### 1993 Volkswagen V.I.N. Decoder

**SERIES:**
- A = Cabriolet Base
- B = Fox 2dr Base
- C = Golf III 2dr GL
- D = GTI 2dr
- E = Corrado 2dr SLC
- F = Passat GL
- G = Passat GL Wagon
- H = EuroVan CL
- J = Passat GLX
- K = EuroVan GL
- M = EuroVan MV Camper
- N = Passat GLX Wagon
- R = Jetta III GL
- S = Jetta III GLS
- T = Jetta III GLX

**PLANT:**
- E = Emden
- G = Graz
- H = Hannover
- K = Osnabrueck
- M = Mexico
- P = Brazil
- W = Wolfsburg

**MODEL:**
- 1G = Golf III
- 15 = Jetta III
- 30 = Fox
- 31 = Passat
- 50 = Corrado
- 70 = Eurovan

**Country Code:**
- B = VW of Brazil
- V = VW
- W = Europe
- 3 = Mexico
- 9 = Brazil

**1993 Golf GTI:**
- Model Year: 1993
- Model Code: 00
- Engine Code: 6G
- Car: 3
- Series: 0
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**NOTES:**
- All '95 Passat and New Beetle Vehicles are equipped with depowered airbags.

**‘99 Restraints:**
- Golf, GTI, Jetta, Cabrio, New Beetle & New Jotta:
  - 2 AirBag Dr/Pass (Depowered)
  - Side AirBag - Front Dr/Pass
  - 3 AirBag Dr/Pass (Standard)
  - Side AirBag - Front Dr/Pass
  - 4 AirBag - Dr/Pass. Active - Dr/Pass

- Passat, EuroVan, New Golf, New GTI:
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  - Side AirBag - Front Dr/Pass
  - 3 or 6 AirBag - Dr/Pass (Depowered)
  - Side AirBag - Front Dr/Pass
  - 4 AirBag Dr/Pass (Depowered)
  - Side AirBag - Front & Rear Dr/Pass

**Check Digit:**
- 0-9 or "X"

This is a calculated digit per NHTSA code to determine the validity of a complete Vehicle Identification Number.

**Must follow steps in order:**
1. Model Year (position #10)
2. Model Code (positions #7 & #8)
3. Vehicle Series (position #4)
4. Engine Code (position #5)

**Sequential serial number (position 12 - 17):**
This is the sequential production number of the specific vehicle.
### 1994 Volkswagen V.I.N. decoder

**SERIES:**
- B = Golf III 2dr GL
- D = GTI 2dr VR6
- E = Corrado 2dr SLC
- F = Golf III 4dr GL
- H = EuroVan GL
- J = Passat GLX
- K = EuroVan GLS
- M = EuroVan MV Camper
- N = Passat GLX Wagon
- R = Jetta III GL
- S = Jetta III GLS
- T = Jetta III GLX

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**Plant:**
- E = Emden
- G = Graz
- H = Hannover
- K = Osnabruuck
- M = Mexico
- W = Wolfsburg

**Model:**
- 1H = Golf III
- Jetta III
- GTI - VR6
- 31 = Passat
- 50 = Corrado
- 70 = Eurovan

### '98 & Prior Restraints:
- 0 = Active - Dr/Pass.
- 2 = Passive
- 4 = W/manual lap.
- 5 = ELRA
- 6 = W/manual lap.
- 7 = AirBag - Dr.
- 8 = AirBag - Dr/Pass.
- 9 = Sido AirBag Front Dr/Pass.
- 10 = Active - Dr/Pass.
- 11 = AirBag - Dr/Pass.
- 12 = AirBag - Dr/Pass.

### Notations:
- All '98 Passat and New Beetle Vehicles are equipped with depowered AirBags.
- Dr = Driver Side
- Pass = Passenger Side

### '99 Restraints:
- Golf, GTI, Jetta, Cabrio, New Beetle & New Jetta:
  - 2 = AirBag Dr/Pass (Depowered)
  - 4 = AirBag Dr/Pass (Depowered)
  - 6 = AirBag Dr/Pass (Standard)
  - 8 = AirBag Dr/Pass. Active - Dr/Pass

- Passat, EuroVan, New Golf, New GTI:
  - 2 or 8 = AirBag Dr/Pass. Active - Dr/Pass (Depowered)
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  - 4 = AirBag Dr/Pass (Depowered)

