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Example VIN  
Position

Y	S	3	G	J	5	E	D	X	A	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17

WMI	World Manufacturer Identifier	1	
		2	Specified code for manufacturer, "YS3 = Saab Automobile AB"
VDS	Vehicle Descriptor Section	3	
		4	Car line : "G" for FG, global mid-size (Saab 9-5)
		5	Trim series : "J" for Series J35 / J39 (Linear) "L" for Series L35 / L39 (Vector) "M" for Series M35 / M39 (Aero)
		6	Body style : "5" for 4-door Sedan (Notchback), Body style J39 / L39 / M39 "8" for 4-door Station Wagon, Body style J35 / L35 / M35
		7	Restraint system : "E" Active Manual Belts, Airbags-Driver & Passenger-Front, Front Seat Side, Roof Side (RPO: AY0) "G" Active Manual Belts, Airbags-Driver & Passenger-Front, Front and Rear Seat Side, Roof Side (RPO: AW7)
		8	Engine type : "D" for LHU 2.0 L 4 cyl. SIDI, Turbo "M" for LBS 2.0 L 4 cyl. CRI, Turbodiesel "E" for LDK 2.0 L 4 cyl. MFI, Turbo "N" for LBY 2.0 L 4 cyl. CRI, Turbodiesel "F" for LBW 2.8 L 6 cyl. MFI, Turbo "P" for LCJ 2.9 L 6 cyl. CR, Turbodiesel "G" for LAU 2.8 L 6 cyl. MFI, Turbo
		9	Check digit : According to 49 CFR 565
VIS	Vehicle Indicator Section	10	Modelyear : According to FMVSS 115, alphanumeric. Change after each annual works vacation respectively according to special instruction
		11	Plant code : "1" for plant Rüsselsheim
		12 to 17	Consecutive number : Starting with "000001" for each new modelyear respectively according to special instruction