

Understanding Volkswagen VIN

This bulletin is to clarify the information required to correctly identify the RepSet and Dual Mass Flywheel fitted to these vehicles. Increasing amount of calls to the Technical Hotline is demonstrating some confusion on these vehicles.

Example VIN

W VW ZZZ 3B Z 2 H 123456

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Nation of Origin
W = Germany

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Manufacturer
VW = Volkswagen

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Filler code
Always ZZZ

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Model i.e.
1H = Golf GTI
1J = Bora
1J = New Golf
3A = Passat Sallon
3B = New Passat
6K = Polo Saloon
6N = New Polo
6X = Lupo
7M = Sharan
T4 = New Transporter
etc.

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Filler code

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Year of manufacture i.e.
W = 1998
X = 1999
Y = 2000
1 = 2001
2 = 2002
3 = 2003
etc.

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Assembly plant i.e.
A = Inglostadt
B = Brussels
etc.

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Sequential Number



Note : In most cases this is the most important digit. You only need to look at the last six digits if this is the same as your vehicle

Catalogue example >3B-5-050000

= New Passat, Filler code unimportant, 2005, Assembly plant unimportant, **Sequential number only important for 2005 vehicles**

With the above information and the engine code you should be able to select the correct clutch and flywheel but if you require any further assistance or clarification please call the LuK technical Hotline on 08457 001100.