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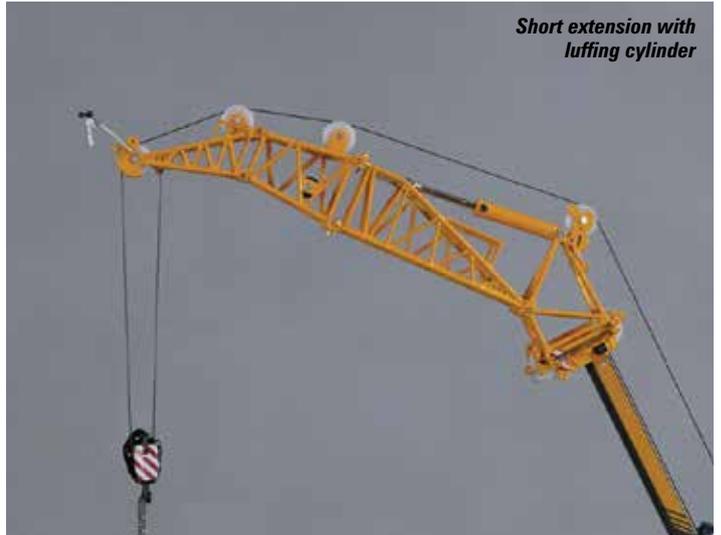
On the road



Detailed carrier deck



Loading counterweight



Short extension with luffing cylinder

LIEBHERR LTM 1300-6.4

This model - the latest version of Liebherr's 300 tonne LTM 1300 six axle All Terrain crane introduced at Bauma 2025 - has been modelled by WSI in 1:50 scale. It comes with an instruction manual which is disappointing by modern standards, with little information to assist an inexperienced collector.

The chassis is highly detailed with branding moulded into the tyre sidewalls and different hubs for driven and non-driven axles. All axle pairs have sprung suspension, and each axle steers to very good angles, although rolling is not the best.

The detailing on the rest of the carrier is to a very high standard. Behind the cab, the engine area has textured surfaces and mesh grilles. Tiny graphics add detail throughout. Black skirts sit above the wheels, and the deck has a variety of access ladders which can be lowered. At the rear is a tackle storage box with timbers inside.

The outrigger beams extend, and the pads can be lowered. The range of downward travel on the jack rods is very good, and the model can be supported wheels-free. Metal spreader plates are included and they have lifting points.

The superstructure cab tilts and holds a pose well. It has a foot platform which can be pulled out. The counterweight consists of a number of parts and attaches to a working Vario ballast system.

Detailing on the base boom section includes spooling drums and pipework within the casting. The boom nose is also very good with fine detailing and plastic sheaves which replicate the ones used on the real crane. The boom sections have very thin side walls, which provide a realistic profile when not fully extended, but there is too much curvature in the boom with each section at maximum extension.

The lattice extensions are a very nice lightweight metal construction, and numerous configurations are possible. The extension luffing cylinder has a metal barrel. Two metal hook blocks are included (single and triple sheave).

This is a high quality model which is made well, and is very detailed with an exceptional use of small graphics/decals. Most of the functionality is also to a high standard, and a plus point is the many different configurations that are possible.

It costs €309 excluding VAT from the Liebherr Shop: <https://www.liebherr.com/liebherrshop/en>.



Maximum extension

CRANES ETC MODEL RATING

Packaging (max 10)	7
Detail (max 30)	29
Features (max 20)	17
Quality (max 25)	23
Price (max 15)	11
Overall (max 100)	87%

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