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**RE: 2009 Model Year VIN Decipherability Information**

Dear Mrs. Nason:

Dr. Ing. h.c.F. Porsche AG hereby submits, in compliance with the requirements of 49 CFR 565.7(c), the necessary information to decipher the characters of the Porsche vehicle identification numbers.

Contained in this submission are the data sheets for all of Porsche's 2008MY vehicle lines.

- Boxster (S)	2-Door Convertible
- Cayman (S)	2-Door Coupe
- 911 Carrera (S), Carrera 4 (S)	2-Door Coupe
- 911 Carrera (S) Cabriolet, 911 Carrera 4 (S) Cabriolet	2-Door Convertible
- 911 Targa 4 (S)	2-Door Targa
- 911 Turbo, 911 GT2	2-Door Coupe
- 911 Turbo Cabriolet	2-Door Convertible
- Cayenne	4-Door Wagon
- Cayenne S	4-Door Wagon
- Cayenne GTS	4-Door Wagon
- Cayenne Turbo (S)	4-Door Wagon

Should you have any questions or require further information, please do not hesitate to contact me at (770) 290-3627.

Sincerely,

Walter Lewis  
Manager/Regulatory Affairs/Aftersales

Enclosure (1)

## Reporting of 17-Digit VIN to NHTSA

WMI					Manufacturer	
<b>W</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>Porsche</b>			
					Type	
					<b>Passenger Car</b>	
					Model Year	
<b>9</b>					<b>2009</b>	
VDS					Line	
<b>C</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>Boxster</b>	
					Series	
					(Type 987)	
					Body Type	
					<b>2-Door Convertible</b>	
					Restraint System	GVWR (man.-auto.)
					<b>Passive</b>	<b>TBD</b>
					Fuel	Cylinders
					<b>Gasoline</b>	<b>6</b>
					Displacement	Horsepower
Engine					<b>2.7 Liter</b>	<b>245</b>
					Manufacturer	
					<b>Dr. Ing. h.c.F. Porsche AG</b>	

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		<b>Passenger Car</b>				
		Model Year				
<b>9</b>		<b>2009</b>				
VDS		Line				
<b>C</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>Boxster S</b>	
					Series	
					(Type 987)	
					Body Type	
					<b>2-Door Convertible</b>	
					Restraint System	GVWR (man.-auto.)
					<b>Passive</b>	<b>TBD</b>
					Fuel	Cylinders
					<b>Gasoline</b>	<b>6</b>
					Displacement	Horsepower
Engine					<b>3.4 Liter</b>	<b>295</b>
					Manufacturer	
					<b>Dr. Ing. h.c.F. Porsche AG</b>	

