

3/4 Ton Truck Comparison Fact Sheet

I take no responsibility for the accuracy of the following data. It has been compiled over the past few weeks, a few pots of coffee, and shopping around. Please add to it if you like and use at your discretion.

Pricing			
	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Base Retail Price (MSRP)	\$37,220	\$34,400	\$39,260
Base Invoice Price	\$32,568	\$30,708	\$34,529
Destination Charge	N/A	\$875	\$900
Engines & Power			
	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Diesel Engine	6.6L 310 hp V8	6.0L 325 hp V8	5.9L 325 hp I6
Horsepower	310 @ 3000 RPM	325 @ 3300 RPM	325 @ 2900 RPM
Torque (lb-ft)	605 @ 1600 RPM	570 @ 2000 RPM	610 @ 1600 RPM
Valves/Valve Configuration	32/OHV	32/OHV	24/OHV
Displacement (cc)	6588	5954	5883
Bore X Stroke (in.)	4.10 X 3.90	3.73 X 4.13	4.02 X 4.72
Compression Ratio	17.5:1	18.0:1	17.2:1
Fuel Type/System	Dsl/EFI	Dsl/EFI	Dsl/EFI
Turbocharger	Yes	Yes	Yes
Supercharger	No	No	No
Transmissions			
	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Standard Transmission	4-Speed Automatic Overdrive	6-Speed Manual Overdrive	5-Speed Automatic Overdrive
Optional Transmission	5-Speed Automatic Overdrive	5-Speed Automatic Overdrive	4-Speed Automatic Overdrive
Fuel Economy			
	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
City (mpg)	No data	No data	No data
Highway (mpg)	No data	No data	No data
Exterior Dimensions & Weight			
	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Curb Weight - Automatic (lb.)	5702	6052	6243
Curb Weight - Manual (lb.)	No data	6076	7430
Wheelbase (in.)	153	156.2	160.5
Length (in.)	237.3	245.8	247.7
Width (in.)	79.7	79.9	80
Height (in.)	77	77.5	74.7
Track Front (in.)	68.6	68.7	68.6
Track Rear (in.)	66	68.1	68.2

Ground Clearance (in.)	9.1	7	7.1
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Interior Dimensions

	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Standard Seating	5	6	6
Optional Seating	No data	5	5
Front Headroom (in.)	41	41.4	40.8
Rear Headroom (in.)	39	41	40.5
Front Legroom (in.)	41.3	40.7	41
Rear Legroom (in.)	39.1	41.3	44.2
Front Shoulder Room (in.)	65.2	68	67
Rear Shoulder Room (in.)	65.1	68	66.5
Front Hip Room (in.)	61.4	67.4	64.9
Rear Hip Room (in.)	62.9	67.3	64.4

Payload & Towing

	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Passenger Volume (cu. ft.)	No data	No data	133.8
Cargo Volume (cu. ft.)	No data	No data	No data
Standard Towing (lb.)	10100	8800	8600
Max Towing (lb.)	15600	13600	12500
Standard Payload (lb.)	3570	3100	2560
Max Payload (lb.)	3570	3200	2560
Standard GVWR (lb.)	9200	9200	8800
Max GVWR (lb.)	9200	9800	9000

Cargo Area Dimensions

	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Length (in.)	78.7	82.4	76.3
Width at Wheelwell (in.)	50	50.9	51
Width at Wall (in.)	64.8	63.9	66.4
Depth (in.)	19.5	20	20.2

Steering, Suspension & Brakes

	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Turning Diameter (ft.)	49.6	48.3	47
Steering Type	Recirc	Recirc	R&P
Front Suspension	Ind	Ind	Ind
Rear Suspension	Live	Live	Live
Tires	245/75R16	265/70R17	265/70R17

Anti-Theft & Locks

	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Child Safety Door Locks	N/A	N/A	Std.

Locking Pickup Truck Tailgate	N/A	Std.	N/A
Power Door Locks	Std.	Std.	Std.
Vehicle Anti-Theft	Std.	Opt.	Std.

Braking & Traction

	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
4 Wheel Drive/All Wheel Drive	N/A	N/A	N/A
ABS Brakes (2 or 4 Wheel)	Std.	Std.	Std.
Automatic Load-Leveling	N/A	N/A	N/A
Electronic Brake Assistance	N/A	N/A	N/A
Limited Slip Differential or Axle	N/A	Opt.	Opt.
Locking Differential	Opt.	N/A	N/A
Traction Control	N/A	N/A	N/A
Vehicle Stability Control System	N/A	N/A	N/A

Entertainment, Communication & Navigation

	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Radio	Std.	Std.	Std.
Cassette Player	Opt.	Opt.	Opt.
CD Player	Std.	Std.	Std.
CD Changer	Std.	Opt.	Std.
DVD Player	Opt.	N/A	Opt.
Hands Free or Voice Activated Telephone	Std.	N/A	N/A
Navigational Aid	N/A	N/A	Opt.
Second Row Sound Controls/Accessories	Std.	N/A	N/A
Subwoofer	Std.	N/A	N/A
Telematic Systems	Std.	N/A	N/A

Exterior Lighting

	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Automatic Headlights	Std.	Std.	N/A
Daytime Running Lights	Std.	Opt.	N/A
Fog Lights	Std.	Std.	Std.
High Intensity Discharge Headlights	N/A	N/A	N/A
Pickup Truck Cargo Box Light	Std.	Std.	Std.

