

Volkswagenwerke, Germany  
1975 - 1982  
Year to Chassis #

Note: Third digit represents year.

Rabbit				Scirocco			
175	3000 001 to 175 3500 000	1975		535	2000 001 to 535 2500 000	1975	
176	3000 001 to 176 3500 000	1976		536	2000 001 to 536 2500 000	1976	
177	3000 001 to 177 3800 000	1977		537	2000 001 to 537 2500 000	1977	
178	3000 001 & 178 3651 053	1978		538	2039 453 to 538 2094 105	1978	
179	3000 001 to 179 3750 000	1979		539	2000 001 to 539 2200 000	1979	
				53-A-0000 001 & up		1980	
				53-B-0000 001 & up		1981	
Rabbit Convertible				Jetta			
159	2800 001 to 159 2810 000	1979		16A	0000 001 & up	1980	
15-A-0700 001		1980		16-B-0000 001 & up		1981	
15-B- 000 001		1981		16-C-0000 001 & up		1982	
15-C- 000 001 & up		1982					

Quantum

Chassis Number	Year
32-C- 000 001	1982

Rabbit & Pickup  
Westmoreland Plant, USA  
1979 exc diesel  
1980 & up exc convertible

<u>Year to Ch #</u>		Year
179	3750 050 to 179 3900 000	1979
17-A-0000 001 & up		1980
17-B- 000 001		1981
17-C- 000 001		1982

**1973-74 THING Type 181**

**UTILITY VEHICLE**

<u>Chassis Number</u>			
183	2000 001 to 183 3026 058	1973	
184	2000 001 to 184 2818 496	1974	
<u>Engine Number</u>			
AM	000 001 to AM 011 820	1973	
AM	011 821 to AM 029 046	1974	

