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Ronald L. Medford  
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Washington, D.C. 20590  
Attention: VIN Coordinator

**Re: Vehicle Identification Number; Model Year 2010 (Fourth Submission)**

Dear Mr. Medford:

Nissan North America, Inc. on its behalf and on behalf of Nissan Motor Company, Ltd., of Tokyo, Japan ("Nissan"), transmits the enclosed vehicle identification number (VIN) information. The attached VIN coding charts provide all of the information necessary to decipher the characters contained in the VINs to be affixed to model year 2010 Nissan and Infiniti Passenger Car and Multipurpose Vehicle models.

The changes from previously submitted VIN coding chart are as follows:

- Information for the Nissan Sentra, Nissan Maxima, Nissan Versa, and Infiniti EX35 has been added to the PC section.
- The MPV and Truck sections have been divided into two separate attachments.
- Information for the Nissan Xterra, Nissan Pathfinder, Nissan Rogue, Nissan Murano, and Infiniti FX35/50 has been added to the MPV section.
- New restraint system identifiers have been added to the MPV section.
- Information for the Nissan Frontier and Nissan Titan has been added to the Truck section.
- New restraint system identifiers have been added to the Truck section.

The information contained in the attached replaces the previous 2010 model year VIN coding chart submitted to the agency in a letter dated June 3, 2009 (W-1476-Y). Should you or your staff have any questions regarding the information contained herein, please contact John Frooshani at (301) 604-1335.

Sincerely,

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# MY10 Nissan Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) Coding System [Passenger Car]

\*Manufactured by Nissan North America, Inc.  
 \*\*Manufactured by Nissan Mexicana, S.A. de C.V.

Code	Manufacturer	Type
JN1	NISSAN	PC
1N4	*NISSAN	PC
3N1	**NISSAN	PC
JN3	NISSAN	Incomplete

Positions 1-3

Manufacturing Plant	Code
Oppama Plant	T
Kyushu Plant	W
Shonan Plant	X
Tochigi Plant	M
USA Smyrna Plant	C
USA Canton Plant	N
Mexico Civic Plant	K
Mexico Aguascalientes Plant	L

Position 11

Numeric Characters  
from 000001 to  
999999 are Assigned

Positions 12-17

1 2 3  
1 N 4

4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11  
A A 5 A P 6 A C

12 13 14 15 16 17  
1 2 3 4 5 6

Category	Position 4			Position 5		Position 6	Position 7	
	MAKE	Engine Type	Code	Line/Name	Code	Model Change Number Code	Body Type	Code
PC	NISSAN	3.6L, Gasoline	A	NISSAN GT-R	R	5	2-Door Coupe	E
	INFINITI	3.5L (HR), Gasoline	C	INFINITI M35	Y	0	4-Door Sedan	A
		4.5L, Gasoline	B	INFINITI M45	Z	4	2-Door Convertible	F
	NISSAN	3.7L, Gasoline	A	NISSAN 370Z	Z	4	2-Door Convertible	F
	NISSAN	2.0L, Gasoline	A	NISSAN SENTRA	B	6	4-Door Sedan	A
		2.5L, Gasoline	B				4-Door Sedan	A
		2.5L, Gasoline (High output)	C				4-Door Sedan	A
	NISSAN	3.5L, Gasoline	A	NISSAN MAXIMA	A	5	4-Door Sedan	A
NISSAN	1.6L, Gasoline	C	NISSAN VERSA	C	1	4-Door Sedan	A	
	1.8L, Gasoline	B				4-Door H/B	C	
INFINITI	3.5L, Gasoline	A	INFINITI EX35	J	0	4-Door Wagon	H	

