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Attention: VIN Coordinator
U.S. Department of Transportation
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
1200 New Jersey Ave, S.E.
Washington, D.C. 20590

Re: Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) Decipherments for 2008 Model Year
BMW 3 Series, 5 Series, 6 Series, 7 Series, X3, X5 and Z4 Models

Dear Sir/Madam:

This letter is in reference to Part 565. Please find enclosed a table of information necessary to decipher the characters contained in the Vehicle Identification Numbers (VINs) of all 2008 model year U.S. BMW models:

328i 2-door Convertible
328i 2-door Convertible SULEV
328i 2-door Coupe
328i 2-door Coupe SULEV
328i 4-door Sedan
328i 4-door Sedan SA
328i 4-door Sedan SULEV
328xi 2-door Coupe
328xi 2-door Coupe SULEV
328xi 4-door Sedan
328xi 4-door Sedan SULEV
328i Sports wagon 4-door Wagon
328xi Sports wagon 4-door Wagon
335i 2-door Convertible
335i 2-door Coupe
335i 4-door Sedan
335xi 2-door Coupe
335xi 4-door Sedan
M3 2-door Coupe
528i 4-door Sedan
528xi 4-door Sedan

535i 4-door Sedan
535xi 4-door Sedan
535xi Sports wagon 4-door Wagon
550i 4-door Sedan
M5 4-door Sedan
650i 2-door Convertible
650i 2-door Coupe
M6 2-door Convertible
M6 2-door Coupe
750i 4-door Sedan
ALPINA B7 4-door Sedan
750Li 4-door Sedan
760Li 4-door Sedan
X3 3.0si 4-door Sports Activity Vehicle
X5 3.0si 4-door Sports Activity Vehicle
X5 4.8i 4-door Sports Activity Vehicle
Z4 3.0i Roadster 2-door Convertible
Z4 3.0si Roadster 2-door Convertible
Z4 3.0si 2-door Coupe
Z4 M Roadster 2-door Convertible
Z4 M Coupe 2-door Coupe

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Enclosure (1)



Vehicle	Manufacturer Identifier			Line, Series, Body Type, Engine Type				Restraint System / GVWR (MPV)	Check Digit	Model Year	Plant of Manufacture	Sequential Production Number
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7					12 - 17

328i Convertible	W	B	A	W	L	1	3	5	-	8	-	
328i Convertible SULEV	W	B	A	W	R	3	3	5	-	8	-	
328i Coupe	W	B	A	W	B	3	3	5	-	8	-	
328i Coupe SULEV	W	B	A	W	V	1	3	5	-	8	-	
328i Sedan	W	B	A	V	A	3	3	5	-	8	-	
328i Sedan SA	W	B	A	V	A	3	7	5	-	8	-	
328i Sedan SULEV	W	B	A	V	C	5	3	5	-	8	-	
328xi Coupe	W	B	A	W	C	3	3	5	-	8	-	
328xi Coupe SULEV	W	B	A	W	V	5	3	5	-	8	-	
328xi Sedan	W	B	A	V	C	9	3	5	-	8	-	
328xi Sedan SULEV	W	B	A	V	C	7	3	5	-	8	-	
328i Sports Wagon	W	B	A	V	S	1	3	5	-	8	-	
328xi Sports Wagon	W	B	A	V	T	7	3	5	-	8	-	
335i Convertible	W	B	A	W	L	7	3	5	-	8	-	
335i Coupe	W	B	A	W	B	7	3	5	-	8	-	
335i Sedan	W	B	A	V	B	7	3	5	-	8	-	
335xi Coupe	W	B	A	W	C	7	3	5	-	8	-	
M3 Coupe	W	B	A	W	D	9	3	5	-	8	-	
528i Sedan	W	B	A	N	U	5	3	5	-	8	-	
528xi Sedan	W	B	A	N	V	1	3	5	-	8	-	
535i Sedan	W	B	A	N	W	1	3	5	-	8	-	
535xi Sedan	W	B	A	N	V	9	3	5	-	8	-	
535xi Sports Wagon	W	B	A	P	T	7	3	5	-	8	-	
550i Sedan	W	B	A	N	W	5	3	5	-	8	-	
M5 Sedan	W	B	S	N	B	9	3	5	-	8	-	
650i Convertible	W	B	A	E	B	5	3	5	-	8	-	
650i Coupe	W	B	A	E	A	5	3	5	-	8	-	
M6 Convertible	W	B	S	E	K	9	3	5	-	8	-	
M6 Coupe	W	B	S	E	H	9	3	5	-	8	-	
750i Sedan	W	B	A	H	I	8	3	5	-	8	-	
ALPINA B7	W	B	A	H	L	8	3	5	-	8	-	
750Li	W	B	A	H	N	8	3	5	-	8	-	
760Li	W	B	A	H	N	0	3	5	-	8	-	
X3 3.0si SAV	W	B	X	P	C	9	3	4	-	8	-	
X5 3.0si SAV	5	U	X	F	E	4	3	5	-	8	-	
X5 4.8i SAV	5	U	X	F	E	8	3	5	-	8	-	
Z4 Roadster 3.0i	4	U	S	B	U	3	3	5	-	8	-	
Z4 Roadster 3.0si	4	U	S	B	U	5	3	5	-	8	-	
Z4 Coupe 3.0si	4	U	S	D	U	5	3	5	-	8	-	
Z4 M Roadster	5	U	M	B	T	9	3	5	-	8	-	
Z4 M Coupe	5	U	M	D	U	9	3	5	-	8	-	

