

# Wheel Loaders

**L 524 - L 542**  
2plus1 2plus1

Tipping load, articulated: 7,300 kg – 9,760 kg



# LIEBHERR

## L 524 2plus1

Tipping load, articulated: 7,300 kg  
Bucket capacity: 2.0 m<sup>3</sup>  
Service weight: 10,350 kg  
Engine output: 86 kW

## L 528 2plus1

Tipping load, articulated: 8,100 kg  
Bucket capacity: 2.2 m<sup>3</sup>  
Service weight: 10,780 kg  
Engine output: 86 kW

## L 538 2plus1

Tipping load, articulated: 9,020 kg  
Bucket capacity: 2.5 m<sup>3</sup>  
Service weight: 12,430 kg  
Engine output: 105 kW

## L 542 2plus1

Tipping load, articulated: 9,760 kg  
Bucket capacity: 2.7 m<sup>3</sup>  
Service weight: 13,040 kg  
Engine output: 105 kW



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## Reliability

All the materials used have passed long-time tests to ensure that they comply with Liebherr's high quality standards in even the toughest conditions. A sophisticated concept and proven quality mean that Liebherr wheel loaders set the standard when it comes to reliability.

## Comfort

The ultra-modern cabin design with advanced ergonomics, continuously variable Liebherr driveline without interruption of tractive force thanks to the "2plus1" gearbox, optimal weight distribution and a transversely-mounted engine for excellent maintenance access lead to unequalled overall comfort.





#### Lower fuel consumption

- A fuel saving of up to 5 litres per operating hour represents a cost saving of up to 25 %.
- The Liebherr standard test demonstrates the operating efficiency of Liebherr wheel loaders.



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## Low operating costs

### Minimum costs, high handling capacity

When it comes to economy, conventional wheel loaders are no match for Liebherr machines, mainly due to the following factors:

- Low fuel consumption as a result of higher efficiency and a lower operating weight. The Liebherr wheel loader's fuel consumption is up to 5 litres per operating hour lower than a conventional wheel loader under the same working conditions.
- Virtually no brake wear, thanks to the hydraulic braking action of the driveline. This means no brake repair costs resulting from wear and tear.
- Continuous traction control for reduced tyre wear. Depending on the working conditions, tyre wear can be up to 25 % lower than with conventional wheel loaders.

## Active environmental protection

### Economical use of resources

Reduced fuel consumption means lower emissions, which leads to the active and economical use of resources.

During combustion, 1 litre of diesel produces up to 3 kg of CO<sub>2</sub>. A saving of 5 litres of fuel per operating hour translates into a 15,000-kilogram reduction in CO<sub>2</sub> emissions over a period of 1,000 operating hours, for example. The result: reduced fuel costs and active protection of the environment.

### Low noise emissions

The innovative driveline concept also cuts noise emissions considerably: Liebherr wheel loaders are significantly quieter in operation.



### Reduced brake wear

- Even in the toughest working conditions, the Liebherr travel drive is always braked hydraulically. The mechanical service brake is used only as a secondary braking function – as such – the brakes are virtually wear-free.



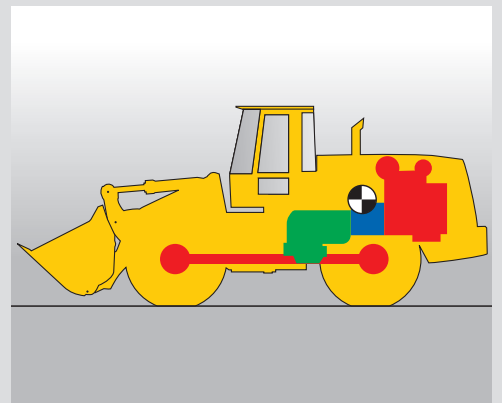
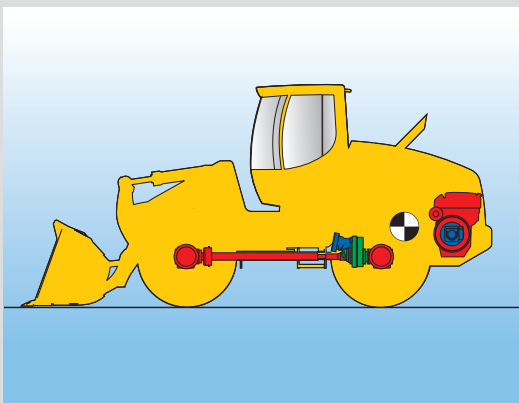
### Reduced tyre wear

- The tractive force can be adjusted continuously. This prevents wheelspin and reduces tyre wear by up to 25 %.



#### Liebherr driveline

- Optimum weight distribution thanks to transverse installation of the Liebherr diesel engine.
- The Liebherr diesel engine is used as a counterweight - so high tipping load at low operating weight.
- Compact design improves visibility in all directions.



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## Higher performance, lower weight

### Higher productivity, lower operating weight

Liebherr's driveline enables the Liebherr diesel engine to be installed transversely at the rear of the wheel loader. This increases the tipping load while keeping the operating weight low. Productivity is greatly increased because no unnecessary counterweight has to be carried on the machine.

## Ultra-modern Liebherr driveline

### Innovative technology

Liebherr Allround wheel loaders are equipped with a "2plus1" gearbox. Tractive force and speed are adapted to suit demand – automatically and without gear changes. Even the change from forward to reverse travel is controlled hydraulically, so that no mechanical reverse gear is required.

## Flexibility puts them ahead

### An all-purpose loader

The Allround wheel loader models can be supplied with either a parallel or a Z-pattern linkage. This gives them the ideal equipment for tackling a variety of tasks. Their compact design allows these wheel loaders to manoeuvre quickly and efficiently – an ideal basis for high handling capacity.



### Conventional travel gear

- Longitudinally mounted diesel engine moves the centre of gravity to the further forward.
- Much more additional counterweight is needed to maintain stability and to increase the tipping load.
- This leads to high operating weight and bad visibility.



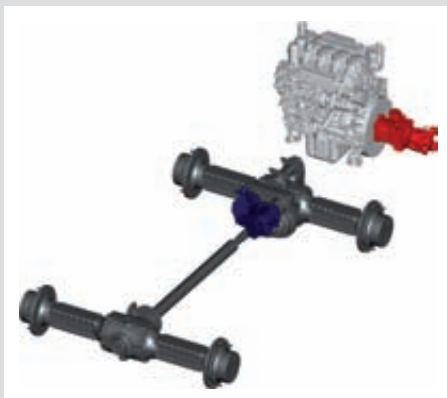
### An all-purpose loader

- The choice between parallel (P) and Z-pattern linkage means that the loader can always be configured to suit the customer's specific tasks: P for industrial use, Z for conventional material handling.