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- B = 1981
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- R = 1994
- S = 1995
- T = 1996
- V = 1997
- W = 1998
- X = 1999

### Sequential serial number (position 12 - 17):
- This is the sequential production number of the specific vehicle.

### Must follow steps in order:
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2. Model Code (positions #7 & #8)
3. Vehicle Series (position #4)
4. Engine Code (position #5)
## 1996 Volkswagen V.I.N. decoder

### SERIES:
- B = Cabrio
- D = GTI 2dr
- E = Passat 4dr GLX
- F = Golf 4dr GL / TDI
  - Passat GLX Wagon
- G = Passat 4dr GLS / TDI
- H = Passat GLS / TDI Wagon
- P = Jetta 4dr Wolfsburg Ed.
- R = Jetta 4dr GL / TDI
- S = Jetta 4dr GLS
- T = Jetta 4dr GLX
- W = Jetta 4dr TREK

### Canada Only:
- A = Cabrio
  - Golf 2dr CL
  - Passat 4dr GLS / TDI
- B = Golf 2dr GL / TDI
  - Passat GLS / TDI
- C = Passat 4dr GLX
- D = Golf 2dr GTI
  - Passat GLX Wagon
- E = Eurovan 3rdr
  - Camper / Panel
- F = Golf 4dr CL
- K = Eurovan 3rdr GLS
- L = Eurovan 4cr GLS
- P = Eurovan 3rdr CV

### W  = Car
- 1 = Truck
- 2 = MPV

### W = Europe
- 3 = Mexico

### MODEL:
- 1E = Cabrio
- 1H = Golf / Jetta / GTI
- 3A = Passat 115HP
- 70 = Eurovan 115HP
- *Canada

### "98 & Prior Restraints:
- 0 Active - Dr/Pass.
- 2 Passive
- W/manual lap.
- 4 ELRA
- W/manual lap.
- 5 AirBag - Dr.
  - Active - Dr/Pass.
- 6 AirBag - Dr/Pass.
  - Side AirBag Front
  - Dr/Pass.
  - Active - Dr/Pass.
  - 8 AirBag - Dr/Pass.
  - Active - Dr/Pass.

### NOTES:
All '98 Passat an
New Beetle Vehicles
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- W = 1998
- X = 1999
### 1997 Volkswagen V.I.N. decoder

**Series:**
- A = Cabrio
- B = Cabrio Highline
- D = GTI 2dr
- E = Passat 4dr GLX
- F = Golf 4dr GL / TDI
- G = GTI 2dr VR6 Dr. Ed.
- H = GTI 2dr VR6
- K = Golf 4dr K2 Edition
- L = Golf 4dr TREK
- M = Golf 4dr Jazz
- R = Jetta 4dr GL/TDI
- S = Jetta 4dr GLS
- T = Jetta 4dr GLX
- V = Jetta 4dr GT
- W = Jetta 4dr TREK
- X = Jetta 4dr Jazz

**Canada Only:**
- A = Golf 2dr CL
- C = Passat 4dr GLX
- D = Passat GLX Wagon
- E = Golf 4dr CL

**Country of Origin:**
- 1 = Canada
- 2 = Mexico
- 3 = Europe

**Manufacturer:**
- V = Volkswagen

**Type:**
- W = Car
- B = MPV

**Model Year:**
- 1997

**Sequential Serial Number (position 12 - 17):**
- A, L = 4cyl 2.0L (G) Golf / Jetta / GTI / Cabrio 115HP
- B = 4cyl 2.0L (G) Golf / Jetta / GTI / 115HP
- C = 4cyl 2.0L (G) Passat 115HP
- D = 6cyl 2.8L (G) Golf / Jetta / GTI 172HP
- E = 6cyl 2.8L (G) Passat 172HP
- F = 4cyl 1.9L (Diesel) Golf / Jetta / GTI 90HP
- G = 4cyl 1.9L (Diesel) Passat 90HP
- H = 6cyl 2.8L (G) EuroVan 77HP (Canada Only)
- J = 4cyl 1.9L (Diesel) Golf / Jetta / GTI 74HP (Canada)
- K = 4cyl 1.8L (G) Golf / Jetta / GTI 90HP (Canada Only)

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**Check Digit:**
- 0-9 or "X"

