

FORD VIN DECODER 1960-2003



Ford 1960 - 1969

1st digit - Model year. **(0)** 1960, **(1)** 1961, **(2)** 1962, **(3)** 1963, **(4)** 1964, **(5)** 1965, **(6)** 1966, **(7)** 1967, **(8)** 1968, **(9)** 1969.

2nd digit - Assembly Plant. **(A)** Atlanta, GA, **(B)** Oakville, ON, **(C)** Chester, **(D)** Dallas, TX, **(E)** Mahwah, NJ **(F)** Dearborn, MI **(G)** Chicago, IL **(H)** Lorain, OH **(J)** Los Angeles, CA **(K)** Kansas City, **(N)** Norfolk, VA **(P)** Twin Cities, MN **(R)** San Jose, **(S)** Pilot Plant, MI **(U)** Louisville, KY **(W)** Wayne, MI **(Z)** St Louis, MS.

3rd and 4th digits - Model & Body. **(01)** 2door, **(02)** Falcon 4dr sedan or Mustang 2dr convertible (66-67) or Fastback (68-69), **(03)** Mustang coupe or Mustang convertible (67-69), **(04)** Mustang Grande 2dr hardtop, **(05)** Mustang Mach1, **(06)** Falcon 4dr wagon, **(07)** Mustang 2dr hardtop, **(08)** Mustang convertible, **(09)** Mustang Fastback, **(10)** Falcon 2dr, **(11)** Falcon 2dr or 4dr (67-68), **(12)** Falcon 4dr or wagon (67-68), **(15)** Falcon Futura convertible, **(16)** Falcon Futura 4dr, **(17)** Falcon Futura 2dr, **(18)** Falcon Futura 2dr hardtop, **(21)** Falcon 2dr wagon, **(22)** Falcon 4dr wagon, **(26)** Falcon Squire 4dr wagon, **(27)** Falcon Ranchero, **(29)** Falcon 2dr sedan delivery, **(30, 31, 32 or 45)** Fairlane or Thunderbolt, **(33 to 37)** Fairlane 500 or Thunderbolt, **(38)** Torino Squire, **(40 or 41)** Torino, **(42 to 44)** Torino GT, **(46)** Fairlane 500 or Thunderbolt, **(50)** 2dr sedan, **(51)** 4dr sedan, **(52)** Custom 500 2dr sedan, **(53)** Custom 500 4dr sedan, **(54)** Galaxie 500 4dr sedan, **(55)** Galaxie 500 2dr hardtop, **(56)** Galaxie 500 4dr hardtop, **(57)** Galaxie 500 2dr convertible, **(58)** XL 2dr hardtop, **(59)** XL 2dr convertible, **(62)** LTD 2dr hardtop, **(64)** LTD 4dr sedan, **(66)** LTD 4dr hardtop, **(70)** Ranch Wagon 4dr, **(72 or 74)** Country Sedan or Squire 4dr wagon, **(71, 73 or 85)** Thunderbird convertible, **(81, 83 or 87)** Thunderbird.

5th digit - Engine. **(A)** 289 4bbl V8, **(B)** 406 4bbl V8 (62) or 6-cyl (64-69), **(C)** 221V8 (62) or 289 2bbl V8, **(E)** 6 cyl, **(D)** 6-cyl (60-62) or 427 8bbl SOHC V8 657 HP, **(E)** 6-cyl, **(F)** 260 2bbl V8 (62) or 302 2bbl V8 (68-69), **(G)** 352 V8 (60) or 406 6bbl V8 (62), **(H)** 390 2bbl V8, **(J)** 430 4bbl V8 or 302 4bbl V8 (68-69), **(K)** 289 4bbl V8 hi performance, **(L)** 221 V8 (62) or 427 4bbl SOHC V8 616 HP, **(M)** 390 6bbl V8, **(P)** 390 Interceptor or 428 Interceptor (66), **(Q)** 390 4bbl V8 (61-62) or 428 4bbl V8 (64-69), **(R)** 292 4bbl V8 (60) or 390 4bbl V8 (61-62) or 427 6bbl V8 (64) or 427 8bbl V8 425 HP (65-69), **(S)** 6-cyl, **(T)** 292 V8, **(U or V)** 6-cyl, **(X)** 352 4bbl V8, **(W)** 292 V8 (60-62) or 427 4bbl V8 410 HP, **(X)** 352 V8, **(Y)** 352 4bbl V8 (60) or 390 2bbl V8, **(Z)** 390 4bbl V8, **(2)** 6-cyl low compression, **(3)** 221 V8 (63) or 289 V8 low compression (64-66), **(4 or 5)** 6-cyl low compression, **(6)** 260 V8 low compression or 302 V8 low compression (68-69), **(8)** 260 V8 low compression or 428 V8 low compression (66-68), **(9)** 390 4bbl V8 low compression

6th to 11th digits - Sequential production number

Mustang 1964 - 1973

1st digit - Model year. **(4)** 1964, **(5)** 1965, **(6)** 1966, **(7)** 1967, **(8)** 1968, **(9)** 1969, **(0)** 1970, **(1)** 1971, **(2)** 1972, **(3)** 1973.