#### Liebherr driveline

- The Liebherr driveline consists of two hydraulic motors, which accelerate the loader continuously from a standstill to maximum speed, either forwards or in reverse – without a manual gear shift and a reversing gear unit.





# Reliability

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## Reliable Liebherr driveline

### Fewer components

Liebherr's driveline includes a self-locking hydraulic brake, with the result that the additional wet brake discs are effectively wear-free. A reversing gear unit is not required, thereby reducing the number of components susceptible to wear.

## Controlled cooling

### The intelligent answer

The cooling fan is not driven directly from the Liebherr diesel engine, and produces only the cooling air output that is needed at any given moment. Heat sensors control its operating speed, and if overheating should occur, the wheel loader shifts down automatically to the lowest travel speed range.

Since less power is then consumed, the Liebherr diesel engine is better protected against overheating. At the same time, the fan speed is increased to the maximum value, for the best possible protection of all components.

## Components to the manufacturer's quality standards

### Everything from a single source

Important components such as the engine, hydraulic rams and electronics are manufactured by Liebherr itself – which means co-ordinated quality from the manufacturer down to the smallest detail to ensure the highest possible performance and reliability.



### Cooling system

- The radiator is installed on the rear section of the vehicle, between the diesel engine and the cabin. Cooling air is drawn in directly behind the cabin and blown out upwards at the rear. The fan speed is varied automatically by heat sensors that determine the amount of cooling needed.
- A reversible fan drive to expel dust from the radiator can be specified as an optional extra.



### Liebherr's own components

- Liebherr has many years of experience in the design, development and construction of diesel engines, hydraulic rams and electronic components. They are all matched together down to the smallest detail for use on its wheel loaders.



#### Liebherr control lever

- The Liebherr control lever is used to manage all the machine's travel and working movements. The operator's left hand can remain on the steering wheel at all times without having to reach for other control levers – a valuable safety feature. The operator controls the following functions with his right hand:

- Raise and lower attachment
- Fill and dump the bucket
- Automatic bucket repositioning
- Change of travel direction with simultaneous travel start
- Controls for additional hydraulic functions



# Comfort

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## Top-class cabin design

### Comfort cabin

This ultra-modern, ergonomically planned cabin design is the basis for increased performance and productivity of the operator. The displays, controls and driver's seat are carefully co-ordinated to form a perfect ergonomic unit.

### Liebherr control lever

All working and travel functions are operated precisely and sensitively from a single control lever. This means accurate and safe handling, and the left hand always remains on the steering wheel. This increases the safety at the job site.

## Liebherr driveline

### Continuously variable transmission

Liebherr's driveline with a “2plus1” gearbox enables the wheel loader to accelerate smoothly and continuously in all speed ranges, with no discernable gear shifts and no interruptions to tractive force.

### Unique oscillation system

The combination of centre pivot and rear swing axle reduces the cab tilt by 50 % and this again makes the working conditions much more pleasant for the operator.

## Service accessibility

### Straightforward maintenance

The transversely-installed Liebherr diesel engine allows excellent ease of access for maintenance. All maintenance points can be reached easily and safely from ground level when a single engine hood is opened.

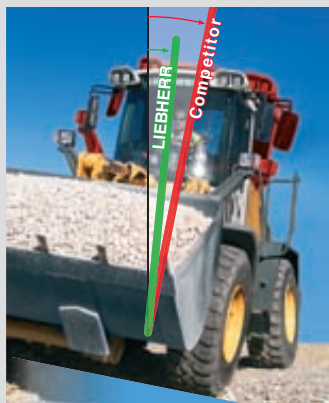
### Hydrostatic fan drive

The cooling system is located directly behind the cabin. This reduces the accumulation of dust and thus the need for cleaning and maintenance work, which in turn saves both time and money.



### Service accessibility

- The transversely installed Liebherr diesel engine enables an easy accessibility for maintenance. Lifting a hinge up cover allows you a safe and convenient access to all maintenance points from ground level.



### Unique oscillation system

- The combination of centre pivot and rear swing axle reduces the cab tilt by 50 %. This leads to greater operator comfort based on the reduction of the cab tilt.

- Conventional wheel loader
- Liebherr wheel loader
- Lateral slope angle

# Technical Data



## Engine

**L 524** 2plus1   **L 528** 2plus1   **L 538** 2plus1   **L 542** 2plus1

Liebherr diesel engine	D 504 TI	I D 504 TI	I D 934 S AG	I D 934 S AG
Design	4-cylinder, inline engine, water-cooled, turbo charged, intercooled			
Rated output according to ISO 9249	kW 86			
	86	105	105	105
at RPM 2400	2400	2000	2000	2000
Max. torque	Nm 430			
	430	770	770	770
at RPM 1500	1500	1000 ÷ 1300	1000 ÷ 1300	1000 ÷ 1300
Displacement	Liter 4,5			
Bore/Stroke	106/127	106/127	122/136	122/136
Air cleaner system	Dry air filter with main and safety element, pre-cleaner, service indicator on LCD display			
Electrical system				
Operating voltage	V 24			
Battery	Ah/V 2 x 135/12			
Alternator	Three-phase AC			
Starter	V/A 24/55			
	V/kW 24/7	24/7	28/80	28/80
		24/5,4	24/5,4	24/5,4

The exhaust emissions are below the limits in stage IIIA/Tier 3.



## Travel Drive

Stepless hydrostatic travel drive	Swash plate type variable flow pump and two variable axial piston motors in closed loop circuit and axle transfer case 2plus1. Direction of travel is reversed by changing the flow-direction of the variable-displacement pump	
Design "2plus1"		
Filtering system	Suction filter for closed circuit	
Control	By travel and inching pedal. The inching pedal makes it possible to control the tractive and thrust forces steplessly at full engine speed. The Liebherr joystick is used to control forward and reverse travel and select the travel stages	
Travel speed range	Speed range 1	0- 6,0 km/h
	Speed range A1-2	0- 16,0 km/h
	Speed range A1-3	0- 40,0 km/h
	The quoted speeds apply with the tyres that are standard equipment on the loader	



## Axles

Four-wheel drive	Fixed	
Front axle	Centre pivot, with 6° oscillating angle to each side. 470 mm in height can be driven over (with all four wheels remain in contact with the ground)	
Rear axle	Automatic limited-slip differentials with 45 % locking action in both axles	
Differentials	Planetary final drive in wheel hubs	
Reduction gear	1960 mm with all types of tyres (L 524, L 528)	
Track width	1900 mm with all types of tyres (L 538, L 542)	



## Brakes

Wear-free service brake	Self-locking of the hydrostatic travel drive (acting on all four wheels) and additional pump-accumulator brake system with wet multi-disc brakes located in the differential housing (two separate brake circuits)
Parking brake	Electro-hydraulically actuated spring-loaded disc brake system on the front axle

The braking system meets the requirements of the EC guidelines 71/320.



