# This Guide is designed to assist you in matching the correct truck size and load carrying requirements with the appropriate Ram Chassis Cab.

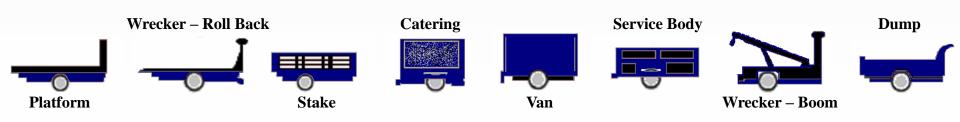
- ➤ This Guide will assist you in determining your customers needs for: the type of applied body, the length of body, the weight of the body and the resulting available payload.
- ➤ It will assist you in answering the customer basic questions like: engine and transmission type, regular or quad cab, two or four wheel drive.
- ➤ It will also allow you to guide the customers in finding the appropriate truck for any special equipment that may require a prep package for example: snowplow, wrecker body, liftgate or crane.

THE FOLLOWING PAGE WILL SHOW YOU THE APPROXIMATE WEIGHTS OF APPLIED BODIES AND COMMON PAYLOADS. THIS WILL ALLOW YOU TO APPROXIMATELY SIZE THE VEHICLE FOR YOUR CUSTOMERS NEEDS.

PAGES 3,4 & 5 CONTAIN TABLES OF RAM MODEL CHASSIS CABS AVAILABLE FOR EACH SPECIFIC TYPE OF UPFIT.

PLEASE NOTE: IT IS IMPORTANT TO REVIEW WITH YOUR CUSTOMER AND THE UPFITTER THE SIZE OF BODY AND THE TYPE OF PAYLOAD, TO ENSURE THAT THE VEHICLES GVW OR AXLE GAWR'S ARE NOT EXCEEDED.

FOR TRAILER WEIGHT AND GCWR INFORMATION PLEASE SEE THE TRAILER TOW GUIDE.











### **TYPICAL PAYLOAD WEIGHTS**

| Aluminum      | Cast       | 165 lbs. per cu.ft.  | Hay Bale        | 17"x22"x43" | 75 lbs. per bale          |
|---------------|------------|----------------------|-----------------|-------------|---------------------------|
| Brick         | Common     | 5400 lbs. per 1000   | Iron            | Cast        | 450 lbs. per cu.ft.       |
|               | Hard       | 6480 lbs. per 1000   | Lumber          | Hard Wood   | 3600 lbs. per 1000 bd.ft. |
|               | Paving     | 6750 lbs. per 1000   |                 | Soft Wood   | 2125 lbs. per 1000 bd.ft. |
| Cement        | Portland   | 94 lbs. par sack     | Paper           |             | 58 lbs. per cu.ft.        |
| Cinder Blocks | 8"x8"x16"  | 35 lbs. per block    | Salt Coarse Dry |             | 1215 lbs. per cu.yd.      |
|               | 8"x12"x16" | 45lbs. per block     | Sand            | Coarse Dry  | 2565 lbs. per cu.yd.      |
| Crushed Stone |            | 2700 lbs. per cu.yd. |                 | Coarse Wet  | 3240 lbs. per cu.yd.      |
| Diesel Fuel   |            | 7 lbs. per gallon    | Steel           | Rolled      | 495 lbs. per cu.ft.       |
| Dirt          | Packed     | 2565 lbs. per cu.yd. | Straw Bale      | 17"22"42"   | 30 lbs.per bale           |
| Furniture     | Household  | 7 lbs. per cu.ft.    | Water           |             | 8.4 lbs. per gallon       |

### **APPROXIMATE BODY WEIGHTS**

#### **WEIGHT GUIDELINE:**

(Vehicle Base Curb Weight) (+ Other OEM Equipment Weight) (+ Aftermarket Body and Equipment Weight) (+ Passenger Weight) (+ Cargo Weight) (- GVW (This weight must not exceed the vehicle GVWR or axle GAWR's))

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| 8 ft. (2 yd.)             | 1950 lbs.   |
|---------------------------|-------------|
| 9 ft. (2 yd.)             | 2025 lbs.   |
| 10 ft. (2 yd.)            | .2100 lbs.  |
| 10 ft. (5 yd.)            | . 2895 lbs. |
| 8 ft. (2 yd.) w/Truck Box | 2440 lbs.   |
| 8 ft. (4 vd.) w/Truck Box | 2670 lbs.   |

#### SERVICE BODY

| 8 ft  | 1055 lb |
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| 9 ft  | 1195 lb |
| 11 ft | 1580 lb |
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**STAKE** 

| 8 ft  | 1005 lbs. |
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| 9 ft  | 1130 lbs. |
| 10 ft | 1255 lbs. |
| 12 ft | 1380 lbs. |
| 14 ft | 1505 lbs. |
| 16 ft | 1630 lbs. |
| 18 ft | 1960 lbs. |
| 20 ft | 2135 lbs. |
| 22 ft | 2335 lbs. |
| 24 ft | 2510 lbs. |
| 26 ft | 2720 lbs. |