PC: Passenger Car

Position 9	Position 10	Position 11	Position 12	Position 13
Restraint System	Code	Check Digit	Model Year	Code
Driver and Passenger Frontal Air Bags, 3-Point Manual Belts, Side Air Bags, and Curtain Side Air Bags	4WD	F	Calculated according to 49 CFR Part 565.6(c)(1-4)	2010
2nd row outboard 3-Point Manual Belts				
Driver and Passenger Frontal Air Bags, 3-Point Manual Belts, Side Air Bags, and Curtain Side Air Bags	2WD	H		
Driver and Passenger Frontal Air Bags, 3-Point Manual Belts, Side Air Bags, and Curtain Side Air Bags	2WD	P		
2nd row outboard 3-Point Manual Belts and Curtain Side Air Bags 2nd row center 3-Point Manual Belts	4WD	R		

# MY10 Nissan Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) Coding System

## [Multipurpose Passenger Vehicle (MPV)]

\*Manufactured by Nissan North America, Inc.  
 \*\*INFINITI QX56 Only

Position 1	Position 2	Position 3
JN1	NISSAN	MPV
BN1	NISSAN	MPV
BN3	NISSAN	** MPV

Plant	Code
Oppama Plant	Y
Kyushu Plant	W
Sionan Plant	X
Tochigi Plant	M
USA Smyrna Plant	C
USA Canton Plant	N
Mexico Cuernavaca Plant	K
Mexico Aguascalientes Plant	L

Numeric Characters from 000001 to 999999 are Assigned

J
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Code	Make	Position 2		Position 3	Position 4	Position 5	Position 6	
		Engine Type	Grade				Model	Body Type
MPV	NISSAN	5.6L, Gasoline	A	NISSAN ARMADA	A	0	4-Door Wagon (SUV)	N
		5.6L, FFV	B					
	INFINITI	5.6L, Gasoline	Z	INFINITI QX56	A	0	4-Door Wagon (SUV)	N
	NISSAN	4.0L, Gasoline	A	NISSAN XTERRA	N	0	4-Door Wagon (SUV)	N
		4.0L, Gasoline	A					
	NISSAN	5.6L, Gasoline	B	NISSAN PATHFINDER	R	1	4-Door Wagon (SUV)	N
		2.5L, Gasoline	A		NISSAN ROGUE			S
	NISSAN	3.5L, Gasoline	A	NISSAN MURANO	Z	1	4-Door Wagon (Crossover)	M
INFINITI	3.5L, Gasoline	A	INFINITI FX35	S	1	4-Door Wagon (Crossover)	M	
	5.0L, Gasoline	B	INFINITI FX50	S				

MPV: Multipurpose Passenger Vehicle

Class	Wheel System	Drive	Position 7		Position 8	Position 9	Position 10
			Restraint System	Code			
Class C	4-Wheel ABS	2WD	Driver and Passenger Frontal Air Bags, 3-Point Manual Belts, Side Air Bags, and Curtain Side Air Bags	T	Calculated according to 49 CFR Part 565.8(o)(1-4)	2010	A
			2nd row outboard 3-Point Manual Belts and Curtain Side Air Bags, 2nd row center 3-Point Manual Belts	V			
Class D	4-Wheel ABS	2WD	Driver and Passenger Frontal Air Bags, 3-Point Manual Belts, Side Air Bags, and Curtain Side Air Bags	U			
			2nd row outboard 3-Point Manual Belts and Curtain Side Air Bags, 2nd row center 3-Point Manual Belts	W			
		4WD	Driver and Passenger Frontal Air Bags, 3-Point Manual Belts, Side Air Bags, and Curtain Side Air Bags	N			
			2nd row outboard 3-Point Manual Belts and Curtain Side Air Bags, 2nd row center 3-Point Manual Belts				
Class E	4-Wheel ABS	4WD	Driver and Passenger Frontal Air Bags, 3-Point Manual Belts, Side Air Bags, and Curtain Side Air Bags	B			
			2nd row outboard 3-Point Manual Belts and Curtain Side Air Bags, 2nd row center 3-Point Manual Belts				
			3rd row outboard 3-Point Manual Belts and Curtain Side Air Bags,				
Class F	4-Wheel ABS	2WD	Driver and Passenger Frontal Air Bags, 3-Point Manual Belts, Side Air Bags, and Curtain Side Air Bags	D			
			2nd row outboard 3-Point Manual Belts and Curtain Side Air Bags, 2nd row center 3-Point Manual Belts				
		4WD	3rd row outboard 3-Point Manual Belts and Curtain Side Air Bags, 3rd row center 3-Point Manual Belts	C			
			2WD	Driver and Passenger Frontal Air Bags, 3-Point Manual Belts, Side Air Bags, and Curtain Side Air Bags			
4WD	4WD	2nd row outboard 3-Point Manual Belts and Curtain Side Air Bags,	E				
		3rd row outboard 3-Point Manual Belts and Curtain Side Air Bags, 3rd row center 3-Point Manual Belts					