## YEAR TO MODEL CROSSOVER

YEAR	MODEL		ENG TYPE / DISPLACEMENT	TRANS	DIFF RATIO
1949-54	Beetle	sdn/conv ('52)	4cyl	1131cc/25HP	4 spd 4.375
1950-54	Transporter	van/bus	4cyl	1131cc/25HP	4 spd 5.875
1955-60	Beetle	sdn/conv	4cyl	1192cc/36HP	4 spd 4.375
	Karmann Ghia	cpe/conv ('58)	4cyl	1192cc/36HP	4 spd 4.375
	Transporter	van/bus	4cyl	1192cc/36HP	4 spd 5.375
1961-62	Beetle	sdn/conv	4cyl	1192cc/40HP	4 spd 4.375
	Karmann Ghia	cpe/conv	4cyl	1192cc/40HP	4 spd 4.375
	Transporter	van/bus	4cyl	1192cc/40HP	4 spd 5.375
1963-65	Beetle	sdn/conv	4cyl	1192cc/40HP	4 spd 4.375
	Karmann Ghia	cpe/conv	4cyl	1192cc/40HP	4 spd 4.375
	Transporter	van/bus	4cyl	1493cc/53HP	4 spd 5.375
1966	Beetle	sdn/conv	4cyl	1285cc/50HP	4 spd 4.375
	Karmann Ghia	cpe/conv	4cyl	1285cc/50HP	4 spd 4.375
	fs/bk-sq/bk	2dr sdn/SW	flat 4cyl	1594cc/65HP	4 spd 4.125
	sdn	2dr sdn	flat 4cyl	1594cc/65HP	4 spd 4.125
	Transporter	van/bus	4cyl	1493cc/53HP	4 spd 5.375
1967	Beetle	sdn/conv	4cyl	1493cc/53HP	4 spd 4.375
	Karmann Ghia	cpe/conv	4cyl	1493cc/53HP	4 spd 4.375
	fs/bk-sq/bk	2dr/SW	flat 4cyl	1594cc/65HP	4 spd 4.125
	Transporter	van/bus	4cyl	1493cc/53HP	4 spd 5.375
1968-69	Beetle	sdn/conv	4cyl	1493cc/53HP	4spd/AT 4.375
	Karman Ghia	cpe/conv	4cyl	1493cc/53HP	4spd/AT 4.375
	fs/bk-sq/bk	2dr/SW	flat 4cyl	1594cc/65HP	4spd/AT 4.1/3.7
	Transporter	van/bus	4cyl	1594cc/57HP	4spd/AT 5.375
1970	Beetle	sdn/conv	4cyl	1594cc/57HP	4spd/AT 4.375
	Karmann Ghia	cpe/conv	4cyl	1594cc/57HP	4spd/AT 4.375
	fs/bk-sq/bk	2dr/SW	flat 4cyl	1594cc/65HP	4spd/AT 4.1/3.7
	Transporter	van/bus	4cyl	1594cc/57HP	4spd/AT 5.375
1971	Beetle	sdn	4cyl	1594cc/60HP	4spd/AT 4.375
	Super Beetle	sdn/conv	4cyl	1594cc/60HP	4spd/AT 4.375
	Karmann Ghia	cpe/conv	4cyl	1594cc/60HP	4spd/AT 3.88
	fs/bk-sq/bk	2dr/SW	flat 4cyl	1594cc/65HP	4spd/AT 4.1/3.7
	Transporter	van/bus	4cyl	1594cc/57HP	4spd/AT 5.375
	411	sdn/SW	flat 4cyl	1679cc/66HP	4spd/AT 3.727
1972	Beetle	sdn	4cyl	1594cc/45HP	4spd/AT 4.375
	Super Beetle	sdn/conv	4cyl	1594cc/45HP	4spd/AT 4.375
	Karmann Ghia	cpe/conv	4cyl	1594cc/45HP	4spd/AT 3.88
	fs/bk-sq/bk	2dr/SW	flat 4cyl	1594cc/62HP	4spd/AT 4.1/3.7
	Transporter	van/bus	flat 4cyl	1679cc/66HP	4spd/AT 5.375
	411	sdn/SW	flat 4cyl	1679cc/66HP	4spd/AT 3.727
1973	Beetle	sdn	4cyl	1594cc/46HP	4spd/AT 3.88
	Super Beetle	sdn/conv	4cyl	1594cc/46HP	4spd/AT 3.88
	Karmann Ghia	cpe/conv	4cyl	1594cc/46HP	4spd/AT 3.88
	Thing (181)	conv	4cyl	1594cc/46HP	4spd/AT 4.125
	fs/bk-sq/bk	2dr/SW	flat 4cyl	1594cc/52HP	4spd/AT 4.1/3.7
	Transporter	van/bus	flat 4cyl	1679cc/63HP	4spd/AT 5.375
	412	sdn/SW	flat 4cyl	1679cc/76HP	4spd/AT 3.91/3.73
1974	Beetle	sdn	4cyl	1594cc/46HP	4spd/AT 3.88
	Super Beetle	sdn/conv	4cyl	1594cc/46HP	4spd/AT 3.88
	Karmann Ghia	cpe/conv	4cyl	1594cc/46HP	4spd/AT 3.88
	Thing (181)	conv	4cyl	1594cc/46HP	4spd/AT 4.125
	Transporter	van/bus	flat 4cyl	1795cc/65HP	4spd/AT 4.875
	412	sdn/SW	flat 4cyl	1679cc/72HP	4spd/AT 3.73
	412	sdn/SW	flat 4cyl	1795cc/76HP	4spd/AT 3.73
	Dasher	sdn	OHC 4cyl	1457cc/75HP	4spd/AT 4.11
1975	Beetle	sdn	4cyl	1594cc/48HP	4spd/AT 3.88
	Super Beetle	conv	4cyl	1594cc/48HP	4spd/AT 3.88
	Rabbit	sdn	OHC 4cyl	1457cc/70HP	4spd/AT 3.9
	Scirocco	cpe	OHC 4cyl	1457cc/70HP	4spd/AT 3.9
	Dasher	sdn	OHC 4cyl	1457cc/71HP	4spd/AT 4.11
	Transporter	van/bus	flat 4cyl	1795cc/67HP	4spd/AT 4.875
1976	Beetle	sdn	4cyl	1584cc/48HP	4spd/AT 3.88
	Super Beetle	conv	4cyl	1584cc/48HP	4spd/AT 3.88
	Rabbit	sdn	OHC 4cyl	1588cc/75HP	4spd/AT 3.9
	Scirocco	cpe	OHC 4cyl	1588cc/75HP	4spd/AT 3.9
	Dasher	sdn/SW	OHC 4cyl	1588cc/82HP	4spd/AT 4.11
	Transporter	van/bus	flat 4cyl	1970cc/70HP	4spd/AT 4.57
1977	Beetle	sdn	4cyl	1584cc/48HP	4spd/AT 3.88
	Super Beetle	conv	4cyl	1584cc/48HP	4spd/AT 3.88
	Rabbit	sdn	OHC 4cyl	1588cc/82HP	4spd/AT 3.9
	Diesel Rabbit	sdn	OHC 4cyl	1471cc/50HP	4spd/AT 4.57
	Scirocco	cpe	OHC 4cyl	1588cc/82HP	4spd/AT 3.9
	Dasher	sdn/SW	OHC 4cyl	1588cc/82HP	4spd/AT 4.11
	Transporter	van/bus	flat 4cyl	1970cc/75HP	4spd/AT 4.57
1978	Super Beetle	conv	4cyl	1584cc/48HP	4spd/AT 3.88
	Rabbit	sdn	OHC 4cyl	1457cc/65HP	4spd/AT 3.9
	Diesel Rabbit	sdn	OHC 4cyl	1471cc/50HP	4spd/AT 4.57
	Scirocco	cpe	OHC 4cyl	1457cc/65HP	4spd/AT 3.9
	Dasher	sdn/SW	OHC 4cyl	1588cc/82HP	4spd/AT 4.11
	Diesel Dasher	sdn/SW	OHC 4cyl	1471cc/50HP	4spd/AT 4.44
	Transporter	van/bus	flat 4cyl	1970cc/75HP	4spd/AT 4.57

