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RE: Vehicle Identification Number Deciphering Information

In accordance with 49 CFR Part 565, *Vehicle Identification Number Requirements*, Volkswagen Group of America Inc. on behalf of Volkswagen AG, Audi AG, Audi Sport GmbH, Audi Hungaria Zrt., Volkswagen de Mexico S.A. de C.V. and VWGoA Chattanooga Operations, LLC, is submitting information necessary to decipher the characters contained in its Vehicle Identification Numbers.

Contained in this submission are updated VIN Decipherability sheets for the following 2026 model year Volkswagen models:

Volkswagen de Mexico S.A. Passenger Car models:

Golf GTI Hatchback	2.0 TSI
Golf-R Hatchback	2.0 TSI
Jetta Sedan ..	1.5 TSI
Jetta GLI Sedan	2.0 TSI

Volkswagen de Mexico S.A. Multi-Purpose Vehicle models:

Tiguan SUV ..	2.0 TSI
Tiguan 4Motion SUV	2.0 TSI
Taos SUV	1.5 TSI
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VWGoA Chattanooga Operations, LLC Multi-Purpose Vehicle models:

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ID.4 RWD SUV

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Revised sheets will be submitted as soon as models are added. If you should have any questions regarding the information provided, please contact me directly at diane.robinson@vw.com or (248)-754-6035.

Sincerely,

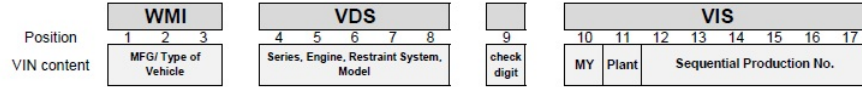
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US Passenger Cars Models



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US 4 Door Passenger Cars Models

Position No.: 5 (Engine Type)

5th Char Description	5th Char	Fuel	Engine Disp	Cylinder	HPNet	Test Group	Federal Emission Std	CA Emission Std
GTI Hatchback	E	G	2L	4	241	TVGAV02.0V7B	Tier 3 BIN 70	L4 ULEV70
Golf-R Hatchback	F	G	2L	4	328	TVGAV02.0V7B	Tier 3 BIN 70	L4 ULEV70
Jetta Sedan	W	G	1.5L	4	158	TVGAV01.5V2Q	Tier 3 BIN 20	L4 SULEV20
Jetta GLI Sedan	M	G	2L	4	228	TVGAV02.0V3A	Tier 3 BIN 30	L4 SULEV30

Notes:

EL = Electric Test Group = Emissions Certification Test Group

G = Gasoline Emis. Std = Federal emission Standard

Cylinders = Number of Cylinders

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U.S. Multi-Purpose Vehicle (M.P.V.)

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Position	1 2 3	4 5 6 7 8	9	10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17
VIN content	MFG/ Type of Vehicle	Series, Engine, Restraint System, Model	check digit	MY Plant Sequential Production No.

Position No: 1-3 (Manufacture / Typ)

1-3 Char	1-3 Char Description
1V2	VW - USA (Multi-Purpose Vehicle (M.P.V.))
3VV	VW - Mexico (Multi-Purpose Vehicle (M.P.V.))
WVG	VW - Europe (Multi-Purpose Vehicle (M.P.V.))

Position No: 4 (Series)

4-door models

Serial	4th Char	4th Char Description	Trans
Atlas SUV	D	Atlas 2.0 TSI SE	A
	W	Atlas 2.0 TSI SE w/ Technology	A
	J	Atlas 2.0 TSI SE w/ Technology w/ Sunroof Pkg.	A
	L	Atlas 4Motion 2.0 TSI SE	A
	C	Atlas 4Motion 2.0 TSI Peak Edition SE w/ Technology w/ Sunroof Pkg. (standard)	A
	F	Atlas 4Motion 2.0 TSI SEL Premium R-Line	A
	H	Atlas 4Motion 2.0 TSI SE w/ Technology	A
	K	Atlas 4Motion 2.0 TSI SE w/ Technology w/ Sunroof Pkg.	A
	B	Atlas 4Motion 2.0 TSI SEL	A
Atlas Cross Sport SUV	D	Atlas Cross Sport 2.0 TSI SE	A
	W	Atlas Cross Sport 2.0 TSI SE w/Technology	A
	J	Atlas Cross Sport 2.0 TSI SE w/Technology w/Sunroof Pkg.	A
	L	Atlas Cross Sport 4Motion 2.0 TSI SE	A
	F	Atlas Cross Sport 4Motion 2.0 TSI SEL Premium R-Line	A
	H	Atlas Cross Sport 4Motion 2.0 TSI SE w/Technology	A
	K	Atlas Cross Sport 4Motion 2.0 TSI SE w/Technology w/Sunroof Pkg.	A
	B	Atlas Cross Sport 4Motion 2.0 TSI SEL	A
	A	Atlas Cross Sport 4Motion 2.0 TSI SEL R-Line Black	A
Tiguan SUV	C	Tiguan 2.0 TSI S	A
	F	Tiguan 2.0 TSI SE	A
	N	Tiguan 2.0 TSI SE w/ Panoramic Sunroof Pkg.	A
	H	Tiguan 2.0 TSI SE R-Line Black w/ Panoramic Sunroof (standard)	A
	B	Tiguan 4Motion 2.0 TSI S	A
	E	Tiguan 4Motion 2.0 TSI SE	A
	M	Tiguan 4Motion 2.0 TSI SE w/Sunroof Pkg.	A
	G	Tiguan 4Motion 2.0 TSI SE R-Line Black	A
U	Tiguan 4Motion 2.0 TSI SEL R-Line Turbo	A	