**Restraints:**
- '99 Restraints: Golf, GTI, Jetta, Cabrio, New Beetle & New Jetta:
  - 2 AirBag Dr/Pass (Depowered)
  - 6 AirBag Dr/Pass (Standard)
  - 8 AirBag Dr/Pass. Active - Dr/Pass

- Passat, EuroVan, New Golf, New GTI:
  - 2 or 8 AirBag Dr/Pass. Active - Dr/Pass (Depowered)
  - 3 or 6 AirBag - Dr/Pass (Depowered)
  - 4 AirBag Dr/Pass (Depowered)
**Series:**

**USA**
- B = Golf 2dr GL
- New Beetle GL
- C = Cabrio GL
- New Beetle GLS
- D = Cabrio GLS
- GTI 2dr
- New Beetle GLX
- E = EuroVan 3dr Camper
- G = Golf 4dr GLS
- K = EuroVan 3dr GLS
- M = Passat 4dr GLS
- EuroVan 3dr MV
- N = Passat GLS Wagon
- EuroVan 3dr Weekender
- P = Passat 4dr GLX
- R = Jetta 4dr GL
- S = Jetta 4dr GLS
- V = Passat GLX Wagon

**Canada**
- A = Passat 4dr GLS
- B = Passat Wagon GLS/X
- C = Cabrio GL
- New Beetle GLS
- D = Cabrio GLS
- GTI 2dr
- New Beetle GLX
- Passat 4dr GLX
- E = EuroVan 3dr Camper
- G = Golf 4dr GLS
- K = EuroVan 3dr GLS
- M = EuroVan 3dr MV
- N = EuroVan 3dr MV
- R = Jetta 4dr GL
- S = Jetta 4dr GLS
- T = Jetta 4dr GLX

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**Sequential Serial Number**

- 0-9 or X
- 2000

**Model:**
- 1C = New Beetle
- 1E = Cabrio
- 1J = Golf / GTI
- 3B = Passat
- 70 = EuroVan
- 9M = Jetta

**'98 & Prior Restraints:**

- 0 Active - Dr/Pass.
- 2 Passive
- W/manual lap.
- 4 ELRA
- W/manual lap.
- 5 AirBag - Dr.
- Active - Dr/Pass.
- 6 AirBag - Dr/Pass.
- Side AirBag Front Dri/Pass.
- Active - Dr/Pass.
- 8 AirBag - Dr/Pass.
- Active - Dr/Pass.

**Notes:**

- All '98 Passat and New Beetle Vehicles are equipped with depowered AirBags.

- Dr = Driver Side
- Pass = Passenger Side

- 1999 / 2000 Restraints:
  - Golf, GTI, Jetta, Cabrio, New Beetle & New Jetta:
    - 2 AirBag Dr/Pass (Depowered)
    - Side AirBag - Front Dr/Pass
    - 6 AirBag Dr/Pass (Standard)
    - Side AirBag - Front Dr/Pass
    - 8 AirBag - Dr/Pass, Active - Dr/Pass
  - Passat, EuroVan, New Golf, New GTI:
    - 2 or 8 AirBag - Dr/Pass, Active - Dr/Pass (Depowered)
    - 3 or 6 AirBag Dr/Pass (Depowered)
    - Side AirBag - Front Dr/Pass
    - 4 AirBag Dr/Pass (Depowered)
    - Side AirBag - Front & Rear Dr/Pass

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- Y = 2000

**Check Digit:**

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**Must follow steps in order!**

1. Model Year (position #10)
2. Locate & use appropriate card.
3. Model Code (positions #7 & #8)
4. Vehicle Series (position #4)
5. Engine Code (position #5)
### 2001 Volkswagen V.I.N. Decoder

#### SERIES:
- **A** = Passat 4dr GLS
- **B** = Cabrio GL
  - **Golf** 2dr GL
  - **Novo** Bootto CL
- **C** = Cabrio GL
  - **Golf** 2dr GL
- **D** = Cabrio GL
  - **Beetle** GLS
  - **Golf** 2dr GLS
- **E** = Passat 4dr GLX 4Motion
  - **euroVan** 3dr Camper
- **F** = Passat 4dr GLX 4Motion
  - **euroVan** 3dr Caravelle
  - **New Beetle** GLS
  - **New Beetle** Sport
- **G** = *Passat* GLX
  - **Golf** 4dr GLS
- **H** = *Passat* GLX
  - **New Beetle** GLS
- **J** = *Passat* GLX
  - **GL1** 4Motion
- **K** = *EuroVan* 3dr GLS
- **L** = *Passat* GLX
  - **Wagon** 4Motion
  - **Passat** GLS 4Motion
- **M** = *EuroVan* 3dr GLS
  - **Wagon** 4Motion
  - **Passat** GLS 4Motion
- **N** = *EuroVan* 3dr GLS
  - **Wagon** 4Motion
- **O** = *GTI* 2dr GLS
  - **Wagon** 4Motion