2nd digit - Assembly Plant. **(F)** Dearborn, MI, **(R)** San Jose, CA, **(T)** Metuchen, NJ.

3rd and 4th digit - Body Style. **(01 or 07)** Hardtop, **(03 or 08)** Convertible, **(02 or 09)** Fastback, **(04)** Grande, **(05)** Mach 1

5th digit - Engine. **(A)** 289 4bbl V8, **(C)** 289 2bbl V8 or 429 4bbl V8 Cobra Jet (for 71), **(F)** 260

2bbl V8 or 302 2bbl V8 (for 69-73), (**G**) 302 4bbl V8 Boss, (**H**) 351 2bbl V8, (**J**) 302 4bbl V8 or 429 4bbl Cobra Jet (for 71), (**K**) 289 4bbl V8, hi performance, (**L**) 250 1bbl L6, (**M**) 351 4bbl V8, (**P**) 428 4bbl V8, (**Q**) 428 V8 Cobra Jet, (**R**) 428 4bbl V8 SCJ or 351 4bbl V8 (for 71-73), (**S**) 390 4bbl V8, (**T**) 200 1bbl L6, (**V**) 170 1bbl L6, (**W**) 427 4bbl V8, (**Y**) 390 2bbl V8, (**Z**) 429 4bbl V8 Boss.

6th to 11th digits - Sequential production number

Mustang 1974 - 1980

1st digit - Model year. (**4**) 1974, (**5**) 1975, (**6**) 1976, (**7**) 1977, (**8**) 1978, (**9**) 1979, (**0** or **A**) 1980

2nd digit - Assembly Plant. (**B**) Oakville, ON (**F**) Dearborn, MI, (**R**) San Jose, CA, (**T**) Metuchen, NJ.

3rd and 4th digit - Body Style. (**02**) 2 door coupe, (**03**) Hatchback, (**04**) Ghia 2 door coupe, (**05**) Mach 1 hatchback

5th digit - Engine. (**Y**) 2.3L (140c.i.) 4 cyl, (**Z**) 2.8L (171c.i.) V-6, (**D**) 4.2L 2bbl V8, (**F**) 5.0L (302c.i.) V-8 (**H**) 5.8 L (351c.i.) V8.

6th to 11th digits - Sequential production number

Mustang 1981 - 1993

These use 17 digit VINs. See the main VIN info page for the standards.

6th and 7th digits - Series. (**10**, **12**, **26** or **40**) 2 door coupe, (**13**, **16**, **28** or **41**) 3 door hatchback, (**27** or **44**) 2 door convertible, (**42**) 2 door hatchback (GT or Cobra), (**45**) 2 door convertible GT.

8th digit - Engine. (**E**, **F**, or **M**) 5.0L (302c.i.) V8, (**D**) 4.2L 2bbl V8 (1982) or 5.0L Cobra GT-40 SEFI (1993), (**T**) 2.3L I4 SVO Turbo, (**W**) 2.3L I4 Turbo.

Mustang 1994 - 2003

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6th and 7th digits - Series. (**40**) 2 door coupe, (**42**) 2 door coupe GT, (**44**) 2 door convertible, (**45**) 2 door convertible GT, (**46**) 2 door convertible Cobra (**47** or **48**) 2 door coupe Cobra.

8th digit - Engine. (**4**) 3.8L V6, (**C**) 5.8L V8 Cobra R, (**D**) 5.0L V8 Cobra, (**T**) 5.0L V8, (**X**) 4.6L SOHC V8, (**V**) 4.6L DOHC V8 (**Y**) 4.6L DOHC V8 Supercharged.

Thunderbird 1957 - 1959

1st digit - Engine. (**A**) 6 cyl, (**B**) 332 V8, (**C**) 292 V8, (**D**) 312 V8, (**H**) 352 4bbl V8 300 HP, (**J**) 430 4bbl V8 350 HP

2nd digit - Year. (**7**) 1957, (**8**) 1958, (**9**) 1959

3rd digit - Plant. (**A**) Atlanta, GA, (**B**) Oakville, ON, (**C**) Chester, (**D**) Dallas, TX, (**E**) Mahwah, NJ (**F**) Dearborn, MI (**G**) Chicago, IL (**H**) Lorain, OH (**J**) Los Angeles, CA (**K**) Kansas City, (**N**) Norfolk, VA (**P**) Twin Cities, MN (**R**) San Jose, (**S**) Pilot Plant, MI (**U**) Louisville, KY (**W**) Wayne, MI (**Z**) St Louis, MS.

4th digit - Model. (**H**) T-Bird Hardtop, (**J**) T-Bird Convertible.

5th to 10th digits - Sequential production number

Thunderbird 2002 - 2003

These use 17 digit VINs. See the main VIN info page for the standards.

6th and 7th digits - Model. (60) Base, (62) 007 Special Edition, (64) Nieman Marcus Edition.

8th digit - Engine. (A) 3.9L DOHC V8.