Explanation of Positions 1-3 (World Manufacturer Identifier)

Manufacturer	Make	Type
WBA	BMW AG, Munich, Germany	BMW
WBS	BMW M GmbH, Munich, Germany	BMW
WBX	BMW AG, Munich, Germany	MPV
5UX	BMW Manufact. Corp., Spartanburg, SC, USA	MPV
4US	BMW Manufact. Corp., Spartanburg, SC, USA	Passenger Car
5UM	BMW Manufact. Corp., Spartanburg, SC, USA	Passenger Car

Explanation of Position 8 (Restraint System / GVWR)

Pass. Car	5	Manual safety belts with driver and passenger dual-stage suppl. restraint system (SRS) certified to the advanced airbag requirements of FMVSS 208, S14
MPV	4	Class D - Greater than 2268 kg to 2722 kg (5001-6000 lbs)
	5	Class E - Greater than 2722 kg to 3175 kg (6001-7000 lbs)

Explanation of Positions 4, 5, 6, 7						
Line	Series	Body Type	Engine information			
			Engine Type	Power (BHP)	Displ. (cu.in. / liter)	

3 - BMW Pass. Car	328i	2-Dr Convertible	6-Cyl. Gasoline	230	182.8 / 3.0	
3 - BMW Pass. Car	328i SULEV	2-Dr Convertible	6-Cyl. Gasoline	230	182.8 / 3.0	
3 - BMW Pass. Car	328i	2-Dr Coupe	6-Cyl. Gasoline	230	182.8 / 3.0	
3 - BMW Pass. Car	328i SULEV	2-Dr Coupe	6-Cyl. Gasoline	230	182.8 / 3.0	
3 - BMW Pass. Car	328i	4-Dr Sedan	6-Cyl. Gasoline	230	182.8 / 3.0	
3 - BMW Pass. Car	328i	4-Dr Sedan	6-Cyl. Gasoline	230	182.8 / 3.0	
3 - BMW Pass. Car	328i SULEV	4-Dr Sedan	6-Cyl. Gasoline	230	182.8 / 3.0	
3 - BMW Pass. Car	328xi	2-Dr Coupe	6-Cyl. Gasoline	230	182.8 / 3.0	
3 - BMW Pass. Car	328xi SULEV	2-Dr Coupe	6-Cyl. Gasoline	230	182.8 / 3.0	
3 - BMW Pass. Car	328xi	4-Dr Sedan	6-Cyl. Gasoline	230	182.8 / 3.0	
3 - BMW Pass. Car	328xi SULEV	4-Dr Sedan	6-Cyl. Gasoline	230	182.8 / 3.0	
3 - BMW Pass. Car	328xi Sports Wagon	4-Dr Wagon	6-Cyl. Gasoline	230	182.8 / 3.0	
3 - BMW Pass. Car	328xi Sports Wagon	4-Dr Wagon	6-Cyl. Gasoline	230	182.8 / 3.0	
3 - BMW Pass. Car	335i	2-Dr Convertible	6-Cyl. Gasoline	300	181.8 / 3.0	
3 - BMW Pass. Car	335i	2-Dr Coupe	6-Cyl. Gasoline	300	181.8 / 3.0	
3 - BMW Pass. Car	335i	4-Dr Sedan	6-Cyl. Gasoline	300	181.8 / 3.0	