Exterior

	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Bodyside/Cab Step or Running Board	Opt.	Std.	N/A
Front Air Dam	Std.	Std.	Std.
Rear Spoiler	N/A	N/A	N/A
Skid Plate or Underbody Protection	N/A	N/A	N/A
Splash or Mud Guards	Opt.	Opt.	N/A

Heating, Ventilation & Air Conditioning

	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Air Conditioning	Std.	Std.	Std.
Separate Driver/Front Passenger Climate Controls	Std.	N/A	Std.

Interior

	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Cruise Control	Std.	Std.	Std.
Tachometer	Std.	Std.	Std.
Tilt Steering	Std.	Std.	Std.
Tilt Steering Column	Std.	Std.	Std.
Leather Steering Wheel	Std.	Std.	Std.
Steering Wheel Mounted Controls	Std.	Std.	Std.
Adjustable Foot Pedals	N/A	Opt.	Std.
Trip Computer	Std.	Std.	Std.

Remote Controls & Remote Releases

	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Keyless Entry (Remote Lock/Unlock)	Std.	Std.	Std.
Remote Ignition	N/A	N/A	Opt.

Safety

	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Driver Airbag	Std.	Std.	Std.
Front Side Airbag	N/A	N/A	N/A
Front Side Airbag with Head Protection	N/A	N/A	N/A
Passenger Airbag	Std.	Std.	Std.
Side Head Curtain Airbags	N/A	N/A	Opt.
Second Row Side Airbag	N/A	N/A	N/A
Second Row Side Airbag with Head Protection	N/A	N/A	N/A
Power Windows	Std.	Std.	Std.
Reverse/Electronic Parking Aid	N/A	Opt.	N/A

Seats

	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Driver Multi-Adjustable Power Seat	Std.	Std.	Std.
Front Heated Seat	Std.	Opt.	Std.
Front Power Lumbar Support	Std.	N/A	N/A
Front Power Memory Seat	Std.	N/A	N/A
Front Split Bench Seat	N/A	Std.	Std.
Leather Seat	Std.	Std.	Std.

Passenger Multi-Adjustable Power Seat	Std.	N/A	Std.
Second Row Folding Seat	Std.	Std.	Std.

Towing

	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Tow Hitch Receiver	N/A	Opt.	Std.
Towing Prep. Package	Opt.	Std.	Std.

Wheels & Tires

	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Alloy Wheels	Std.	Std.	Std.
Chrome Wheels	Opt.	N/A	Std.
Full Size Spare Tire	Std.	Std.	Std.
Self Sealing/Run Flat Tires	N/A	N/A	N/A
Steel Wheels	N/A	N/A	N/A
Tires	245/75R16	265/70R17	265/70R17

Windows, Mirrors & Wipers

	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Power Windows	Std.	Std.	Std.
Heated Exterior Mirror	Std.	Opt.	Std.
Interior Auto. Day/Night or Electrochromic Mirror	Std.	Std.	Std.
Power Adjustable Exterior Mirror	Std.	Std.	Std.
Privacy Glass or Deep Tinted Glass	Std.	Std.	Std.
Interval Wipers	Std.	Std.	Std.
Rain Sensing Wipers	N/A	N/A	N/A
Sliding Rear Pickup Truck Window	Opt.	Std.	Std.

NHTSA Crash Test Results

	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Frontal Crash Test	Results	Not tested	Not tested
Side Crash Test	Not tested	Not tested	Not tested

Model Warranty

	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Basic (mo.)	36	36	36
Basic (mi.)	36,000	36,000	36,000
Powertrain (mo.)	36	36	36
Powertrain (mi.)	36,000	36,000	36,000
Rust (mo.)	72	60	60
Rust (mi.)	100,000	Unlimited	100,000

Diesel Engine Warranty

	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Basic (mo.)	N/A	60	N/A
Basic (mi.)	N/A	100,000	N/A
Final Assembly			
	Silverado 2500HD LT Crew Cab Short Bed 2WD	F-250 Super Duty Lariat Crew Cab 2WD	Ram 2500 Laramie Mega Cab 2WD
Location	United States	United States Canada	Mexico