Trans = Transmission Type:
 'A' = Automatic
 'M' = Manual
 'E1' = Electric

Position No: 4 (Series)

4-door models

Serial	4th Char	4th Char Description	Trans
Taos SUV	5	Taos 1.5 TSI S	A
	S	Taos 1.5 TSI SE	A
	E	Taos 1.5 TSI SE w/Sunroof Pkg.	A
	3	Taos 1.5 TSI SE Black	A
	8	Taos 4Motion 1.5 TSI S	A
	U	Taos 4Motion 1.5 TSI SE	A
	V	Taos 4Motion 1.5 TSI SE w/ Sunroof Pkg.	A
	2	Taos 4Motion 1.5 TSI SE Black	A
	4	Taos 4Motion 1.5 TSI SEL	A
ID.4 SUV	C	ID.4 RWD Pro	E
	V	ID.4 RWD Pro S	E
	D	ID.4 AWD Pro	E
	W	ID.4 AWD Pro S	E
	J	ID.4 AWD Pro S Plus	E

Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR) Class:

Taos 1.5 TSI	all models = 'C' - 4,001 lbs - 5,000 lbs
Taos 4Motion 1.5 TSI	all models = 'C' - 4,001 lbs - 5,000 lbs
Tiguan	all models = 'D' - 5,001 lbs - 6,000 lbs
Tiguan 4Motion	all models = 'D' - 5,001 lbs - 6,000 lbs
Atlas	all models = 'D' - 5,001 lbs - 6,000 lbs
Atlas 4Motion 2.0 TSI	all models = 'D' - 5,001 lbs - 6,000 lbs
Atlas CrossSport	all models = 'D' - 5,001 lbs - 6,000 lbs
Atlas CrossSport 4Motion	all models = 'D' - 5,001 lbs - 6,000 lbs
ID.4 RWD	all models = 'D' - 5,001 lbs - 6,000 lbs
ID.4 AWD	all models = 'E' - 6,001 lbs - 7,000 lbs

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U.S. Multi-Purpose Vehicle (M.P.V.)

Position No.: 5 (Engine Type)

5th Char Description	5th Char	Fuel	Engine Disp	Cylinder	HPNet	Test Group	Federal Emission Std	CA Emission Std
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Atlas 4Motion SUV	N	G	2L	4	269	TVGAT02.0V7A	Tier 3 BIN 70	L4 ULEV70
Atlas Cross Sport SUV	C	G	2L	4	269	TVGAT02.0V7A	Tier 3 BIN 70	L4 ULEV70
Atlas Cross Sport 4Motion SUV	C	G	2L	4	269	TVGAT02.0V7A	Tier 3 BIN 70	L4 ULEV70
Tiguan SUV	R	G	2L	4	201	TVGAJ02.0V3G	Tier 3 BIN 30	L4 SULEV30
Tiguan 4Motion SUV	R	G	2L	4	201	TVGAJ02.0V3G	Tier 3 BIN 30	L4 SULEV30
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ID.4 RWD SUV	R	EL	0L	0	282	TVGAV00.0VZR	Tier 3 BIN 0	Lev3 ZEV
ID.4 AWD SUV	S	EL	0L	0	335*	TVGAT00.0VZA	Tier 3 BIN 0	Lev3 ZEV
Taos SUV	C	G	1.5L	4	174	TVGAJ01.5V2L	Tier 3 BIN 20	L4 SULEV20
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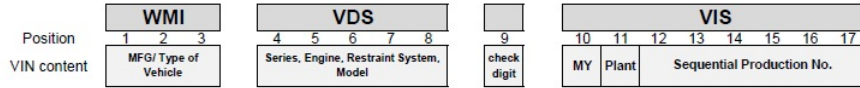
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U.S. Models

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7/31/2025	Introduction of Atlas, Atlas 4Motion, Atlas Cross Sport and Atlas Cross Sport 4Motion SUV
8/14/2025	Addition of Volkswagen Golf R and Golf GTI Autobahn Hatchback
8/28/2025	Addition of Volkswagen Jetta, Jetta GLI Sedan, Taos and Taos 4Motion SUV
9/9/2025	Addition of Tiguan and Tiguan 4Motion SUV
10/8/2025	Addition of Volkswagen ID.4 RWD and ID.4 AWD SUV

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