## Steering

Design	Hydraulic servo power steering Central oscillating frame articulation with damper element
Articulation angle	40° (to each side)
Oscillating angle	6° (to each side)
Max. pressure	230 bar
Emergency steering	Electro-hydraulic emergency steering system



## Attachment Hydraulics

Design	"Load-Sensing" variable axial piston pump with output and flow control, and pressure cut-off in the control block			
Cooling	Hydraulic oil cooling using thermostatically controlled fan and oil cooler			
Filtration	Return line filter in the hydraulic reservoir			
Control	"Liebherr joystick" with hydrostatic servo control			
Lift circuit	Lifting, neutral, lowering and float position controlled by Liebherr joystick with detent; automatic lifting-limit circuit optional			
Tilt circuit	Tilt back, neutral, dump automatic bucket positioning			
	L 524	L 528	L 538	L 542
	2plus1	2plus1	2plus1	2plus1
Max. flow	l/min. 105			
	105	140	140	140
Max. pressure	bar 315			
	315	330	330	330



## Attachment

Geometry can be chosen	Powerful Z-bar linkage with one tilt cylinder, hydr. quick change coupler - optional equipment
	Parallel linkage with two tilt cylinders, hydr. quick change coupler - standard equipment

Bearings	Sealed							
Cycle time at nominal load	L 524	L 528	L 538	L 542				
	2plus1	2plus1	2plus1	2plus1				
	ZK	PK	ZK	PK	ZK	PK	ZK	PK
Lifting	6,6	6,6	6,6	6,6	5,9	5,9	5,9	5,9
Dumping	1,8	3,5	1,8	3,5	1,6	3,5	1,6	3,5
Lowering (empty)	4,0	4,0	4,0	4,0	4,0	4,0	4,0	4,0



## Operator's Cab

Design	On elastic bearing on rear section, soundproof ROPS/FOPS cab. Operator's door with optional sliding window, 180° opening angle, fold-out window on right side with opening angle, front windscreen made of compound safety glass, green tinted as standard, side windows made of single-pane safety glass, grey tinted, continuously adjustable steering column and joystick control as standard, heatable rear window
	ROPS roll over protection per DIN/ISO 3471/EN 474-3
	FOPS falling objects protection per DIN/ISO 3449/EN 474-1
Liebherr Operator's seat	6 way adjustable seat with lap belt, vibration damping and suspension adjustable for the operator's weight
Cab heating and ventilation	Operator's cab with 4-level air control, cooling water heating, defroster and air conditioning with electronic valve control, as well as electronic fresh/recirculated air control, filter system with pre-filter, fresh air filter and recirculated air filter, easily replaced, air condition optional



## Noise Emission

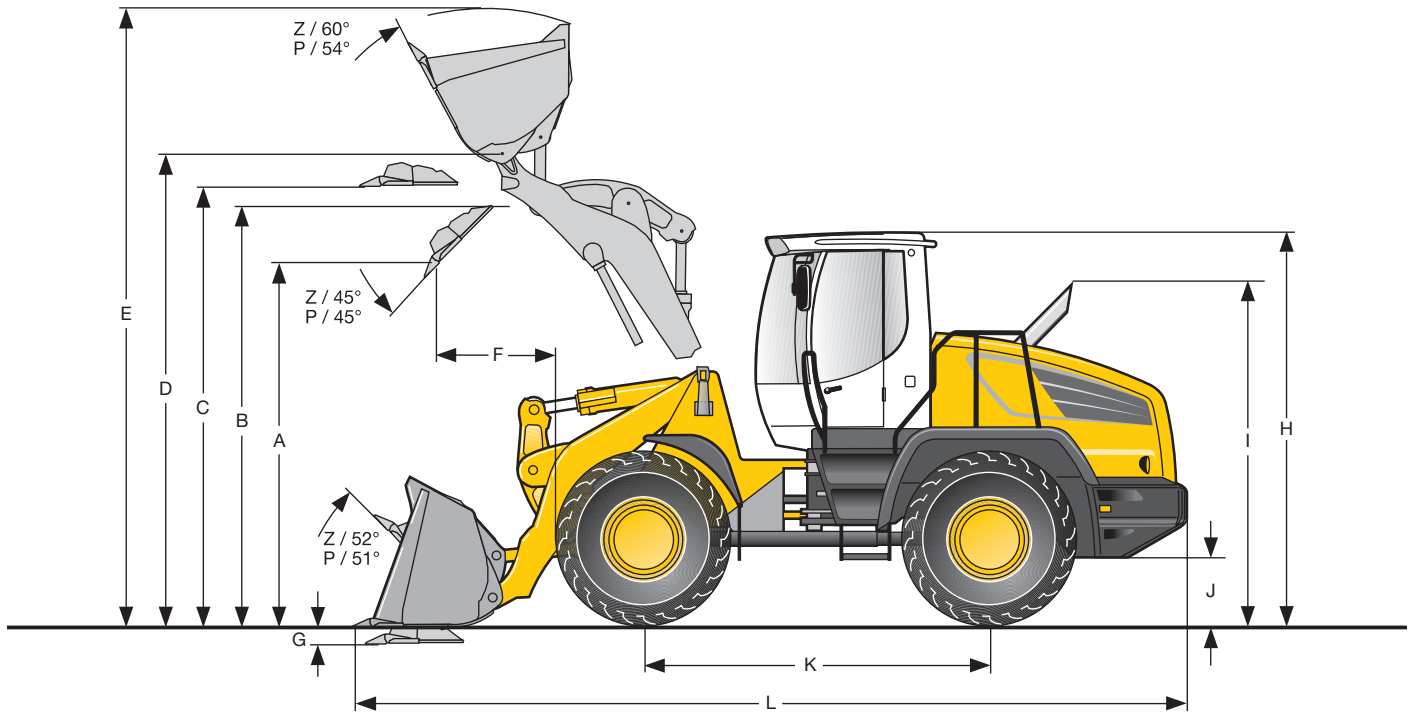
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ISO 6396				
L <sub>DA</sub> (inside cab)	69 dB(A)	69 dB(A)	69 dB(A)	69 dB(A)
2000/14/EC				
L <sub>WA</sub> (surround noise)	101 dB(A)	101 dB(A)	102 dB(A)	102 dB(A)



