

VEHICLE ID NUMBER (VIN)

1980 Vehicle ID Number (VIN)

Where to Find Your Vehicle Identification Number (VIN)

For 1980 Fords the VIN plate is located on the rear face of the driver's door. The information on the rating plate is the VIN number, color, model type, body type, maximum gross vehicle weight in pounds, engine size and certified horsepower.

Vehicle Identification Number - F10EU100001

F10 E U 100001

Series Identification Code

F10 = F100 - 2 Wheel Drive
 X10 = F100 - 2 Wheel Drive Super Cab
 F11 = F100 - 4 Wheel Drive
 F15 = F150 - 2 Wheel Drive
 X15 = F150 - 2 Wheel Drive Super Cab
 F14 = F150 - 4 Wheel Drive
 X14 = F150 - 4 Wheel Drive Super Cab
 F25 = F250 - 2 Wheel Drive
 X25 = F250 - 2 Wheel Drive Super Cab
 F26 = F250 - 4 Wheel Drive
 X26 = F250 - 4 Wheel Drive Super Cab
 F35 = F350 - 2 Wheel Drive
 F36 = F350 - 4 Wheel Drive
 X35 = F350 - 2 Wheel Drive Super Cab
 U15 = U150 - 4 Wheel Bronco Wagon

Engine Code

E = 6 Cyl	300 CID	4.9 Liter	1BBL Carburetor	1980
F = V8	302 CID	5.0 Liter	2BBL Carburetor	1980
W = V8	351M CID	5.8 Liter	2BBL Carburetor	1980
Z = V8	400 CID	6.6 Liter	2BBL Carburetor	1980

Assembly Plant Code

B = Oakville, Ontario, Canada	L = Michigan Truck
C = Ontario, Canada	N = Norfolk, VA
E = Mahwah, NJ	P = Twin Cities, MN
H = Lorain, OH	R = San Jose, CA
I = Highland Park, MI	S = Allen Park, MI
J = Monterrey, Mexico	U = Louisville, KY
K = Kansas City, MO	V = Kentucky Truck

Consecutive Unit Number

1981-86 Vehicle ID Number (VIN)

Where to Find Your Vehicle Identification Number (VIN)

For 1981-86 Fords the VIN plate is located on the latch face of the left front door. The 1981-86 VIN number has 17 digits and identifies the World Manufacturer Identifier Numerical Sequence of Assembly.

Vehicle Identification Number - 1FTHF25F@BPA00,001

1FT H F25 F @ B P A00,001

World Mfr. Identifier

1F = Ford Motor Company USA
 2F = Ford Motor Company Canada

Vehicle Type

T = Truck
 M = Bronco

GVW Class

B = 3,001 to 4,000 pounds F100
 C = 4,001 to 5,000 pounds F100 F150
 D = 5,001 to 6,000 pounds F100 F150 U150
 E = 6,001 to 7,000 pounds F150 F250
 F = 7,001 to 8,000 pounds F250
 G = 8,001 to 8,500 pounds F250
 H = 8,501 to 9,000 pounds F250 HD F350
 J = 9,001 to 10,000 pounds F350
 K = 10,001 to 14,000 pounds F350

Series Code

F10 = F100 - 2 Wheel Drive (1981-83 only)
 F15 = F150 - 2 Wheel Drive Standard Cab
 X15 = F150 - 2 Wheel Drive Super Cab
 F14 = F150 - 4 Wheel Drive Standard Cab
 X14 = F150 - 4 Wheel Drive Super Cab
 F25 = F250 - 2 Wheel Drive Standard Cab
 X25 = F250 - 2 Wheel Drive Super Cab
 W25 = F250 - 2 Wheel Drive Crew Cab
 F26 = F250 - 4 Wheel Drive Standard Cab
 X26 = F250 - 4 Wheel Drive Super Cab
 F35 = F350 - 2 Wheel Drive Standard Cab
 X35 = F350 - 2 Wheel Drive Super Cab
 W35 = F350 - 2 Wheel Drive Crew Cab
 F36 = F350 - 4 Wheel Drive Standard Cab
 W36 = F350 - 4 Wheel Drive Crew Cab
 U15 = U150 - 4 Wheel Drive Bronco Wagon

