

TO: Administrator  
 National Highway Traffic Safety Administration  
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**SUBJECT: VIN Decoding Information for Aprilia's Motorcycles.**

In accordance with §565.7(c) of 49 CFR Part 565, Vehicles Identification Number, Aprilia spa, hereby submits Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) decoding information:

VIN POSITION:	DESCRIPTION:	CODES :
1, 2 & 3	WMI	ZD4 (assigned by CUNA)
4 & 5	Motorcycle Type	?? (alphanumeric code) (*)
6, 7 & 8	Type of cycle, Line, Engine Type, and Engine Net Brake Horse Power	??? (alphanumeric code) (*)
9	Check Digit	? - see 49 CFR 565.4
10	Model Year	5 = 2005 6 = 2006 7 = 2007
11	Plant Location	S = Scorzè - VE- Italy
12, 13, 14, 15, 16 & 17	Sequential Production Number	?????? (*)

(\*) Letters that can be used: ABCDEFGHJKLMNPRSTUVWXYZ.  
 Numbers that can be used: 0123456789.

Due to the many possibilities related to production vehicles, we are not using characters 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8, of VIN, with a general meaning applicable to the whole production but we use these digits with a specific one applicable to each single model.

For the above reason, please, find below the list of the current Aprilia models, produced for the U.S. market, with the meaning of the characters:

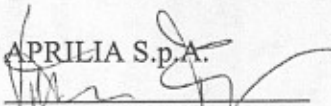
FIRST 8 CHARACTERS OF VIN	SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION (type of motorcycle, line, engine type, net brake horse-power)
ZD4PKU00	Two wheeled motor driven cycle, Mojito 50 Model, 49 cc engine, one cylinder, 2 HP, 30 mph, Old Style Version.
ZD4PKU01	Two wheeled motor driven cycle, Mojito 50 Model, 49 cc engine, one cylinder, 2 HP, 30 mph, Custom Version.
ZD4RLC10	Two wheeled motor driven cycle, SR 50 model, 49 cc engine, single cylinder, 2 HP, 30 mph, Scooter type, old version.
ZD4VFC00	Two wheeled motor driven cycle, SR 50 model, 49 cc engine, single cylinder, 2 HP, 30 mph, Scooter type, new version.
ZD4SCC01	Two wheeled motor driven cycle, Scarabeo 50 model, 49 cc engine, single cylinder, 2 HP, 30 mph, Scooter type.
ZD4TGC00	Two wheeled motor driven cycle, Scarabeo 50 model, 49 cc engine, 4 stroke, single cylinder, 2 HP, 30 mph, Scooter type.
ZD4TMC01	Two wheeled motor driven cycle, Rally 50 model, 49 cc engine, single cylinder, 2 HP, 30 mph, Scooter type.
ZD4RYC10	Two wheeled motor driven cycle, Mojito 150 Model, 150 cc engine, one cylinder, 7.4 kW / 7500 rpm, Custom Version.
ZD4PCB00	Two wheeled motorcycle, Scarabeo 150 Model, 151 cc engine, single cylinder, 10 kW 8500 rpm, Scooter type.
ZD4SPC00	Two wheeled motorcycle, Atlantic 200 model, 198 cc engine, single cylinder, 14 kW / 9000 rpm, Scooter type.
ZD4TDC00	Two wheeled motorcycle, Scarabeo 250 model, 244 cc engine, single cylinder, 15 kW / 8250 rpm, Scooter type.
ZD4PTC00	Two wheeled motorcycle, Atlantic 500 model, 459 cc engine, single cylinder, 25 kW / 7250 rpm, Scooter type.
ZD4RTC00	Two wheeled motorcycle, Scarabeo 500 model, 459 cc engine, single cylinder, 27.3 kW / 7250 rpm, Scooter type.
ZD4RTC01	Two wheeled motorcycle, Scarabeo 500 model, 459 cc engine, single cylinder, 27.3 kW / 7250 rpm, Scooter type, ABS braking system.
ZD4PSC00	Two wheeled motorcycle, ETV 1000 Caponord model, 998 cc engine, double cylinder V, 66 kW / 8250 rpm.
ZD4PSC01	Two wheeled motorcycle, ETV 1000 Caponord model, 998 cc engine, double cylinder V, 66 kW / 8250 rpm, ABS braking device.
ZD4RRC00	Two wheeled motorcycle, RSV 1000 model, 998 cc engine, double cylinder V, 99 kW / 9500 rpm.
ZD4RRC02	Two wheeled motorcycle, RSV 1000 model, 998 cc engine, double cylinder V, 99 kW / 9500 rpm, carbon fiber parts, racing suspensions, single seat.

Please note that the above models are the most recent produced and commercialised by Aprilia in the U.S. market. Let me inform, please, in case previous models are requested to be included in the above list.



The information, included in the "Sequence Description" column, are a part of those recognizable, by the first 8 digits of the VIN, related to the specific model.

Yours faithfully.

  
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