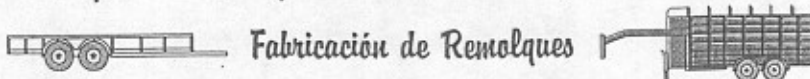




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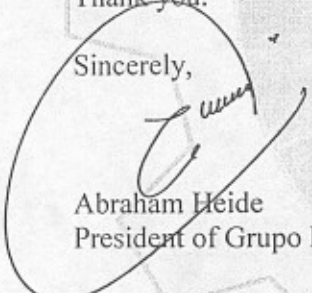
Attention: VIN Coordinator

SAE assigned a 3 digit World Manufacturing Identifier (WMI) TRAILER – FLAT BED UTILITY to a trailer manufacturer (3BZ goes in column 1-3). Grupo Remolques del Norte, S.A. de C.V. has elected to code trailer type in column 4. Material type in column 5. Length in columns 6 and 7. Axles in column 8.

We have attached a more detailed VIN identifier explanation in this letter and an example of calculation of check digit.

Thank you.

Sincerely,


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VIN identification for Grupo Remolques del Norte, S.A. de C.V.

Section Title	1st Section			2nd Section					3rd Section	4th Section								
	World manufacturing Identifier			Vehicle Descriptor					Check Digit	Model Year	Plant	Sequential Production						
Character	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
Type	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	N	N	N	N	N	N	
N = Numerical B Alphabetical or Numerical	3	B	Z															
	WMI assigned by SAE																	

Vehicle Descriptor			10 position		11 Position
Position of VIN	Description	Code	Code	Model Year	
4	Type of Trailer	A = High Flat Bed Trailer B = Low Flat Bed Trailer C = Horse Trailer E = Cargo Trailer F = Tilt Trailer G = Cow Trailer H = Car Hauler Trailer J = Trailer for Tank K = Office Trailer	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 A B C	2002 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011 2013	C= Cuauhtémoc (Km. 7 Carr. Cuauhtémoc – Álvaro Obregón, Apdo. 482 C.P. 31500 Cd. Cuauhtémoc, Chih., México Ph. (52-625) 58 77200 Fax (52-625) 58 77203 www.trailer.com.mx)
5	Type of Material	N = Steel P = Steel and Wood Q = Steel, Wood and Aluminum R = Steel, Wood and Fiber glass S = Steel, Wood, Aluminum and Fiber glass			
6 and /	Overall Length	07 = 7 ft to 36 = 36 ft			
8	Number of axles	1 = single axle, 2 = tandem axle, etc.			

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