## Capacities

	L 524	L 528	L 538	L 542
	2plus1	2plus1	2plus1	2plus1
Fuel tank	l 170	170	170	170
Engine oil				
(inclusive filter change)	l 12	12	29	29
Pump distributor gears	l 3,8	3,8	3,8	3,8
Front axle/wheel hubs	l 16,3/2,6	16,3/2,6	16,3/2,6	16,3/2,6
Rear axle/wheel hubs	l 15/2,6	15/2,6	15/2,6	15/2,6
Hydraulic tank	l 110	110	110	110
Hydraulic system, total	l 170	170	180	180

# Dimensions



## Loading Bucket

		L 524 <sup>2plus1</sup>		L 528 <sup>2plus1</sup>		L 538 <sup>2plus1</sup>		L 542 <sup>2plus1</sup>	
		ZK	PK	ZK	PK	ZK	PK	ZK	PK
Geometry		T	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
Cutting tools		T	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
Bucket capacity	m <sup>3</sup>	2,0	1,7	2,2	2,0	2,5	2,2	2,7	2,4
Bucket width	mm	2500	2500	2500	2500	2500	2500	2500	2500
Specific material weight	t/m <sup>3</sup>	1,8	1,8	1,8	1,8	1,8	1,8	1,8	1,8
A Dumping height at max. lift height and 45° discharge	mm	2870	2845	2800	2765	2900	2770	2845	2725
B Dump-over height	mm	3335	3370	3335	3370	3480	3430	3480	3430
C Max. height of bucket bottom	mm	3530	3590	3530	3590	3680	3640	3680	3640
D Max. height of bucket pivot point	mm	3775	3830	3775	3830	3930	3890	3930	3890
E Max. operating height	mm	4860	4980	4960	4985	5170	5190	5260	5255
F Reach at max. lift height and 45° discharge	mm	850	1010	935	1090	960	1060	1005	1095
G Digging depth	mm	80	61	80	55	80	55	80	55
H Height above cab	mm	3200	3200	3200	3200	3250	3250	3250	3250
I Height above exhaust	mm	2860	2860	2860	2860	2910	2910	2910	2910
J Ground clearance	mm	460	460	460	460	490	490	490	490
K Wheelbase	mm	2750	2750	2850	2850	2975	2975	2975	2975
L Overall length	mm	6720	6965	6930	7170	7150	7315	7225	7350
Turning circle radius over outside bucket edge	mm	5520	5610	5660	5740	5840	5900	5870	5920
Lifting force (SAE)	kN	100	71	99	70	145	95	144	94
Breakout force (SAE)	kN	91	83	80	74	113	107	105	101
Tipping load, straight*	kg	8310	7150	9180	8070	10210	9300	11040	10120
Tipping load, articulated at 40°*	kg	7300	6300	8100	7100	9020	8200	9760	8940
Operating weight*	kg	10600	10825	11100	11350	12755	12710	13320	13300
Tyre sizes		17.5R25		17.5R25		20.5R25		20.5R25	
		Good Year GP-2B		Good Year GP-2B		Good Year GP-2B		Good Year GP-2B	

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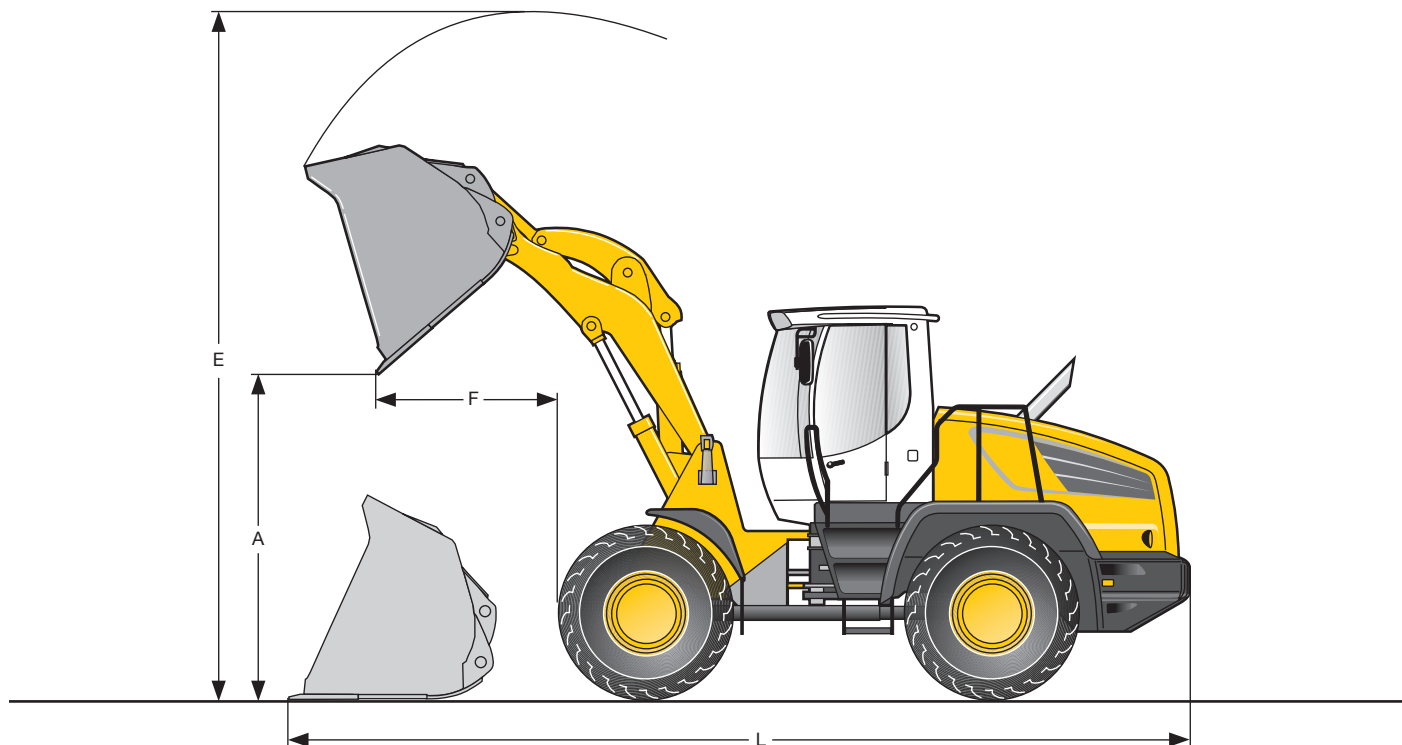
ZK = Z-bar linkage

