

Volkswagen VIN Breakdown

U.S. Models

Passenger Cars

2015 Model Year

WMI			VDS					VIS									
Position	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	1	2	3	1	2	3	4	5		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

Positions No.: 1-3 Manufacturer / Make Characters Description

WVW	VW – Europe	Passenger Car
1VW	VW – USA	Passenger Car
3VW	VW – Mexico	Passenger Car

Position No.: 4 Series

Series	2 dr.	4 dr.	#	trans.
Golf	8	1	Golf 1.8T	M5
	9	2	Golf 1.8T, TDI	A6
	X	R	Golf TDI.	M6

e-Golf	-	P	e-Golf	A6
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GTI	Y	5	GTI	M6
	T	4	GTI	A6

Beetle	F	-	-	A6
	H	-	1.8T	M5
	J	-	1.8T, TDI	A6
	R	-	TDI	M6
	V	-	R-Line	A6
	4	-	R-Line	M6

Beetle Convertible	5	-	1.8T / TDI	A6
	6	-	TDI	M6
	7	-	R-Line	A6
	8	-	R-Line	M6

Jetta	-	1	2.0L / 2.0LS	M5
	-	2	2.0L / 2.0LS	A6
	-	B	1.8T SE / 1.8T Sport	M5
	-	D	1.8T SE / 1.8T Sport	A6
	-	L	1.8T SEL	A6
	-	3	TDI	M6
	-	L	TDI	A6
	-	4	GLI	A6
	-	5	GLI	M6
	-	6	Hybrid	A7

Eos	B	-	Komfort	A6
	F	-	Final Edition Executive	A6

CC	-	A	Sport	M6
	-	B	Sport, Sport Plus	A6
	-	R	Executive	A6
	-	G	V6 Executive 4Motion	A6

trans. = Transmission Type: 'A' = Automatic
'M' = Manual

Position No.: 4 Series

Series	2 dr.	4 dr.	#	trans.
Passat	-	A	S	-
	-	B	SE	-
	-	C	SEL	-

Position No.: 5 Engine Type

Engine Type See Chart on page 2

Position No.: 6 Restraint System

Char.	Description
All	Active - Dr/Pass Front Air Bag – Dr/Pass Side Impact Air Bags – Front
7	Advanced Front Air Bags
7	Advanced Front Air Bags Side Curtain Air Bags
8	Advanced Front Air Bags Knee Air Bags - Front Side Curtain Air Bags

Positions No.: 7-8 Model *

AJ (16)	Jetta
AU	Golf / e-Golf / GTI
AT (16)	Beetle / Beetle Convertible
A3	Passat
AH (1F)	Eos
AN (3C)	CC

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Position No.: 9 Check Digit

*	*Calculate per NHTSA Code
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Position No.: 10 Model Year

Characters	Description
E	2014
F	2015
G	2016

Position No.: 11 Plant of Manufacturer

Characters	Description
C	Chattanooga, Tennessee
E	Emden, Germany
M	Puebla, Mexico
P	Mosel, Germany
V	Palmela, Portugal
W	Wolfsburg, Germany

Positions No.: 12-17

Sequential Production No.

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Engine Type - VIN Character '5'

Code	Attrib-utes	Jetta	Beetle Convertible / Beetle	Golf / e-Golf / GTI
0	Fuel Cyl. Disp. HP MFG. T.G.	GAS (Fed. Only) 4 - BIN 5 1798 cc / 109 cid 170 VW FVGAV02.0VBD	GAS (Fed. Only) 4 - BIN 5 1798 cc / 109 cid 170 VW FVGAV02.0VBD	
1	Fuel Cyl. Disp. HP MFG. T.G.	GAS (50-St) 4 - BIN 3 / PZEV 1798 cc / 109 cid 170 VW FVGAV02.0VPD	GAS (50-St) 4 - BIN 3 / PZEV 1798 cc / 109 cid 170 VW FVGAV02.0VPD	GAS (50-St) 4 - BIN 3 / PZEV 1796 cc / 109 cid 170 VW FVGAV02.0APA
3	Fuel Cyl. Disp. HP MFG. T.G.	GAS / Elect. (50-St.) 4 - BIN 3 / ATPZEV 1395 cc / 85 cid 150 hp + 28 kW VW FVGAV01.4VPA		
A	Fuel Cyl. Disp. HP MFG. T.G.	DIESEL (50-St) 4 - BIN 5 / ULEV125 1968 cc / 120 cid 150 VW FVGAV02.0VAL	DIESEL (50-St) 4 - BIN 5 / ULEV125 1968 cc / 120 cid 150 VW FVGAV02.0VAL	DIESEL (50-St) 4 - BIN 5 / ULEV125 1968 cc / 120 cid 150 VW FVGAV02.0VAL
K	Fuel Cyl. Disp. HP MFG. T.G.	GAS (50-St) 4 - BIN 5 / ULEV II 1984 cc / 121 cid 115 VW FVGAV02.0VUC		
P	Fuel Cyl. Disp. HP MFG. T.G.			Electric (50-St.) BIN 1 / ZEV 85 kW / 115 hp VW FVGAV00.0VZZ
S	Fuel Cyl. Disp. HP MFG. T.G.	GAS (Fed. Only) 4 - BIN 5 1984 cc / 121 cid 210 VW FVGAV02.0VBD	GAS (Fed. Only) 4 - BIN 5 1984 cc / 121 cid 210 VW FVGAV02.0VBD	
T	Fuel Cyl. Disp. HP MFG. T.G.	GAS (50-St) 4 - BIN 3 / PZEV 1984 cc / 121 cid 210 VW FVGAV02.0VPD	GAS (50-St) 4 - BIN 3 / PZEV 1984 cc / 121 cid 210 VW FVGAV02.0VPD	GAS (50-St) 4 - BIN 3 / PZEV 1984 cc / 121 cid 210 VW FVGAV02.0APA

