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As required following is a explanation of the VIN for the S.D. Pitman, Inc trailer.

Position	Explanation
1-----	Given by SAE
2-----	Given by SAE
3-----	Given by SAE
4-----	U this is for utility trailer converted to the number 4
5-----	S this is for standard body converted to the number 2
6-----	1 this is the first digit for bed length of 10 feet
7-----	0 this is the second digit for bed length of 10 feet
8-----	2 this is the statement of two axles on the trailer
9-----	8 this is check digit arrived by: $283 \div 11 = 25.727272$
10-----	S for the year 1995 converted to the number 2
11-----	H manufacture location of Hartford City converted to the number 8
12-----	Given by SAE
13-----	Given by SAE
14-----	Given by SAE
15-----	for the production number sequence example 001
16-----	for the production number sequence example 011
17-----	for the production number sequence example 111

the 10th digit changes with the year
the 15th, 16th and 17th digits will change per unit
the 9th digit will change as the check digit

Thank You

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