PK = Parallel linkage with hydraulic quick coupler

T = Welded-on tooth holder with add-on teeth

# Attachment

## Light Material Bucket



### Light Material Bucket with Bolt-On Cutting Edge

		L 524 <sup>2plus1</sup>		L 528 <sup>2plus1</sup>		L 538 <sup>2plus1</sup>		L 542 <sup>2plus1</sup>		
		ZK	PK	ZK	PK	ZK	PK	ZK	PK	
	Geometry									
	Bucket capacity	m <sup>3</sup>	3,0	3,0	3,0	3,0	4,0	4,0	4,0	
	Bucket width	mm	2700	2700	2700	2700	2700	2700	2700	
	Specific material weight	t/m <sup>3</sup>	1,0	0,9	1,2	1,1	1,0	1,0	1,1	
A	Dumping height at max. lift height	mm	2550	2630	2550	2630	2505	2505	2505	
E	Max. operating height	mm	5230	5290	5230	5290	5590	5545	5590	
F	Reach at maximum lift height	mm	1120	1230	1120	1230	1265	1320	1265	
L	Overall length	mm	7140	7275	7240	7375	7700	7730	7700	
	Tipping load, straight*	kg	7190	7110	8170	7334	9160	8920	10185	
	Tipping load, articulated at 40°*	kg	6320	6250	7210	6476	8080	7865	8980	
	Operating weight*	kg	11180	11125	11470	11510	13165	12965	13735	
	Tyre sizes		17.5R25		17.5R25		20.5R25		20.5R25	
			Good Year GP-2B		Good Year GP-2B		Good Year GP-2B		Good Year GP-2B	

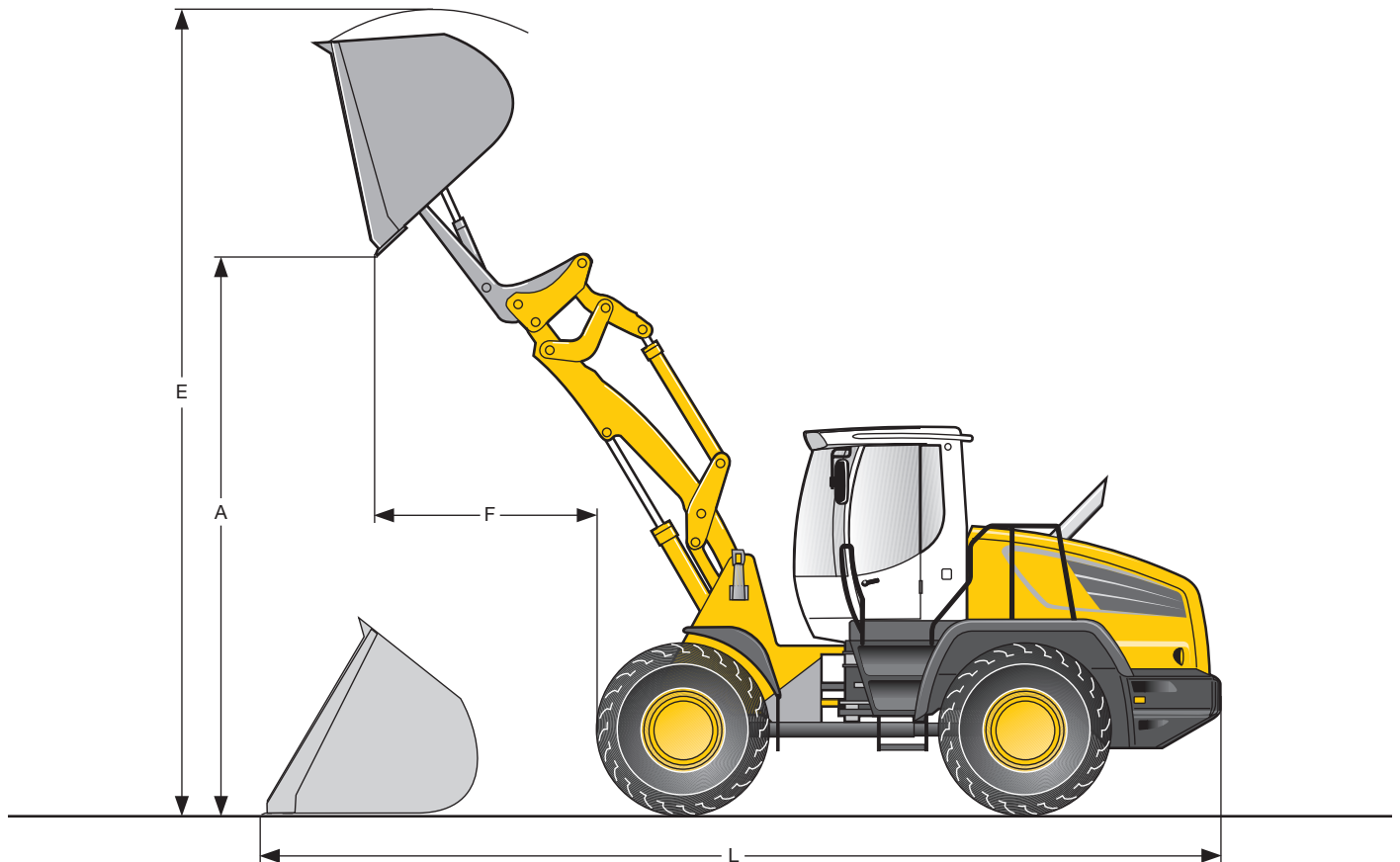
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ZK = Z-bar linkage with hydraulic quick coupler