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4. **Engine Code** (position #5)

#### 2000 / 2001 Restraints:
- **2** AirBag Dr/Pass
  - Side AirBag - Front Dr/Pass
- **6** AirBag Dr/Pass (Standard)
  - Side AirBag - Front Dr/Pass
  - Side Curtain AirBag

**EuroVan:**
- **4** AirBag Dr/Pass
  - Side AirBag - Front & Rear Dr/Pass

**Sequential serial number (position 12 - 17)**

- **1=2001**
- **4=Curitiba**
- **E=Emden**
- **H=Hannover**
- **M=Mexico**
- **P=Melin**
- **W=Wolfsburg**

**Model:**
- 1C = New Roetla
- 1J = Golf / GTI
- 1V = Cabrio
- 3B = Passat
- 4 = New Passat
- 9M = Jetta
### 2002 Volkswagen VIN Decoder

#### Series:
- B = Cabrio GL
- C = Cabrio GLS
- D = Cabrio GLX
- E = EuroVan 3dr Camper
- F = Golf 4dr GL
- G = Golf 4dr GLS
- H = Golf 4dr Turbo S
- I = Jetta 4dr GL
- J = Jetta 4dr GLX (US only)
- K = EuroVan 3dr GLS
- L = Jetta Wagon GL (US only)
- M = EuroVan 3dr MV Weekender
- N = Paseo 4dr GLS
- O = Paseo 4dr GLX
- P = Paseo 4dr Wagon
- Q = Paseo 4dr Wagon GL
- R = Jetta 4dr GL
- S = Jetta 4dr GLS
- T = Jetta Wagon GLX (US only)
- U = Paseo 4dr GLX
- V = Paseo 4dr Wagon
- W = Paseo 4dr Wagon GL
- X = Paseo 4dr Wagon GLX
- Y = Paseo 4dr Wagon V
- Z = Paseo 4dr Wagon V 4Motion

#### Country of Origin:
- A = Argentina
- B = Brazil
- C = Canada
- D = Chile
- E = Costa Rica
- F = Czech Republic
- G = Denmark
- H = Egypt
- I = England
- J = France
- K = Germany
- L = Greece
- M = Hungary
- N = India
- O = Israel
- P = Italy
- Q = Japan
- R = Korea
- S = Luxembourg
- T = Malaysia
- U = Netherlands
- V = New Zealand
- W = Nigeria
- X = Norway
- Y = Peru
- Z = Portugal
- AA = Philippines
- AB = Poland
- AC = Portugal
- AD = Russia
- AE = Spain
- AF = Sweden
- AG = Switzerland
- AH = Taiwan
- AI = Thailand
- AJ = Turkey
- AK = USA
- AL = Vietnam

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#### Sequential Serial Number:
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#### 2002 Restraints:
- 2 AirBag - Active - DrPass
- Side Impact AirBag - Front - DrPass
- 4 AirBag - Active - DrPass
- Side curtain AirBag
- Side Impact AirBag - Front - DrPass
### 2003 Volkswagen V.I.N. Decoder

#### Series:
- **B** = Golf 2dr GL***
  - New Beetle GL***
  - New Beetle Conv. GL
- **C** = New Beetle GLS
  - New Beetle Conv. GLS
- **D** = New Beetle Conv. GLX
  - GTI 2dr GLS
  - New Beetle GLX
- **E** = EuroVan 3dr Camper
  - Golf 4dr CL**
  - New Beetle Turbo S***
- **F** = Golf 4dr GL
  - New Beetle Turbo S***
  - New Beetle Conv. GLS
- **G** = EuroVan 3dr GLS
  - GTI 2dr Jubilee II
- **K** = EuroVan 3dr MV
- **M** = Passat GL***
  - EuroVan 3dr MV
  - Passat GL Wagon***
- **P** = Passat 4dr GLS
- **R** = Jetta 4dr GL***
  - Jetta Wagon GL***
- **S** = Jetta 4dr GLS
  - Jetta Wagon GLS

