Product Type	cement mixer truck
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	1. Truck Type:
	<ul> <li>Chassis Type: Heavy-duty</li> </ul>
	truck or semi-truck chassis
	with a specially designed drum
	mounted on the rear or front.
	Axle Configuration:
	Typically a <b>6x4</b> or <b>8x4</b> (six or
	eight wheels) for stability and
	higher load capacity.
	2. Engine:
	<ul> <li>Engine Power: The engine power usually ranges from 200</li> </ul>
	to 500 horsepower depending
	on the truck's size and load
	capacity.
	<ul> <li>Fuel Type: Typically diesel,</li> </ul>
	though some models are
	equipped with alternative fuel
	options.
	3. Transmission:
	o Manual or Automatic
	Transmission: For better
	control of heavy loads, manual
	transmissions are common, but
	automatic transmissions are also available.
	4. Mixing Drum:
	o <b>Drum Capacity:</b> Cement
	mixer drums typically hold
	between 6 to 14 cubic meters
	of concrete, depending on the
	truck model and intended use.
	<ul> <li>Drum Rotation Speed: The</li> </ul>
	drum rotates at about 10-15
	<b>RPM</b> (rotations per minute) to
	prevent the concrete from
	hardening.
	o <b>Drum Material:</b> Made of
	high-strength steel to withstand
	abrasion from the concrete
	mixture.
	o Drum Mixing Mechanism:
	Usually powered by a

hydraulic system connected to the truck engine or a separate power take-off (PTO).

## 5. Weight and Load Capacity:

- Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR): The GVWR of cement mixer trucks typically ranges between 26,000 to 60,000 lbs depending on the truck size.
- Payload Capacity: This can vary but generally falls between 8 to 15 tons of concrete.

## 6. **Dimensions:**

- Length: Generally between 20 to 30 feet depending on the drum size and the chassis configuration.
- o **Width:** Typically **8 feet** (96 inches).
- o **Height:** Around **10 to 12 feet**.
- Wheelbase: Typically between 12 to 20 feet, depending on the model.

## 7. Hydraulic System:

- Hydraulic Pump: Powers the drum's rotation and may also be used to control the discharge chute and other mechanisms.
- Discharge Chute: A
   hydraulically operated chute or
   conveyor system that is
   adjustable for directing the
   concrete to the desired area on
   the job site.

## 8. Concrete Discharge:

- chute Reach: The discharge chute can typically extend up to 10-12 feet, with some trucks offering additional chute extensions for easier concrete placement.
- o **Discharge Time:** The truck can usually discharge its load

of concrete in 5-10 minutes, depending on the amount and the system used. 9. Safety and Control Features: Tilt Mechanism: Many trucks feature a tilt system for easier unloading of concrete. Mixing Control: Some trucks come with electronic or manual controls to adjust the drum's mixing speed or the angle of the discharge chute. Safety Features: Include a backup camera, braking system, lights for night operations, and alert systems for the driver and site workers. **Anti-lock Braking System** (**ABS**): Helps prevent wheel lock-up and improves safety.