensile steel beam of generous proportions, with forged steel hubs mounted on taper roller bearings. The king pins are mounted on taper roller bearings to provide easy steering the hub jointed adjustable track rod being mounted at the rear.

ROAD SPRINGS. Front and rear are semielliptic, steel manganese steel, of suitable length, shackled at the rear, to ensure smooth riding under all conditions.

BRAKING SYSTEM. The footbrake acts on all wheels, and is hydraulic servo assisted, drum diameters and brake shoe widths being 19" - 35" on front axle, 12" - 6" on rear. The handbrake, located on the driver's right hand, acts on the rear wheel only, and is mechanically operated throughout.

ROAD WHEELS AND TYRES. Pressed steel disc wheels are carried on the hubs, by ten 1" dia. wheel studs, tyres being 9.00 - 20 (12 pl) or alternative C.20 Michelin model single front and twin rear. Single rear tyres of equivalent carrying capacity can be fitted.

STEERING. Is the Marles Cam and double roller type, totally enclosed and working in oil. All contacting surfaces are of hardened alloy steel, wear being minimised and development of backlash practically eliminated.

FRAME. Frame side members are of high tensile steel pressings 1 1/2" x 3" x 1/2" braced by substantial ground steel cross members fitted with high tensile bolts. The frame is extended past the front of the cab and coated with a maximum strength fibrous temper bar.

RADIATOR. Cast aluminium, with thermostatic detachable "Walden" tubes, giving ample cooling surface area and water capacity. Temperature control is by bimetallic, allowing quick action in under cold conditions. The radiator is totally enclosed and protected by a robustly constructed guard.

FUEL TANK. Is of 30 gallon capacity situated on the rear side of the chassis frame. Feed is by Anil pump mounted on and driven by the engine. A rubber guard is fitted over the tank.

ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT. Is 12-volt double pole system with battery of ample capacity. Instruments are grouped in a panel in front of the driver, with a control box situated conveniently in the driver's right hand. Twin head, side and stop-tail lamps are provided, head lamps controlled by dipper switch. Electric starting is standard.

CHASSIS EQUIPMENT. This includes speedometer, twin matched wind-screen刮水器, hydraulic jack, inertia starting handle, rear number plates, greater gear, complete set of tool and wheel cover cases, lubrication chart, service diagram, service manual and spare parts list are provided with each chassis.

CAB. A special all steel half cab is provided as standard, particular attention having been paid to visibility, and the driving controls have been laid out to reduce driver's fatigue to a minimum. The cab has been designed to afford full and easy access to the engine and other units. Substantial guards are mounted to the front bumper bar to protect the cab front and headamps.

BODY. All steel electrically welded, sawn ended, slant body with 2 1/2" steel side plates and 1 1/2" hardwood sandwich floor covered with a 3 1/2" mild steel plate. A high loading board with a cab protection canopy is provided. The maximum width of the standard body is 8' 3". Alternative types of body can be fitted to suit the operators requirements.

TIPPING GEAR. Special heavy duty, twin under body, Model U4.D tipping gear, complete with heavy duty hinge equipment and special release valve. This unit is capable of tipping the body to an angle of 60°.

EXTRAS.

Cab heater	Standard all steel cab
24-volt electrical equipment	Double reduction axle
Power steering	Air brakes
Gardner 6.LX engine	Commins HU.6 engine
20" 6 speed gearbox	

LEADING DIMENSIONS.

Wheelbase	8' 9"
Overall length (cabless)	To tail tip body
Overall width (chassis)	2' 7 1/2"
Back of cab to end of frame	To tail tip body
Front height	5' 2 1/2"
Ground clearance	5' 7"
Frame width	3' 2 1/2"
Front wheel track at C.L.	6' 2 1/2"
Rear wheel track	5' 8"

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