#### Country of origin
- **W** = Europe Pass. Car
- **W2** = Europe MPV
- **W3** = Mexico Pass. Car
- **BW** = Brazil Pass. Car

#### Vehicle type
- **V** = Passat W8 4Motion
- **U** = Passat W8 4Motion
- **V** = Jetta 4dr GL
  - Jetta 4dr GLI

#### Engine
- **A** = 4cyl 2.0L (Gas) Jetta 115HP
- **B** = 6cyl 2.8L (Gas) EuroVan 201HP
- **D** = 4cyl 1.8L (Gas) Beetle 150HP
- **E** = 4cyl 1.8L (Gas) Jetta / GTI / Beetle 180HP
- **H** = 6cyl 2.8L (Gas) Jetta / GTI 200HP
- **K** = 4cyl 2.0L (Gas) Golf / Jetta / Beetle 115HP
- **K** = V8 4.0L (Gas) Passat W8 270HP
- **P** = 4cyl 1.9L (Diesel) Golf / Jetta / GTI / Beetle 90HP

#### RESTRAINT SYSTEM
- **0-9 or X**

#### MODEL:
- **1C** = New Beetle
- **1J** = Golf / GTI / Jetta Wagon
- **1Y** = New Beetle Convertible
- **3B** = Passat
- **70** = EuroVan
- **9M** = Jetta

#### Check digit
- **Check digit:** (position 7&8)

#### Model year
- **Model year:** (position 12 - 17)

#### Assembly plant
- **Assembly plant:**
  - **W** = Wolfsburg
  - **H** = Hannover M = Mexico
  - **P** = Mosel
  - **E** = Emden
  - **M** = Mexico

#### Sequential serial number
- **Sequential serial number:** (position 12 - 17)

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**2002 - 2003 Restraints:**

2 AirBag - Active - Dr/Pass
Side Impact AirBag - Front - Dr/Pass

4 AirBag - Active - Dr/Pass

6 AirBag - Active - Dr/Pass
Side Curtain AirBags
Side Impact AirBag - Front - Dr/Pass

**Model Year:**

- D = 1983
- E = 1984
- F = 1985
- G = 1986
- H = 1987
- J = 1988
- K = 1989
- L = 1990
- M = 1991
- N = 1992
- P = 1993
- R = 1994
- S = 1995
- T = 1996
- V = 1997
- W = 1998
- X = 1999
- Y = 2000
- 1 = 2001
- 2 = 2002
- 3 = 2003

**Must follow steps in order!**

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   Locate & use appropriate card.
2 - Model Code (positions #7 & 8)
3 - Vehicle Series (position #4)
4 - Engine Code (position #5)
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## Series:
- **A** = Phaeton 5 Seat Position
- **B** = Golf 2dr GL***
  - New Beetle GL***
  - New Beetle Conv. GL***
  - Phaeton 4 Seat Position
  - Touareg V6
- **C** = New Beetle GLS
  - New Beetle Conv. GLS
  - Touareg V8
- **D** = New Beetle Conv. GLX
  - GTI 2dr
  - New Beetle GLX**
  - New Beetle Conv. GLX
- **E** = Golf 4dr GL
  - Touareg V8 w/ Air suspension
- **F** = Golf 4dr GL
  - New Beetle Turbo S***
  - Touareg V8 w/ Air suspension
- **G** = Golf 4dr GLS
- **K** = R32 2dr***
  - Passat W8 4Motion w/SG#
- **L** = Passat W8 Wagon 4Motion w/SG#
- **M** = Passat GL***
- **N** = Passat GL Wagon***
  - Passat GL Wagon***
- **P** = Passat GLS
- **R** = Jetta GL***
  - Jetta Wagon GL***
  - Jetta Wagon GL***
  - Passat GLX
  - **#** Sport Group
  - **** CAN Only
  - *** US Only

