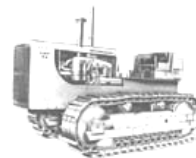


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## LOOKING AT LOGGING



Logging transport has a special place in the world of trucking. Vehicles are large, powerful and have to withstand heavy work day in, day out. Operating in demanding terrain on steep and treacherous mountain roads, log drivers are a special breed who develop a close bond with the vehicles in which they spend their lives. Their skills are matched only by those of the timber handlers working with their outsize machinery.

Looking at Logging Part 1 is the first of a two-part programme in which Pete Connock and Martin Phippard offer a unique insight into logging operations around the world.

Viewers are first introduced to the history of timber extraction around the globe. This is followed by a trip to Finland where a 60-tonne Sisu demonstrator powered by a CAT diesel hauls timber along snow-covered forest tracks.

On Vancouver Island in Canada off-highway Kenworth 850s operated by Western Forest Products are later seen hard at work among the spectacular mountains of Gold River.

In the southern hemisphere Kenworth B-double combinations cope with the rugged terrain of Tasmania. In New Zealand's north island the unforgettable spectacle of Rod Dahm's double-trailer outfits and the unique Pacific 'Twin Power' have been caught on film. Finally, we take a look at the Dai Wood operation in Wales using the first Volvo FMX tractor unit sold in the UK.

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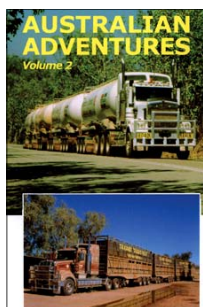
## AUSTRALIAN ADVENTURES Pt.1

The roads of Australia are home to some of the biggest heavy-duty trucking outfits in the world: tri-drive tractors haul 175-tonne four-trailer outfits on the same roadways used by your average motorcycle or car, making things interesting to say the least.

The CP team does not limit their footage to the main roads, however, and this DVD will be sure to impress with shots of even larger machines working on isolated dirt tracks.

Featuring footage of the centenary celebrations at Alice Springs; shots of 600hp Macks and Volvos hauling fuel in from Darwin and Adelaide in three- and four-trailer fuel tank combos; the 10 x 6 FH16 tri-drive Volvos owned by the Giacci Brothers hauling four trailers of zinc concentrate to Port Geraldton; and E9-powered Macks and Cummins-powered C500 Kenworths pulling 16 foot wide twin-trailer trains loaded with gold-bearing ore

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## AUSTRALIAN ADVENTURES Pt.2

This programme incorporates more incredible footage of massive, heavy-duty tractor-trailer combinations operating across the Australian continent. Beginning in Western Australia, the DVD shows a Kenworth K-100G twin-steer, tri-drive dromedary unit hauling a 2AB Quad trailer to the gold mines north of Kalgoorlie. Next stop is Australia's Northern Territory, where the Mighty Atom, an impressive 2AB four-trailer tanker train hauled by a tri-drive Kenworth tractor, is captured hauling its load through the wilderness of Kakadu Park.

Finally, in McKinlay, Queensland – an area

famous for being home to the Walkabout Creek pub visited by Crocodile Dundee – the CP team filmed a Mack Titan six trailer [!] road train operated by Mclver Transport.

Also included are two-, three-, and four-trailer road trains hauled by Scania – Volvo – Kenworth – Mack – International - Western Star – Ford

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In a different spin on the usual CP filming format, this programme takes the viewer on a journey alongside the camera crew for a behind-the-scenes look at trucking in New Zealand. Somewhat of a tribute to their successful DVD 'Trucking Kiwi Style' (released over 10 years ago), this new footage goes one better: it includes all the biggest and best tractor-trailer outfits from around the country and an exclusive insight into problems faced by the drivers themselves.

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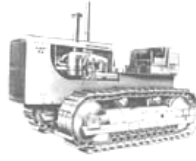
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