PK = Parallel linkage with hydraulic quick coupler

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## High-Dump Bucket



### High-Dump Bucket with Bolt-On Cutting Edge

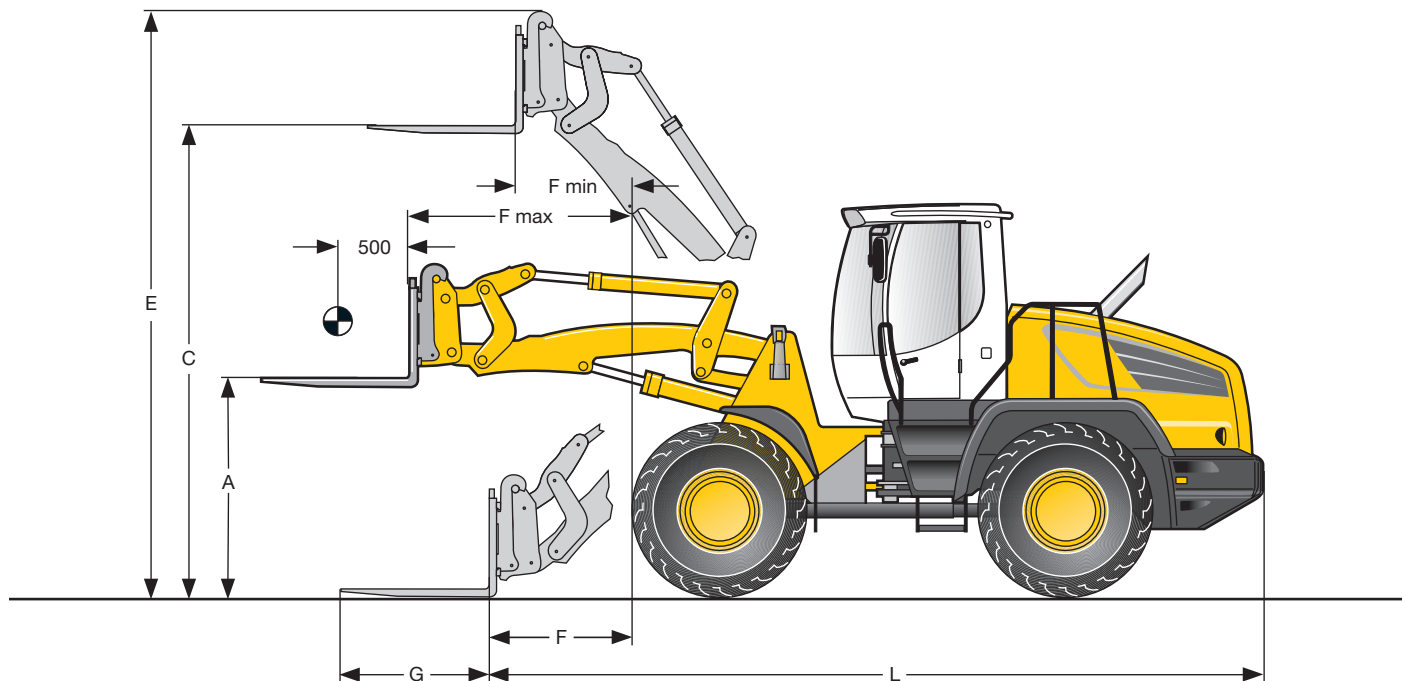
		L 524 <sup>2plus1</sup>	L 528 <sup>2plus1</sup>	L 538 <sup>2plus1</sup>	L 542 <sup>2plus1</sup>
Geometry		PK	PK	PK	PK
Bucket capacity	m <sup>3</sup>	3,0	3,0	4,0	4,0
Bucket width	mm	2720	2720	2720	2720
Specific material weight	t/m <sup>3</sup>	0,9	1,0	0,9	1,0
A Dumping height at max. lift height	mm	4220	4220	4000	4000
E Max. operating height	mm	6125	6125	6350	6350
F Reach at maximum lift height	mm	1625	1625	1805	1805
L Overall length	mm	7410	7510	8025	8025
Tipping load, straight *	kg	6340	6990	8110	8970
Tipping load, articulated at 40° *	kg	5570	6140	7170	7930
Operating weight *	kg	11466	11825	13670	14215
Tyre sizes		17.5R25	17.5R25	20.5R25	20.5R25
		Good Year GP-2B	Good Year GP-2B	Good Year GP-2B	Good Year GP-2B

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# Attachment

## Fork Carrier and Fork



### FEM III Fork Carrier and Fork with Quick Change Device

		L 524 <sup>2plus1</sup>		L 528 <sup>2plus1</sup>		L 538 <sup>2plus1</sup>		L 542 <sup>2plus1</sup>		
Geometry		ZK	PK	ZK	PK	ZK	PK	ZK	PK	
A	Lifting height at max. reach	mm	1690	1690	1693	1693	1781	1739	1780	1739
C	Max. lifting height	mm	3580	3645	3592	3650	3738	3697	3740	3699
E	Max. operating height	mm	4510	4560	4513	4565	4662	4612	4664	4613
F	Reach at loading position	mm	975	1110	969	1104	939	975	937	974
F max.	Max. reach	mm	1625	1720	1619	1720	1635	1934	1631	1631
F min.	Reach at max. lifting height	mm	695	780	698	774	694	695	683	684
G	Fork length	mm	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200
L	Length – basic machine without forks	mm	6100	6235	7392	7527	7553	7591	7552	7590
	Tipping load, straight*	kg	5820	5820	6550	6345	7410	7580	8110	8300
	Tipping load, articulated at 40°*	kg	5110	5110	5785	5580	6550	6700	7170	7340
	Recommended payload for uneven ground = 60 % of tipping load (articulated at 40°) <sup>1)</sup>	kg	3070	3070	3470	3470	3930	4025	4300	4400
	Recommended payload for smooth surfaces = 80 % of tipping load (articulated at 40°) <sup>1)</sup>	kg	4090	4090	4150	4600	5000 <sup>3)</sup>	5000 <sup>3)</sup>	5000 <sup>3)</sup>	5000 <sup>3)</sup>
	Operating weight*	kg	10635	10575	10920	10965	12465	12250	13080	12900
	Tyre sizes		17.5R25		17.5R25		20.5R25		20.5R25	
			Good Year GP-2B		Good Year GP-2B		Good Year GP-2B		Good Year GP-2B	

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<sup>1)</sup> According to EN 473-3 and ISO 8313

<sup>2)</sup> Payload on forks is limited by tilt cylinder

<sup>3)</sup> Load capacity for the fork carrier and forks is limited to 5000 kg



# Tipping Load



## What is tipping load?

Load at centre of gravity of working equipment, so that the wheel loader just begins to tip over the front axle.

This is the most unfavourable static-load position for the wheel loader.

Lifting arms horizontal, wheel loader fully articulated at centre pivot.

## Pay load.

The pay load must not exceed 50 % of the tipping load when articulated.

This is equivalent to a static stability-margin factor of 2,0.