## Engine:
- **A** = 4cyl 2.0L (Gas) Jetta 115HP
- **B** = 6cyl 3.2L (Gas) Touareg 220HP
- **D** = 4cyl 1.8L (Gas) Beetle 150HP / Passat 170HP
- **E** = 4cyl 1.8L (Gas) Passat 170HP
- **F** = 4cyl 2.0L (Gas) Passat 134 HP
- **G** = 6cyl 3.2L (Gas) Jetta Wagon / Golf / GTI / R32 240HP
- **H** = 6cyl 2.8L (Gas) Jetta / Golf / GTI / R32 230HP
- **I** = 6cyl 3.2L (Gas) Passat 200HP
- **J** = 12cyl 6.0L (Gas) Phaeton 420 HP
- **K** = 4cyl 1.8L (Gas) Jetta / Golf / GTI / R32 / Beetle 115HP
- **L** = 4cyl 2.0L (Gas) Golf / GTI / Jetta Wagon / R32 115HP
- **M** = 4cyl 2.0L (Gas) Beetle 115HP
- **R** = 4cyl 1.9L (Diesel) Golf / Jetta / GTI / R32 / Beetle 100HP

## Country of Origin:
- **1** = Canada
- **2** = Mexico
- **3** = Brazil
- **4** = China
- **5** = Mexico
- **6** = China
- **7** = Mexico
- **8** = Mexico
- **9** = Mexico
- **0** = China

## Assembly Plant:
- **1** = Chattanooga
- **2** = Bratislava
- **3** = Hannover
- **4** = Dresden
- **5** = Mexico
- **6** = Wolfsburg

## Model:
- **1** = New Beetle
- **1J** = Golf / GTI / R32
- **1Y** = Jetta Wagon
- **1Y** = New Beetle Convertible
- **3B** = Passat
- **3D** = Phaeton
- **7L** = Touareg
- **9M** = Jetta

## Decoder:
- **4** = 2004

## Sequential Serial Number:
- **10** = Position 1 - 7
- **15** = Position 8 & 9
- **17** = Position 10 - 17
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### 2004 Restraints:
- All Active - Dr/Pass
- Front Air Bag - Dr/Pass
- Side Impact Air Bags - Front
- Dual Stage Front Air Bags - Dr/Pass
- Side Impact Air Bags - Front
- Side Curtain Air Bags
- Dual Stage Front Air Bags - Side Impact Air Bags - Front

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- W = 1998
- X = 1999
- Y = 2000
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- 2 = 2002
- 3 = 2003
- 4 = 2004
**2005 Volkswagen V.I.N. Decoder**

**Country of origin**

- A = Phaeton 5 Seat Position
- B = Golf 2dr GL***
- C = New Beetle GL
- D = New Beetle Conv. GLX***
- E = Golf 4dr CL**
- F = Golf 4dr GL
- G = New Beetle Turbo S***
- H = Touareg V6 w/ Air suspension
- K = new Jetta
- L = 4cyl 2.0L Jetta / Passat GL
- M = 4cyl 2.0L Beetle
- P = Touareg V10 w/ Air suspension
- R = Jetta GL***
- S = Jetta GLS / GLI
- T = Passat GLX
- V = new Jetta
- W = Passat Wagon
- Z = Touareg V6/V8 with Sport Suspension

**Manufacturer**

- A = Phaeton
- B = Golf
- C = New Beetle
- D = Passat
- E = Jetta
- F = Golf
- G = New Beetle
- H = Touareg
- K = new Jetta
- L = Passat
- M = Jetta
- P = Touareg
- R = Jetta
- S = Jetta
- T = Passat
- V = new Jetta
- W = Passat
- Z = Touareg

**Vehicle type**

- A = 4cyl 2.0L Jetta
- B = 4cyl 1.8L Passat
- C = 4cyl 2.0L Golf
- D = 4cyl 1.8L Jetta / Passat
- E = 4cyl 2.0L (Diesel) Passat
- F = 4cyl 1.9 TDI new Jetta
- G = 4cyl 2.0L Touareg
- H = 4cyl 2.0L Beetle
- K = 4cyl 2.0L Jetta / Passat
- L = 4cyl 2.0L Golf
- M = 4cyl 2.0L Beetle
- N = 6cyl 3.2L Touareg
- P = 4cyl 1.9L (Diesel) Jetta / Passat
- R = 4cyl 1.9L (Diesel) Jetta / Passat
- S = 4cyl 1.9L (Diesel) Jetta / Passat
- T = 4cyl 1.9L (Diesel) Touareg
- V = 4cyl 1.9L (Diesel) Touareg

