



March 18, 2015

Administrator
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
1200 New Jersey Avenue, S.E.
Washington, DC 20590
Attention: VIN Coordinator

Dear Administrator,

Pursuant to 49 CFR Part 565, please find enclosed updated V.I.N Decoding Guide(s) for the following 2015 model year Hyundai vehicle(s)

Tucson
Santa Fe
Santa Fe Sport
Accent

This update is limited to the fifth digit of the VIN, and includes the VIN decodes for you convenience.

Should you have any questions regarding this submission, please contact me directly at (734) 337-2533, or by email at jsmith@hatci.com

Enclosure:
15MY Hyundai NHTSA Part 565 VIN Decoder 150318.1

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W.M.I			V.D.S					Check Digit	V.I.S			- Azera (HG)
Manufacturer & Type			Make & Line	Model Series	Body Type	Restraint	Engine		Year	Plant	Seq. no	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12~17	
K												HYUNDAI, Passenger Car
	M											
		H										
			F									HYUNDAI, Azera (HG)
				F								L (Low)
				G								GL (Middle-Low)
				H								GLS (Middle)
				J								HGS (Middle-high)
				K								TOP (High)
					4							4DR
						A						See attached restraint system codes
						D						
						J						
						L						
							B					Gasoline 2.4 DOHC MPI Theta - II
							C					Gasoline 2.4 DOHC GDI Theta - II
							E					Gasoline 3.0 DOHC GDI Lamda - II
							G					Gasoline 3.3 DOHC GDI Lamda - II
							H					Gasoline 3.0 DOHC MPI Lamda -II
												Check Digit
									F			2015 Model Year
										A		Asan / Korea
												Sequential Number



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W.M.I			V.D.S					Check Digit	V.I.S			- Accent (RB)
Manufacturer & Type			Make & Line	Model Series	Body Type	Restraint	Engine		Year	Plant	Seq. no	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12~17	
K												HYUNDAI, Passenger Car
	M											
		H										Accent (RB)
			C									L (Low Grade)
				S								GLS, GLS Popular, GS
				T								GLS Style, Sport
				U								4DR
					4							5DR
					5							See attached restraint system codes
						A						
						D						
						J						
						L						G1.4 DOHC MPI KAPPA
							B					G1.4 DOHC MPI GAMMA
							C					G1.6 DOHC MPI GAMMA
							D					G1.6 DOHC MPI GAMMA
							E					G1.6 DOHC GDI GAMMA
												Check Digit
									F			2015 Model Year
										U		Ulsan / Korea
												Sequential Number



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W.M.I			V.D.S					Check Digit	V.I.S			- Santa Fe (NC)
Manufacturer & Type			Make & Line	Model Series	Body Type	Restraint	Engine		Year	Plant	Seq. no	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12~17	
K												HYUNDAI, MPV
	M											
		8										HYUNDAI, Santa Fe (NC)
			S									
				L								L
				M								GLS Base
				N								GLS Premium
				P								HGS
				R								GLS Ultimate, Limited
					4							Wagon 4X2 Class - D
					D							Wagon 4X4 Class - D
						A						See attached restraint system codes
						C						
						D						
						H						
						J						
						L						
							D					Gasoline 3.0 DOHC GDI LAMBDA II
							E					Gasoline 3.3 DOHC MPI LAMBDA II
							F					Gasoline 3.3 DOHC GDI LAMBDA II
												Check Digit
									F			2015 Model Year
										U		Ulsan / Korea
												Sequential Number

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Manufacture & Type			Make & Line	Model Series	Body Type	Restraint	Engine		Year	Plant	Seq. no	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12~17	
K												HYUNDAI, MPV
	M											
		8										
			J									Hyundai, Tucson
				S								L (Low)
				T								GLS
				U								SE, Limited
				V								HGS (Middle-high)
				W								TOP (High)
					C							Wagon 4x4 Cls-C
					3							Wagon 4x2 Cls-C
						A						See attached restraint system codes
						D						
						F						
						J						
						L						
							A					Gasoline 1.6 DOHC GDI GAMMA
							B					Gasoline 2.0 DOHC MPI Theta II
							C					Gasoline 2.4 DOHC MPI Theta II
							E					Gasoline 2.0 DOHC MPI Nu
							F					Gasoline 2.0 DOHC GDI Nu
							G					Gasoline 2.4 DOHC GDI Theta II
												Check Digit
									F			2015 Model Year
										U		Ulsan / Korea
												Sequential Number



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W.M.I			V.D.S					Check Digit	V.I.S			- Santa Fe Sport (AN)
Manufacturer & Type			Make & Line	Model Series	Body Type	Restraint	Engine		Year	Plant	Seq. no	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12~17	
5												Kia Motors Manufacturing Georgia (KMMG), MPV
	X											
		Y										
			Z									HYUNDAI, Santa Fe Sport (AN)
				S								L
				T								Sport 2WD/AWD
				U								Sport Popular, Sport Leather, Sport Tech, Sport Turbo, Sport Turbo Premium
				V								HGS
				W								Sport 2.0T Ultimate
					3							Wagon 4X2 Class - C
					4							Wagon 4X2 Class - D
					D							Wagon 4X4 Class - D
						A						See attached restraint system codes
						D						
						J						
						L						
							A					Gasoline 2.0 DOHC T-GDI THETA II
							B					Gasoline 2.4 DOHC GDI THETA II
												Check Digit
									F			2015 Model Year
										G		GEORGIA / USA
												Sequential Number

Attachment: Restraint system codes

(O : available, X : not available)

