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Condition

Applicable Veh	nicles				
Model(s)	Year	Eng. Code	Trans. Code	VIN Range From	VIN Range To
All	2016-2023	All	All	All	All

Revision Table			
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Refer to "Wheel alignment and balance" as stated in Volkswagen's Warranty Policies and Procedures Manual for guide lines of submitting warranty claims for alignments.

Technical Background

This Technical Bulletin outlines the use of the Alignment Sheet Submission Form for warranty submission claim of alignment.

For all vehicles (except Touareg):

• During PDI the technician finds the alignment not correct after a road test.

For Touareg:

• Touareg, alignment sheet must be used between 1,000 and 6,000 miles.

I Note:

<u>Warranty only covers alignments at PDI for all vehicles except Touareg</u> which is covered between 1,000 and 6,000 miles. Alignment claims submitted without an Alignment Sheet Submission Form will be debited.

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Production Solution

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Service

Go to VW Hub site, access the "Service" criteria, select the "Alignment Worksheet" link (Figure 1), fill out the form (Figure 2), "add the alignment sheet" and submit the alignment form.





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Technican:	Alignment Date:	
Dealer Name:	RO No.:	
Dealer Code:		
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Model Year:	Model	
Vak	Nicago:	1
and/or Stearing wheel off center**: Lutit L * A pulling condition is when a vehicle tra- ** Stearing wheel off center condition is	Right Comments: Right Comments: dis to the right or left when the driver is holding the steering wheel in when a vehicle is tracking straight and the steering wheel is not level, implaint, cause, and correction are not dearly listed in the dam.	el with moderate pressure.
Alignment File Upload:	Attach alignment sheet here: Browse No file selected Abb ANN	

Figure 2

I Note:

In the comment section note: tire brand, tire PSI, ride height and fuel level to properly document vehicle conditions at the time of the alignment.

After the three sections have been filled out, upload a copy of the alignment measurements from your computer using the "Browse" tab within the "Alignment File Upload" section of the form. Once the alignment measurements have been uploaded click the "Submit Alignment" button.

I Note:

Hand written or scanned copies of alignment sheets will not be accepted as they may not contain all the correct information needed for warranty submission. Incomplete Alignment Sheet Submission Forms will cause warranty claims to be debited.

For example, on "unacceptable" form there is no VIN, Date, Model or alignment measurement information.

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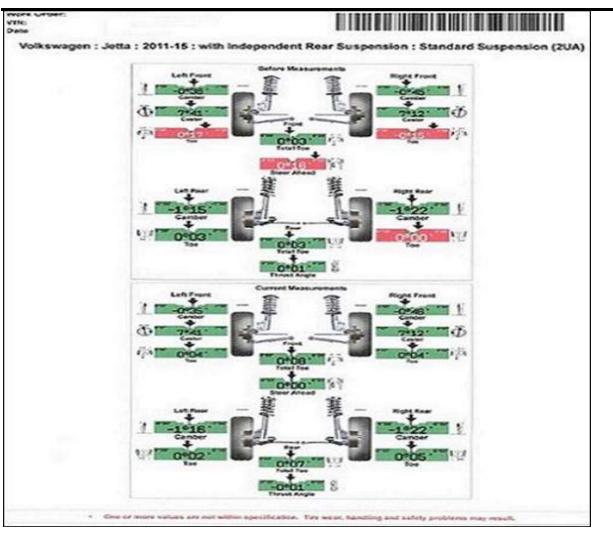
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Example of an acceptable alignment printout

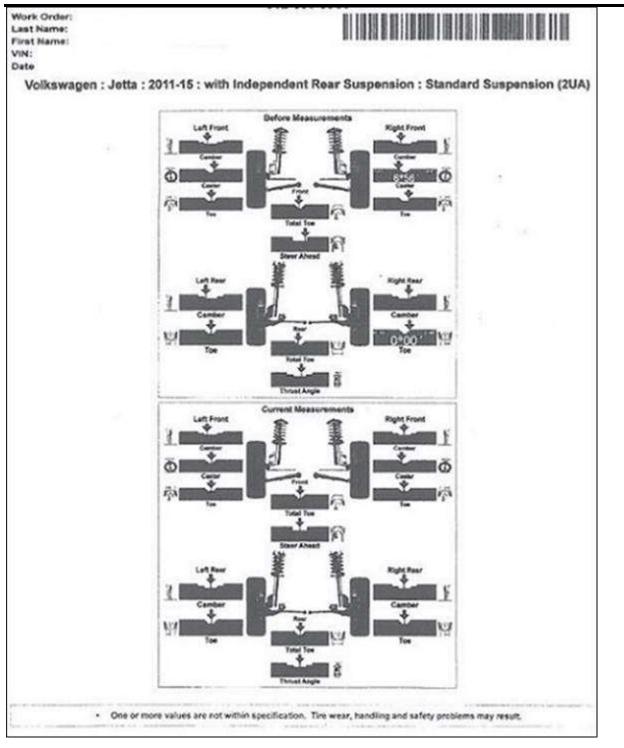
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Example of an unacceptable alignment printout

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Warranty

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Required Parts and Tools

No Special Parts required.

No Special Tools required.

Additional Information

All part and service references provided in this Technical Bulletin are subject to change and/or removal. Always check with your Parts Dept. and Repair Manuals for the latest information.

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