**Series**

- A = 115HP
- B = 150HP
- C = 180HP
- D = 170HP
- E = 237HP
- H = 200HP
- K = 115HP
- L = 115HP
- M = 115HP
- N = 150HP
- P = 310HP
- R = 310HP
- T = 310HP
- V = 100HP
- W = 150HP

**Engine**

- A = 4cyl 2.0L Jetta
- B = 4cyl 1.8L Passat
- C = 4cyl 2.0L Golf
- D = 4cyl 1.8L Jetta / Passat
- E = 4cyl 2.0L (Diesel) Passat
- F = 4cyl 1.9 TDI new Jetta
- G = 4cyl 2.0L Touareg
- H = 4cyl 2.0L Beetle
- K = 4cyl 2.0L Jetta / Passat
- L = 4cyl 2.0L Golf
- M = 4cyl 2.0L Beetle
- N = 6cyl 3.2L Touareg
- P = 4cyl 1.9L (Diesel) Jetta / Passat
- R = 4cyl 1.9L (Diesel) Jetta / Passat
- S = 4cyl 1.9L (Diesel) Jetta / Passat
- T = 4cyl 1.9L (Diesel) Touareg
- V = 4cyl 1.9L (Diesel) Touareg

**Restraint system**

- All Active - Dr/Pass
- Front Air Bag - Dr/Pass
- Side Impact Air Bags - Front
- Side Impact Air Bags - Front
- Side Curtain Air Bags
- Advanced Front Air Bags
- Dual Stage Front Air Bags
- Side Impact Air Bags
- Side Curtain Air Bags
- (Phaeton only)

**Check Digit**

- 0-9 or "X"

**Model**

- 1C = New Beetle
- 1J = Golf*/ GTI / Jetta Wagon
- 1Y = New Beetle Convertible
- 3B = Passat
- 3D = Phaeton
- 7L = Touareg
- 9M = Jetta
- 1K = new Jetta
- * Brazilian Golf displays as 9B in VW systems

**Model Year**

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- P = 1999
- Q = 2000
- R = 2001
- S = 2002
- T = 2003
- U = 2004
- V = 2005

**Assembly plant**

- 4 = Curitiba
- 5 = 2005
- 6 = Bratislava
- 8 = Dresden
- 9 = Mexico
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### 2006 Volkswagen V.I.N. Decoder

**Series:**
- **A** = Phaeton 5 Seating Position
- **B** = Golf 2dr GL
- **C** = Touareg V8
- **D** = GTI
- **E** = Jetta with Package 2
- **F** = Golf 4dr GL
- **G** = Golf 4dr GLS
- **H** = Passat 4Motion with Sport Pkg
- **I** = Jetta with Premium Package
- **J** = Jetta 2.5 (value edition)
- **K** = Touareg V6 and V8 with Sport Suspension
- **L** = Touareg V6 w/ Air suspension
- **M** = Touareg V8 w/ Air suspension
- **N** = Jetta with Luxury Package
- **P** = Touareg V10 w/ Air suspension
- **R** = Jetta 2.5/TDI
- **S** = Jetta with Package 2
- **T** = Touareg GLI

**Model Year:**
- **G** = 1986
- **H** = 1987
- **J** = 1988
- **K** = 1989
- **L** = 1990
- **M** = 1991
- **N** = 1992
- **P** = 1993
- **R** = 1994
- **S** = 1995
- **T** = 1996
- **V** = 1997
- **W** = 1998
- **X** = 1999
- **Y** = 2000
- **1** = 2001
- **2** = 2002
- **3** = 2003
- **4** = 2004
- **5** = 2005
- **6** = 2006
- **7** = 2007

### 2006 Restraints:
- 0 = All Active - Dr/Pass
- 1 = Front Air Bag - Dr/Pass
- 2 = Advanced Front Air Bags
- 3 = Side Impact Air Bags - Fr. Rr.
- 4 = Side Curtain Air Bags (Phaeton Only)
- 5 = Side Impact Air Bags - Front
- 6 = Side Curtain Air Bags
- 7 = Advanced Front Air Bags
- 8 = Side Impact Air Bags - Front
- 9 = Side Curtain Air Bags
- 10 = Dual Stage Front Air Bags
- 11 = Side Impact Air Bags - Fr. Rr.
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