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W	P	0	Porsche	
			Type	
			Passenger Car	
			Model Year	
9			2009	
VDS			Line	
A	A	2	Cayman	
			Series	
			(Type 987)	
			Body Type	
			2-Door Coupe	
			Restraint System	GVWR (man.-auto.)
			Passive	TBD
			Fuel	Cylinders
			Gasoline	6
			Displacement	Horsepower
Engine			2.7 Liter	245
			Manufacturer	
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				Type	
				Passenger Car	
				Model Year	
9				2009	
VDS				Line	
A	B	2	9	8	Cayman S
				Series	
				(Type 987)	
				Body Type	
				2-Door Convertible	
				Restraint System	GVWR (man.-auto.)
				Passive	TBD
				Fuel	Cylinders
				Gasoline	6
				Displacement	Horsepower
Engine				3.4 Liter	295
				Manufacturer	
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W	P	0	Porsche	
			Type	
			Passenger Car	
9			Model Year	
			2009	
VDS			Line	
A	A	2	Type 997:	
		9	911 Carrera (2WD)	
		9	911 Carrera 4 (4WD)	
			Series	
			Body Type	
			2-Door Coupe	
			Restraint System	GVWR (man.-auto.)
			Passive	Type 997:
				2WD: 4,012- 4,101 lbs.
				Type 997:
				4WD: 4,123 - 4,211 lbs.
			Fuel	Cylinders
			Gasoline	6
			Displacement	Horsepower
Engine			Type 997 3.6L	345
			Manufacturer	
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W	P	0	Porsche	
			Type	
			Passenger Car	
			Model Year	
9			2009	
VDS			Line	
A	B	2	9	9
			Type 997: 911 Carrera S(2WD) 911 Carrera 4S (4WD)	
			Series	
			Body Type	
			2-Door Coupe	
			Restraint System	
			Passive	
			GVWR (man.-auto.)	
			Type 997: 2WD: 4,012- 4,101 lbs.  Type 997: 4WD: 4,123 - 4,211 lbs.	
			Fuel	
			Gasoline	
			Cylinders	
			6	
			Displacement	
			Type 997 3.8L	
			Horsepower	
			385	
			Manufacturer	
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W	P	0			Porsche	
					Type	
					Passenger Car	
					Model Year	
9					2009	
VDS					Line	
C	A	2	9	9	Type 997: 911 Carrera Cabriolet (2WD) 911 Carrera 4 Cabriolet (4WD)	
					Series	
					Body Type	
					2-Door Convertible	
					Restraint System	GVWR (man. -auto.)
					Passive	Type 997: 2WD: 4,145 – 4,233 lbs.  Type 997: 4WD: 4,255 – 4,343 lbs.
					Fuel	Cylinders
					Gasoline	6
					Displacement	Horsepower
					Type 997 3.6L,	345
Engine					Manufacturer	
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			Type	
			Passenger Car	
			Model Year	
9			2009	
VDS			Line	
C	B	2	Type 997: 911 Carrera S Cabriolet (2WD) 911 Carrera 4S Cabriolet (4WD)	
			Series	
			Body Type	
			2-Door Convertible	
			Restraint System	GVWR (man. -auto.)
			Passive	Type 997: 2WD: 4,145 – 4,233 lbs.  Type 997: 4WD: 4,277 – 4,343 lbs.
			Fuel	Cylinders
			Gasoline	6
			Displacement	Horsepower
			Type 997 3.8L	385
			Engine	
			Manufacturer	
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					Type	
					Passenger Car	
					Model Year	
9					2009	
VDS					Line	
B	A	2	9	9	Type 997: 911 Carrera 4 Targa (4WD)	
					Series	
					Body Type	
					2-Door Convertible	
					Restraint System	
					Passive	
					GVWR (man. -auto.)	
					Type 997: 4WD: 4,012 – 4,343 lbs.	
					Fuel	
					Gasoline	
					Cylinders	
					6	
					Horsepower	
					345	
					Engine	
					Type 997 3.6L,	
					Manufacturer	
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Model Year		Model Year			
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VDS		Line			
<b>B</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>Type 997:</b>
					<b>911 Carrera 4S Targa (4WD)</b>
Series					
Body Type					
<b>2-Door Targa</b>					
Restraint System					GVWR (man. -auto.)
<b>Passive</b>					<b>Type 997:</b>
					<b>4WD: 4,012 – 4,343 lbs.</b>
Fuel					Cylinders
<b>Gasoline</b>					<b>6</b>
Displacement					Horsepower
<b>Type 997 3.8L</b>					<b>385</b>
Engine					
Manufacturer					
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					Type	
					Passenger Car	
					Model Year	
9					2009	
VDS					Line	
A	D	2	9	9	Type 997: 911 Turbo (4WD) 911 GT2 (2WD)	
					Series	
					Body Type	
					2-Door Coupe	
					Restraint System	
					Passive	
					GVWR (man. -auto.)	
					911 Turbo 4,296 – 4,362 lbs. 911 GT2 3,855 lbs.	
					Fuel	
					Gasoline	
					Cylinders	
					6	
					Displacement	
					3.6 Liter Turbo	
					Horsepower	
					4WD: 480 2WD: 530	
					Manufacturer	
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W	P	0			Porsche	
					Type	
					Passenger Car	
					Model Year	
9					2009	
VDS					Line	
C	D	2	9	9	Type 997: 911 Turbo Cabriolet (4WD)	
					Series	
					Body Type	
					2-Door Cabriolet	
					Restraint System	
					Passive	
					GVWR (man. -auto.)	
					Type 997: 4,406 – 4,483 lbs.	
					Fuel	
					Gasoline	
					Cylinders	
					6	
					Displacement	
					3.6 Liter Turbo	
					Horsepower	
					4WD: 480	
					Engine	
					3.6 Liter Turbo	
					Manufacturer	
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W	P	1			Porsche	
					Type	
					Passenger Car	
					Model Year	
9					2009	
VDS					Line	
A	A	2	9	P	Type: 9PA Cayenne	
					Series	
					Body Type	
					4-Door SUV	
					Restraint System	
					Passive	
					GVWR (man. -auto.)	
					MT = 6493 lbs TT = 6493 lbs	
					Fuel	
					Gasoline	
					Cylinders	
					6	
					Displacement	
					3.6 Liter	
					Horsepower	
					4WD: 290	
					Manufacturer	
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					Type	
					Passenger Car	
					Model Year	
9					2009	
VDS					Line	
A	B	2	9	P	Type: 9PA Cayenne S	
					Series	
					Body Type	
					4-Door SUV	
					Restraint System	
					Passive	
					GVWR (man. -auto.)	
					6790	
					Fuel	
					Gasoline	
					Cylinders	
					8	
					Displacement	
					4.8 Liter	
					Horsepower	
					4WD: 385	
					Manufacturer	
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Manufacturer

**Porsche**

Type

**Passenger Car**

Model Year

**2009**

**9**

VDS

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Line

**Type: 9PA  
Cayenne Turbo**

Series

Body Type

**4-Door SUV**

Restraint System

**Passive**

GVWR (man. -auto.)

**6790**

Fuel

**Gasoline**

Cylinders

**8**

Engine

Displacement

**4.8 Liter**

Horsepower

**4WD: 500**

Manufacturer

**Dr. Ing. h.c.F. Porsche AG**



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					Type	
					Passenger Car	
					Model Year	
9					2009	
VDS					Line	
A	D	2	9	P	Type: 9PA Cayenne GTS	
					Series	
					Body Type	
					4-Door SUV	
					Restraint System	
					Passive	
					GVWR (man. -auto.)	
					6790	
					Fuel	
					Gasoline	
					Cylinders	
					8	
					Displacement	
					4.8 Liter	
					Horsepower	
					4WD: 405	
					Engine	
					Manufacturer	
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<b>Type: 9PA</b>								
<b>Cayenne Turbo S</b>								
	Series							
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	Body Type							
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	Restraint System							
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	GVWR (man. -auto.)							
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	Cylinders							
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Engine	Displacement							
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	Horsepower							
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	Manufacturer							
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