#### VAN



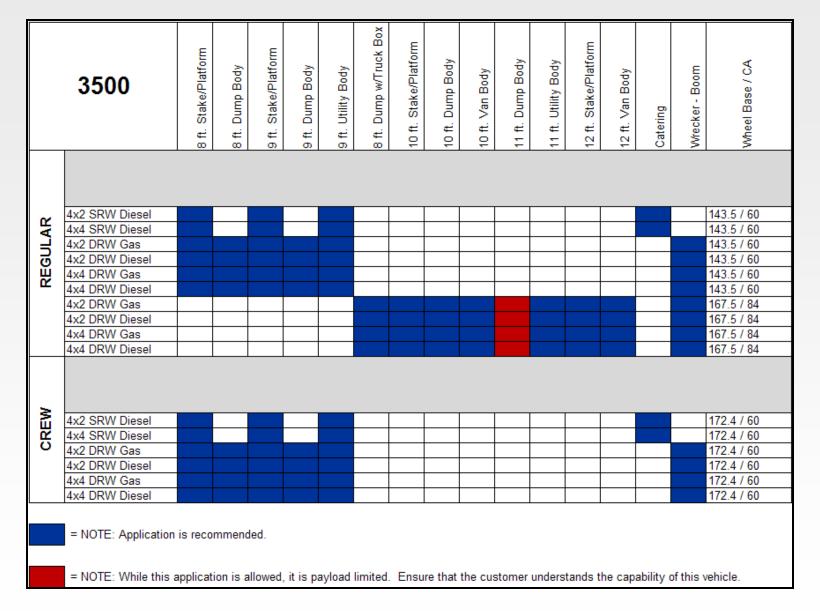
| 10 ft | 1795 lbs. |
|-------|-----------|
| 12 ft | 2000 lbs. |
| 14 ft | 2210 lbs. |
| 16 ft | 2430 lbs. |
| 18 ft | 2635 lbs. |
| 20 ft | 2855 lbs. |
| 22 ft | 3055 lbs. |
| 24 ft | 3260 lbs. |
| 26 ft | 3490 lbs. |



















|         | 4500   | 8 ft. Stake / Platform | 8 ft. Dump Body | 9 ft. Stake / Platform | 9 ft. Dump Body | 9 ft. Utility Body | 8 ft. Dump w/ Truck Box | 10 ft. Stake / Platform | 10 ft. Dump Body | 10 ft. Van body | 11 ft. Utility Body | 11 ft. Dump Body | 12 ft. Stake / Platform | 12 ft. Van body | 14 ft. Stake / Platform | 14 ft. Van body | 16 ft. Stake / Platform | 16 ft. Van body | 18 ft. Stake / Platform | 18 ft. Van body | Carrier (Roll back wrecker) | Wrecker - Boom | Wheelbase / CA   |
|---------|--|------------------------|-----------------|------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------|------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|----------------|--|
| REGULAR | 4x2 DRW Diesel/Gas 4x4 DRW Diesel/Gas 4x2 DRW Diesel/Gas 4x4 DRW Diesel/Gas 4x2 DRW Diesel/Gas 4x4 DRW Diesel/Gas 4x4 DRW Diesel/Gas 4x2 DRW Diesel/Gas 4x4 DRW Diesel/Gas |                        |                 |                        |                 |                    |                         |                         |                  |                 |                     |                  |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                             |                | 144.5/60<br>144.5/60<br>168.5/84<br>168.5/84<br>192.5/108<br>192.5/108<br>204.5/120<br>204.5/120 |
| CREW    | 4x2 DRW Diesel/Gas 4x4 DRW Diesel/Gas 4x2 DRW Diesel/Gas 4x4 DRW Diesel/Gas 4x4 DRW Diesel/Gas   | s reco                 | mmer            | nded.                  |                 |                    |                         |                         |                  |                 |                     |                  |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                             |                | 173.4/60<br>173.4/60<br>197.4/84<br>197.4/84   |









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| REGULAR | 4x2 DRW Diesel/Gas    |                        |                 |                        |                 |                    |                         |                         |                  |                 |                     |                  |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                             |                | 144.5/60       |
| Ιď      | 4x4 DRW Diesel/Gas    |                        |                 |                        |                 |                    |                         |                         |                  |                 |                     |                  |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                             |                | 144.5/60       |
| ថ       | 4x2 DRW Diesel/Gas    |                        |                 |                        |                 |                    |                         |                         |                  |                 |                     |                  |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                             |                | 168.5/84       |
| 1 2     | 4x4 DRW Diesel/Gas    |                        |                 |                        |                 |                    |                         |                         |                  |                 |                     |                  |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                             |                | 168.5/84       |
| l       | 4x2 DRW Diesel/Gas    |                        |                 |                        |                 |                    |                         |                         |                  |                 |                     |                  |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                             |                | 192.5/108      |
|         | 4x4 DRW Diesel/Gas    |                        |                 |                        |                 |                    |                         |                         |                  |                 |                     |                  |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                             |                | 192.5/108      |
|         | 4x2 DRW Diesel/Gas    |                        |                 |                        |                 |                    |                         |                         |                  |                 |                     |                  |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                             |                | 204.5/120      |
|         | 4x4 DRW Diesel/Gas    |                        |                 |                        |                 |                    |                         |                         |                  |                 |                     |                  |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                             |                | 204.5/120      |
| CREW    |                       |                        |                 |                        |                 |                    |                         |                         |                  |                 |                     |                  |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                             |                |                |
| I K     | 4x2 DRW Diesel/Gas    |                        |                 |                        |                 |                    |                         |                         |                  |                 |                     |                  |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                             |                | 173.4/60       |
|         | 4x4 DRW Diesel/Gas    |                        |                 |                        |                 |                    |                         |                         |                  |                 |                     |                  |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                             |                | 173.4/60       |
|         | 4x2 DRW Diesel/Gas    |                        |                 |                        |                 |                    |                         |                         |                  |                 |                     |                  |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                             |                | 197.4/84       |
|         | 4x4 DRW Diesel/Gas    |                        |                 |                        |                 |                    |                         |                         |                  |                 |                     |                  |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                             |                | 197.4/84       |
|         | = NOTE: Application i | s reco                 | omme            | nded.                  |                 |                    |                         |                         |                  |                 |                     |                  |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                         |                 |                             |                |                |









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