Engine Type - VIN Character '5'

Code	Attrib-utes	Eos	CC	Passat
M	Fuel Cyl. Disp. HP MFG. T.G.			GAS (50-St) 6 - BIN 5 / ULEV II 3596 cc / 219 cid 280 VW FVGAV03.6VUG
N	Fuel Cyl. Disp. HP MFG. T.G.		GAS (50-St) 4 - BIN 5 / ULEV II 1984 cc / 121 cid 200 VW FVGAV02.0VUE	
P	Fuel Cyl. Disp. HP MFG. T.G.		GAS (50-St) 4 - BIN 3 / PZEV 1984 cc / 121 cid 200 VW FVGAV02.0VPE	
S	Fuel Cyl. Disp. HP MFG. T.G.			GAS (Fed. Only) 4 - BIN 5 1798 cc / 109 cid 170 VW FVGAV02.0VBD
T	Fuel Cyl. Disp. HP MFG. T.G.			GAS (50-St) 4 - BIN 3 / PZEV 1798 cc / 109 cid 170 VW FVGAV02.0VPD
U	Fuel Cyl. Disp. HP MFG. T.G.		GAS (50-St) 6 - BIN 5 / ULEV II 3596 cc / 219 cid 280 VW FVGAV03.6VUF	
W	Fuel Cyl. Disp. HP MFG. T.G.	GAS (50-St) 4 - BIN 3 / SULEV 1984 cc / 121 cid 200 VW FVGAV02.0VSE		
V	Fuel Cyl. Disp. HP MFG. T.G.			DIESEL (50-St) 4 - BIN 5 / ULEV125 1968 cc / 120 cid 150 VW FVGAV02.0VAL

Notes:

Cyl. / Std. = Cylinders - Federal/California Emission Standard
T.G. = Emissions Certification Test Group

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Multi-Purpose Vehicles (M.P.V.)

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Tiguan / Touareg

Positions No.: 1-3 Manufacturer / Make Characters Description

WVG	VW – Europe M.P.V.	
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Position No.: 4 Characters Description Series 2 dr. 4 dr.

Tiguan	-	A	with auto trans.
Weight Class:	-	B	4-Motion w/ auto. trans.
C - 4,001-5,000 lbs	-	-	

Touareg	-	E	V6 FSI / TDI / Hybrid
Weight Class:	-	-	
E - 6,001-7,000 lbs	-	-	

Position No.: 5 Engine Type

Character	Attributes	Tiguan	Touareg
F	Fuel Cyl. Disp. HP MFG. T.G.		GAS 6 - BIN 5 / ULEV II 3596 cc / 219 cid 280 VW FVGAT03.6VUK
G	Fuel Cyl. Disp. HP MFG. T.G.		GAS (50-St.) 6 - BIN 5 / ULEV II 2995 cc / 183 cid 333 hp + 34 Kw VW FVGAT03.0VUH
P	Fuel Cyl. Disp. HP MFG. T.G.		Diesel (50-St) 6 - BIN 5 / ULEV II 2967 cc / 181 cid 240 VW FVGAT03.0NU2
V	Fuel Cyl. Disp. HP MFG. T.G.	GAS (50-St) 4 - BIN 5 / ULEV II 1984 cc / 121 cid 200 VW FVGAJ02.0VUE	

Position No.: 6

Restraint System

Char. Description

	All	Active - Dr/Pass Front Air Bag – Dr/Pass
Tiguan	7	Advanced Front Air Bags Side Impact Air Bags – Front Side Curtain Air Bags
Touareg	9	Advanced Front Air Bags Side Impact Air Bags - Front Side Curtain Air Bags

Positions No.: 7-8 Characters Description

Model *	AX (5N)	Tiguan
	BP (7P)	Touareg

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Position No.: 11 Plant of Manufacturer

Characters Description

Plant of Mfg.

D	Bratislava, Slovakia
W	Wolfsburg, Germany

Positions No.: 12-17

Sequential Production No

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Revisions:

Revisions:	
02/21/2014	First Issue - Golf & GTI
05/29/2014	Add full model line
06/02/2014	Corrected GTI 2-door 4 th position characters
07/18/2014	Correction Tiguan 6th Character, Restraint System, from '3' to '7'
08/15/2014	Addition of e-Golf
08/18/2014	Correct e-Golf Test Group Name
08/28/2014	Add e-Golf Horsepower rating, Correct Jetta 1.8T SEL and TDI Series characters, Delete Eos Sport model, Add Eos Final Edition model, Revise Series table format

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