3 - BMW Pass. Car	335xi	2-Dr Coupe	6-Cyl. Gasoline	300	181.8 / 3.0	
3 - BMW Pass. Car	M3	2-Dr Coupe	8-Cyl. Gasoline	400	244 / 4.0	
5 - BMW Pass. Car	528i	4-Dr Sedan	6-Cyl. Gasoline	230	182.8 / 3.0	
5 - BMW Pass. Car	528xi	4-Dr Sedan	6-Cyl. Gasoline	230	182.8 / 3.0	
5 - BMW Pass. Car	535i	4-Dr Sedan	6-Cyl. Gasoline	300	181.8 / 3.0	
5 - BMW Pass. Car	535xi	4-Dr Sedan	6-Cyl. Gasoline	300	181.8 / 3.0	
5 - BMW Pass. Car	535xi Sports Wagon	4-Dr Wagon	6-Cyl. Gasoline	300	181.8 / 3.0	
5 - BMW Pass. Car	550i	4-Dr Sedan	8-Cyl. Gasoline	360	292.9 / 4.8	
5 - BMW Pass. Car	M5	4-Dr Sedan	10-Cyl. Gasoline	500	305.1 / 5.0	
6 - BMW Pass. Car	650i	2-Dr Convertible	8-Cyl. Gasoline	360	292.9 / 4.8	
6 - BMW Pass. Car	650i	2-Dr Coupe	8-Cyl. Gasoline	360	292.9 / 4.8	
6 - BMW Pass. Car	M6	2-Dr Convertible	10-Cyl. Gasoline	500	305.1 / 5.0	
6 - BMW Pass. Car	M6	2-Dr Coupe	10-Cyl. Gasoline	500	305.1 / 5.0	
7 - BMW Pass. Car	750i	4-Dr Sedan	8-Cyl. Gasoline	360	292.9 / 4.8	
7 - BMW Pass. Car	B7	4-Dr Sedan	8-Cyl. Gasoline	500	268.4 / 4.4	
7 - BMW Pass. Car	750Li	4-Dr Sedan	8-Cyl. Gasoline	360	292.9 / 4.8	
7 - BMW Pass. Car	760Li	4-Dr Sedan	12-Cyl. Gasoline	438	364.4 / 6.0	
X3 - BMW MPV	X3 3.0si	4-Dr MPV	6-Cyl. Gasoline	255	182.8 / 3.0	
X5 - BMW MPV	X5 3.0si	4-Dr MPV	6-Cyl. Gasoline	255	182.8 / 3.0	
X5 - BMW MPV	X5 4.8i	4-Dr MPV	8-Cyl. Gasoline	355	292.9 / 4.8	
Z4 - BMW Pass. Car	Z4 Roadster 3.0i	2-Dr Convertible	6-Cyl. Gasoline	215	182.8 / 3.0	
Z4 - BMW Pass. Car	Z4 Roadster 3.0si	2-Dr Convertible	6-Cyl. Gasoline	255	182.8 / 3.0	
Z4 - BMW Pass. Car	Z4 Coupe 3.0si	2-Dr Coupe	6-Cyl. Gasoline	255	182.8 / 3.0	
Z4 - BMW Pass. Car	M Roadster	2-Dr Convertible	6-Cyl. Gasoline	330	198.1 / 3.2	
Z4 - BMW Pass. Car	M Coupe	2-Dr Coupe	6-Cyl. Gasoline	330	198.1 / 3.2	

Explanation of Position 11 (Plant of Manufacture)

A, F, K	Munich	GERMANY
E, J, P	Regensburg	GERMANY
B, C, D, G	Dingolfing	GERMANY
L	Greer, South Carolina	USA
N	Pretoria	SOUTH AFRICA
W	Graz	AUSTRIA
V	Leipzig	GERMANY

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