## YEAR TO MODEL CROSSOVER - continued

YEAR	MODEL		ENG TYPE/ DISPLACEMENT	TRANS	RATIO	
1979	Super Beetle	conv	4cyl F.I.	1584/48HP	4sp/AT	3.88
	Rabbit	sdn	OHC 4cyl F.I.	1457cc/65HP	4,5sp/AT	3.9
	Diesel Rabbit	sdn	OHC 4cyl Diesel	1471cc/50HP	4,5sp/AT	4.57
	Scirocco	cpe	OHC 4cyl F.I.	1588cc/75HP	4,5sp/AT	3.9
	Dasher	sdn/SW	OHC 4cyl F.I.	1588cc/82HP	4,5sp/AT	4.11
	Diesel Dasher	sdn/SW	OHC 4cyl Diesel	1471cc/50HP	4,5sp/AT	4.44
	Transporter	van/bus	flat 4cyl F.I.	1470cc/75HP	4sp/AT	4.57
1980	Rabbit	conv	OHC 4cyl F.I.	1588cc/78HP	5sp/AT	3.9
	Diesel Rabbit	conv	OHC 4cyl Diesel	1471cc/48HP	5sp/AT	4.57
	Rabbit	sdn	OHC 4cyl F.I.	1457cc/62HP	4sp/AT	3.9
	Rabbit	sdn/pickup	OHC 4cyl F.I.	1588cc/78HP	4,5sp/AT	3.9
	Diesel Rabbit	sdn/pickup	OHC 4cyl Diesel	1471cc/50HP	4,5sp/AT	4.57
	Scirocco	cpe	OHC 4cyl F.I.	1588cc/78HP	5sp/AT	3.9
	Dasher	sdn/SW	OHC 4cyl F.I.	1588cc/78HP	5sp/AT	4.11
	Diesel Dasher	sdn/SW	OHC 4cyl Diesel	1471cc/48HP	5sp/AT	4.44
	Vanagon	van/bus	flat 4cyl F.I.	1970cc/75HP	4sp/AT	4.57
	1981	Rabbit	conv	OHC 4cyl F.I.	1714cc/74HP	5spMT/AT
Rabbit Diesel		sdn/pickup	OHC 4cyl Diesel	1588cc/52HP	4sp-5spMT/AT	3.89
Rabbit		sdn/pickup	OHC 4cyl F.I.	1714cc/74HP	5spMT/AT	3.89
Scirocco		cpe	OHC 4cyl F.I.	1714cc/74HP	5spMT/AT	3.89
Jetta		sdn	OHC 4cyl F.I.	1714cc/74HP	5spMT/AT	3.89
Dasher Diesel		sdn/SW	OHC 4cyl Diesel	1588cc/52HP	4sp-5spMT/AT	4.11
Vanagon		van/bus	flat 4cyl F.I.	1970cc/75HP	4spMT/AT	4.57

## 1949

Chassis numbers:  
91 922—138 554

1. Solex carburetor introduced as standard equipment.
2. Starting crank hole dropped.
3. Inside Hood Release
4. License Plate Indentation Dropped



## 1952

Chassis numbers:  
313 830—428 156

1. Glove compartment gets door.
2. Window crank makes 3½ turns, formerly 10½.
3. 2nd, 3rd and 4th gears synchronized.
4. Vent Windows Added
5. 2 brake & Taillights
6. Turn Signal moved from Dash to Steering Column



## 1950

Chassis numbers:  
138 555—220 471

1. Hydraulic brakes introduced.
2. Ash trays introduced.
3. Fuel mixture heating device introduced.
4. Sunroof Introduced
5. Thermostatically Controlled Engine Air
6. Noise Mufflers for Heater Ducts



## 1953

Chassis numbers:  
428 157—575 414

1. Oval, one-piece rear window replaces split window.
2. Lock Added to Vent Window
3. Brake Reservoir Behind Spare Tire



## 1951

Chassis numbers:  
220 472—313 829

1. Chrome garnish moulding added to windshield.
2. Vent flaps added to front-quarter body panels.
3. Wolfsburg Crest Added to front hood



## 1954

Chassis numbers:  
575 415—722 934

1. Break-in driving requirement dropped for engine.
2. increased horsepower. (from 30 to 36)
3. Increased Displacement (from 1131cc to 1192cc)
4. Oil Bath Air Cleaner
5. Starter on Ignition Switch



JETTA  
TYPE 16  
1980-81



JETTA  
(Photo is 1981)



Scirocco Type 53



Scirocco  
(Photo is 1977)



Scirocco  
(Photo is 1978)



(Photo is 1976)



(Photo is 1976)