## Bucket capacity.

The bucket volume is determined from the pay load.

$$\text{Pay load} = \frac{\text{Tipping load, articulated}}{2}$$

$$\text{Bucket capacity} = \frac{\text{Pay load (kg)}}{\text{Specific bulk weight of material (t/m}^3\text{)}}$$

## Bulk Material Densities and Bucket Filling Factors

	t/m <sup>3</sup>	%		t/m <sup>3</sup>	%		t/m <sup>3</sup>	%
Gravel, moist	1,9	105	Clay, natural	1,6	110	Granite	1,8	95
dry	1,6	105	dry	1,4	110	Limestone,		
wet, 6–50 mm	2,0	105	wet	1,65	105	hard	1,65	95
dry, 6–50 mm	1,7	105	Clay and gravel,			soft	1,55	100
crushed stone	1,5	100	dry	1,4	110	Sandstone	1,6	100
Sand, dry	1,5	110	wet	1,6	100	Slate	1,75	100
moist	1,8	115	Earth, dry	1,3	115	Bauxite	1,4	100
wet	1,9	110	wet excavated	1,6	110	Gypsum, broken	1,8	100
Gravel and sand,			Topsoil	1,1	110	Coke	0,5	110
dry	1,7	105	Weathered rock			Slag, broken	1,8	100
wet	2,0	100	50 % rock, 50 % earth	1,7	100	Coal	1,1	110
Sand and clay	1,6	110	Basalt	1,95	100			

# Tyres



	Size and tread code		Change of operating weight kg	Width over tyres mm	Change in vertical dimensions mm	use
<b>L 524<sup>2plus1</sup> / L 528<sup>2plus1</sup></b>						
Bridgestone	17.5R25 VMT	L3	+ 100	2450	+ 10	Gravel
Bridgestone	17.5R25 VSDL	L5	+ 588	2450	+ 40	Stone, Recycling
Good Year	17.5R25 RT-3B	L3	+ 184	2470	+ 10	Gravel
Good Year	17.5R25 GP-2B	L2	0	2460	0	Sand, Gravel
Michelin	17.5R25 XTLA	L2	- 64	2470	- 25	Gravel, Earthworks
Michelin	17.5R25 XHA	L3	+ 8	2460	- 15	Gravel
Michelin	17.5R25 XLD D2A	L5	+ 436	2480	+ 25	Stone, Recycling
Michelin	17.5R25 X-MINE D2	L5	+ 624	2480	+ 40	Stone, Recycling
<b>L 538<sup>2plus1</sup> / L 542<sup>2plus1</sup></b>						
Bridgestone	20.5R25 VMT	L3	+ 216	2470	- 15	Gravel
Bridgestone	20.5R25 VSDL	L5	+ 700	2470	+ 30	Stone, Scrap
Good Year	20.5R25 GP-2B	L2	0	2480	0	Sand, Gravel
Good Year	20.5R25 RL-5K	L5	+ 660	2490	+ 40	Industry, Stone
Michelin	20.5R25 XHA	L3	+ 16	2480	- 25	Gravel
Michelin	20.5R25 XLD D2	L5	+ 456	2490	+ 25	Stone, Mining spoil, Recycling
Michelin	20.5R25 X-Mine D2	L5	+ 732	2480	+ 40	Stone, Scrap

Before operating the vehicle with tyre foam filling or tyre protection chains, please discuss this with Liebherr-Werk Bischofshofen.

# The Liebherr Wheel Loaders

## Stereoloader



		L 506 <sup>Stereo</sup>	L 507 <sup>Stereo</sup>	L 508 <sup>Stereo</sup>	L 509 <sup>Stereo</sup>	L 510 <sup>Stereo</sup>	L 514 <sup>Stereo</sup>
Tipping load	kg	3231	3501	3824	4225	4581	5680
Bucket capacity	m <sup>3</sup>	0,8	0,9	1,0	1,1	1,2	1,5
Operating weight	kg	5120	5240	5480	6080	6250	8350
Engine output	kW/HP	42/58	46/63	46/63	54/74	58/79	72/98

## Wheel Loader



		L 524 <sup>2plus1</sup>	L 528 <sup>2plus1</sup>	L 538 <sup>2plus1</sup>	L 542 <sup>2plus1</sup>	L 550 <sup>2plus2</sup>
Tipping load	kg	7300	8100	9020	9760	11650
Bucket capacity	m <sup>3</sup>	2,0	2,2	2,5	2,7	3,2
Operating weight	kg	10350	10780	12430	13040	16525
Engine output	kW/HP	86/117	86/117	105/143	105/143	130/177

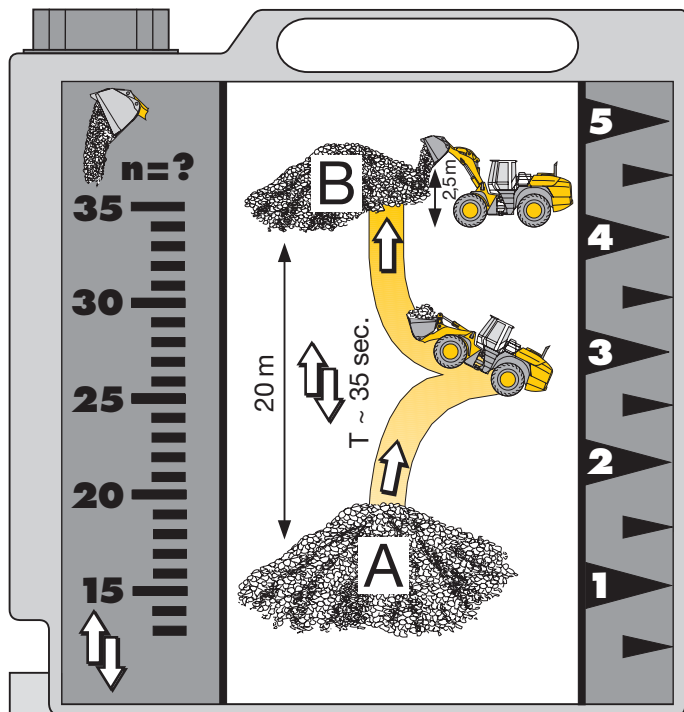
## Wheel Loader



		L 556 <sup>2plus2</sup>	L 566 <sup>2plus2</sup>	L 576 <sup>2plus2</sup>	L 580 <sup>2plus2</sup>	L 586 <sup>2plus2</sup>
Tipping load	kg	13140	15550	17200	18000	20430
Bucket capacity	m <sup>3</sup>	3,6	4,0	4,5	5,0	5,5
Operating weight	kg	17270	22500	24260	24580	31380
Engine output	kW/HP	140/191	190/259	200/272	200/272	250/340

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## Environmental protection can help you earn money!