# MY10 Nissan Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) Coding System

[Truck]

Manufactured by Nissan North America, Inc.

JNB	NISSAN	Truck
1N6	NISSAN	Truck

Manufacturing Plant	Code
Oppama Plant	F
Kyushu Plant	W
Shonan Plant	X
Tochigi Plant	M
USA Smyrna Plant	C
USA Canton Plant	N
Mexico Chaco Plant	K
Mexico Aguascalientes Plant	L
Plantian 11	

Numeric Characters from 000001 to 999999 are Assigned

Positions 12-17

1 N 6 A D 0 C U 8 A C 1 2 3 4 5 6

Class	Position 1	Position 2	Position 3	Position 4	Position 5	Position 6	Position 7	Position 8
Class	MAKE	Engine Type	Code	Line/Model	Code	Model/Engine Number Code	Body Type	Code
Truck	NISSAN	2.5L Gasoline	B	NISSAN FRONTIER TRUCK	D	0	King Cab	C
		4.0L Gasoline	A				Crew Cab	E
							Crew Cab (Long Bed)	F
	NISSAN	5.6L Gasoline	A	NISSAN TITAN	A	0	King Cab	C
							King Cab (Long Bed)	D
							Crew Cab	E
	5.6L FFV	B				Crew Cab (Long Bed)	F	

Class	Position 9	Position 10	Position 11	Position 12	Position 13	Position 14	Position 15	Position 16	Position 17
Class	Drive System	Class	Restraint System	Code	Check Digit	Model Year	Code		
Class C	4-Wheel ABS	2WD	Driver and Passenger Frontal Air Bags, 3-Point Manual Belts, Side Air Bags, and Curtain Side Air Bags.	T	Calculated according to 49 CFR Part 565.6(c)(1-4)	2010	A		
			2nd row outboard 3-Point Manual Belts and Curtain Side Air Bags.						
Class D	4-Wheel ABS	2WD	Driver and Passenger Frontal Air Bags, 3-Point Manual Belts, Side Air Bags, and Curtain Side Air Bags.	U					
		4WD	2nd row outboard 3-Point Manual Belts and Curtain Side Air Bags.	W					
		2WD	Driver and Passenger Frontal Air Bags, 3-Point Manual Belts, Side Air Bags, and Curtain Side Air Bags.	R					
		4WD	2nd row outboard 3-Point Manual Belts and Curtain Side Air Bags, 2nd row center 3-Point Manual Belts.	V					
Class E	4-Wheel ABS	2WD	Driver and Passenger Frontal Air Bags, 3-Point Manual Belts, Side Air Bags, and Curtain Side Air Bags.	A					
		2WD	Driver and Passenger Frontal Air Bags, 3-Point Manual Belts, Side Air Bags, and Curtain Side Air Bags, 1st row center 2-Point Manual Lap Belts.	H					
Class F	4-Wheel ABS	2WD	Driver and Passenger Frontal Air Bags, 3-Point Manual Belts, Side Air Bags, and Curtain Side Air Bags.	D					
		4WD	2nd row outboard 3-Point Manual Belts and Curtain Side Air Bags, 2nd row center 3-Point Manual Belts.	C					
		2WD	Driver and Passenger Frontal Air Bags, 3-Point Manual Belts, Side Air Bags, and Curtain Side Air Bags, 1st row center 2-Point Manual Lap Belts.	K					
		4WD	2nd row outboard 3-Point Manual Belts and Curtain Side Air Bags, 2nd row center 3-Point Manual Belts.	J					