

# VOLVO PENTA GENSET ENGINE

# TAD531GE

1500 rpm, 102 kW (139 hp) – 1800 rpm 111 kW (151 hp)

The TAD531GE is a powerful, reliable and economical Generating Set Diesel Engine.

## Durability & low noise

Designed for easiest, fastest and most economical installation. Well-balanced to produce smooth and vibration-free operation with low noise level.

To maintain a controlled working temperature in cylinders and combustion chambers, the engine is equipped with piston cooling. The engine is also fitted with replaceable cylinder liners and valve seats/guides to ensure maximum durability and service life of the engine.

## Low exhaust emission

The state of the art, high-tech injection and charging system with low internal losses contributes to excellent combustion and low fuel consumption.

The TAD531GE is certified for EU Stage 2 exhaust emission regulations.

## Easy service & maintenance

Easily accessible service and maintenance points contribute to the ease of service of the engine.

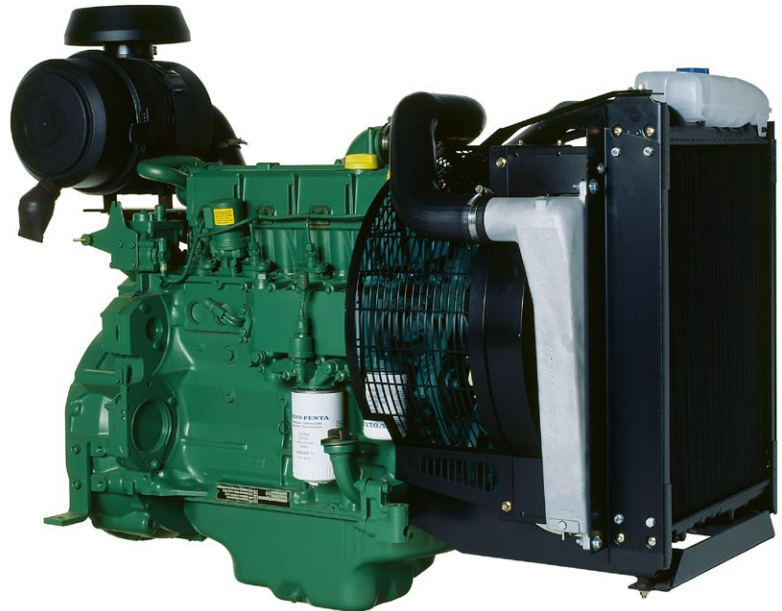
## Technical description

### Engine and block

- Optimized cast iron cylinder block with optimum distribution of forces
- Piston cooling for low piston temperature and reduced ring temperature
- Drop forged steel connecting rods
- Crankshaft hardened bearing surfaces and fillets for moderate load on main and big-end bearings
- Keystone top compression rings for long service life
- Replaceable valve guides and valve seats
- Three PTO positions at flywheel end
- Lift eyelets
- Flywheel housing with connection acc. to SAE 3
- Flywheel for flexible coupling and friction clutch
- Transport brackets

### Lubrication system

- Full flow disposable spin-on oil filter, for extra high filtration
- Rotary displacement oil pump driven by the crankshaft
- Deep centre oil sump, 30° inclination
- Oil filler on top
- Oil dipstick, short in front
- Integrated full flow oil cooler, side-mounted



## Features

- Mechanical or electronic governor with CAN-bus communication
- Compact design
- High power to weight ratio
- Emission compliant
- Noise optimized engine design
- A wide selection of optional equipment and power settings

### Fuel system

- Six hole fuel injection nozzles
- Electronic governor with smoke limiter function
- Washable fuel prefilter with water separator
- Rotary low-pressure fuel pump
- Fine fuel filter of disposable type

### Intake and exhaust system

- Connection flange for exhaust line
- Turbo charger, centre low with exhaust flange
- Closed crankcase ventilation
- Heater flange in charge air inlet (without power relay)

### Cooling system

- Belt driven, maintenance-free coolant pump with high degree of efficiency

- Efficient cooling with accurate coolant control through a water distribution duct in the cylinder block
- Reliable thermostat with minimum pressure drop
- Cooling water pipe, inlet and outlet
- Fan hub
- Fan on separate bracket 292mm above crankshaft

### Electrical system

- 12 V electrical system
- Alternator 1x55A / 12V, low left
- Starter motor, 3.1 kW / 12 V, single pole
- ECU (without high altitude sensor) control and monitoring of oil pressure, coolant temperature, coolant level, charge air pressure, engine rpm and fuel temperature compensation
- Engine wiring

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## Technical Data

### General

Engine designation .....	TAD531 GE	
No. of cylinders and configuration.....	in-line 4	
Method of operation .....	4-stroke	
Bore, mm (in.).....	108 (4.25)	
Stroke, mm (in.).....	130 (5.12)	
Displacement, l (in <sup>3</sup> ).....	4.76 (290)	
Compression ratio.....	18:1	
Dry weight, kg (lb).....	575 (1268)	
Wet weight, kg (lb).....	606 (1336)	

<b>Performance</b>	<b>1500 rpm</b>	<b>1800 rpm</b>
with fan, kW (hp) at:		
Prime Power	88 (119)	93 (126)
Standby Power	98 (133)	104 (141)

<b>Lubrication system</b>	<b>1500 rpm</b>	<b>1800 rpm</b>
Oil consumption, liter/h (US gal/h) at:		
Prime Power	0.08 (0.021)	0.08 (0.021)
Standby Power	0.08 (0.021)	0.08 (0.021)
Oil system capacity incl filters, liter .....	13	