WMI	Vehicle type	Model	Code	RESTRAINT SYSTEM										BRAKE SYSTEM			REMARKS	
				Seat	FRT AIRBAG		KNEE AIRBAG		SIDE AIRBAG			CURTAIN AIRBAG			HYDR-AULIC	AIR		HYD/AIR
				belt	Dr's	Pa's	Dr's	Pa's	1ROW	2ROW	3ROW	1ROW	2ROW	3ROW				
K N A 5 X X U 5 Y	Passenger Cars (North America, Mexico)	ALL	A	○	○	○	X	X	○	X	X	○	○	X	-	-	-	► Definition: - Dr's : Driver's side - Pa's : Passenger's side ► Brake type is applied to trucks(van)and buses. ► Codes 「A,B,C,D,E,F,H,J,L and N」 are applied to all vehicle in common. ► Other codes(except for A,B,C, D,E,F,H,J,L and N) would have different meaning, even though each vehicle has a same code.
			B	○	○	○	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	-	-	-	
			C	○	○	○	X	X	○	X	X	○	○	○	-	-	-	
			D	○	○	○	X	X	○	○	X	○	○	X	-	-	-	
			E	○	○	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	-	-	-	
			F	○	○	○	X	X	○	X	X	X	X	X	-	-	-	
			H	○	○	○	○	X	○	X	X	○	○	○	-	-	-	
			J	○	○	○	○	X	○	○	X	○	○	X	-	-	-	
			L	○	○	○	○	X	○	X	X	○	○	X	-	-	-	
N	○	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	-	-	-				
K N D 5 X Y	MPVs (North America, Mexico)	ALL	A	○	○	○	X	X	○	X	X	○	○	X	-	-	-	► Definition: - Dr's : Driver's side - Pa's : Passenger's side ► Brake type is applied to trucks(van)and buses. ► Codes 「A,B,C,D,E,F,H,J,L and N」 are applied to all vehicle in common. Ex) In case of HM, Codes 「A,B,C,D,E,F,H,J,L,N and G」 can be applied. ► Other codes(except for A,B,C, D,E,F,H,J,L and N) would have different meaning, even though each vehicle has a same code.
			B	○	○	○	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	-	-	-	
			C	○	○	○	X	X	○	X	X	○	○	○	-	-	-	
			D	○	○	○	X	X	○	○	X	○	○	X	-	-	-	
			E	○	○	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	-	-	-	
			F	○	○	○	X	X	○	X	X	X	X	X	-	-	-	
			H	○	○	○	○	X	○	X	X	○	○	○	-	-	-	
			J	○	○	○	○	X	○	○	X	○	○	X	-	-	-	
			L	○	○	○	○	X	○	X	X	○	○	X	-	-	-	
			N	○	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	-	-	-	
		BL	G	○	○	○	○	X	X	X	X	○	○	X	-	-	-	

※ Request a new code to Engineering design management team when a new specification of restraint system is generated.

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WMI	Vehicle type	Model	Code	RESTRAINT SYSTEM											BRAKE SYSTEM			REMARKS	
				Seat belt	FRT AIRBAG		KNEE AIRBAG		SIDE AIRBAG			CURTAIN AIRBAG			HYDR- AULIC	AIR	HYD/ AIR		
					Dr's	Pa's	Dr's	Pa's	1ROW	2ROW	3ROW	1ROW	2ROW	3ROW					
K M H 5 N P	Passenger Cars	ALL	A	○	○	○	X	X	○	X	X	○	○	X	-	-	-	▶ Definition: - Dr's : Driver's side - Pa's : Passenger's side ▶ Brake type is applied to trucks(van) and buses. ▶ Codes 「A,B,C,D,E,F,H,J,L and N」 are applied to all vehicle in common. Ex) In case of BK, Codes 「A,B,C,D,E,F,H,J,L,N and K」 can be applied. ▶ Other codes(except for A,B,C, D,E,F,H,J,L and N) would have	
			B	○	○	○	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	-	-		-
			C	○	○	○	X	X	○	X	X	○	○	○	-	-	-		
			D	○	○	○	X	X	○	○	X	○	○	X	-	-	-		
			E	○	○	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	-	-	-		
			F	○	○	○	X	X	○	X	X	X	X	X	-	-	-		
			H	○	○	○	○	X	○	X	X	○	○	○	-	-	-		
			J	○	○	○	○	X	○	○	X	○	○	X	-	-	-		
			L	○	○	○	○	X	○	X	X	○	○	X	-	-	-		
		N	○	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	-	-	-			
BK	K	○	○	○	X	X	○	X	X	○	X	X	-	-	-				
K M B 5 N M	MPVs	ALL	A	○	○	○	X	X	○	X	X	○	○	X	-	-	-	▶ Definition: - Dr's : Driver's side - Pa's : Passenger's side ▶ Brake type is applied to trucks(van) and buses. ▶ Codes 「A,B,C,D,E,F,H,J,L and N」 are applied to all vehicle in common. ▶ Other codes(except for A,B,C, D,E,F,H,J,L and N) would have different meaning, even though each vehicle has a same code.	
			B	○	○	○	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	-	-		-
			C	○	○	○	X	X	○	X	X	○	○	○	-	-	-		
			D	○	○	○	X	X	○	○	X	○	○	X	-	-	-		
			E	○	○	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	-	-	-		
			F	○	○	○	X	X	○	X	X	X	X	X	-	-	-		
			H	○	○	○	○	X	○	X	X	○	○	○	-	-	-		
			J	○	○	○	○	X	○	○	X	○	○	X	-	-	-		
			L	○	○	○	○	X	○	X	X	○	○	X	-	-	-		
			N	○	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	-	-	-		

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