### The Liebherr Standard Consumption Test - easy to reproduce and practical.

Every Liebherr dealer will provide you with this measuring-tank kit free of charge or, on request, will carry out the standard fuel consumption test on your premises. It's so easy: you simply determine the number of loading cycles that can be carried out with 5 litres of diesel. The material is taken from pile A and carried over a distance of 20 metres to point B. The time needed for each working cycle should be 35 seconds. Discharge at point B should take place from a height of 2,5 m. The working cycles continue until the 5 litres of diesel in the external measuring tank have been used up. The loader's fuel consumption per operating hour is calculated as follows:

$$\frac{400}{\text{Number of loading cycles}} = \text{consumption per hour}$$

# Equipment



## Basic Machine

	524 2plus1	528 2plus1	538 2plus1	542 2plus1
Liebherr travel gear	•	•	•	•
Ride control	+	+	+	+
Liebherr shock absorbing element	•	•	•	•
Automatic travel mode	•	•	•	•
20 km/h speed limiting	+	+	+	+
Electronical theft protection	+	+	+	+
Combined inching-braking system	•	•	•	•
Multi-disc limited slip differentials in both axles	•	•	•	•
Air cleaner system with pre-filter	•	•	•	•
Particle protection for radiator	+	+	+	+
Reversible fan drive	+	+	+	+
Emergency steering system	•	•	•	•
Liebherr bio degradable hydraulic oil	+	+	+	+
Headlights	•	•	•	•
Two tail lights	•	•	•	•
Two working area lights at rear	+	+	+	+
Battery master switch	•	•	•	•
Pre-heat system for cold starting	•	•	•	•
Towing hitch	•	•	•	•
Lockable doors, service flap and engine hood	•	•	•	•
Toolbox with toolkit	+	+	+	+
Back-up alarm	+	+	+	+
Automatic central lubrication system	+	+	+	+
Fuel particle filter	+	+	+	+



## Operator's Cab

	524 2plus1	528 2plus1	538 2plus1	542 2plus1
Soundproof ROPS/FOPS cab with tinted safety glass front windscreen, heatable rear window	•	•	•	•
Joystick steering	+	+	+	+
Hot water heater with defroster and recirculated-air system	•	•	•	•
Adjustable steering column	•	•	•	•
Height-adjustable steering column	+	+	+	+
Liebherr-joystick control – adjustable	•	•	•	•
Air conditioning system	+	+	+	+
Air condition automatic controlled	•	•	•	•
Liebherr operator's seat – adjustable in 6 ways	•	•	•	•
Air sprung operator's seat	+	+	+	+
Air sprung operator's seat with seat heating	+	+	+	+
Xenon working lights front	+	+	+	+
Four working area lights at front	•	•	•	•
Two or four working area lights rear	+	+	+	+
Protective screen for windshield	+	+	+	+
Sliding window	+	+	+	+
Floor mat	•	•	•	•
Wash/wipe system for windscreen and rear window	•	•	•	•
Interior rear-view mirror	•	•	•	•
Sun visor	•	•	•	•
Cup holder	•	•	•	•
Clothes hook	•	•	•	•
Storage box	•	•	•	•
Lockable storage compartment	•	•	•	•
Plug 12 V	•	•	•	•
Ashtray	•	•	•	•
Horn	•	•	•	•
Provision for radio including loudspeaker	+	+	+	+
Radio set	+	+	+	+
Operator's package	•	•	•	•
Dust filter system	+	+	+	+
Protective ventilation system	+	+	+	+
Amber beacon	+	+	+	+
Fire extinguisher 2 kg	+	+	+	+



## Instruments for:

	524 2plus1	528 2plus1	538 2plus1	542 2plus1
Diesel engine pre-heat	•	•	•	•
Engine oil temperature	•	•	•	•
Fuel reserve	•	•	•	•
Timer for hours of operation	•	•	•	•
Travel speed ranges and gear selected	•	•	•	•
Forward – reverse travel	•	•	•	•
Forward travel	•	•	•	•
Reverse travel	•	•	•	•

• = Standard, + = Option

All illustrations and data may differ from standard equipment. Subject to change without notice.

Speedometer	•	•	•	•
Clock	•	•	•	•
Flashing turn indicators	•	•	•	•
High-beam headlights	•	•	•	•
Diagnosis system	•	•	•	•



## Warning Lights for:

	524 2plus1	528 2plus1	538 2plus1	542 2plus1
Engine oil pressure	•	•	•	•
Engine overheat	•	•	•	•
Parking brake	•	•	•	•
Hydraulic oil temperature	•	•	•	•
Air cleaner blockage	•	•	•	•
Battery charge	•	•	•	•
Flow through emergency steering system	•	•	•	•



## Audible Warnings for:

	524 2plus1	528 2plus1	538 2plus1	542 2plus1
Engine oil pressure	•	•	•	•
Engine overheat	•	•	•	•
Overheat of hydraulic fluid	•	•	•	•
Emergency steering system	•	•	•	•



## Function Keys for:

	524 2plus1	528 2plus1	538 2plus1	542 2plus1
Speed range selection	•	•	•	•
Air conditioning	+	+	+	+
Hazard warning flashers	•	•	•	•
Parking brake	•	•	•	•
Electronic tractive force adaptation	•	•	•	•
Creep speed	•	•	•	•
Ride control	+	+	+	+
Automatic bucket positioner	•	•	•	•
Hoist kick-out	+	+	+	+
Additional hydraulics	•	•	•	•
Float position	•	•	•	•
Headlights	•	•	•	•
Working lights front	•	•	•	•
Working lights rear	•	•	•	•
Road travel	•	•	•	•
Wash/wipe system for rear window	•	•	•	•
Amber beacon	•	•	•	•
Mode switch	•	•	•	•
Blower	•	•	•	•
Heater	•	•	•	•
Fresh air or recirculated air	•	•	•	•



## Equipment

	524 2plus1	528 2plus1	538 2plus1	542 2plus1
Z-bar linkage	•	•	•	•
Parallel linkage	•	•	•	•
Parallel linkage "High Lift"	+	+	+	+
Hydraulic servo control of working hydraulics	•	•	•	•
Automatic bucket positioner – adjustable	•	•	•	•
Automatic hoist kick out – adjustable	+	+	+	+
Float position	•	•	•	•
Loading buckets with and without teeth, or bolt-on cutting edge	+	+	+	+
High-dump bucket	+	+	+	+
Light material bucket	+	+	+	+
Fork carrier and lift forks	+	+	+	+
Hydraulic quick-change device – Parallel linkage	•	•	•	•
Hydraulic quick-change device – Z-bar linkage	+	+	+	+
3rd hydraulic control circuit	+	+	+	+
3rd and 4th hydraulic control circuits	+	+	+	+
Comfort control	+	+	+	+
Country-specific versions	+	+	+	+

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# The Liebherr Group of Companies

## Wide product range

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## Exceptional customer benefit

Every product line provides a complete range of models in many different versions. With both its technical excellence and acknowledged quality, Liebherr products offer a maximum of customer benefits in practical application.

## State-of-the-art technology

To provide consistent, top quality products, Liebherr attaches great importance to each product area, its components and core technologies. Important modules and components are developed and manufactured in-house, for instance the entire drive and control technology for construction equipment.

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