<b>Fuel system</b>	<b>1500 rpm</b>	<b>1800 rpm</b>
Specific fuel consumption at:		
Prime Power, g/kWh (lb/hph)		
25 %	259 (0.419)	277 (0.449)
50 %	225 (0.365)	232 (0.376)
75 %	218 (0.353)	221 (0.358)
100 %	218 (0.353)	218 (0.353)
Standby Power, g/kWh (lb/hph)		
25 %	244 (0.396)	259 (0.420)
50 %	221 (0.358)	226 (0.366)
75 %	217 (0.351)	219 (0.355)
100 %	219 (0.355)	218 (0.353)

<b>Intake and exhaust system</b>	<b>1500 rpm</b>	<b>1800 rpm</b>
Air consumption at 27°C, m <sup>3</sup> /min (cfm):		
Prime Power	5.7 (201)	7.24 (256)
Standby Power	6.09 (215)	7.75 (274)
Max allowable air intake restriction, kPa (In wc)	3.5 (14.1)	3.5 (14.1)
Heat rejection to exhaust, kW (BTU/min) at:		
Prime Power	78 (4436)	83 (4720)
Standby Power	88 (5004)	92 (5232)
Exhaust gas temperature after turbine, °C (°F) at:		
Prime Power	544 (1011)	518 (964)
Standby Power	557 (1035)	516 (961)
Max allowable back-pressure in exhaust line, kPa (In wc)	5 (20.1)	7 (28.1)
Exhaust gas flow, m <sup>3</sup> /min (cfm) at:		
Prime power	16.7 (589)	19.9 (704)
Standby Power	18.4 (650)	22.1 (781)

<b>Cooling system</b>	<b>1500 rpm</b>	<b>1800 rpm</b>
Heat rejection radiation from engine, kW (BTU/min)		
Prime Power	9 (522)	10 (568)
Standby Power	10 (580)	11 (631)
Heat rejection to coolant kW (BTU/min)		
Prime Power	47.4 (2696)	48.0 (2730)
Standby Power	52.5 (2986)	53.3 (3031)
Fan power consumption, kW (hp)	5.9 (8)	10.2 (14)

## Standard equipment

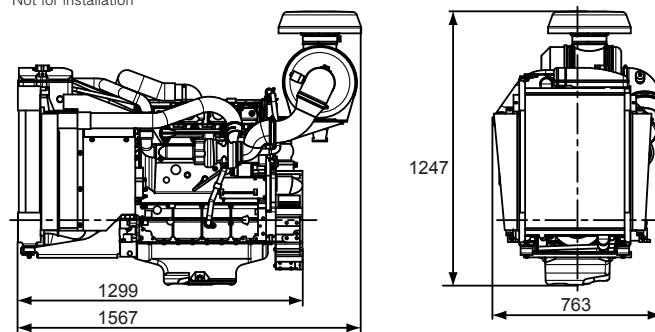
### Engine

- Automatic belt tensioner •
- Lift eyelets •
- Flywheel**
- Flywheel housing SAE 3 •
- Flywheel 11.5" disc •
- Vibration dampers -
- Engine suspension**
- Fixed front suspension •
- Lubrication system**
- Oil dipstick •
- Full-flow oil filter of spin-on type •
- By-pass oil filter of spin-on type •
- Oil cooler, side mounted •
- Low noise oil sump •
- Fuel system**
- Fuel filters of disposable type •
- Pre-filter with water separator •
- Intake and exhaust system**
- Air filter with replaceable paper insert •
- Air restriction indicator •
- Air cooled exhaust manifold •
- Connecting flange for exhaust pipe •
- Exhaust flange with v-clamp •
- Turbo charger, low right side •
- Crankcase ventilation •
- Cooling system**
- Tropical radiator incl intercooler -1)
- Gear driven coolant pump •
- Fan hub •
- Pusher fan -1)
- Fan guard -1)
- Belt guard -1)
- Control system**
- Engine Diesel Control 4 (EDC4) with CAN-bus interface SAE J1939 and stand alone interface -
- Alternator**
- Alternator 55 A / 12 V •
- Starting system**
- Starter motor, 3.1kW, 12 V •
- Instruments and senders**
- Temp.- and oil pressure for automatic stop/alarm 103°C •
- Engine Packing**
- Plastic wrapping •

1) must be ordered, see order specification  
 - optional equipment or not applicable  
 • included in standard specification

## Dimensions TAD531GE

Not for installation



Note! Not all models, standard equipment and accessories are available in all countries. All specifications are subject to change without notice. The engine illustrated may not be entirely identical to production standard engines.

### Power Standards

The engine performance corresponds to ISO 3046, BS 5514 and DIN 6271. The technical data applies to an engine without cooling fan and operating on a fuel with calorific value of 42.7 MJ/kg (18360 BTU/lb) and a density of 0.84 kg/liter (7.01 lb/US gal), also where this involves a deviation from the standards. Power output guaranteed within 0 to +2% at rated ambient conditions at delivery. Ratings are based on ISO 8528.

Engine speed governing in accordance with ISO 3046/IV, class A1 and ISO 8528-5 class G3

### Exhaust emissions

The engine complies with Tier 2 and TA-luft exhaust emission regulations.

### Rating Guidelines

PRIME POWER rating corresponds to ISO Standard Power for continuous operation. It is applicable for supplying electrical power at variable load for an unlimited number of hours instead of commercially purchased power. A10 % overload capability for governing purpose is available for this rating.

MAXIMUM STANDBY POWER rating corresponds to ISO Standard Fuel Stop Power. It is applicable for supplying standby electrical power at variable load in areas with well established electrical networks in the event of normal utility power failure. No overload capability is available for this rating. 1 hp = 1 kW x 1.36

### Information

For more technical data and information, please look in the Generating Set Engines Sales Guide.



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