Engine Code

3 = 6Cyl	230 CID	3.8 Liter	2BBL Carb	1982-83
E = 6Cyl	300 CID	4.9 Liter	1BBL Carb	1981-82
Y = 6Cyl	300 CID	4.9 Liter	1BBL Carb	1983-86
D = V8	255 CID	4.2 Liter	2BBL Carb	1981-82
F = V8	302 CID	5.0 Liter	2BBL Carb	1981-84
N = V8	302 CID	5.0 Liter	EFI	1985-86
W = V8	351M CID	5.8 Liter	2BBL Carb	1981
G = V8	351W CID	5.8 Liter	2BBL Carb	1981-85
H = V8	351W CID	5.8 Liter	4BBL Carb	1984-86
Z = V8	400 CID	6.6 Liter	2BBL Carb	1981-82
1 = V8	420 CID	6.9 Liter	Diesel	1983-86
L = V8	460 CID	7.5 Liter	4BBL Carb	1983-86

F250 & F350 Only

Check Digit (internal usage)

Model Year Code

B = 1981	E = 1984
C = 1982	F = 1985
D = 1983	G = 1986

Assembly Plant

N = Norfolk, VA
 P = Twin Cities, MN
 S = Pilot Plant
 U = Louisville, KY
 Z = St. Louis, MO

Numerical Sequence of Assembly

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1987-96 Vehicle ID Number (VIN)

Including 1997-98 F250 Heavy Duty and F350

Where to Find Your Vehicle Identification Number (VIN)

The VIN plate is mounted on the driver's side of the instrument panel and is visible through the windshield.

Vehicle Identification Number - 1FTFF25N@JKA00,001

1FTF F25 N @ J KA00,001

World Mfr. Identifier

1F = Ford Motor Company USA
2F = Ford Motor Company Canada

Vehicle Type

T = Truck
M = Bronco

GVW Class

C = 4,001 to 5,000 pounds F150 U150
D = 5,001 to 6,000 pounds F150 U150
E = 6,001 to 7,000 pounds F150 F250
F = 7,001 to 8,000 pounds F250
G = 8,001 to 8,500 pounds F250
H = 8,501 to 9,000 pounds F250 HD F350
J = 9,001 to 10,000 pounds F350
K = 10,001 to 14,000 pounds F350

Series Code

F15 = F150 - 2 Wheel Drive Standard Cab
X15 = F150 - 2 Wheel Drive Super Cab
F14 = F150 - 4 Wheel Drive Standard Cab
X14 = F150 - 4 Wheel Drive Super Cab
F25 = F250 - 2 Wheel Drive Standard Cab
X25 = F250 - 2 Wheel Drive Super Cab
W25 = F250 - 2 Wheel Drive Crew Cab
F26 = F250 - 4 Wheel Drive Standard Cab
X26 = F250 - 4 Wheel Drive Super Cab
W26 = F250 - 4 Wheel Drive Crew Cab
F35 = F350 - 2 Wheel Drive Standard Cab
X35 = F350 - 2 Wheel Drive Super Cab
W35 = F350 - 2 Wheel Drive Crew Cab
F36 = F350 - 4 Wheel Drive Standard Cab
W36 = F350 - 4 Wheel Drive Crew Cab
U15 = U150 - 4 Wheel Drive Bronco Wagon

Engine Code

Y = 6 Cyl 4.9 Liter	EFI	1987-1993
Y = 6 Cyl 4.9 Liter	MFI	1994-1996
N = V8 5.0 Liter	EFI	1987-1993
N = V8 5.0 Liter	MFI	1994-1996
H = V8 5.8 Liter	4BBL Carb	1987
H = V8 5.8 Liter	EFI	1988-1993
R = V8 5.8 Liter	EFI	1993
(F150 Lightning)		
H = V8 5.8 Liter	MFI	1994-1998
R = V8 5.8 Liter	MFI	1994-1995
(F150 Lightning)		
1 = V8 6.9 Liter Diesel		1987
M = V8 7.3 Liter Diesel		1988-1994
F = V8 7.3 Liter Turbo Diesel		1994-1998
K = V8 7.3 Liter Turbo Diesel		1994
L = V8 7.5 Liter	4BBL Carb	1987
G = V8 7.5 Liter	EFI	1988-1993
G = V8 7.5 Liter	MFI	1994-1998

Check Digit (internal usage)

Model Year Code

H = 1987	M = 1991	S = 1995
J = 1988	N = 1992	T = 1996
K = 1989	P = 1993	V = 1997
L = 1990	R = 1994	W = 1998

Assembly Plant

C = Oakville, Ontario, Canada	N = Norfolk, VA
H = Lorain, OH	P = St. Paul, MN
K = Kansas City, MO	U = Louisville, KY
L = Wayne, MI	

Numerical Sequence of Assembly